

# Climate and Disaster Resilience: Injustice through Failures in Adapting

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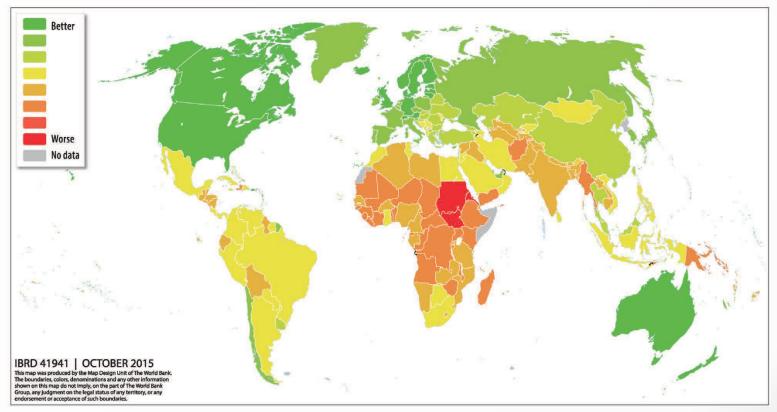
## Outline

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- . Key facts, concepts and issues around adaptation
- Difficulties in implementing risk reduction
  Case studies: Philippines and Thailand
- 5. Concluding remarks

Introduction

### Adaptation funding



Vulnerability to Climate Change, by Country

Source: World Bank

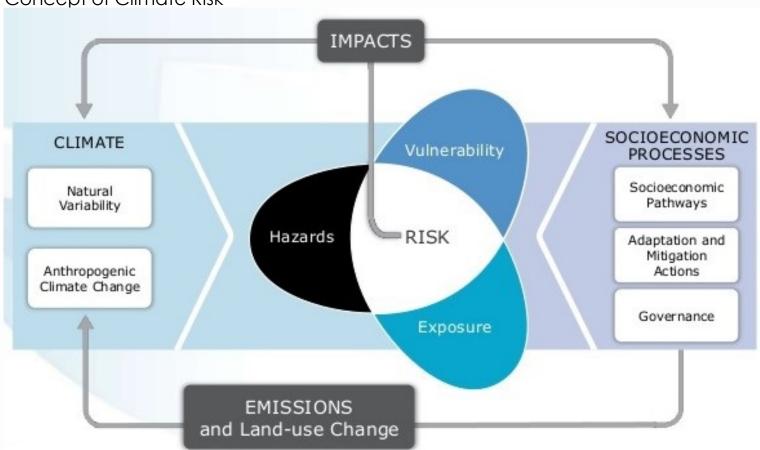
### Adaptation funding

Countries receiving GCF fund for adaptation projects

	Countries
More than three projects	Bangladesh, Benin, Morocco, Namibia, Senegal, Tajikistan
Two projects	Bhutan, India, Ghana, Guatemala, Kenya, Marshall Islands, Pakistan

Note: Based on number of projects only, not weighted with amount <a href="https://www.greenclimate.fund/what-we-do/projects-programmes">https://www.greenclimate.fund/what-we-do/projects-programmes</a>

### Objective of adaptation: risk reduction

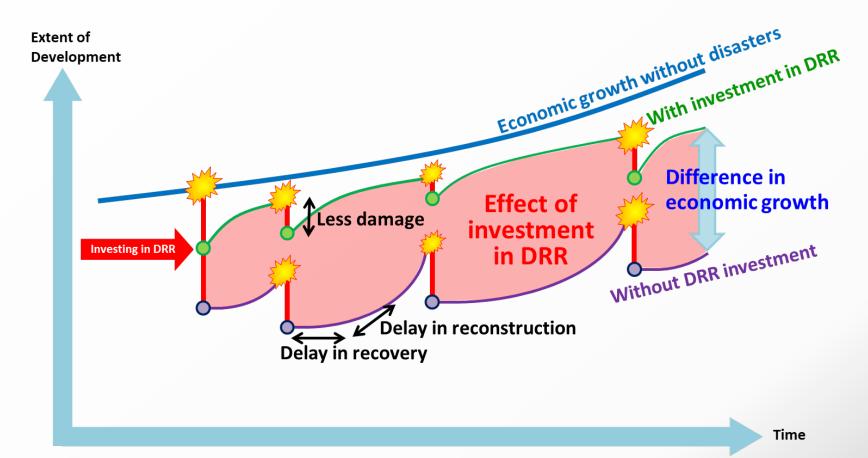


Concept of Climate Risk

Source: IPCC

### Objective of adaptation: risk reduction

DRR investment reduces the damage of disasters, and contributes to faster recovery and reconstruction



