Global Agreements on Sustainable Development and Climate Change and their Relevance for Land-locked countries

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6 Key Global Processes targeted by SLoCaT in 2016

- Global Decade of Action on Road Safety
- Financing for Development
- 2030 Sustainable Development Agenda (SDGs)

Global Processes on Sustainable Development and Climate Change present Transport Sector with Opportunities and Responsibilities

- Paris Agreement on Climate Change
- 14th United Nations Conference on Trade and Development
- Habitat III
Paradigm shift on development of Transport

Then

Road safety 1.3 million deaths
Air Pollution 3 million deaths (large part transport)
Climate change – transport GHG fast growing
Congestion
Access not inclusive – large groups no access (urban and rural)

Negative externalities of old paradigm:
6-10% of GDP at least 50 Trillion USD up to 2030

Access: (Avoid + Shift + Improve)

Expand/Improve Transport infrastructure and services
Avoid unnecessary motorized transport
Shift Transport to most effective mode (people and goods)
Improve environmental performance transport

Now

Economic benefits of new paradigm:
70 Trillion USD up to 2050 (International Energy Agency/2012) -100+ Trillion USD up to 2050 (ITDP/2014)
Moving Sustainable Transport forward in 2016

Develop a Global Narrative on Sustainable, Low Carbon Transport that supports short – medium and long term action

- **Common Framework** setting out Goals on Transport, Sustainable Development and Climate Change

- **Global Roadmap** to decarbonize transport sector
  - NDCs

- **Quick Win Actions** to encourage short term action to kick start the transformation of the transport sector
**Climate Finance for Transport – Not Transformational in Scale!**

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- 20 countries have two or more sustainable transport projects funded by climate finance mechanisms/frameworks
- 24 countries have one sustainable transport project funded by climate mechanisms
- 151 countries have no sustainable transport projects funded by climate mechanisms

SLoCaT Partnership Research 2014
Transport @ Habitat III Conference in Quito

- 28 sustainable transport events @ Habitat III - Transport Day Quito on October 19th

- Quito Action Plan on Sustainable Urban Mobility
  - Mobilizing CC and SD Voluntary Commitments
  - Tracking Transport NUA – through MoU with UN-Habitat
  - Mobilize city networks in support of NUA and Paris Agreement

- Outreach:
  - SLoCaT/Despacio Joint booth to promote sustainable transport
  - Press briefing
  - Reporting - tweeting
Transport @COP22

- **November 11:** PPMC will co-organize Transport Ministerial Meeting + Transport CEO Meeting with SIE, Morocco and France
- **November 11:** Clean Mobility Reception
- **November 12:** PPMC will co-organize Action Event on Transport together with France and Morocco
- **November 13:** Transport Day Marrakech
- +25 Sustainable Transport Events @COP