

International Climate Change Negotiations : Preparing for COP 23

18th Global DNA Forum

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Overview of outcomes of SB46 / APA1.3 (May 2017)

- The objective to expedite work relating to the Paris Agreement to match the rapid enter into force and to advance other ongoing work was met.
- Under the Paris Agreement Work programme, Parties agreed on intersessional work including submissions and preessional events.
- Coordination amongst bodies and approaches and awareness of linkages between issues were further enhanced.
- Events organized at the May sessions contributed to building capacity of negotiators, deepening understanding of issues and framing conclusions.
- Preessional events of all PAWP work are scheduled for 4-5 November 2017.



Paris Agreement Work Programme: overview

Input from COP:

- Process under Article 9.5 of PA (biennial communication of information on financial resources provided and to be provided to developing countries)

**Work programme,
to be completed by end 2018**

- NDC registry (Art.4.12)
- Adaptation registry (Art.7.12)
- Scope/modalities for technology mechanism assessment
- Common timeframes (Art.4.10)
- Enhancing training, public awareness, participation and access to information
- Response measures (SBSTA&SBI)

- some items in SBI are linked -

- some items in APA are linked -

- Further guidance for mitigation section of 1/CP.21
- Adaptation comms
- Transparency
- Global stocktake
- Implementation / compliance
- Adaptation Fund
- Possible additional matters

Dependencies
across bodies:
interlinkages...
coherence...
balance...
timing...

SBSTA

- Technology Framework (Art.10.4)
- Cooperative approaches (Art.6.2)
- Rules, modalities, procedures for the mechanism (Art. 6.4)
- Framework for non-market approaches (Art. 6.8)
- Modalities for accounting for public finance (Art. 9.7)
- Advice from IPCC (completed in 2016)
- Response measures (SBSTA&SBI)

- some items in SBSTA are linked -

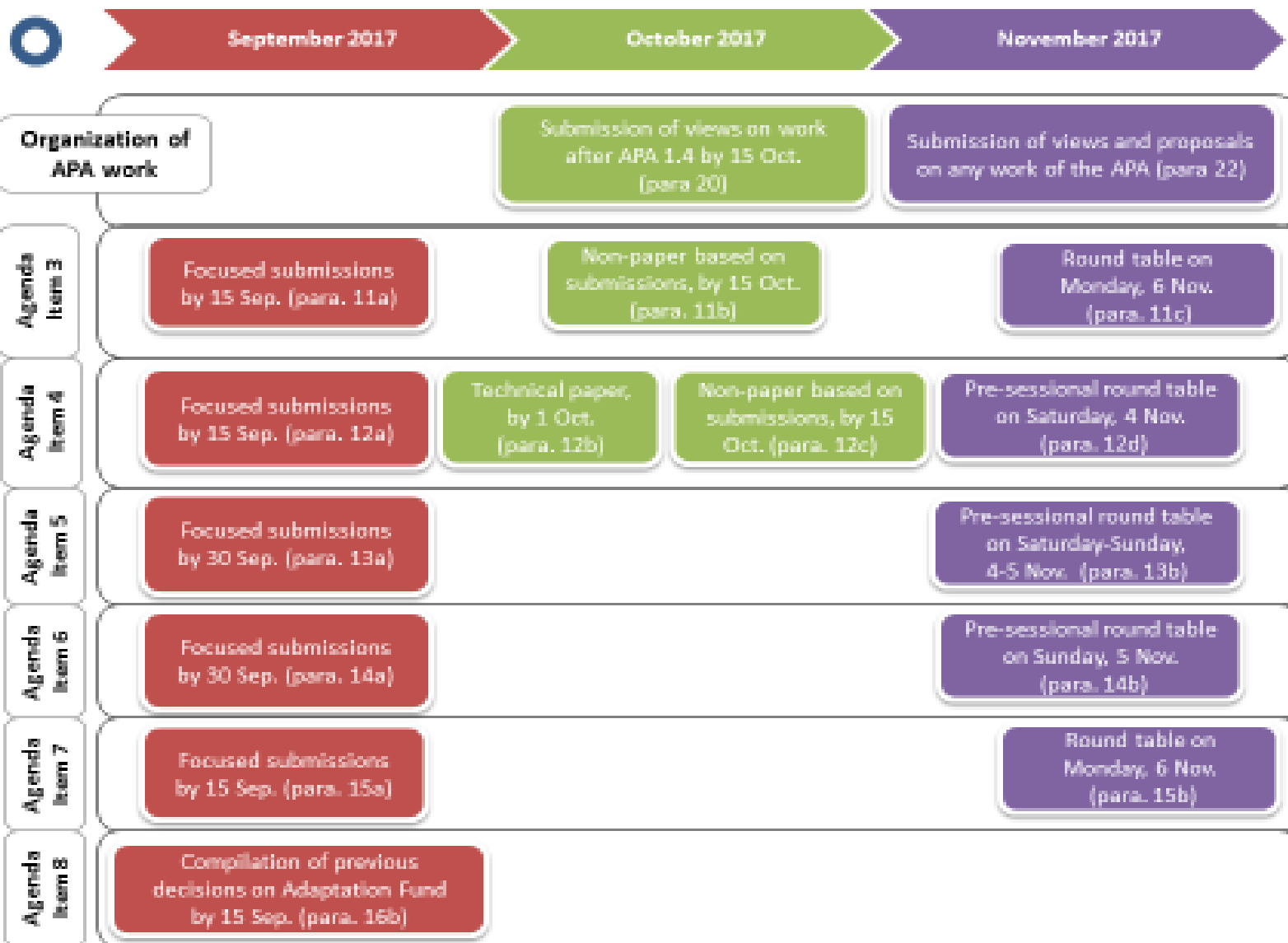
Inputs from constituted bodies:

