

2050 Pathways Platform Annual Meeting

The operationalisation of long-term low-emission development strategies (LT-LEDS): political buy-in for the just transition, capital investment and sectoral policy

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Group 1 – Key takeaways

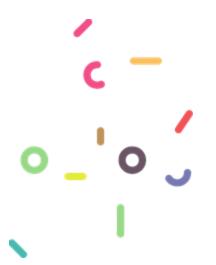


- 1. **Challenges** for political buy in: development / climate | many documents (coherence/inconsistency) | long term thinking/administration times (short term political pressure) | awareness on priority
- 1. Ways to address: connection between climate action and better investment and development | empowering communities already doing climate actions just understanding it differently | involve politicians from the beginning | build capacity in the political teams | technical note to support politicians
- **1. Just transition**: capacity development for losers | connect development and climate agenda | new value chains are just and respect human rights
- **1. Delivery**: use the LTS as the framework to develop the NDC | public funding should be used in a smart way to support projects that don't get private investment and can spark private investment | include costing in plans for implementation | engage the private sector and local investments

Group 2 – Key takeaways



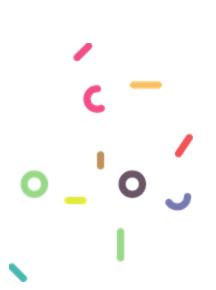
1. Perverse incentives in the existing financial structures need to be tackled, this requires political and technical work.



- 1. Costs and investments are important, but also need to look at government revenues in the transition
- 1. Building the economic case of the transition to bring to the table other key actors, in particular Ministries of Finance (what is the upside of LT-LEDS).
- 1. The importance of communication the opportunities to the right stakeholders.

Group 3 – Key takeaways





- 1. Sectoral commitment and buy in can be framed around *climate and non-climate* development benefits in a robust and holistic cost-benefit assessment, taking risks into account.
- 2. Further iteration is required, unpacking assumptions in the pathways and bringing LTS to the implementers, while highlighting the opportunities.
- 3. We can build on existing dynamics in investment to achieve our goals e.g. to modernise the transportation sector, dovetailed with low emission modalities. We don't need a straight polarised implementation, identifying "LTS-friendly" mechanisms already at play.
- 4. LTS does not need a specific "LTS plan", but serves as a compass and catalyst.

Group 4 – Key takeaways



- 1. Main bottlenecks in integrating LT-LEDS into sectoral policy?
 - Lack of knowledge and technical capacity from other Ministries
 - Coordination of Ministries to integrate LT-LEDS into sectoral policy
 - Disengagement from sectors
 - o Political will
- 2. National public finance is an essential catalyst of broader financial flows. How are countries approaching the role of public finances in the context of LT-LEDS, what are the main challenges to advance on this agenda?
 - Public finance is not enough, countries need to consider other sources of finance (e.g. private investment, development partners)
- Knowledge exchange with other financial institutions (NGFS)
- 3. Continuity of allocated capacity (same teams developing other Building the governance for implementation (specific bodies separate from government) to allow for accountability

 Monitoring and evaluation