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BANGLADESH IS A STRIKING EXAMPLE OF THE POWER OF EFFECTIVE ADAPTATION: Starting with early warning systems, scaled-up disaster response has included cyclone shelters, building civic awareness, strengthening buildings, and improving post-disaster recovery 1970 MAJOR CYCLONES IN BANGLADESH Cyclone Bhola 300,000 deaths 1991 April cyclone 138,000 deaths 2019 Cyclone Sidr Cyclone Fani 3.363 deaths 5 deaths 1972 1993 Formation of Creation of disaster 1997 2003 - 92012 Establishment Ministry of Comprehensive Adoption of management councils Disaster and committees of the Standing Disaster Disaster from the national Orders on Management

Disasters (SOD)

Program

to the local level

Source: Global Commission on Adaptation

Management

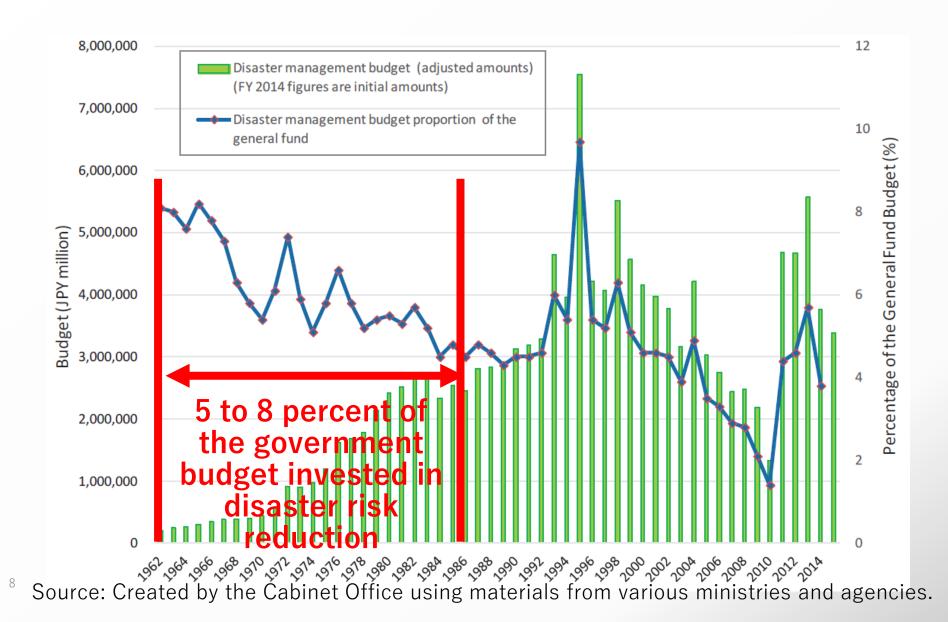
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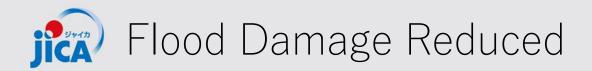
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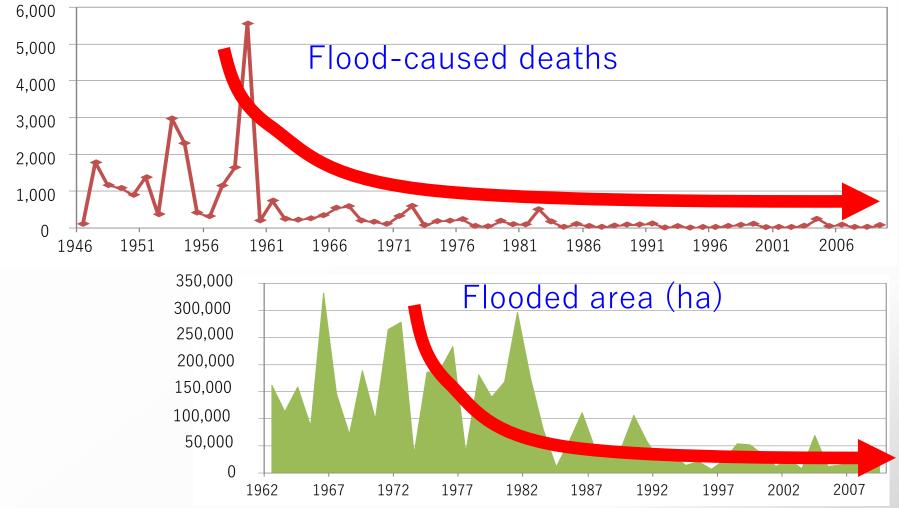


