Translating adaptation strategies into investments

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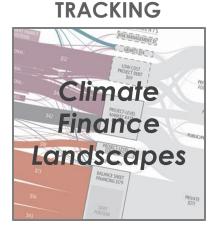
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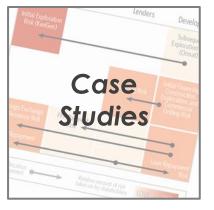
An overview of Climate Policy Intiative

CPI works to help nations grow while addressing increasingly scarce resources and climate risk. With a particular focus on finance, we support decision makers through in-depth analysis on what works and what does not

Climate finance work-streams:



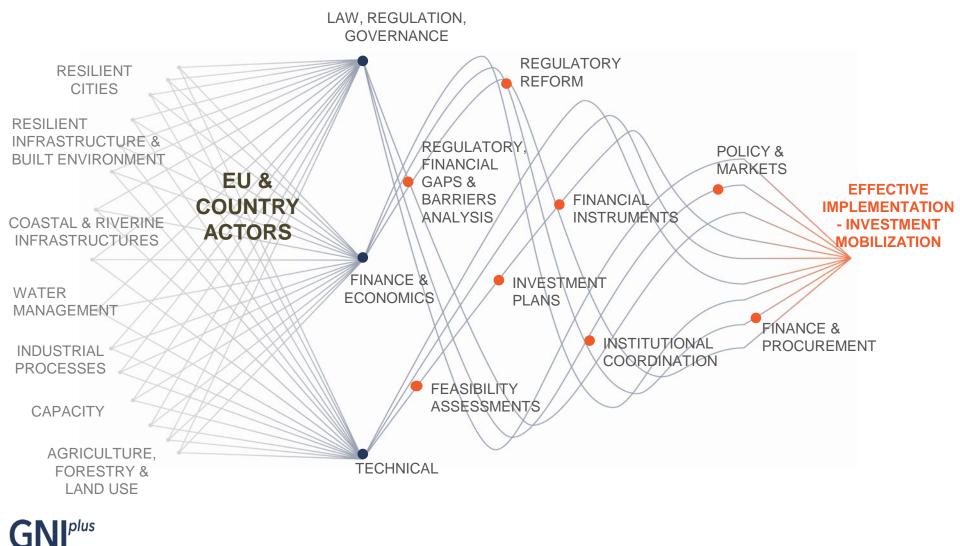
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Finance is one element of the story - Investment mobilization requires integrated approaches



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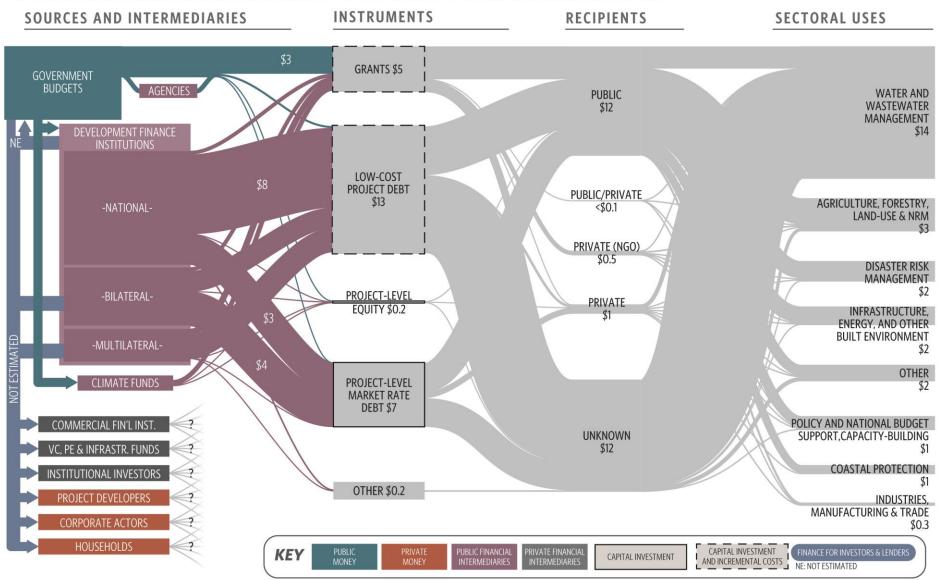
What is the state of play?

THE LANDSCAPE OF ADAPTATION FINANCE 2015 (2014 data)





The Landscape of Adaptation Finance 2015 illustrates adaptation finance flows along their life-cycle for the latest year available, mostly 2014, in USD billion.



