Initiative for Climate Action Transparency

Helping Developing Countries Track, Access and Report their Climate Actions: Integrating guidance and capacity enhancement for transparency

Side event: Ready for the Enhance Transparency Framework?

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Introduction to ICAT

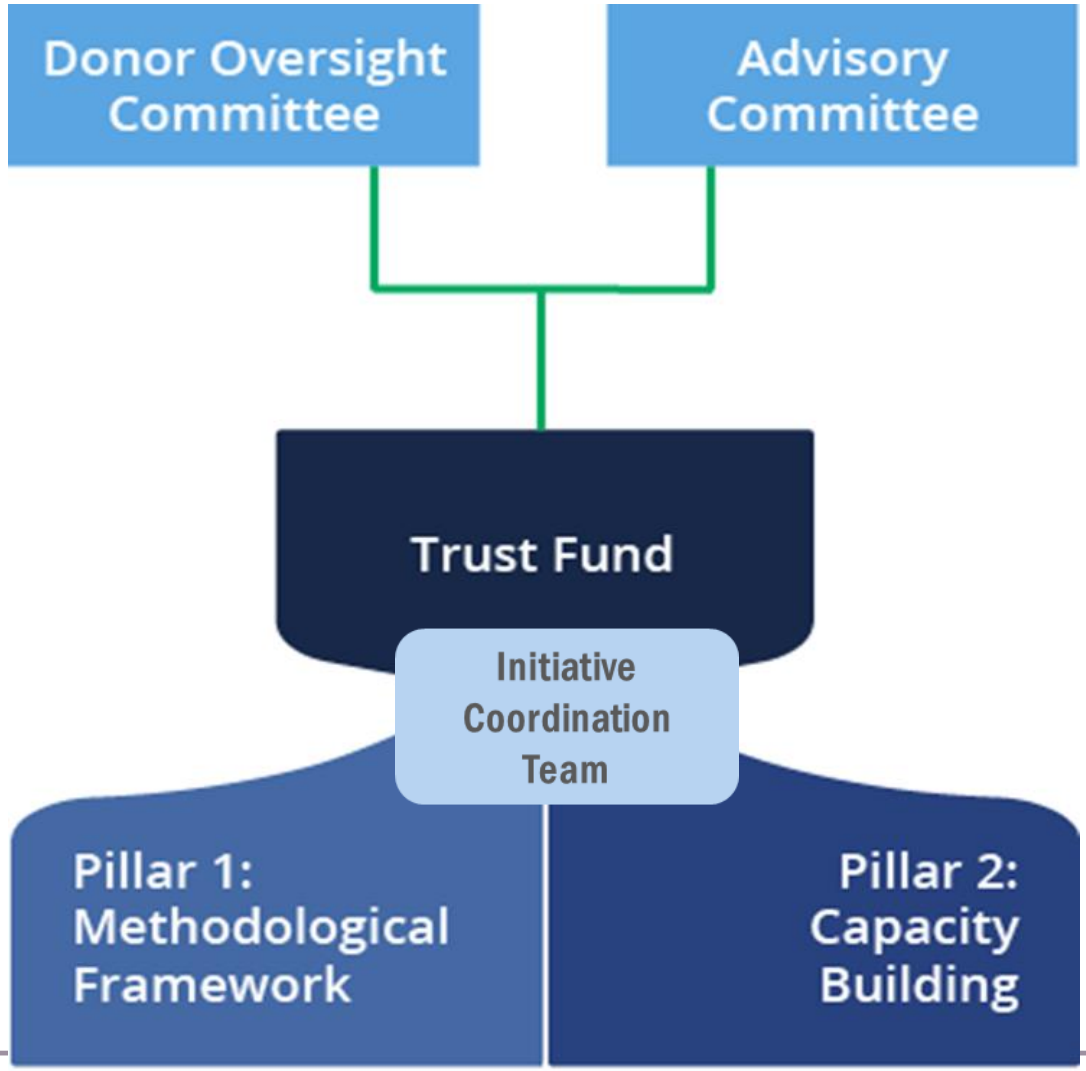
ICAT objectives

Provide policymakers around the world with tools and support to assess the impacts of their climate policies and actions, to further transparent and ambitious climate action.

