

Pilot Program for Climate Resilience (PPCR) in Tajikistan Proposed Technical Assistance under Phase 1

PPCR Sub-committee Meeting, 23 June 2010, Washington, USA



Ilhom Rajabov, Climate Change Centre, Tajik Hydromet

Zainullo Sharipov, Executive Office of the President Administration

Cinzia Losenno, AEA Technology*

Ron Hoffer, World Bank

Peter Hayes, Asian Development Bank

Craig Davies, European Bank for Reconstruction and Development



** through support from DFID – Amanda Duff*

OUTLINE



1. Our vision is to build climate resilience in Tajikistan (SPCR)

- Tajikistan specifics
- Tajikistan's priority areas

2. How is the Phase 1 TA going to contribute

- Phase 1 TA activities & approach
- Coordination mechanisms
- Next steps to develop a SPCR

Progress of Tajikistan PPCR



- ✓ PPCR started in September 2009
- ✓ **1st Joint Programming Mission** of the MDBs with broad stakeholder consultation in October 2009
- ✓ **Mid-term Mission of the MDBs** with broad consultation on Phase 1 Grant Application in March 2010
- ✓ Grant Proposal submitted
- ✓ Specific discussion on components of Strategic Programme for Climate Resilience started

Our present – HIGH VULNERABILITY



**Low
adaptive
capacity
and
decreasing**

Sharp increases in climate-induced extreme events such as dramatic fluctuations in the hydrological cycle

Significant impacts on water resources for hydro power, potable water, irrigation, food security, and rural and urban livelihoods

\$751 GDP per capita

Weak institutional arrangements

Severe weakness in data and science base

Low awareness and technical skills in government officials, business circles, and the public;

Lack of integration of climate change risk management in development strategies

**High
exposure
and
increasing**

Our vision for the future: RESILIENCE



A country-driven and climate-resilient development path

- **2 priority areas for the SPCR:**
 - Build institutional, human and technical capacity for climate resilience
 - Reduce vulnerability of communities and economic sectors by integrating climate risks into planning
- **All level of governance, from local to national**

Strategic Programme for Climate Resilience



Potential priority areas for intervention

Building capacity



Reducing vulnerabilities

p.n. Our thinking is still developing

Proposed Technical Assistance Under Phase 1 Grant



Capacity building

- Review of Tajikistan's climate change institutional arrangements and capacity needs
- Tajikistan Climate Science and Impact Modelling Partnership

Raising awareness of climate change in the Government of Tajikistan

Vulnerability Assessment

- Enhancing the Climate Resilience of Tajikistan's **Energy Sector**
- Analysis of **Sustainable Land Management** Approaches for Changing Climatic Conditions in Tajikistan
- Analysis of **River Basin Approach** to Climate Resiliency

Phase 1 Grant Assistance



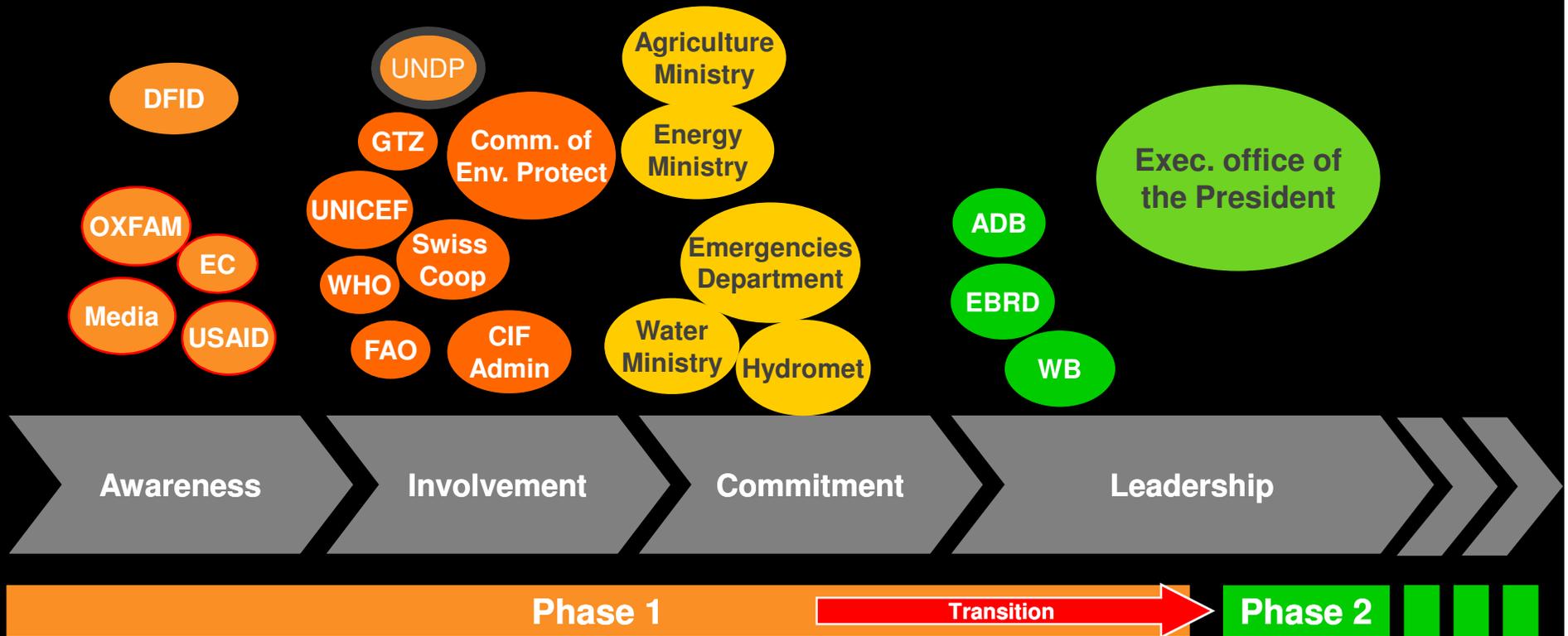
Topic	Budget	Lead MDB	GoT POC
Institutional analyses & capacity needs	\$150K	WB-IBRD	Office of the President
Climate Science	\$350K	ADB	HydroMet
Awareness raising	\$100K	WB-IBRD	TBD
Enhancing energy sector resilience	\$300K	EBRD	Min of Energy
Review sustainable land management	\$200K	WB-IBRD	Min of Agriculture
Analysis of river basin approaches	\$400K	ADB	Min of Water Resources