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USD 25 BN TOTAL



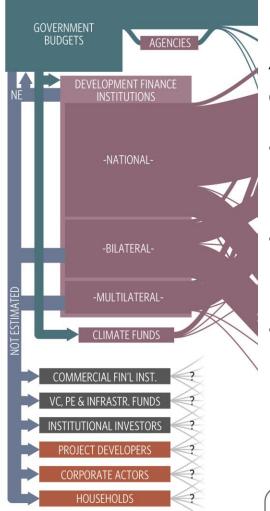
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SOURCES AND INTERMEDIARIES

INSTRUMENTS

RECIPIENTS

SECTORAL USES



A framework to inform investment decision-making

- Establish baselines to understand what action is taking place
 - Identify sources of finance, possible gaps or opportunities
 - Measure progress, learn, and provide a basis for better coordination amongst partners

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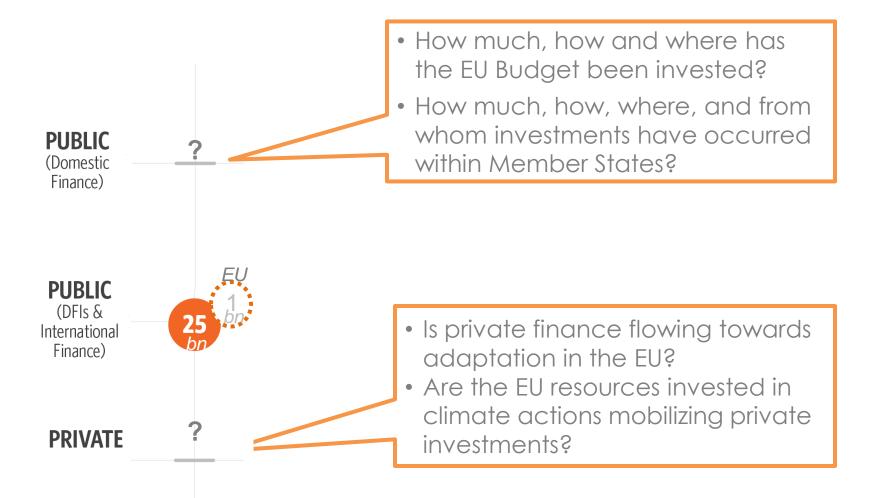
AND INCREMENTAL COSTS

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EU investment came to at least ~USD 1bn in 2014



Data gaps hinder understanding of the EU adaptation finance landscape



The EU planned to invest in adaptation around €32 bn from 2014-2020



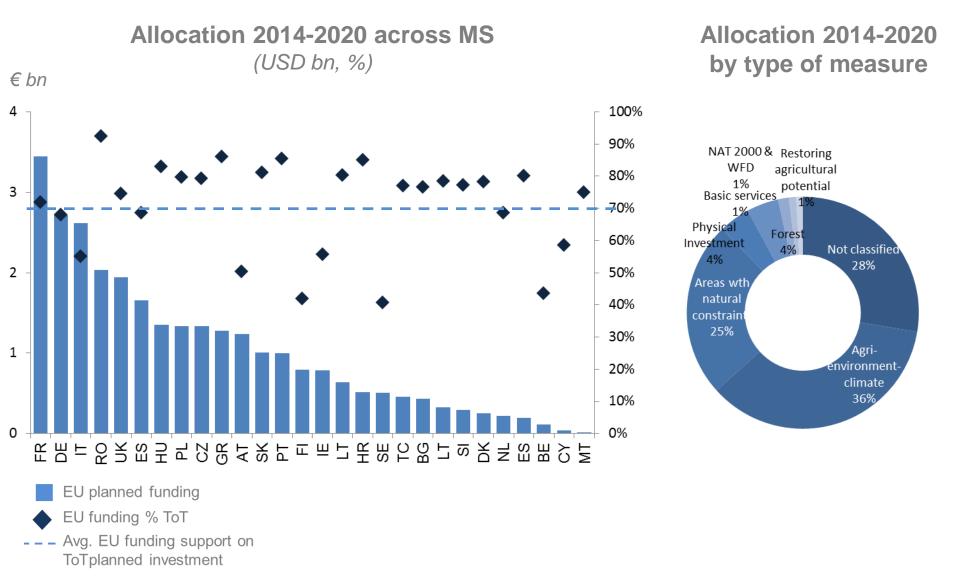
EU BUDGET - planned financing

ESI Funds	€ 28.6 bn	2014-2020	6% Tot
LIFE Programme	€ 190 mln	2014-2017	42% Tot
Horizon 2020	€ 3.1 bn	2014-2020	4% Tot

EU MS BUDGETS - planned financing

ESI Funds co-financing	€ 12.7 bn	2014-2020	

A closer look at ESI Funds from 2014-2020



Note: preliminary assessment of ESI Funds allocated to "Climate Change Adaptation & Risk Prevention" Source: https://cohesiondata.ec.europa.eu/themes/5

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– – Avg. EU funding support on ToTplanned investment

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How can the public sector stimulate private investment?



