



# GCF-2: Country Programming

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# WHY COUNTRY PROGRAMMES? AND WHAT WILL BE DONE DIFFERENTLY?



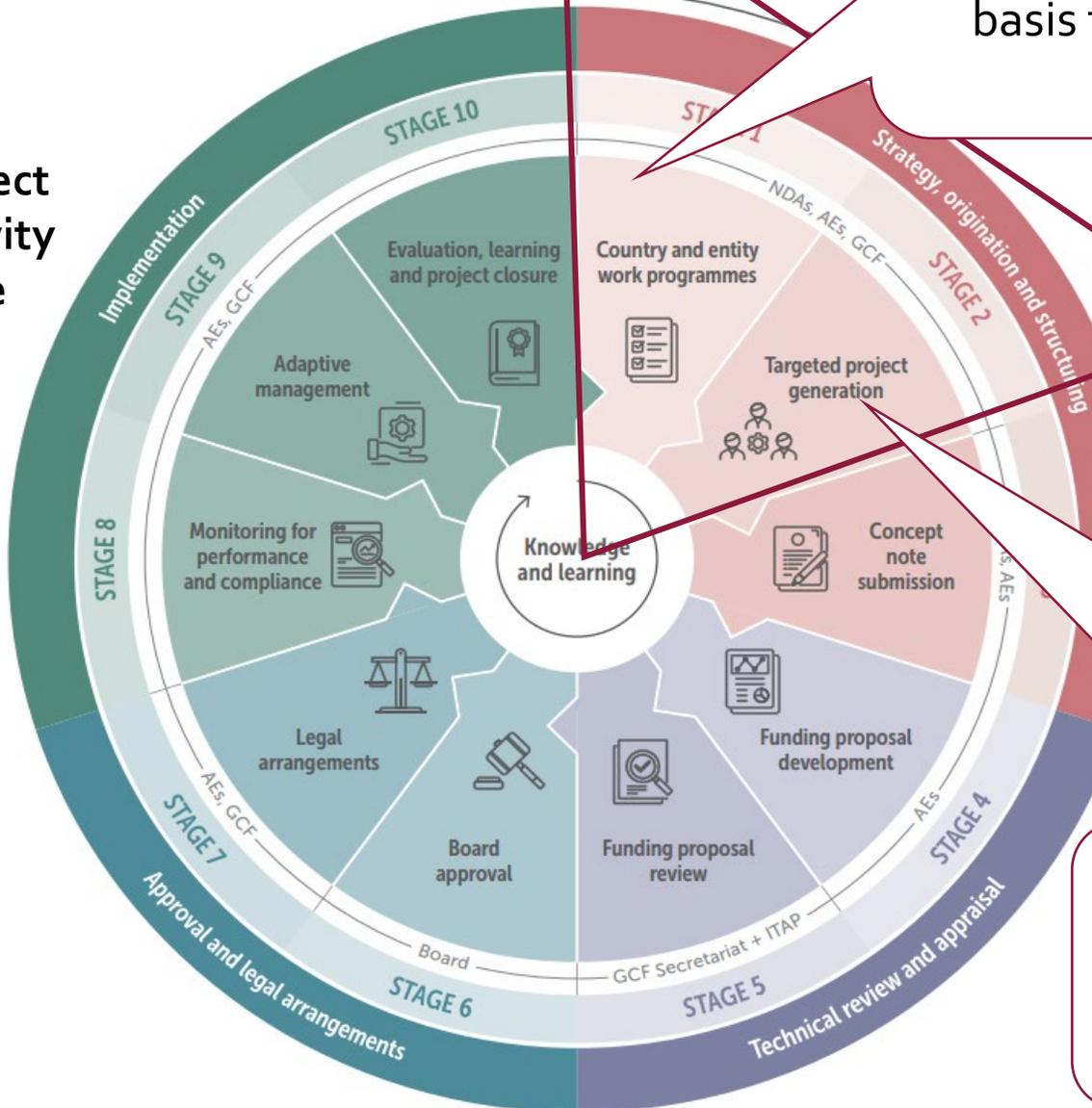
- Partnership document, articulating strategic intent for collaboration
- To improve accountability, results and impact

## What's different

- A more active GCF role in the preparation process
- Centrality of consultations
- Streamlining pipeline development
- More intent in leveraging the role of the private sector
- Readiness as a foundation for programming
- For EECA: A focus on building a strong pipeline of GCF investments
- A cycle approach, including midterm review, end of cycle reporting

