Roles of NIES on promoting adaptation actions: information platforms and research program

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Roles of NIES under the Climate Change Adaptation Act

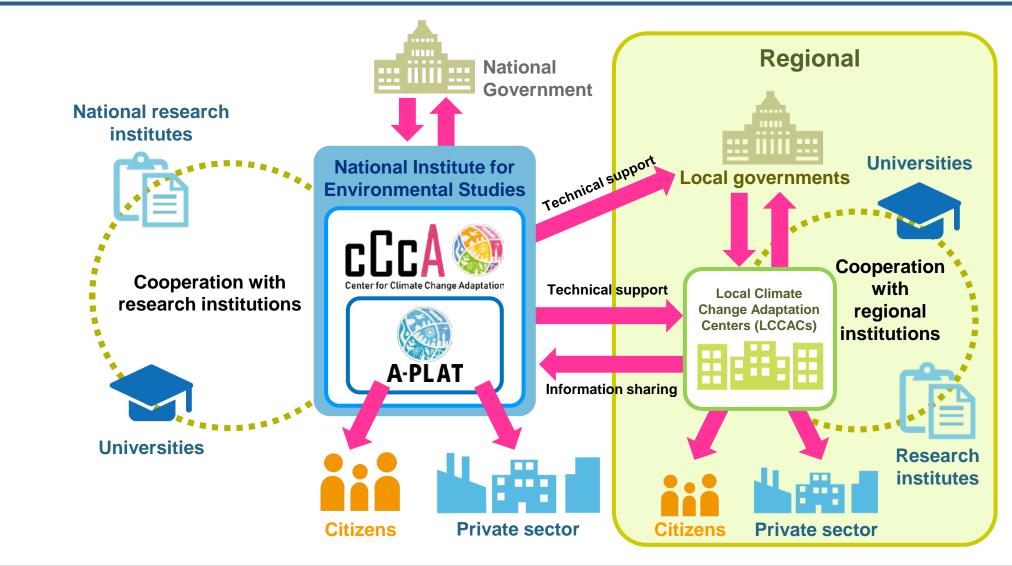
Development of domestic adaptation information infrastructure (Article 11)

- Appoint NIES as the core of information infrastructure for adaptation
- NIES shall:
 - collect, organize, analyze and provide information related to climate change impacts and adaptation; and
 - provide technical advice and support to local governments, local climate change adaptation centers and other institutions
- NIES will:
 - cooperate with other research institutions; and
 - foster public participation in collecting information about climate change impacts





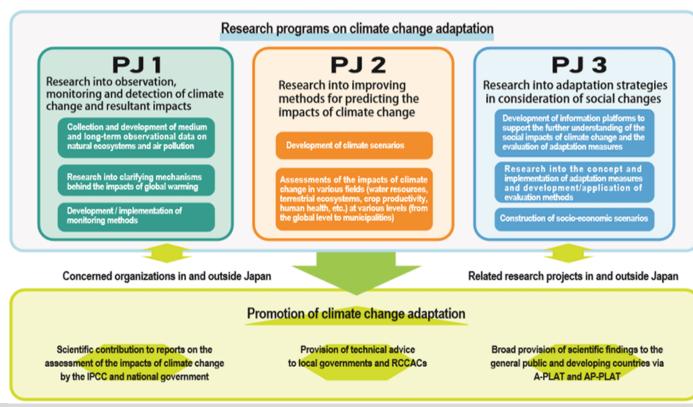
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Climate Change Adaptation Research Program

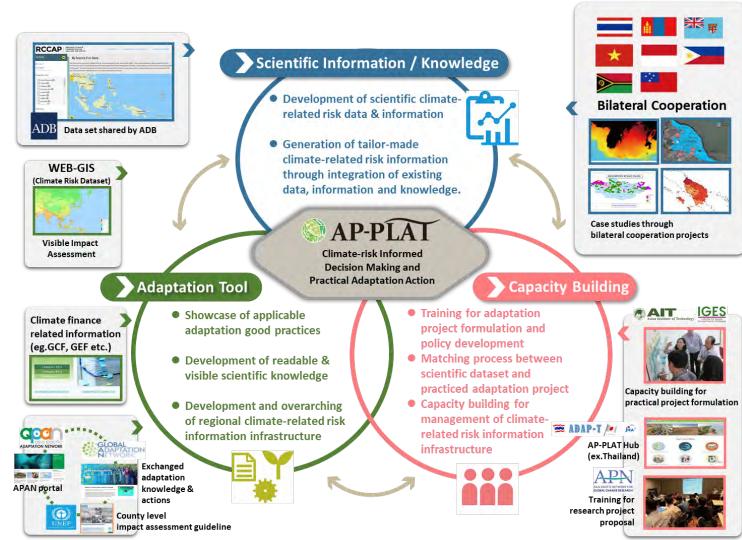
- In-house research program on climate change impacts and adaptation Project 1: Observation, monitoring and detection of climate change and its impacts Project 2: Improving methods for projecting impacts of climate change Project 3: Adaptation strategies considering social changes
- Outcomes of this research program will be provided in A-PLAT and AP-PLAT to support decision making in climate change adaptation





