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# Gender Climate Tracker: *A Tool for Advocacy*

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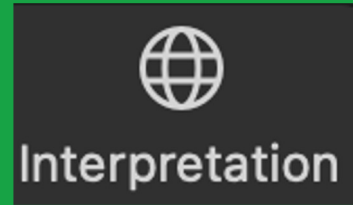


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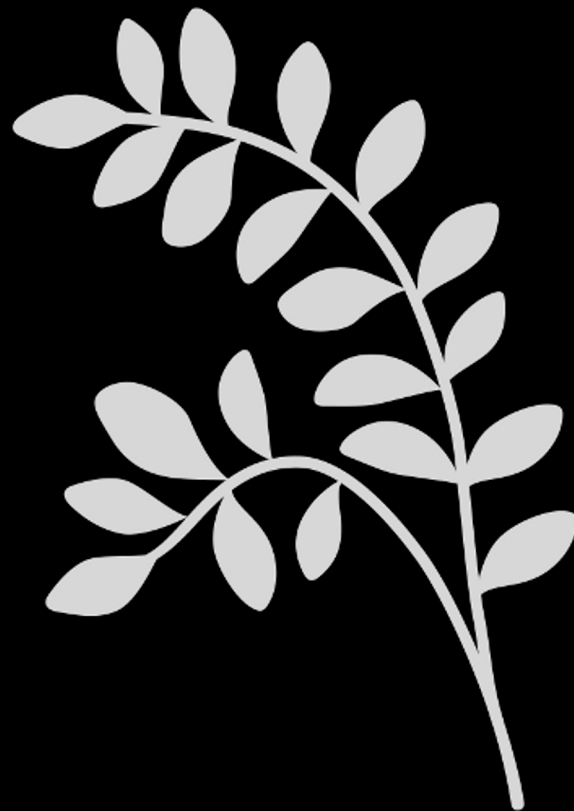
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# Agenda

- ❖ Welcome and Intro to the GCT
- ❖ Gender Mandates
- ❖ Women's Participation Statistics
- ❖ Country Profiles
- ❖ Become a Gender Climate Tracker!
- ❖ Closing Remarks





# Gender Climate Tracker:

## *Introduction and Overview*



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## History


- ❖ Launched in **2016** after the Paris Agreement as an app, **2018** as a website
- ❖ Understand **gaps** and **track progress** regarding gender within UNFCCC processes
- ❖ Tool for **advocates, negotiators, practitioners,** and **decision-makers**





# What can the GCT do?

- ❖ **Provide** easy, on-the-go access to key statistics, policies, and research
- ❖ **Track** gender-responsive climate action globally
- ❖ **Support** relevant stakeholders to further understand and advance the implementation of gender-responsive climate policy



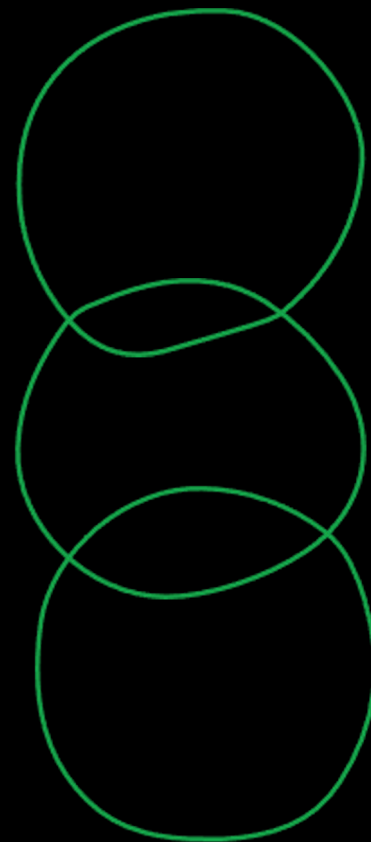
*By reviewing, compiling and publishing this information, the app empowers civil society, governments and citizens to hold their governments accountable to their gender commitments.*





## Guide to the GCT

- ❖ **Gender Mandates:** All UNFCCC decisions that contain a reference to gender
- ❖ **Participation Statistics:** The participation of women and men in UNFCCC Party delegations and constituted bodies
- ❖ **Country Profiles:** NDC gender analyses, NAP analyses, and relevant news and resources