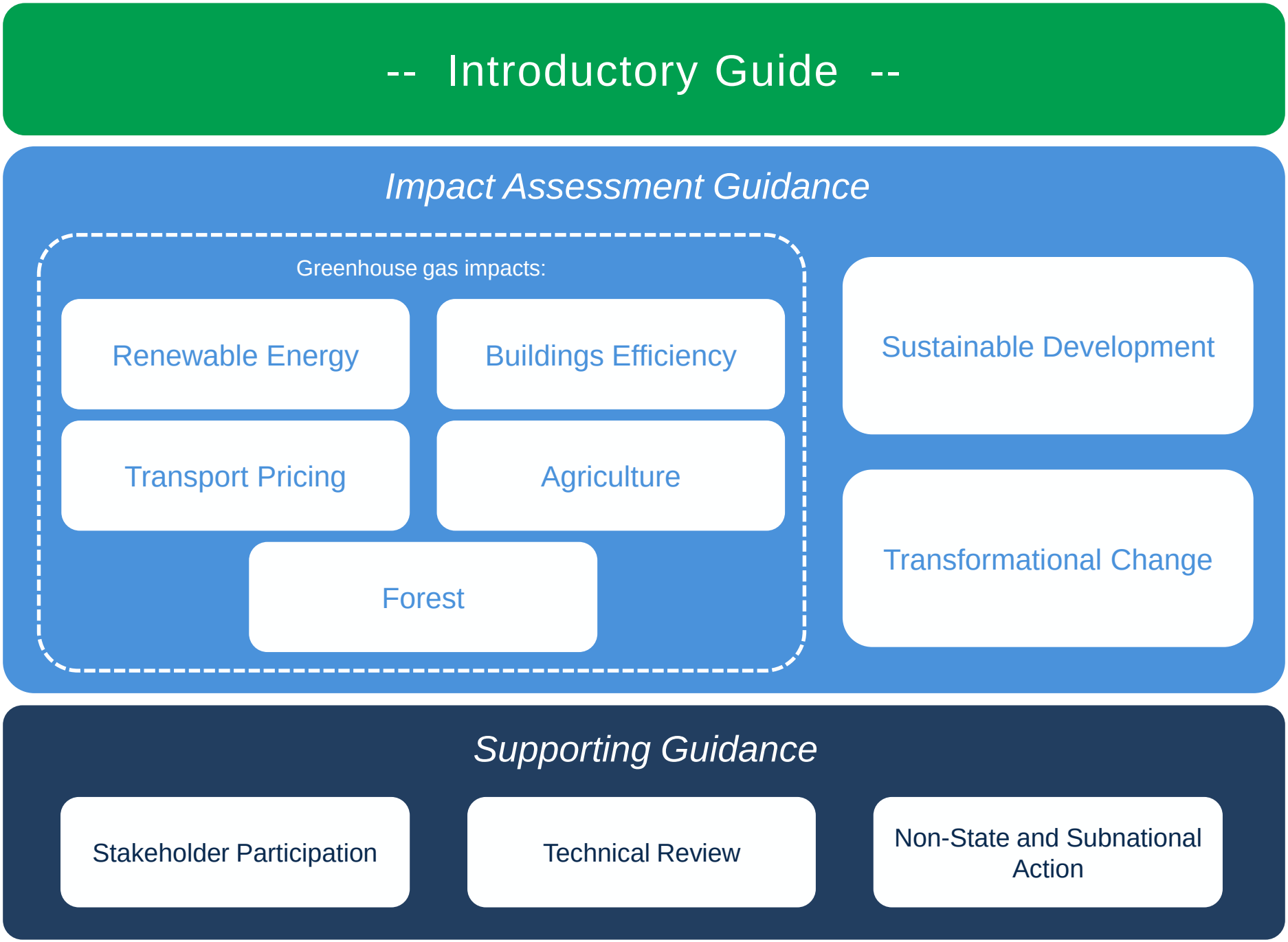
Two components:

