



The NDC Partnership brings together more than 200 members, including more than 115 countries and more than 80 institutions to create and deliver on ambitious climate action that helps achieve the Paris Agreement and the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Governments identify their NDC implementation priorities and the type of support that is needed to translate them into actionable policies and programs. Based on these requests, the membership offers a tailored package of expertise, technical assistance, and funding. This collaborative response provides developing countries with efficient access to a wide range of resources to adapt and mitigate climate change and foster more equitable and sustainable development.

The Technical Brief presents trends and examples of how countries are effectively linking SDG and NDC implementation. Although only 2% of all requests received through the NDC Partnership explicitly mention "SDGs", sustainable development priorities are informally reflected in a much larger share of country requests, demonstrating strong alignment and



A major challenge to both sectoral and development agenda integration relates to the Palestine's efforts to link their NAP and NDC to the national development agenda demonstrates this challenge. Although all ministries have recognized this linkage, they have not yet mainstreamed these into ministerial policies due to mismatched policy cycles (with the NAP and NDC being only recently reviewed). However, the next policy cycle presents an opportunity to mainstream these commitments into national development plans and budgets.

Of the many challenges countries face,

