

Technology Executive Committee (TEC)

Policy arm of the Technology Mechanism

***Taking forward the Paris outcomes:
Rolling workplan of the TEC for 2016–2018***

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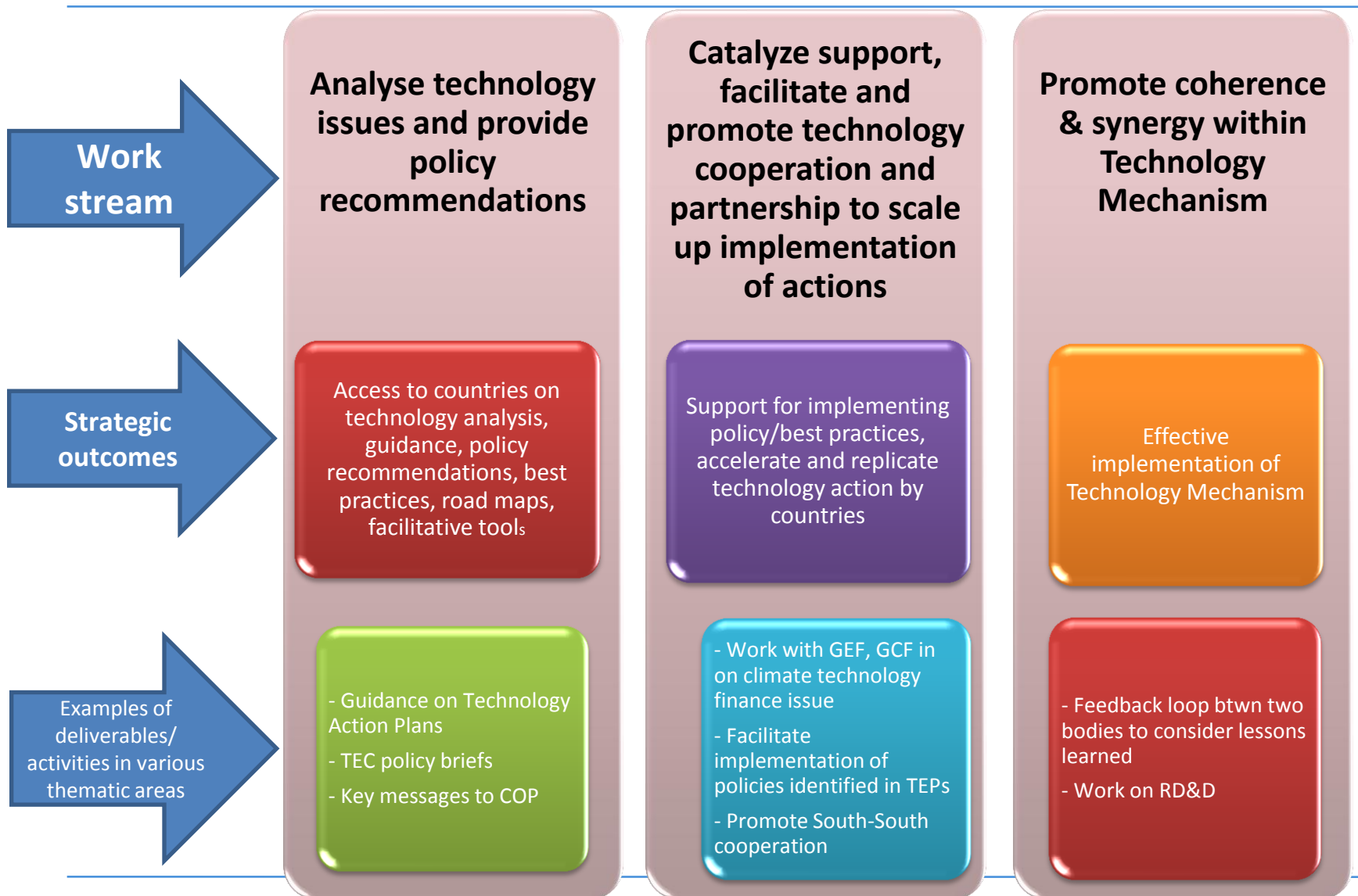
Overview