Asia-Pacific Climate Change Adaptation Information Platform (AP-PLAT)

- AP-PLAT was launched on June 16, 2019, to support climate change adaptation measures by providing state-of-the-art scientific knowledge on climate change impacts and adaptation.
 - to support national & local governments, private sectors, and individuals to develop and implement adaptation measures
 - to collect and provide scientific knowledge (observation, climate and impact projections) in the Asia-Pacific Region
 - to promote information-sharing and capacity building with stakeholders





Roles of NIES in AP-PLAT

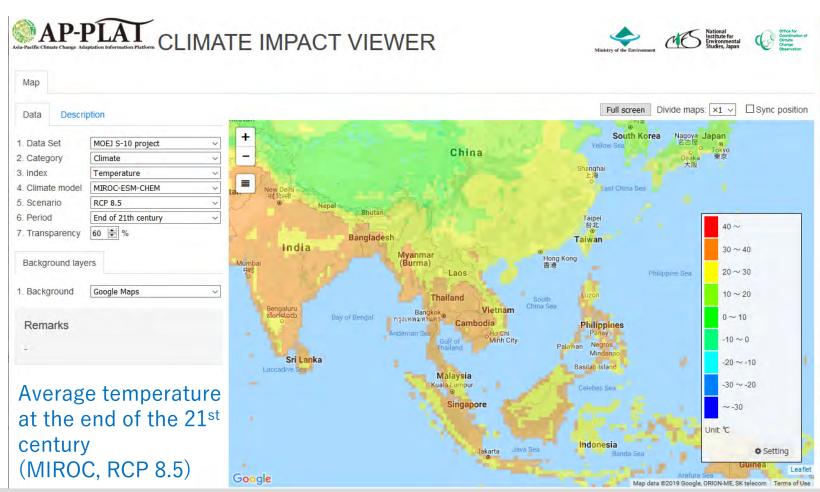
- NIES has been working on developing the AP-PLAT website to provide scientific knowledge and information related to climate change impacts and adaptation.
- Key contents
 - Climate Impact Viewer
 - NDCs, NAPs, NAPAs, TNAs
 - Guidelines
 - Climate funds





Climate Impact Viewer

- Climate Impact Viewer shows projection of climate scenarios and climate change impacts from research projects (MOEJ, ADB, etc.) on interactive maps.
- Sectors covered in the Climate Impact Viewer
 - (a) Climate
 - (b) Water resources
 - (c) Vegetation
 - (d) Health





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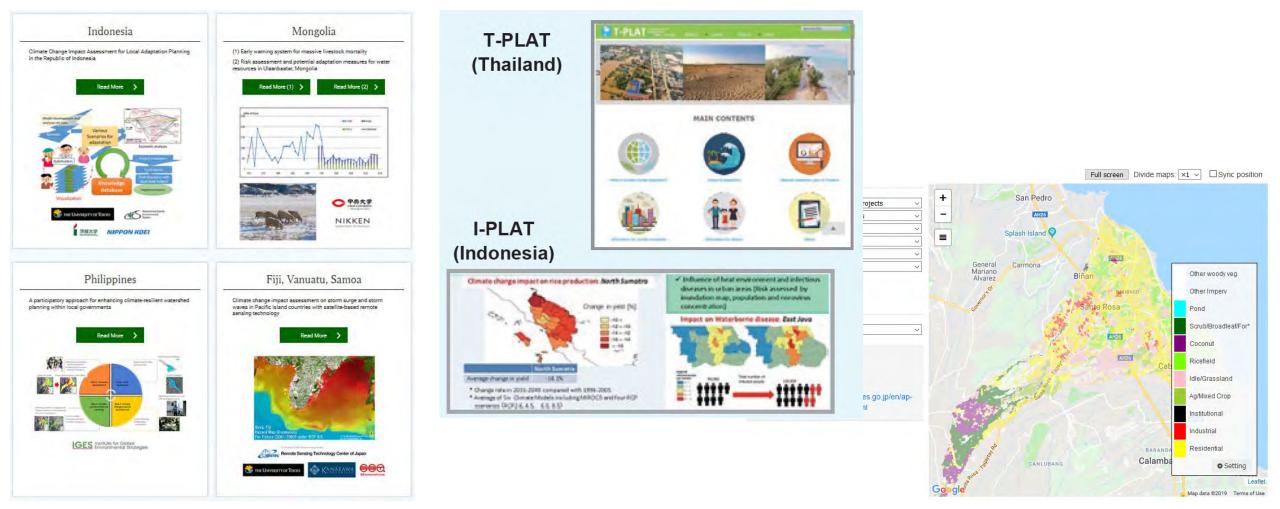
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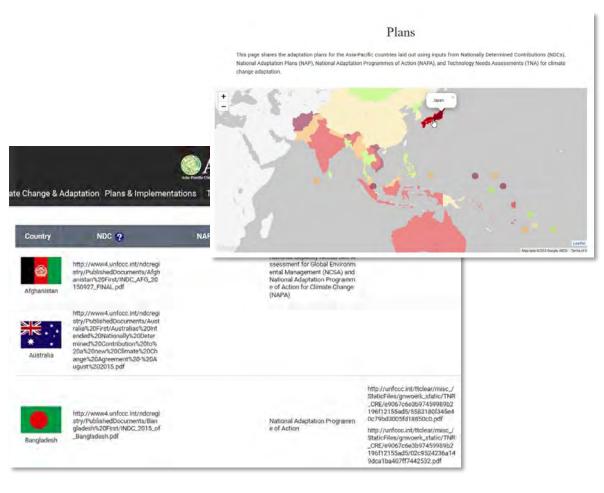
Bilateral cooperation





