# Negotiations on the Paris Agreement Work Programme (PAWP):

from the Bangkok session to Katowice



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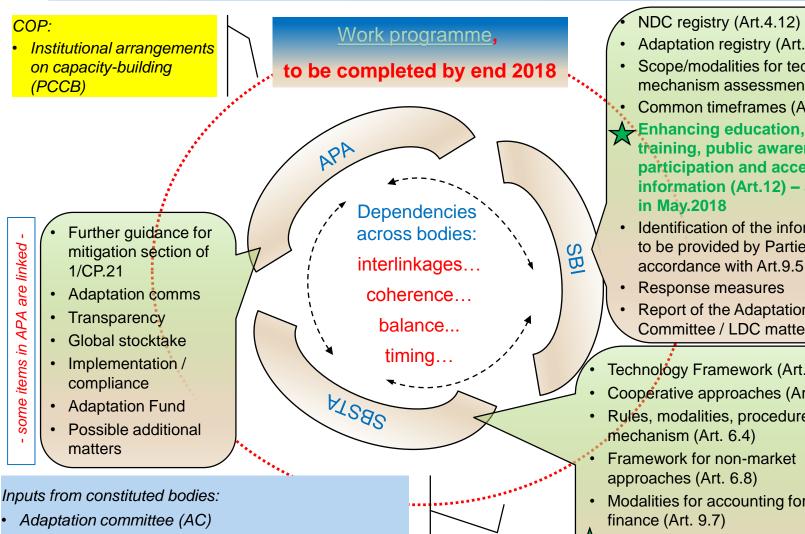
Reminder: PAWP at a glance

Outcomes of Bangkok: overall

Outcomes of Bangkok: highlights by negotiating body

What comes next...





Least Developed Countries Expert Group (LEG)

Executive Committee of the Warsaw International

Mechanism for Loss and Damage (WIM ExCom)

Standing Committee on Finance (SCF)

- Adaptation registry (Art.7.12)
- Scope/modalities for technology mechanism assessment
- Common timeframes (Art.4.10)
  - Enhancing education, training, public awareness, participation and access to information (Art.12) - agreed
  - Identification of the information to be provided by Parties in
- Report of the Adaptation Committee / LDC matters

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- Technology Framework (Art.10.4)
- Cooperative approaches (Art.6.2)
- Rules, modalities, procedures for the
- Modalities for accounting for public

#### Advice from IPCC (done in 2016)

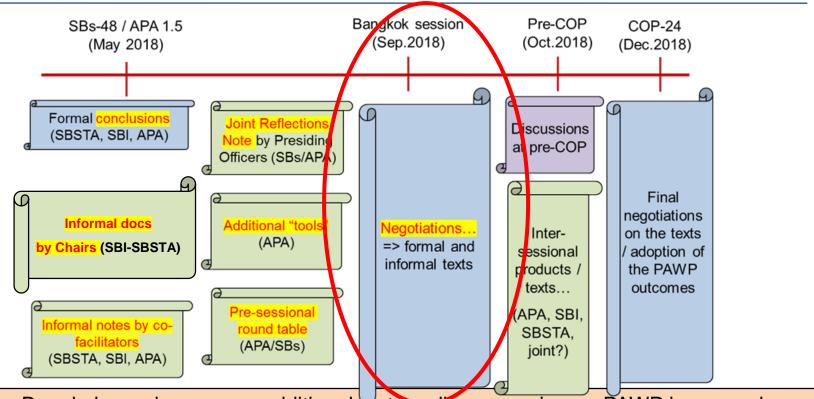
- Response measures
- Report of the Adaptation Committee

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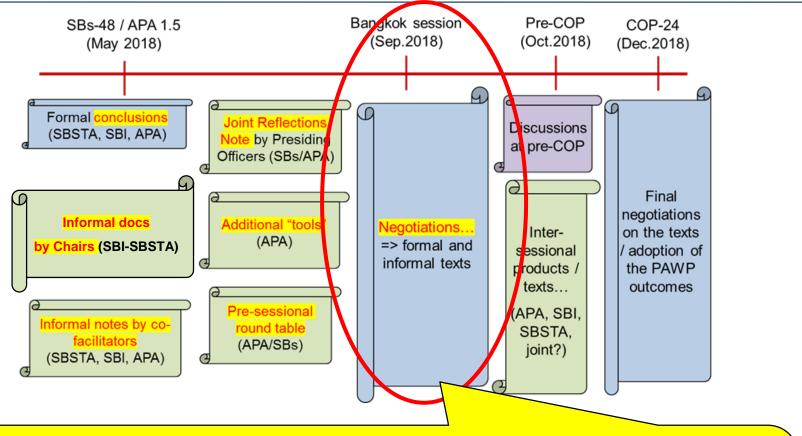
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## The Bangkok session: what has been achieved (1)