- Adaptation committee (AC)
- Least Developed Countries Expert Group (LEG)
- Standing Committee on Finance (SCF)

APA 1-4 : issues on the agenda

Agenda item	Substantive content
3. Further guidance in relation to the mitigation section of decision 1/CP.21	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Further guidance on features of the NDCs; • Further guidance for the information to be provided by Parties to facilitate clarity, transparency and understanding of NDCs; • Guidance for accounting for Parties' NDCs
4. Further guidance in relation to the adaptation communication	Additional guidance to complement Article 7.10 ("each Party should, as appropriate, submit and update periodically an adaptation communication, which may include its priorities, implementation and support needs, plans and actions...") and Article 7.11 ("the adaptation communication shall be, as appropriate, submitted and updated periodically, as a component of or in conjunction with other communications or documents...")
5. MPGs for the transparency framework	Recommendations for modalities, procedures and guidelines (MPGs) in accordance with Article 13.13, of the Paris Agreement and the year of their first and subsequent review and update
6. Global stocktake	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identification of the sources of input for the global stocktake • Development of the modalities of the global stocktake
7. Modalities/procedures for effective operation of the committee to facilitate implementation and promote compliance	Modalities and procedures for the committee
8-1. Adaptation Fund	Preparatory work for the Adaptation Fund to serve the Paris Agreement, including institutional arrangements, safeguards and operating modalities
8-2. Other matters	Five issues at present: modalities for biennially communicating finance information on the provision of public financial resources to developing countries; initial guidance by the CMA to GCF, GEF, and to LDCF and SCCF; guidance on adjustment of existing NDCs; and setting a new collective quantified goal on finance.

APA NEXT STEPS IN LEAD UP TO ITS NEXT SESSION IN November 2017



All paragraph numbers refer to paragraphs in document FCCC/OPA/2012/L.2 (as amended at the APA closing plenary on 18 May 2017) that contains the outcome of APA 1.3. Full details on the activities listed in this illustration, are available in FCCC/OPA/2017/L.2 as amended.



APA - what to achieve in November?