- ICAT series of guidance
- Country support to build capacity

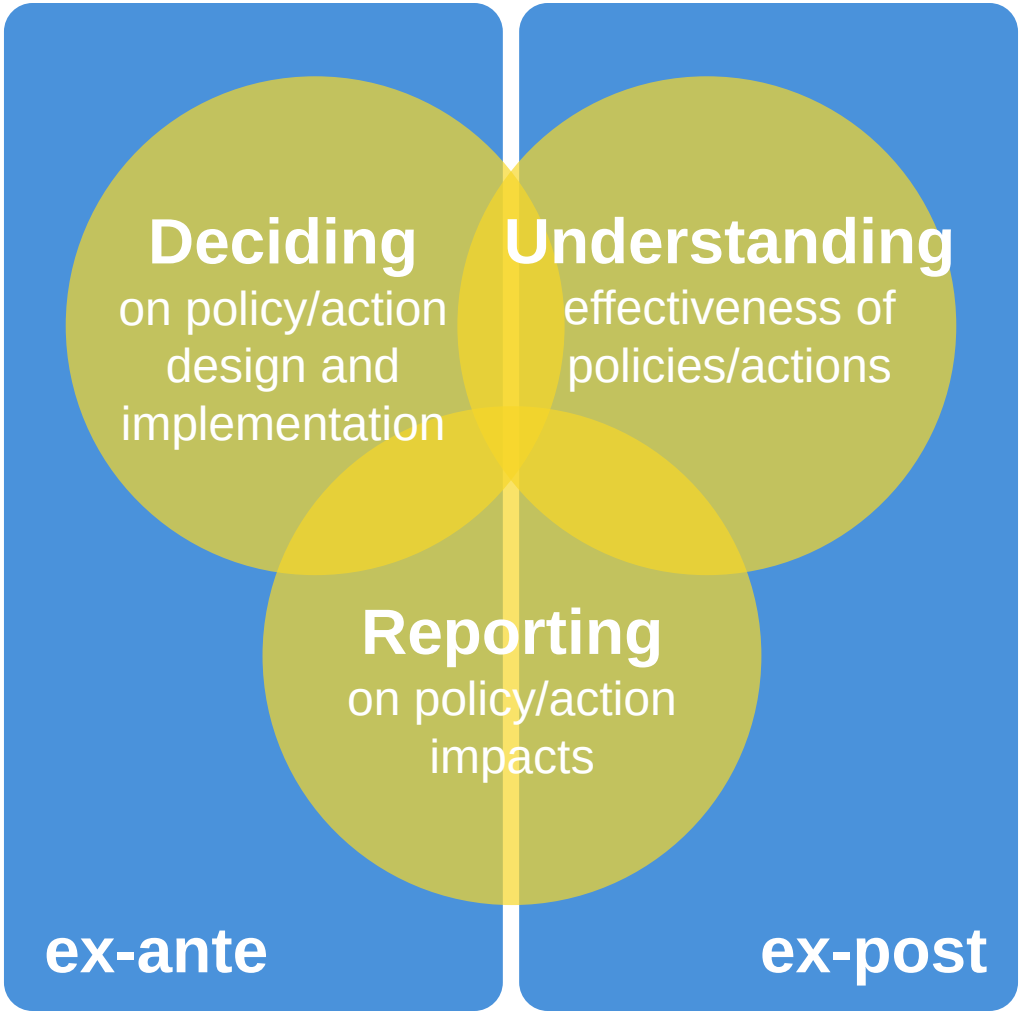
ICAT project structure



ICAT Guidance


-- Introductory Guide --
Impact Assessment Guidance
Greenhouse gas impacts:
Renewable Energy
Buildings Efficiency
Transport Pricing
Agriculture
Forest
Sustainable Development
Transformational Change
Supporting Guidance
Stakeholder Participation
Technical Review
Non-State and Subnational Action

