

ExCom virtual event: Preparing for the global stocktake

Sharing of the information on the progress in preparing its input to the global stocktake by the ExCom

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Context

- Decision 19/CMA. 1
- Draft guiding questions by the SB Chairs for the Technical Assessment component of the first Global Stocktake

Q. 15 Pursuant to Article 8 of the Paris Agreement and Decision 19/CMA.1 paragraph 6(b)(ii), what is the collective progress of efforts made to enhance understanding, action and support towards averting, minimizing and addressing **loss and damage** associated with the adverse effects of climate change, in the light of equity and the best available science?

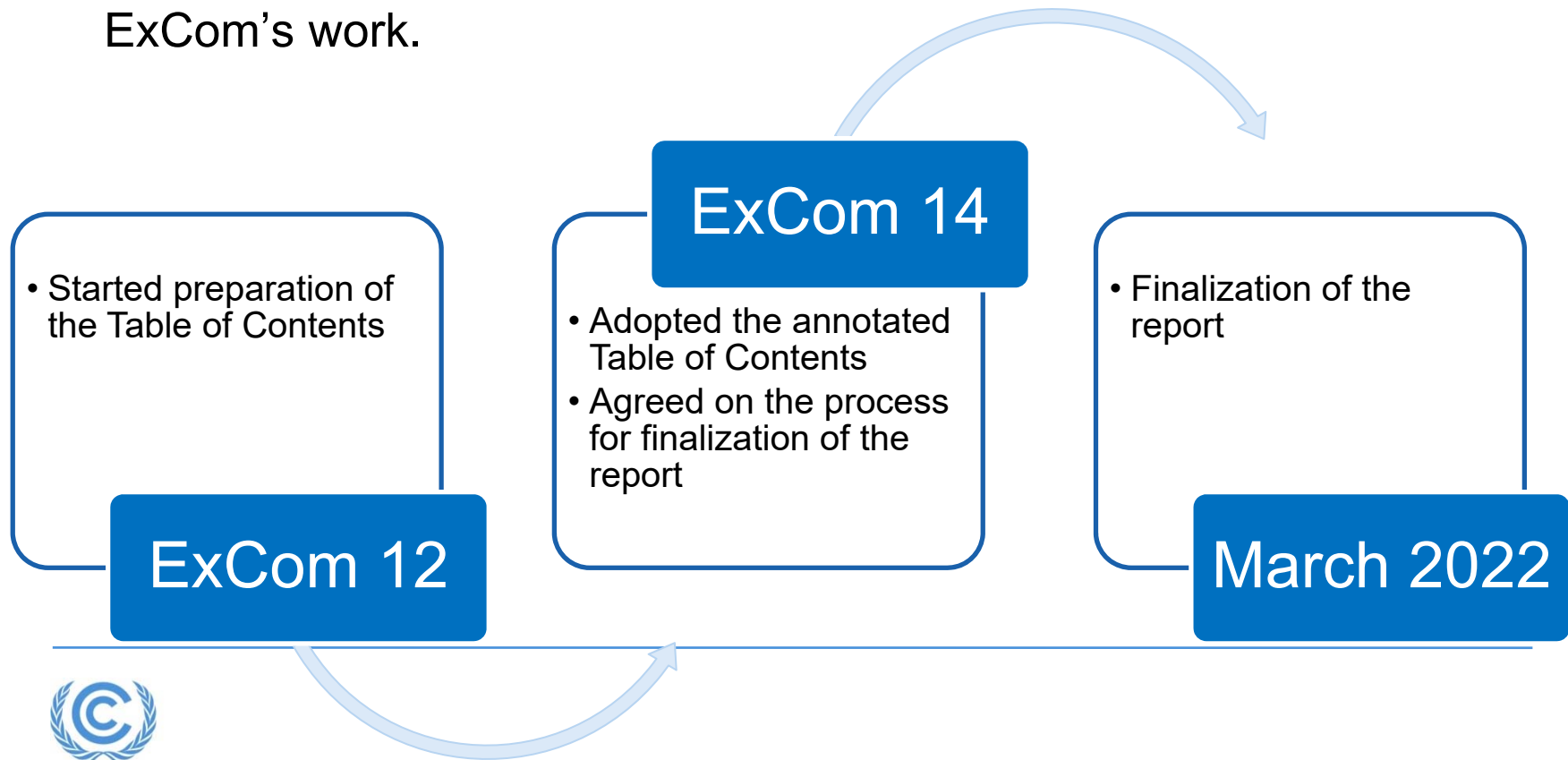
Q. 16 To achieve the purpose and long-term goals of the Paris Agreement (mitigation, adaptation, and finance flows and means of implementation, as well as **loss and damage**, response measures), in the light of equity and the best available science, taking into account the contextual matters in the preambular paragraphs of the Paris Agreement:

- a. What are the good practices, barriers and challenges for enhanced action?
 - b. What is needed to make finance flows consistent with a pathway towards low GHG emissions and climate-resilient development?
 - c. What are the needs of developing countries related to the ambitious implementation of the Paris Agreement?
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Process to date

- In light of the CMA's invitation to prepare for the technical assessment component of the global stocktake, the ExCom started to consider its role and contribution in 2020.
- An intersessional group of 'champion' members to spearhead the ExCom's work.



Annotated outline: Resources for consideration

ExCom-origin

- Co-chairs notes from ExCom 12
- Future decisions by the ExCom
- Summary report from today's event

Parties-origin

- Paris Agreement, Article 14
- Decision 19/CMA.1
- Decisions by Parties

Others

- Documents compiled for the 2nd WIM review
- SBs Chairs' non-paper in preparation for the 1st GST



Annotated outline: Overarching theme

Progress of work under the WIM/ExCom to enhance understanding, action and support, on a cooperative and facilitative basis, related to averting, minimizing and addressing loss and damage associated with the adverse effects of climate change, with a view to serving as a source of information referred to in par 36(e) of 19/CMA.1.



Annotated outline: Table of contents 1/3

- Introduction and mandate for the GST
 - ✓ Brief history of the WIM and the role of its ExCom
 - ✓ Five-year rolling workplan of the ExCom
 - ✓ Invitation by CMA for the WIM ExCom to prepare a synthesis report as an input to the GST pursuant to decision 19/CMA.1, para. 24.
 - ✓ Approach agreed by the ExCom to prepare the paper



Annotated outline: Table of contents 2/3

- Thematic area chapters
 - ✓ Enhanced cooperation and facilitation in relation to slow onset events
 - ✓ Enhanced cooperation and facilitation in relation to non-economic losses
 - ✓ Enhanced cooperation and facilitation in relation to comprehensive risk management
 - ✓ Enhanced cooperation and facilitation in relation to human mobility
 - ✓ Enhanced cooperation and facilitation in relation to action and support
 - ✓ Cross-cutting issues
 - Use of best available science
 - Gender responsiveness
 - Others, including relevant information not addressed in the thematic chapter



Annotated outline: Table of contents 3/3

- Cooperation, Stakeholder involvement and Partnerships
 - ✓ The experts and entities which have contributed to the work of the WIM ExCom
 - ✓ Santiago Network
- Challenges, opportunities, best practices and lessons learned
 - ✓ Challenges towards implementing/achieving the functions of the WIM and lessons learned
 - ✓ Best practices, opportunities and major work areas being launched, e.g. through new expert groups
- Reference to inputs not covered in any chapters above, for loss and damage considerations in the GST