Tajikistan's Approach to Phase 1 TA

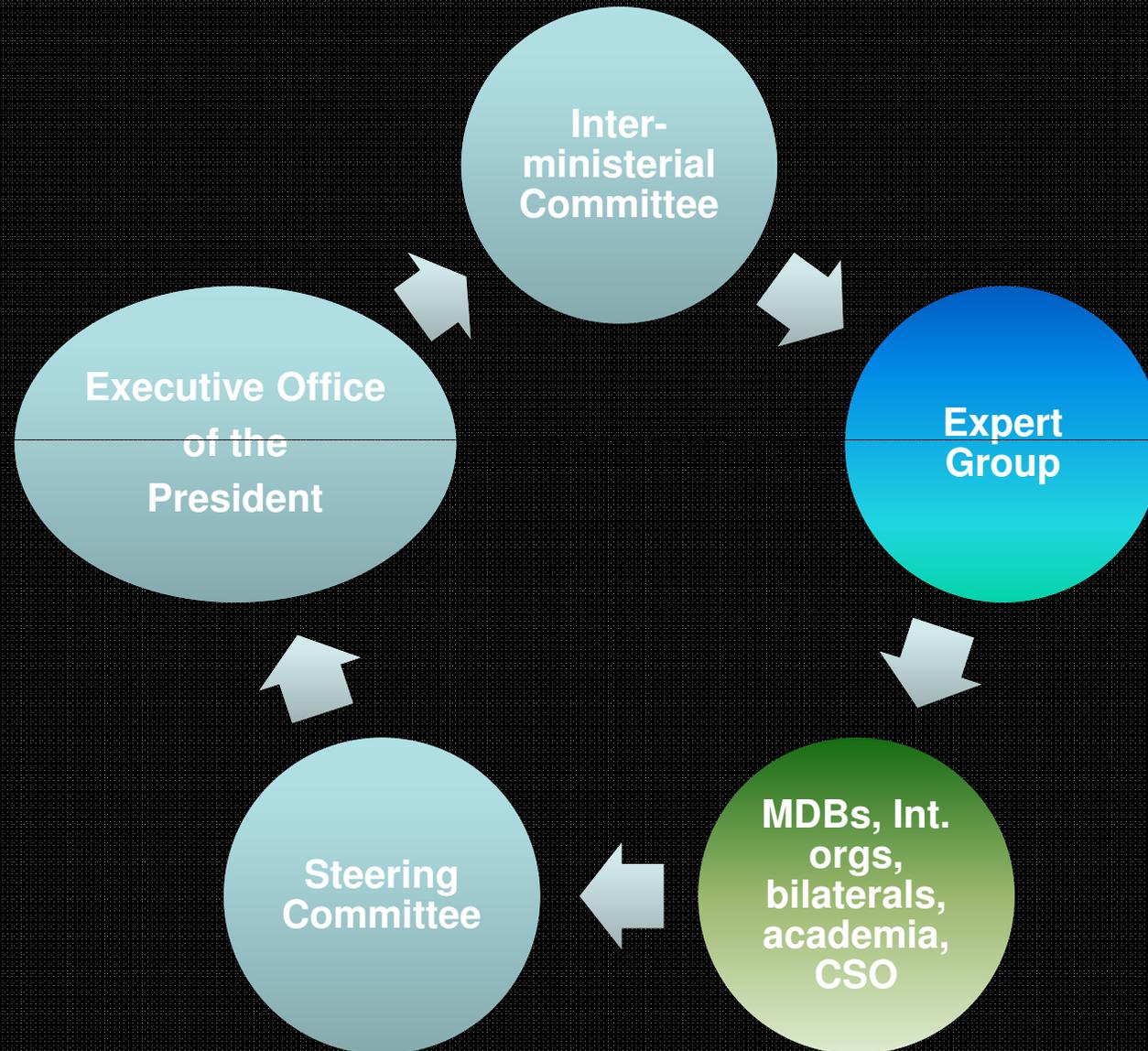


- The key is **meaningful engagement of stakeholders** to:
 - Ensure the consistency of PPCR investments with the country's development priority needs and with the efforts of the IFIs operating in the country
 - Encourage acceptability of the PPCR goals among a wide range of actors in the country
- **Key stakeholders include**
 - Government departments and agencies, MDBs, international organisations, experts, communities, NGOs, civil society, etc.