## Website

[genderclimatetracker.org](https://genderclimatetracker.org)

Gender Mandates

Women's Participation Statistics

*with interactive comparison*

Country Profiles *with linked*

*resources and news*

Resources

News

## App

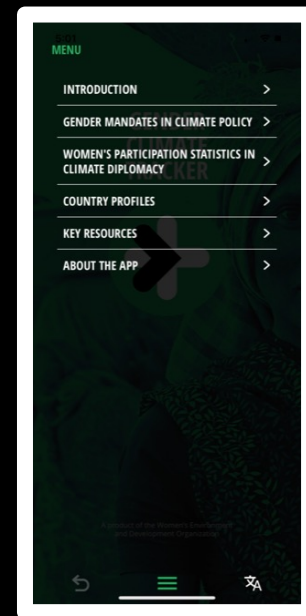


Gender Mandates

Women's Participation Statistics

*with Party-level history*

Country Profiles







# **Let's Explore the Gender Climate Tracker website!**



# Gender Mandates:

## *How to Find and Use Them*



*Mwanahamisi Singano, WEDO*



## What are Gender Mandates?

- Every UNFCCC decision that references women and gender
- Creates obligations for Parties and/or the Secretariat

## How can you use Gender Mandates?

- Review existing mandates to advocate for similar language in another thematic area
- Review historical mandates to advocate for strengthened language that advances gender equality
- Understand Party obligations to identify entry points for work and advocacy
- Monitor implementation and ensure Party accountability to existing obligations





# Gender Mandates: *Gender Tags*

Gender  
Equality

Gender  
Mainstream

Gender  
Balance

Women as  
Vulnerable  
Group

Reference  
and  
Reaffirmation

Decision 36/CP.7

Improving the participation of women  
in the representation of Parties in  
bodies established under the United  
Nations Framework Convention on  
Climate Change or the Kyoto Protocol

Theme  
**Gender**

Tags  
**GB**

Event  
**COP7**

Year  
**2001**

**Gender references**

**Elaborated  
language**

**Download PDF**

## Gender Mandates: *Policy Areas*

- Gender
- Shared Vision
- Mitigation
- Finance
- Technology Transfer
- Capacity-Building
- Loss & Damage
- Adaptation
- Transparency
- Response Measures
- Compliance
- Indigenous Peoples



**Let's find the  
*Gender Action Plan*  
in the  
Gender Mandates!**





## **By the Numbers:** *2022 Women's Participation Statistics*

- Constituted bodies
- Party delegations



# Let's look at the Participation Statistics!







# Country Profiles:

## *How to Find NDC Analyses, Resources & News*



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*National Gender and Climate Change Focal Point*



### — Analysis of New NDC

#### **Timeframe**

2020 to 2030

#### **Relevant context**

Developing country in South America that is highly vulnerable to climate change impacts, with an especially high risk of prolonged droughts

#### **Process for developing NDC**

The development of the second NDC involved more substantive participation, brought about by efforts to strengthen the capacities of both the government and the general populace.

# Country Profiles

- ❖ Directly access the NDC of your Party
- ❖ Directly access the NAP (if available) for your Party
- ❖ Review gender analysis/es of the NDCs and NAPs
- ❖ Identify resources and news items focused on or mentioning your Party

Let's look at my  
country profile!



