

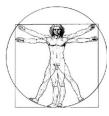
Common Timeframes / Costa Rica / AILAC

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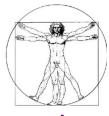
AILAC's common elements for CT



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- AILAC's vision of common time frames stems directly from the concept of the Paris Agreement ambition cycle.
- AILAC has considered a systematic approach that resolves ambiguities and chooses between options, in a manner guided by the intent of enabling the Paris Agreement ambition cycle to be as relevant and responsive as possible to the need to rapidly increase NDC ambition, as demanded by the IPCC's SR1.5.

Ambition Cycle includes



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- (i) Periodic NDC to be put forward by Parties, which are formulated, communicated, implemented and reported in a timely manner;
- (ii) Successive NDC's that represent a progression beyond the current or previous one and reflect its highest possible ambition and be informed by the outcomes of the Global Stocktake (GST);

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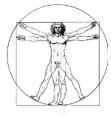
- (iii) Regular IPCC assessment reports, to provide the best available scientific information on what has been achieved and what still needs to be done;
- (iv) A periodic assessment of collective progress towards the achievement of the Agreement's purpose and Long term Goals under the Global Stocktake.
- (v) National Long term low emission development strategies in light of Art. 2 of the agreement.

Common timeframe is a critical variable for the coherent operation of the Ambition Cycle



- (i) Enables a common period of implementation for the NDCs of all Parties as they are successively put forward
- (ii) Enables for those successive NDCs to be informed by the outcome of the GST and the best available science under the terms of the Agreement.

Five year periodicity



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• Consistent with the 5 year ambition cycle under the Paris Agreement we believe all NDCs should have a single common timeframe for implementation of 5 years. Communication every five years, both on confirmed and indicative NDC.



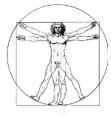
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- The five year periodicity of the IPCC and the GST processes point to a frecuency at which the latest available science and status on global progress will become available.
- The IPCC has previously produced reports at intervals of between 5 and 7 years. It is currently considering, following the advice of the SBSTA as requested by the COP, whether to align future Assesment Reports (ARs) to a 5 year cycle after AR6, thus likely publishing in 2022, 2027 and so on.

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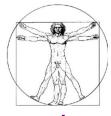
- The first GST will occur on 2023, and every 5 years after that, meaning that the ARs should provide timely information to this process in an ongoing manner.
- NDC timing of implementation cycle that is aligned with the IPCC AR and the GST cycles, in such a way that ensures that they provide máximum benefit to the overall NDC process

Components of the NDC cycle



- Formulation
- Communication
- Implementation
- Reporting
- Successive formulation and communication with progression reflecting the highest possible ambition (Art. 4.3) and informed by the outcome of the GST (Art. 4.9 and Art. 14.3)

Components of the NDC cycle



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- Formulation of a national level taking into consideration the most recent iterations of the IPCC AR and GST processes.
- **Communication** on a cycle on which every five years each party communicates two NDC documents, representing two successive implementation periods
 - I. The "confirmed NDC", expressing the Party's contribution for the forthcoming (next) implementation period.
 - 2. An "indicative NDC", expressing a complete but preliminary view of the expected contribution for the implementation period following that of the first NDC

Components of the NDC cycle



This means:

- I. The "confirmed NDC" referring to the forthcoming implementation period will be an update of the "indicative NDC" communicated five years prior
- 2. The "indicative NDC" will be updated five years later, after which it will no longer be indicative, and will become the contribution for its corresponding period.

According to Katowice decision to apply common timeframes to NDC to be implemented from 2031 onwards:



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- 5+5 Common Timeframe of implementation:
- It should be applied by Parties to the NDCs that shall be communicated **in 2025** covering the period between 2030 and 2040 in two segments:
- I. An "indicative NDC" that will cover the period from 2030 to 2035 informed by the outcome of the first GST that will take place on 2023.
- 2. An exceptional "indicative NDC" will be updated five years later, after which it will no longer be indicative, and will become the contribution for its corresponding period.

According to Katowice decision to apply common timeframes to NDC to be implemented from 2031 onwards:



- In 2030 when Parties are called to communicate again their NDCs according to the 5 year cycle of the PA:
- I. A "confirmed NDC" that reflects an "update" of the indicative NDC communicated in 2025, and informed by the outcome of the GST that takes place on 2028
- 2. An "indicative NDC" covering the subsequent 5 years (2035-2040)

According to Katowice decision to apply common timeframes to NDC to be implemented from 2031 onwards:



 In 2035 when Parties are called to communicate again their NDCs:

- I. A "confirmed NDC" that reflects an "update" of the indicative NDC communicated in 2030, and informed by the outcome of the GST that takes place on 2033
- 2. An "indicative NDC" covering the subsequent 5 years (2040-2045)