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National Adaptation Plans



Guidelines





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Adaptation funding

Overview of Main Climate Funds to support **Developing Countries**

There are various types of funding and technical support schemes for developing countries to address climate change adaptation issues. This section introduce these schemes focusing on the following 5 schemes under the UNFCCC as well as the World Bank.

Financial Mechanism	Technology Mechanism	EMAL	
 <u>Global Environment Facility (GEF)</u> <u>Adaptation Fund (AF)</u> <u>Green Climate Fund (GCF)</u> <u>Climate Investment Fund (CIF)</u> 	Climate Technology Centre and Network (CTCN)	allocate and a second	
Overview of the Green Climate Fund (GCF) Strategic Prioritized Areas	 Fund to support mitigation and adaptation measures again Aims to achieve a paradigm shift Established at the COP16 to the UNFCCC, with its permanent 		
Portfolio of GCF Projects Six Investment Criteria Access Modalities for GCF Funding Proposal Approval Process	 Started project approvals from 2015; As of March 2018, 76 has been committed 	 Board meetings are held at least twice a year (normally three times) Started project approvals from 2015; As of March 2018, 76 projects have been approved and total of 3.7 billion USD has been committed Accredited Entities (AE) play the central role in project implementation. 	
National Designated Authority (NDA)	Project + Programmes: https://www.greenclimate.fund/what-we-do/projects-programmes Portfolio Dashboard: https://www.greenclimate.fund/what-we-do/portfolio-dashboard		



Activities in private sector

Project Details

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Sumitomo Chemical provides "Olyset® Net" for regions where there are fears of an increase in infectious diseases transmitted by mosquitoes as a result of expansion in mosquito breeding areas due to climate change. The Company started local production in September 2003 through a grant of manufacturing technology to A to Z Textile Mills Limited in Tanzania. To meet surging demand, "Olyset[®] Net" Production Company was set up as a joint venture with A to Z Textile Mills Limited, through which as many as 7,000 job opportunities were generated and the regional economy was boosted. In 2010, the Company built a production framework that, combined with Asian production bases, is aggregately capable of manufacturing as many as 60 million units annually. The products are now supplied to more than 80 countries through such international organizations as The Global Fund and UNICEF. Furthermore, the Company has launched sales to general consumers through local supermarkets in Kenya and several countries in Asia since 2011 to develop diverse sales channels.





NEC Corporation in collaboration with Thailand's National Disaster Warning Center (NDWC) and Japanese Embassy of Thailand, has conducted a trial of its flood simulation system to predict the inundation areas in Uttaradit Province in Northern. Thailand during the period from November 2015 to March 2016. It was the first Japan-Thailand cooperation project in the field of disaster reduction ICT conducted as part of the "Research and study for the development of a flooding simulator in Thailand" project commissioned by Japan's Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications.





Summary

- NIES will continue to support science-based decision making in climate change adaptation by providing latest scientific knowledge on climate change impacts and adaptation to the stakeholders in the Asia-Pacific Region.
 - Latest scientific knowledge from research works in NIES and research projects supported by partner organizations (e.g. MOEJ, ADB)
 - User-friendly data visualization (e.g. interactive maps)
- We will enhance mutual collaboration with partner institutions towards solid and practical adaptation measures.