## Democratic Republic of the Congo



+ Analysis of Updated NDC

+ Analysis of Original NDC

Related News

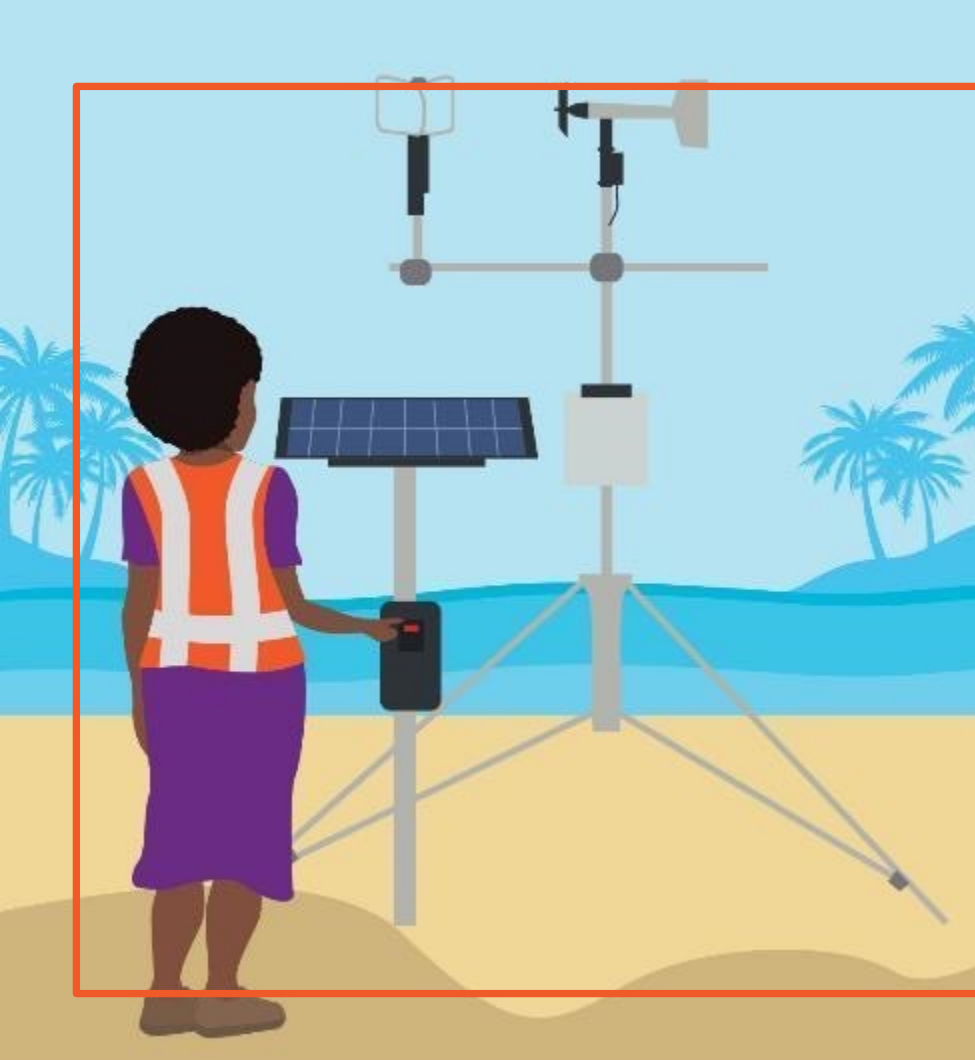


# Country Profiles:

## *NAP Gender Analyses*



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# About the NAP Global Network

## Our Goal

Enhance national adaptation  
planning and action in developing  
countries





## Why are we tracking gender considerations in NAP processes?

- The NAP process is an essential mechanism for achieving the Global Goal on Adaptation
- Its process-oriented nature presents important opportunities to integrate GESI
- Policy imperative: United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC), Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), human rights obligations, etc.
- Increasing scientific evidence that this is essential for sustainability and effectiveness of adaptation





## Our approach

- Systematic review of integration of gender considerations in NAP documents submitted to the UNFCCC
- Exploring how gender issues show up throughout NAP documents
- Reviews communicated in different ways:
  - Tracking the trends in periodic synthesis reports
  - Key stats on NAP Trends platform
  - Summary profiles on Gender Climate Tracker



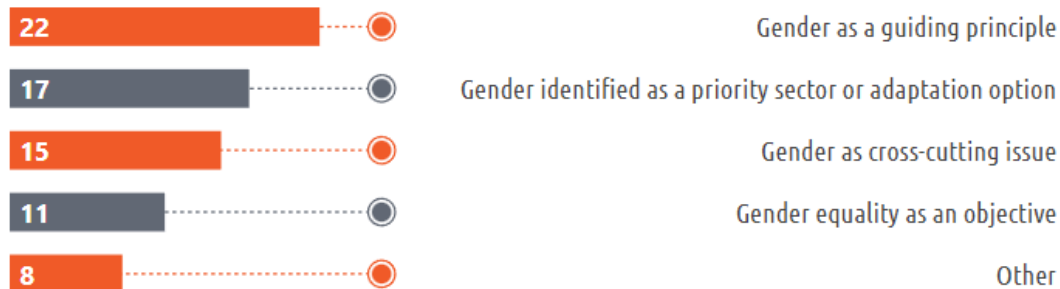
## KEY FINDING

95% of the NAP documents submitted to the UNFCCC as of March 20 make reference to gender.