The following gaps can hold back private investment

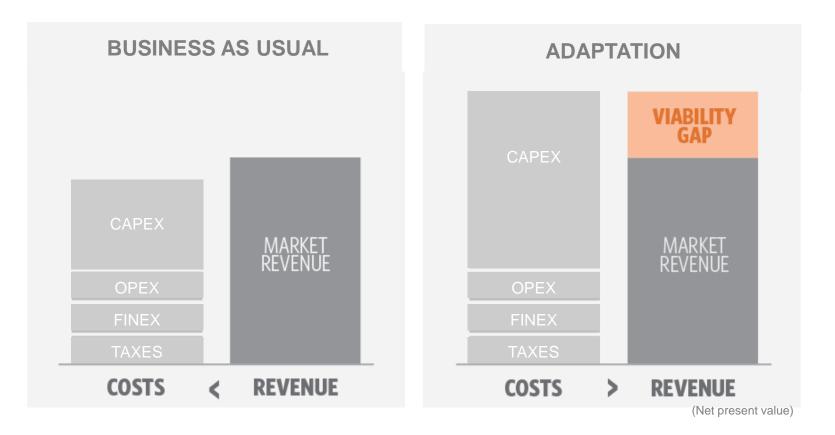


Knowledge gaps Funding, viability & risk coverage gaps

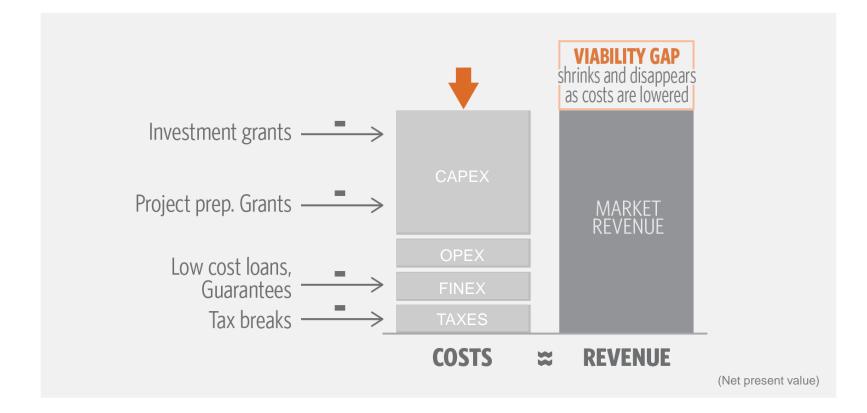
- Non-existent or deficient regulatory frameworks
- Inability to evaluate and incorporate climate change risks into investment or financing decision making
- Inadequate access to finance, or uncertainties about investment returns, additional / higher up-front costs, risk aversion

Barriers vary by type of private actor & level of climate exposure

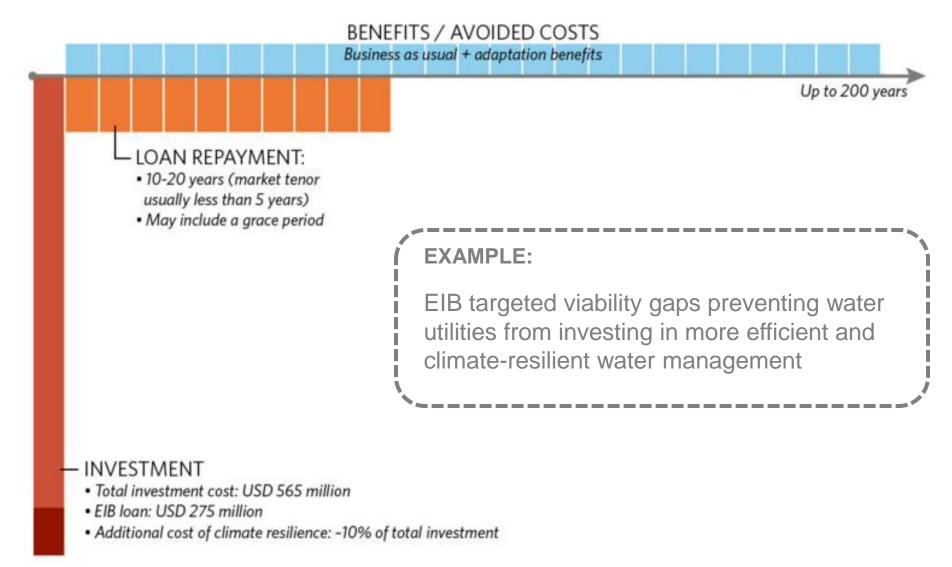
Address 'viability gaps' between business as usual and adaptation investments to mobilize investment



There are financial instruments that can help reduce costs..



..and address funding gaps longer- than market term debt can trigger private investments



Gap analysis as a tool to shape public intervention in order to mobilize investment

Gap analysis as a tool to

- Clarify the specific needs of private investors by identifying potential gaps threatening project viability
- Identify 'entry points' for public financial support and incentives
- Support the design of tailor-made approaches to address actor-, sector- and context-specific barriers to private engagement

Oustanding questions



Have the financial resources provided by the EU and its MS for climate adaptation actions been used efficiently and where needed the most?

Are the EU resources invested in climate actions mobilizing private investments?



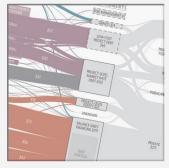


What lessons can be learned from existing investments and how can continued learning be ensured?

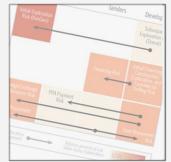
Thank you for your attention!

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