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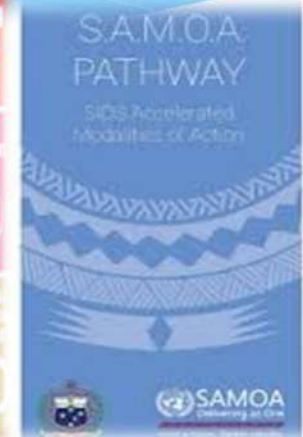
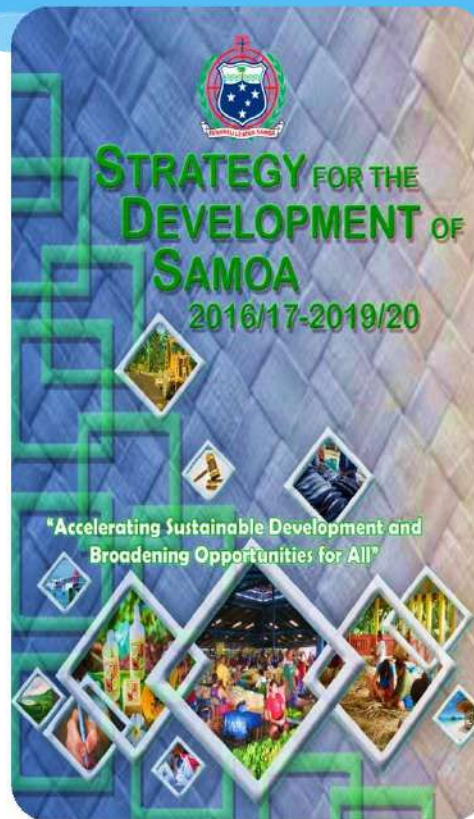
“Effective Financing for Resilience”

(Plenary Session V Group III)

Symposium on “Strengthening
the Capacities of Public
Institutions & Developing
Effective Partnerships to
Realise the 2030 Agenda for
Sustainable Development”

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Outline

- * About Samoa
- * Samoa Integrating SDGs Nationally
- * Samoa & Climate & Disaster Financing
- * Challenges
- * Good Practices & Way Forward



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About Samoa

- * Island in the Pacific with a Population of more than 195,000
- * Wet & Dry weather
- * Susceptible to natural hazards, such as earthquakes, tsunami, cyclone, floods and drought
- * GDP (Nominal) of SAT\$2.2b in FY2017/18
- * Per Capita – SAT\$11,222



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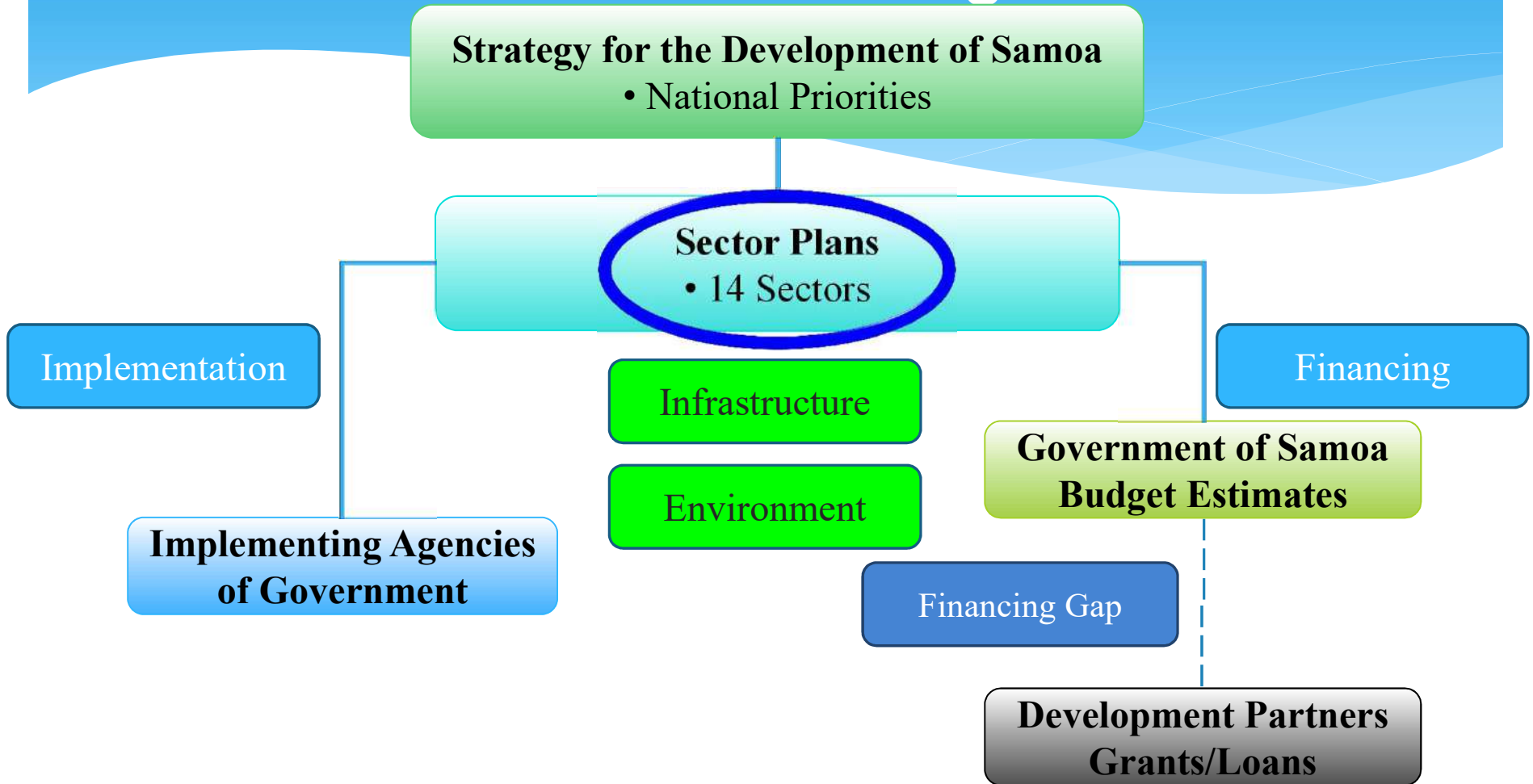