# COUNTRY-CENTRIC APPROACH

GCF Project activity cycle



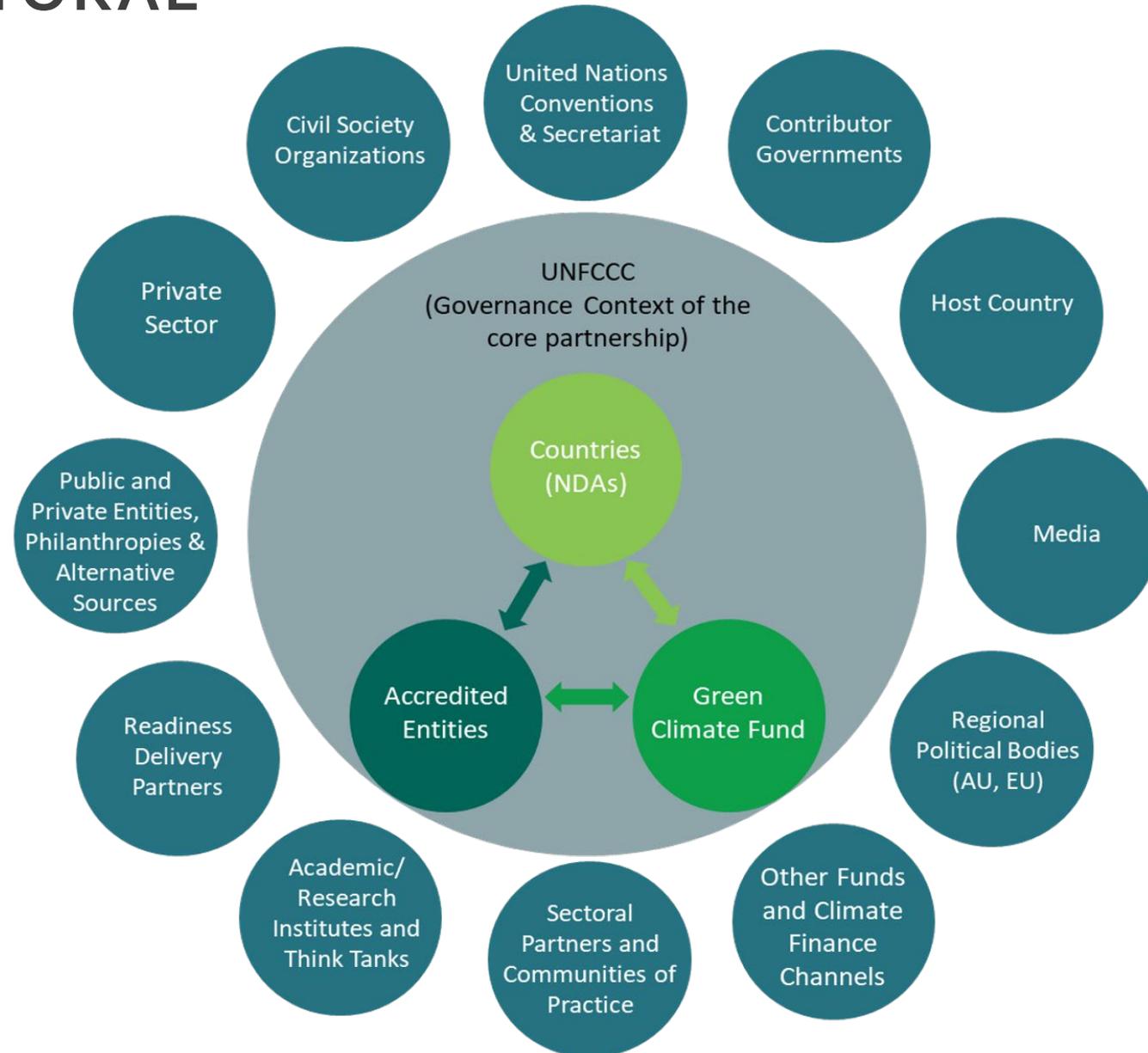
Country Programming “the cornerstone of each country’s pipeline development with GCF. It is the first stage of the updated GCF project and programme cycle, and forms the basis for prioritising the further development of funding proposals ...”

Readiness → Programming

Streamlining country programming and pipeline development within the Secretariat

Readiness support for partners & programming must be deployed more intentionally and strategically to serve this purpose

# THE APPROACH: COUNTRY-CENTRIC, MULTISECTORAL



# THE APPROACH



- Updated Country Programme Guidance Note
- Improving results orientation: new CPs to include results matrix

## Country Programme: Areas of coverage

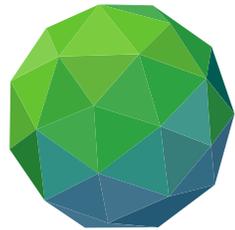
- Country Context
- Climate finance strategy and priorities
- Multi stakeholder consultation process
- Progress in implementation of GCF portfolio and lessons learnt
- Evidence from analytical work: prioritization of high impact projects

# THE APPROACH



## Country Programme: Areas of coverage

- Climate results areas: linkages with NDC/LTS/NAP outcome areas
- Each CP to identify 2 results areas, with 2 projects under each. For each programme cycle GCF will target to process 4 projects per country.
- Potential Regional and multi country projects
- Accredited Entities Capacity and Needs
- Complementarity and coherence with partners
- Project implementation, quality assurance, monitoring and reporting
- Implementation risks and mitigation measures
- Results Matrix



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