Goals for the guidance



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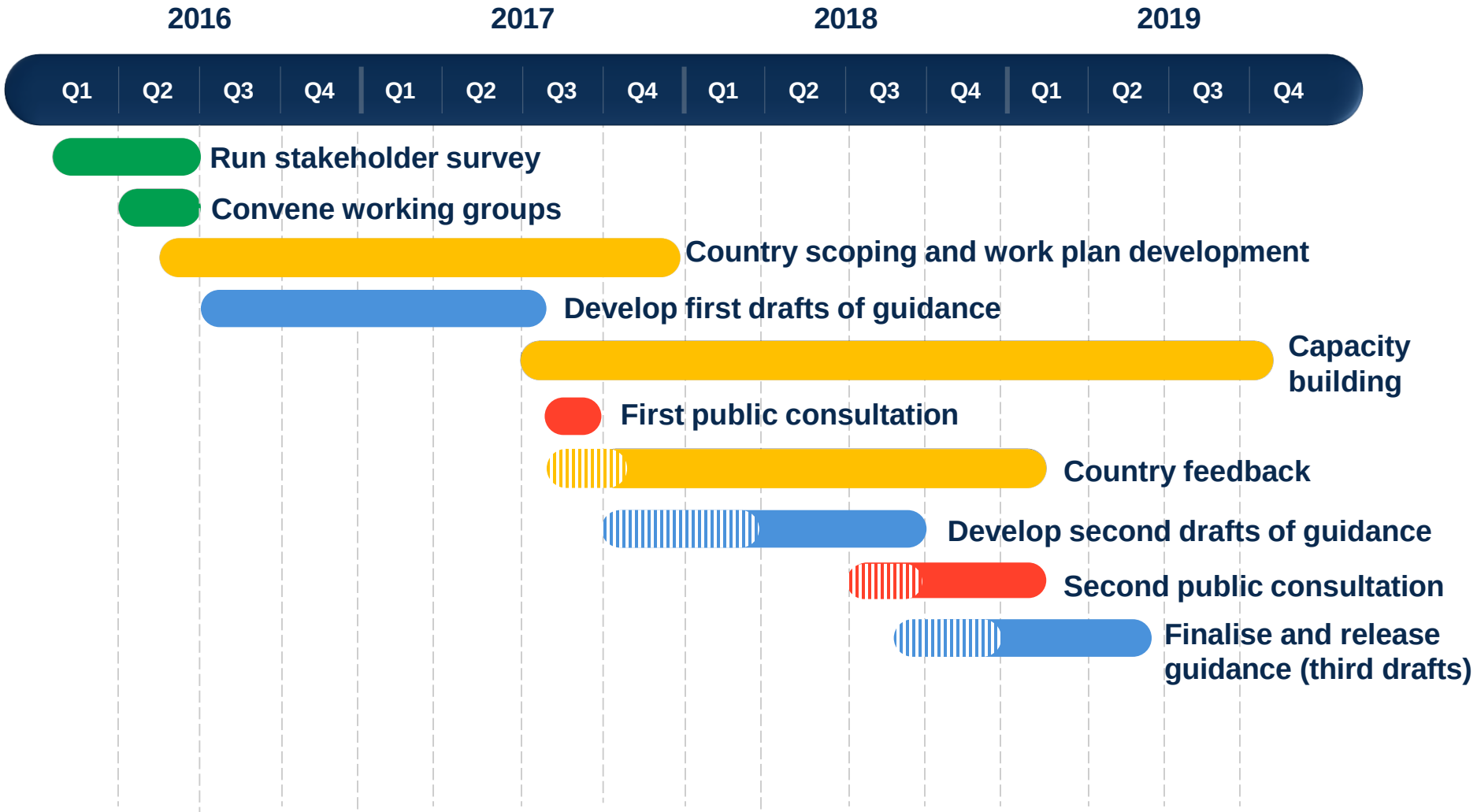
An inclusive, multi-stakeholder process



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ICAT Country Support

Countries supported

1) Mozambique
2) Costa Rica
3) Ghana
4) Kenya
5) Tanzania
6) Sri Lanka
7) Cambodia
8) Colombia
9) Peru
10) Dominican Republic
13) Ecuador
14) Morocco
15) Senegal
16) Thailand
17) Rwanda
18) Brazil
19) Indonesia
20) Mexico
21) Philippines
22) Trinidad & Tobago

21) India

Country Engagement Approach

ICAT offers:

- Flexibility in ICAT's 'topic approach' to adjust to and advance country national MRV plans
- ICAT guidance can build upon existing methods and approaches
- High interest in partnerships to coordinate parallel MRV work, or even sequence with others, for higher probability of implementation
- Country engagements show that countries often have several ongoing MRV efforts by countries themselves and other organizations.

Questions & Discussion

Thank You

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