# Integration of CCA and DRR into Development: Bangladesh Experience

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# Bangladesh' Context

- \* Bangladesh remains to be one of the world's poorest countries, but also the most resilient!
- \* Left unaddressed, climate change will increase and intensify Bangladesh's disaster risks:
- Frequency and intensity of hazards such as flood, drought, salinity, cyclone, tidal surge, sea level rise etc.
- \* Which will affect:
  - \* (i) Food Security;
  - \* (ii) Increased Vector Borne Diseases;
  - (iii) increased Infrastructural Damage and
  - (iv) Degradation of Natural Resources, Upon which livelihood is dependent.

# **Issue 1: Perspective gap**

"Conventional development perspectives are not intuitively receptive to DRR&CCA"

Perspectives	Sustainable Development Espouses:	Meanwhile, DRR & CCA are leaning more towards
Priorities	Vision	Local risk
Approach	Top down	Bottom up
Scope	Macro	Localized
Time span	Long term	Short-Mid-Long term
Premium	Econ Growth	Reduced Risks

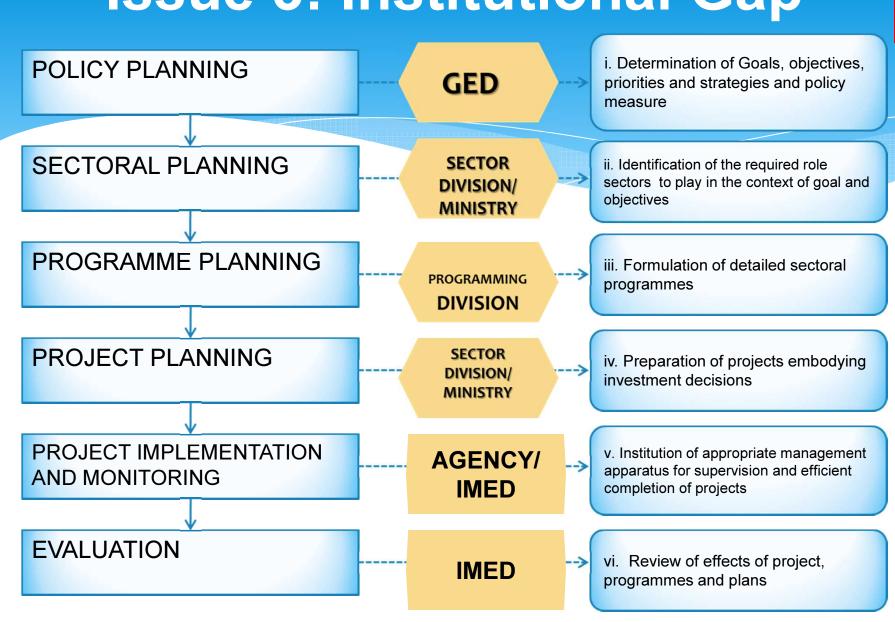
**Communities** 

of population and area

local disaster and

climate risks

# Issue 3: Institutional Gap



#### And thus the rationale for Integration

Development means Wellbeing of Society, Economy, &

Environment

Climate
Change and
Disasters
challenge
development
gains and
future goals

In order to be sustainable development must be resilient

Integrating
Disaster and
Climate Risks,
is thus a
necessity,
towards
sustainable
development

- Bangladesh cannot afford to go about with the development business-as-usual
- Unless development policy decision is taken today,
   Bangladesh' future development will not be sustainable

### Towards the Integration of CCA/DRR

What is integration?

- \* CCA & DRR integration
- \* is a country driven process
- Which depends upon the respective countries to what extent mainstreaming is required
- \* And to what extent the governance system allows the country to incorporate CCA & DRR into the development process.

## sh Framework for Integration

FCCA & DRR in Bangladesh is conducted a levels:

Planning Process
Policies
evelopment Cycle
y Process