An increasing proportion reference related issues like human rights, inclusion, and empowerment.



% of NAPs that mention gender



Context for references to gender  
(# of NAP documents)

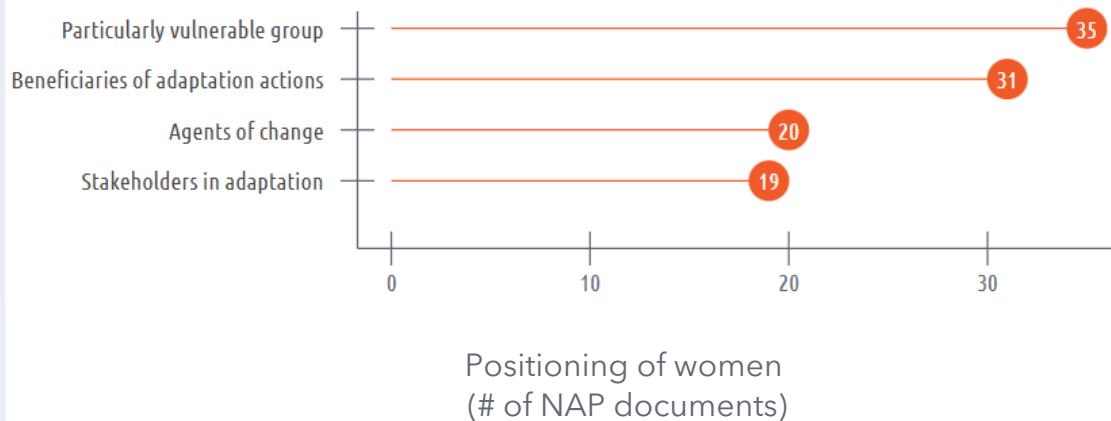




## KEY FINDING

Women are most often positioned as a particularly vulnerable group.

However, an increasing proportion of NAPs recognize women as agents of change.



# NAP Profiles on the Gender Climate Tracker



- Provide a snapshot of the gender-related information contained in NAP documents:
  - Summary of gender references
  - Concepts referenced
  - Context for references to gender, positioning of women
- Complement the information contained in the NDC reviews
- Provide a fuller picture of country commitments on gender-responsive climate action



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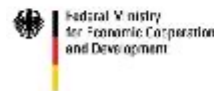
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# Become a Gender Climate Tracker!



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**Let's look at  
Resources!**