- Use the submissions, the non-papers and the “round tables” on almost all items to advance the negotiations
- Move forward, keeping in mind the deadline of December 2018, in
 - Transitioning from concepts to focused technical discussions
 - Resolving the remaining divergences of views, as possible
 - Formulating structured elements of text and textual proposals
- Determine the way forward in 2018 (under the COP guidance)



SBSTA 47 – key issues

Issues arising from Paris

PAWP mandates - SBSTA

Cooperation, mechanism and non-market approaches (Article 6)

Modalities for accounting of financial resources (Article 9)

Technology framework (Article 10)

IPCC inputs to global stocktake (Article 14): [concluded](#)

Decision 1/CP.21 - SBSTA/SBI

- Response measures
- TEPs and TEMs- Mitigation and Adaptation

Other key issues

SBSTA

- Nairobi work programme
- Issues relating to Agriculture
- Research and systematic observation
- [Local communities and indigenous peoples platform \(new\)](#)
- Report on other activities

SBSTA/SBI

- Improved forum on response measures
- Report of constituted bodies (AC, TEC and CTCN, Ex-Com of WIM)



SBSTA 47 – objectives

- **Continue advancing work on PA and non-PA related issues in close coordination with all Presiding Officers**
- **Consider reports from constituted bodies and prepare draft guidance on enhanced action**
- **Monitor progress, timelines and delivery of work to ensure success of COP 23**
- **Organize supporting events (round tables on PA Art. 6, RM forum, SBSTA/ICAO/IMO special event, SBSTA/IPCC joint WG discussion, NWP FPF, etc.)**



SBI 47 – Issues & goals

Advance work on PA issues

NDC registry

Adaptation
registry

Common
timeframes for
NDCs

Training and
public
awareness

Response
measures

Advance on a range of implementation
issues under the Convention and the KP

Adaptation Fund
review

CDM M&P

REDD +

Gender

SCF review

Work of the CGE

Consider reports from constituted
bodies and other institutional
arrangements and prepare draft
guidance on enhanced action

Adaptation
Committee

WIM
Executive
Committee

CGE

PCCB

Durban
Forum

TEC/CTCN

LEG

ACE
Dialogue

TEG/RM

ITL
Administrator

Showcase climate action by Parties
under the MRV processes under the
Convention and support organization of
mandated events

FSV and MA

Pre-sessional on RM
Forum modalities under
the PA

Technical workshop on
budget



SBI 47 - expected outcomes

Conclude consideration of, and provide draft guidance on

Review of the Adaptation Fund

Review of the SCF

Compilation & synthesis of BR2s

Revised M&P for the CDM

4th review of the CB framework for EIT

Ways to increase efficiency and transparency of the budget process

Elements of a gender action Plan and topics for 2018/19 in-session workshops

Advance consideration of, and determine further action

Evaluating the progress made in formulating and implementing NAPs

M&P for the NDC registry

Prepare draft COP guidance on enhanced action on mitigation, adaptation, MRV and RM

M&P for the Adaptation registry

CGE, LEG, TEC/CTCN, Adaptation Committee, WIM ExCom, PCCB, TEG on Response Measure, Durban Forum, ACE Dialogue