How Samoa is integrating global goals at the national level

- * Through integration into our national development strategies and financing
- * Localisation to suit our country context
- * Through partnerships with civil society, private sector and development partners to carry out implementation and ownership



SAMOA National Planning Framework





SAMOA National Development Priorities: Key Outcomes

- Priority Area I :
Economic**
1. Macroeconomic Resilience Increased and Sustained
 2. Agriculture and Fisheries Productivity Increased
 3. Export Products Increased
 4. Tourism Development and Performance Improved
 5. Participation of Private Sector in Development Enhanced

- Priority Area II
: Social**
6. A Healthy Samoa and Well-being Promoted
 7. Quality Education and Training Improved
 8. Social Institutions Strengthened
 - 8.1. Community Development Enhanced
 - 8.2. Community Safety Improved

- Priority Area
III:
Infrastructure**
9. Access to Clean Water and Sanitation Sustained
 10. Transport Systems and Networks Improved
 11. Improved and Affordable Country Wide ICT Connectivity
 12. Quality Energy Supply

- Priority Area IV
: The
Environment**
13. Environmental Resilience Improved
 14. Climate and Disaster Resilience





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Strategy for the Development of Samoa 2016-2020

Vision: “Improved Quality of Life for All”

Theme: “Accelerating Sustainable Development
and Broadening Opportunities for All”

*14 Key Outcomes have been identified, developed and
tested.*



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Samoa and Climate Financing

- * Climate and Disaster resilience is mainstreamed into its core development processes (planning and budgeting) at the national level, sector and agency level towards the objective of Climate resilient development.
 - * Maintaining a stable macroeconomic framework
 - * Build Back Better Principle
- * Financing:
 - * Contingency (Unforeseen)
 - * PCRAFI
 - * CAT-DDO



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Climate Resilient Projects in Samoa



- * Building River Walls to combat flooding
- Approximately 11 Ongoing Climate Resilient Projects to a value of at least Samoa \$300million Tala

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Climate Resilient Projects in Samoa

Some of the Projects include:

Pacific Resilience Project

PPCR- Enhancing the Climate Resilience

Samoa Enhanced Road Access Project

Building Safety and Resilience in the Pacific

Disaster Risk Management Project

Green Climate Fund



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Climate Resilient Projects in Samoa

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- * Planting Mangroves



- * Building Evacuation Route



- * Water Quality Assurance



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Challenges

- * Coordination with other ongoing programs
- * Capacities of Implementing agencies
- * Lag times between approval of project/program and receiving funding e.g. GCF
- * Different systems, processes, reporting



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Good Practices & Way Forward

- * Use existing country mechanisms and processes, for e.g. Civil Society
- * Develop Support Programmes to address priority needs of communities in addressing resilience eg, CIM Plans
- * Integration into the existing **core planning systems** ie / prioritisation indicated in the National Strategy (SDS) and sector plans
- * Developing Partnerships – Working together to share experiences and resources to achieve a better tomorrow (South South)



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Closing Remarks

Climate Change is a Reality, and for a Small Island Development States we need to develop effective Strategies via creating productive partnerships, Build Back Better and become more Resilient.



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**THANK YOU
VERY MUCH**

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