#### Continued Investment in Disaster Risk Reduction





#### Flood-caused deaths and flooded areas were reduced



Source: Water Disaster Statistics, Ministry of Land, Infrastructure Transport and Tourism

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### "Chronic" vulnerabilities



### Practical steps to reduce risk

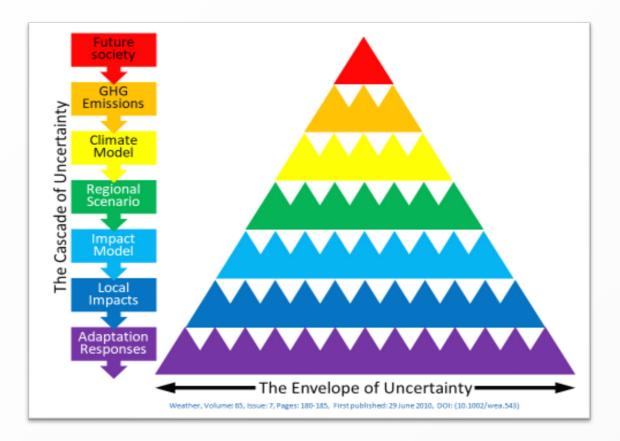


Source: Hyogo Prefectural Government /JICA

THE EIGHT STEPS: practical method for developing Local DRR strategies

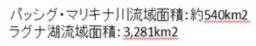
- Step 1: Collecting local hazard information
- Step 2: Understanding local disaster risks
- Step 3: Confirming DRR plans by national and other authorities
- Step 4: Identifying residual risks considering time-scale (i.e. return periods/ time horizon)
- Step 5: Listing all necessary DRR measures by local government
- Step 6: Prioritizing DRR measures
- Step 7: Allocating budget at all necessary levels
- Step 8: Executing DRR measures and reviewing periodically

### Difficulty in identifying risk: uncertainties



### Philippines





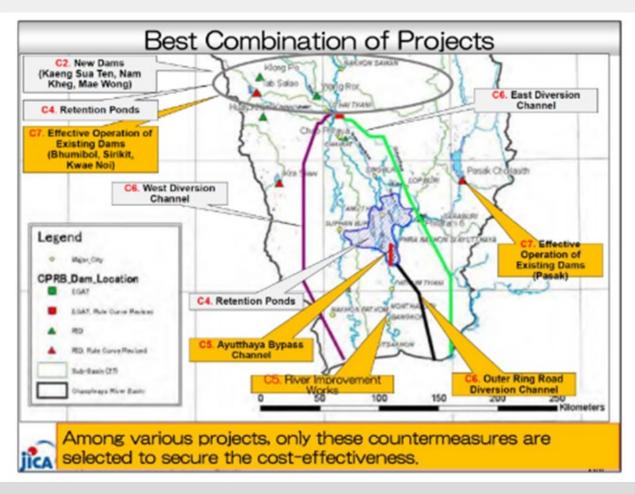
ラグナ湖面積: 900km2



パッシグ河治水事業 (PH-P10。マンガハン放水路)
マニラ洪水対策計画調査(M/P策定)
PMRCIPフェーズ1 (PH-P23。全体D/D)
PMRCIPフェーズ2(PH-P26。パッシグ川区間)
PMRCIPフェーズ3(マリキナ川下流+パッシグ川区間)

Source: JICA

### Thailand



### Concluding remarks

- Bringing risk reduction into reality is a challenge: lack of capacity and existence of "chronic" vulnerability
- Scarcity of capacity among development partners
- How can we accelerate/ scale up Disaster Risk Reduction at global scale?
- E.g. Synergy between Sendai Framework and Paris Agreement (around GCF)
- E.g. Partnership among Sendai Framework, GFDRR, Delta Plan