Extensive engagement of key stakeholders throughout the process

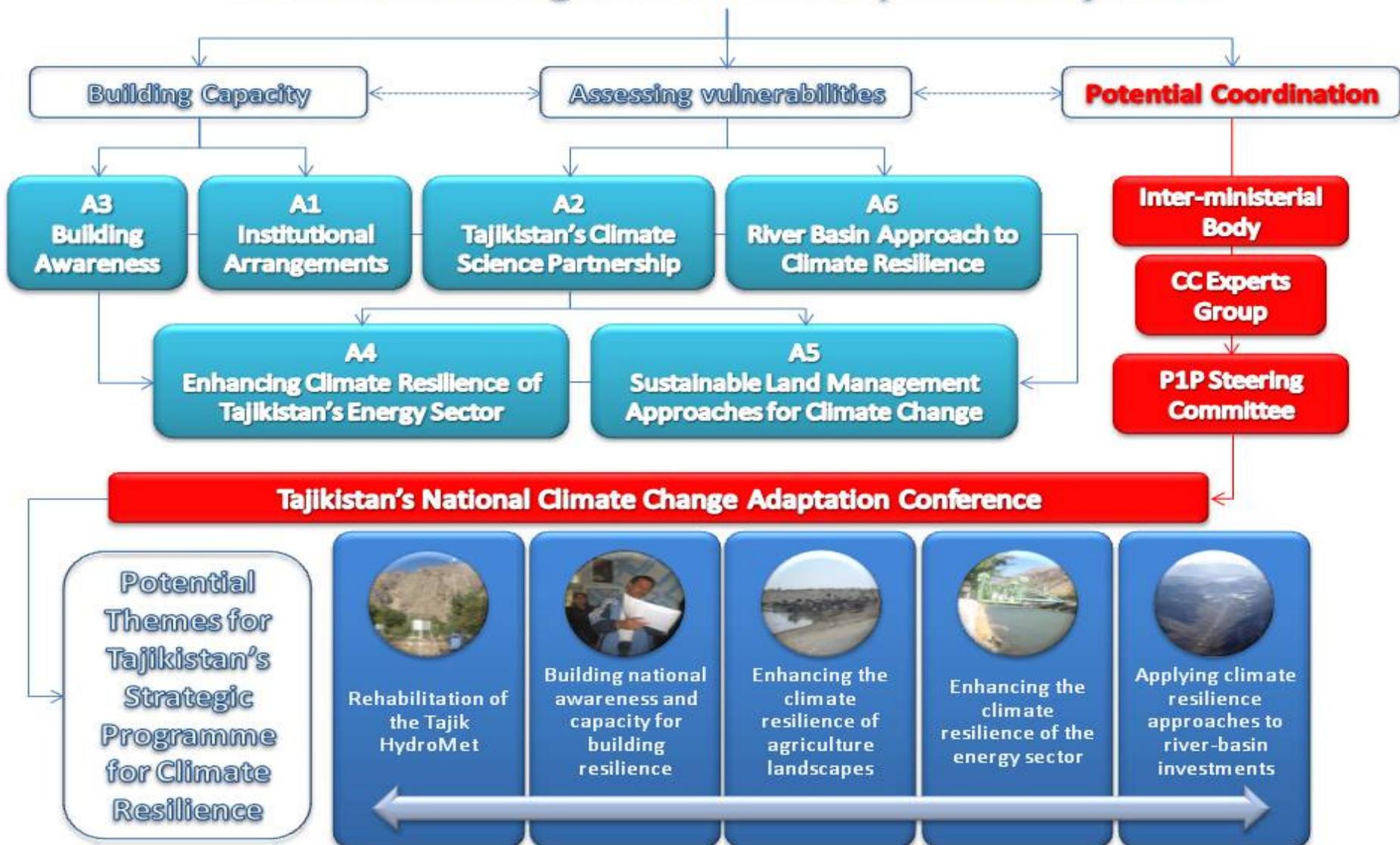


Planned Coordination of Phase 1 TA activities

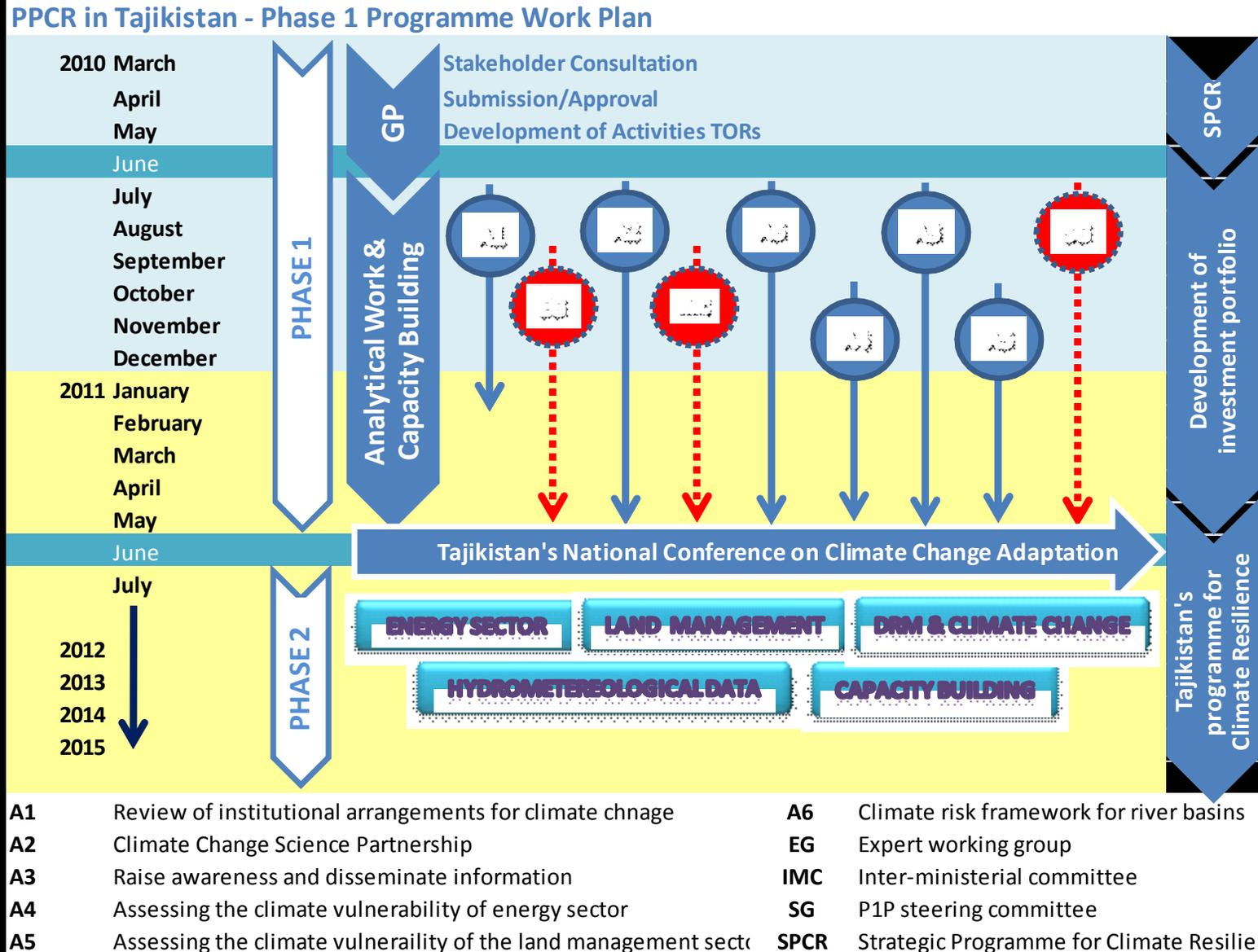




PPCR Phase 1 Programme of the Republic of Tajikistan



PPCR Phase 1 TA work plan



Next steps



- June – September 2010 - Progress towards defining Phase 2 investments
- September-October 2010 –Joint Mission to define Strategic Program for Climate Resilience outlining investments and longer-term capacity building
- October - November 2010 – Government of Tajikistan submit SPCR

PPCR in Tajikistan



Thank you

Contact details:

Ilhomrajabov@mail.ru