Initiate consideration of and determine further action

Common time frames for NDCs

Enhance implementation of training and public awareness

Outcome of REDD + voluntary meetings

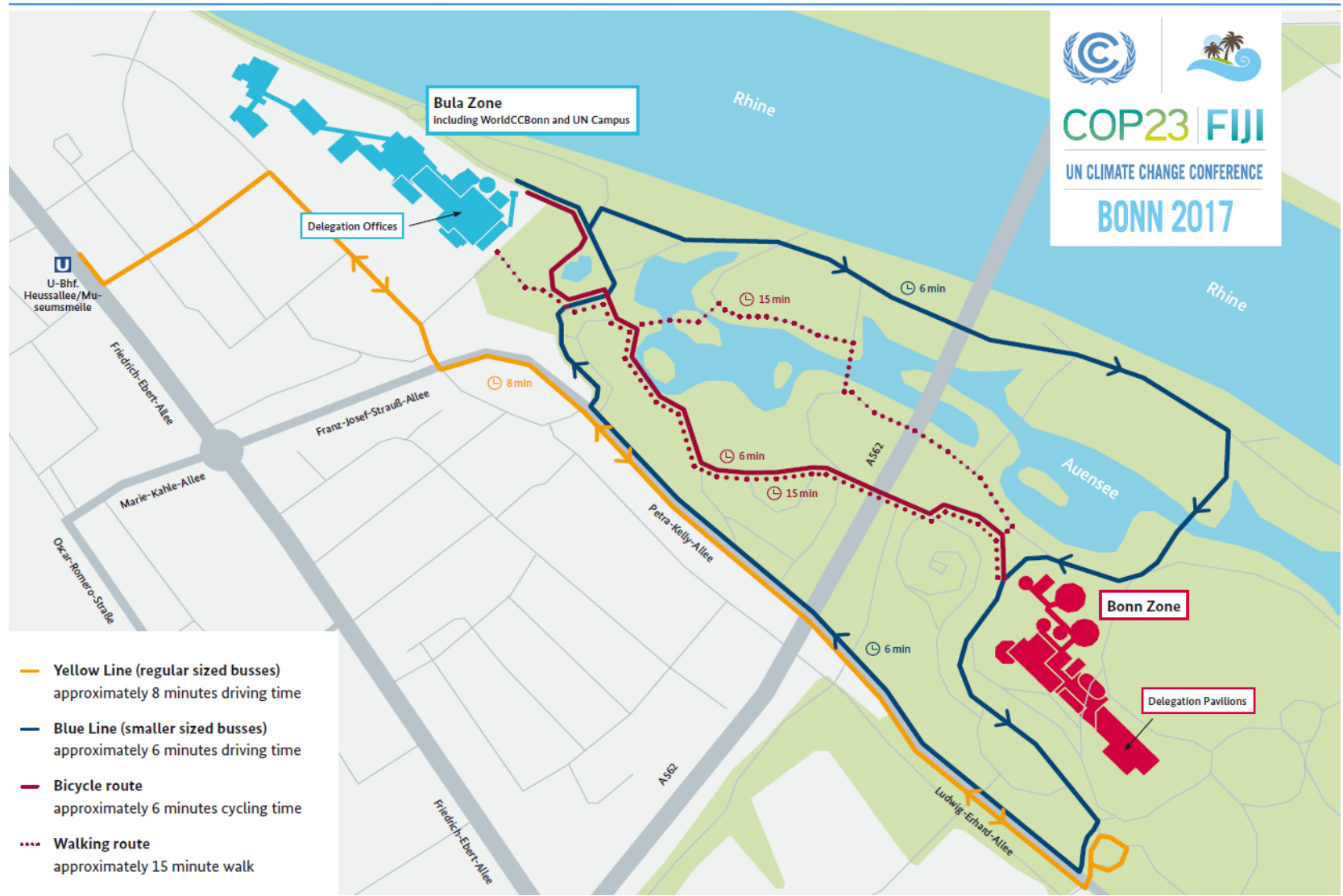


SBI: what to achieve in November?

- Contribute to success at COP 23 and deliver as one with the APA and SBSTA: contribute to the coherent and balanced progress across APA, SBSTA and constituted bodies and address linkages
- Maintain the great political momentum from Marrakesh and accelerate the work of the SBI on its mandates from the PA work programme
- Provide an added impetus on the work of the constituted bodies
- Move forward on all items on the agenda by addressing challenges of time management and clear focus on time-bound issues
- Showcase significant momentum and engagement of Parties and non-Parties stakeholders outside the negotiation process



One Conference, Two Zones



Bonn Zone



COP Opening ceremony

- 6 November, 10 a.m.
- Main plenary hall at the WCCB (Bula Zone)
- Attended by heads of delegation and other senior officials
- Formally opens the Conference and elects the President of COP 23/CMP 13/CMA 1.2