# Where do we need more resources?

*What resources with these key topics can you provide?*

## **English:**

Disability  
LGBTQIA+/Queer  
Transport

## **French:**

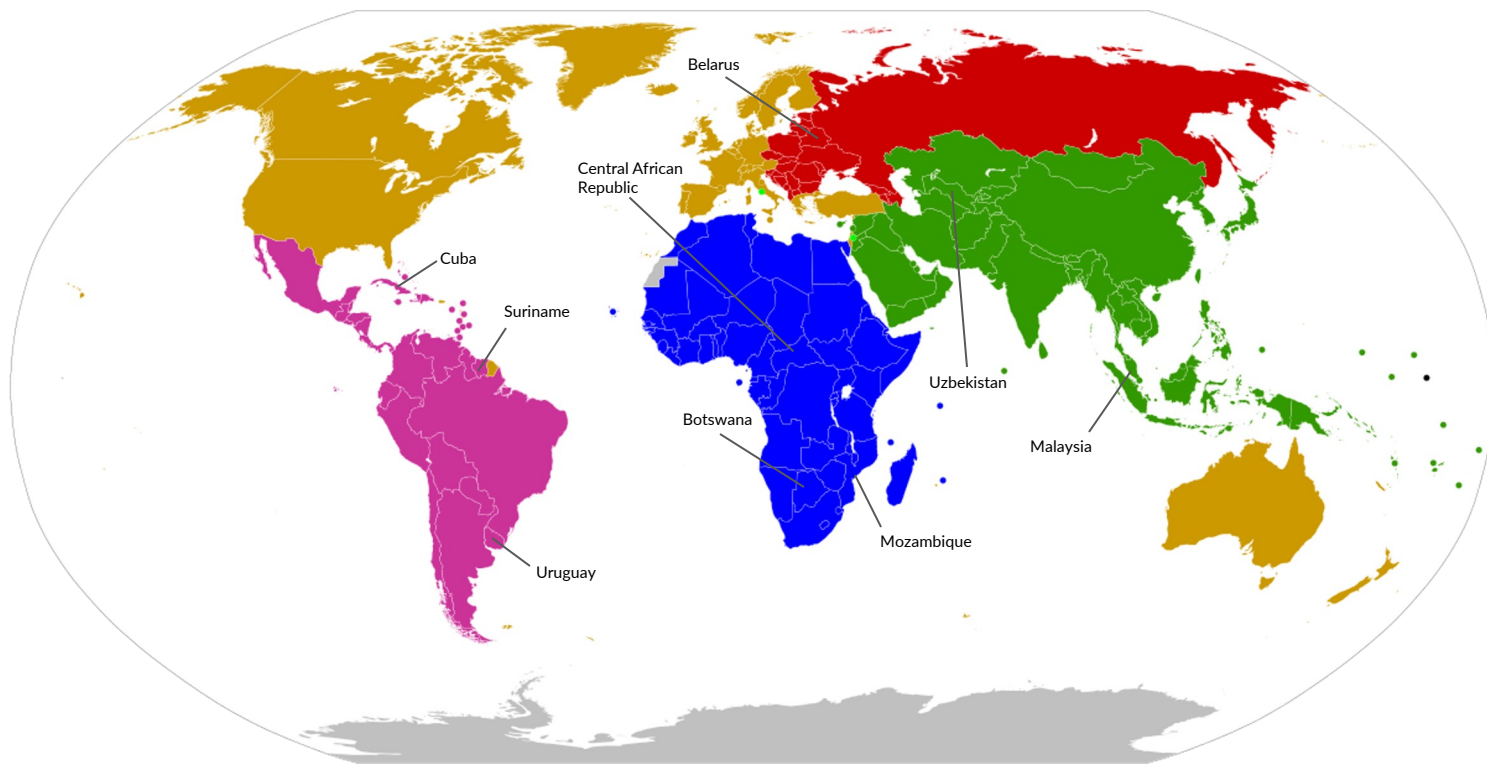
Technology  
Transport  
Disaster Risk  
Reduction

## **Spanish:**

Disaster Risk Reduction  
Conflict, Displacement  
and/or Migration  
LGBTQIA+/Queer  
Health, Nutrition & WASH  
Grassroot Organizing



# Where do we need more news?



# Become a Gender Climate Tracker!

## CONTRIBUTE YOUR RESOURCES!

**Become a Gender Climate Tracker!** Help us keep track of new reports and publications from your country that link gender and climate change.



**WE  
DO**



# How to Become a Gender Climate Tracker!





## Reminders

**Know the history and the language!** The GCT provides easy, on the go to access to UNFCCC decisions. Let's create accountability for Parties fulfilling gender mandates!

**Know the data!** See the history of your Party when it comes to the composition of delegations. Women's participation is a human right and is essential for the development of robust outcomes to address climate change.

**Know your country plans and commitments!** The GCT catalyzes additional attention and effort toward gender-responsive climate policy and practice by highlighting key country resources and NDC and NAP analyses.

**Become a Gender Climate Tracker!** Our 2-minute [video](#) reviews the GCT and describes how to submit resources. You play a role in tracking the implementation of gender-responsive climate action.



**Questions?**

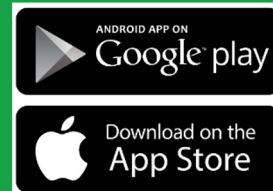




# *Thank You! Merci! Gracias!*

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