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1. Key features of the workplan

- ✓ Developed and agreed upon at the first TEC meeting after Paris
- ✓ Three-year period: 2016–2018
- ✓ Activities organized in three workstreams (with each an expected strategic outcome):
 1. Analyse technology issues and provide policy recommendations
 2. Catalyse support and facilitate and promote technology cooperation and partnerships to scale up implementation of actions
 3. Work in collaboration with the CTCN to promote coherence and synergy within the Technology Mechanism

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1. Key features of the workplan

- ✓ Cross-cutting issues:
 - Development and enhancement of endogenous capacities and technologies
 - Engagement of non-Party stakeholders
 - Communications and outreach activities

2. Thematic areas of work and examples of activities

✓ *Adaptation*

- Further work to promote and advance South–South cooperation and triangular cooperation on technologies for adaptation
- Engage with Adaptation Committee on adaptation TEMs

✓ *Climate technology financing*

- Work on linkages between TM and FM
- Provide input to SCF into draft guidance of operating entities of FM
- Update evaluation of Poznan strategic programme

2. Thematic areas of work and examples of activities

✓ *Innovation and research, development and demonstration*

- Analyse how innovation, including technology transfer and distribution, can support implementation of the technology elements of NDCs and Paris Agreement mid-century strategies
- Undertake further work on RD&D
- Identify policies and strategies to improve enabling environments for and address barriers to technology development and transfer

✓ *Technology needs assessment*

- Guidance on TAP implementation
- Analyse linkages between TNA and NDC processes
- Paper on aligning TNA and NAP processes
- Prepare a draft methodology on how to monitor the TNA results

2. Thematic areas of work and examples of activities

✓ *Emerging and cross-cutting issues (loss and damage)*

- Engage with WIM Loss and Damage Executive Committee
- Identify specific intervention related to technology contributing to loss and damage work

✓ *Mitigation*

- Take forward TEP outcomes and identify policy options with most mitigation and replicable potentials and support Parties in their implementation
- Contribute to organization of TEMs on mitigation

The TEC greatly appreciates Parties' trust toward the Technology Mechanism and its anchoring in the Paris Agreement, and is committed to taking forward the Paris outcomes through its rolling workplan for 2016–2018

3. Other recent/coming TEC activities and products

- ✓ **Thematic dialogue on South–South cooperation** for technologies on adaptation (6 April 2016)
 - Deepen the understanding and share experiences and lessons learnt among countries regarding SSC on technologies for adaptation
- ✓ **Communications and outreach strategy**
 - Showcase the key role the TEC plays in supporting Parties, and enhance the visibility and accessibility of the TEC outputs
- ✓ **Workshop on linkages between Technology Mechanism and Financial Mechanism** (21 May, 10.00-13.00)
 - In collaboration with CTCN, GCF and GEF secretariats

4. Collaboration of the TEC with other Bodies and stakeholders

- ✓ Engagement of non-Party stakeholders: cross-cutting issue embedded in the new workplan
 - Includes private sector, NGOs, IGOs, Constituted bodies and other relevant stakeholders
- ✓ A workstream of workplan dedicated to joint efforts with CTCN: to promote coherence and synergy within the Technology Mechanism and serve Parties in a coherent and effective manner:
 - Some activities in collaboration with CTCN: Linkages between TM and FM; Innovation and RD&D; TNAs; TEMs on mitigation

4. Collaboration of the TEC with other Bodies and stakeholders

- ✓ Six TEC task forces to undertake work inter-sessionally on activities of workplan: All include representatives of BINGO, ENGO and RINGO, and, on an ad-hoc basis, IGO
- ✓ TEC collaborates actively with many other Constituted bodies/institutions:
 - AC, GCF, GEF, LEG, SCF, L&D ExCom

In the spirit of the Paris outcomes, the TEC looks forward to continuing to engage and collaborate with other Bodies and stakeholders to enhance technology action on the ground

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Thank you!

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