- The Bangkok session was an additional, extraordinary session on PAWP issues only
- The objective was to bring all PAWP issues to a level of maturity that would be adequate for a basis for negotiation and that would make it possible to complete the PAWP in Katowice with a tangible, ambitious outcome allowing full operationalization of the Paris Agreement
- Parties worked hard in Bangkok (no statements!) But was the objective achieved? Yes/No:
  - Almost all texts have advanced (~300 pages!); readiness for Katowice has increased
  - But none of the texts has been finalized and fully agreed
  - For some (few) items progress was limited reflecting broader political challenges

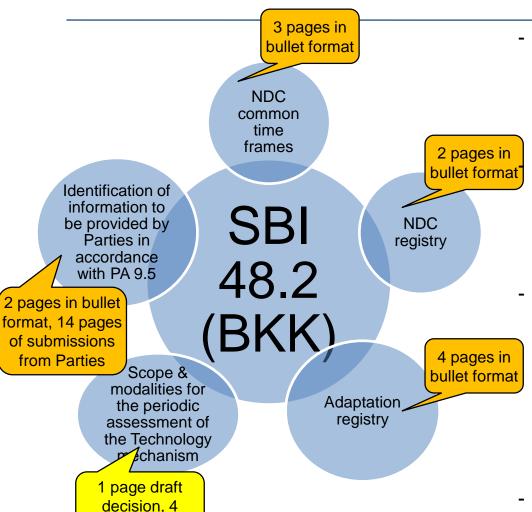
### The Bangkok session: what has been achieved (2)



#### Follow-up work mandated in Bangkok:

- A joint reflections note by the Presiding Officers of the APA, SBSTA and SBI
- The note can contain "textual proposals" to help moving the negotiations forward
- The note to be published by mid-October, before the major "pre-COP" meeting
- This will help and success in Katowice is feasible; but much remains to be done...

# **SBI** highlights:



Overall good progress, but fundamental political issues remained unresolved, e.g. one registry or two registries

Agreed basis for negotiations, and in most cases this basis reflects clear and streamlined options

- On the scope/modalities for technology mechanism assessment: draft decision text contains clear and streamlined options, Parties are engaged in exploring middle grounds
- Mandate for the SBI Chair to prepare textual proposals



pages annex

# Joint SBI/SBSTA highlights:

6 pages draft decision text

Report of the Adaptation Committee / Matters relating to the LDCs\*

SB 48.2 (BKK)

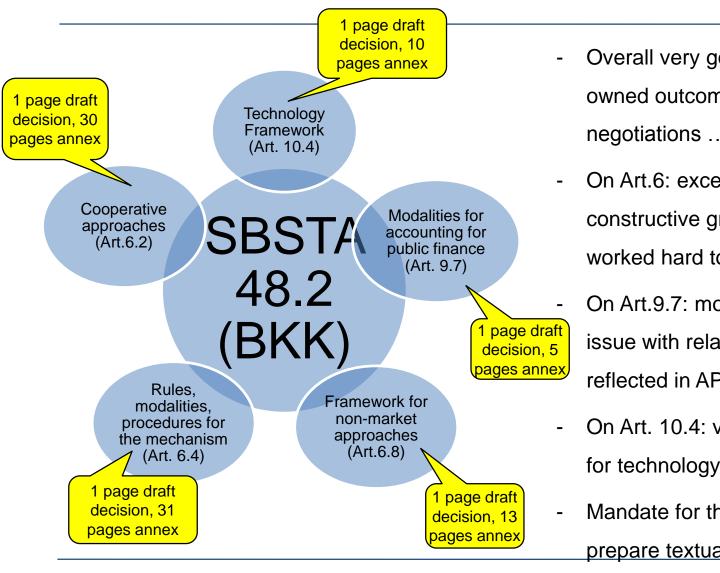
Modalities, work programme and functions of the forum on response measures

3 pages draft decision text, 6 pages annex

- Good progress, Party-owned outcome
- Some key political and/or complex issues remain, e.g. trade under response measures and recognition of adaptation efforts
- Draft decision texts and annex, in the case of response measures, with clear and streamlined options. Parties are exploring middle grounds
- Mandate for the SBI and SBSTA Chairs to prepare textual proposals



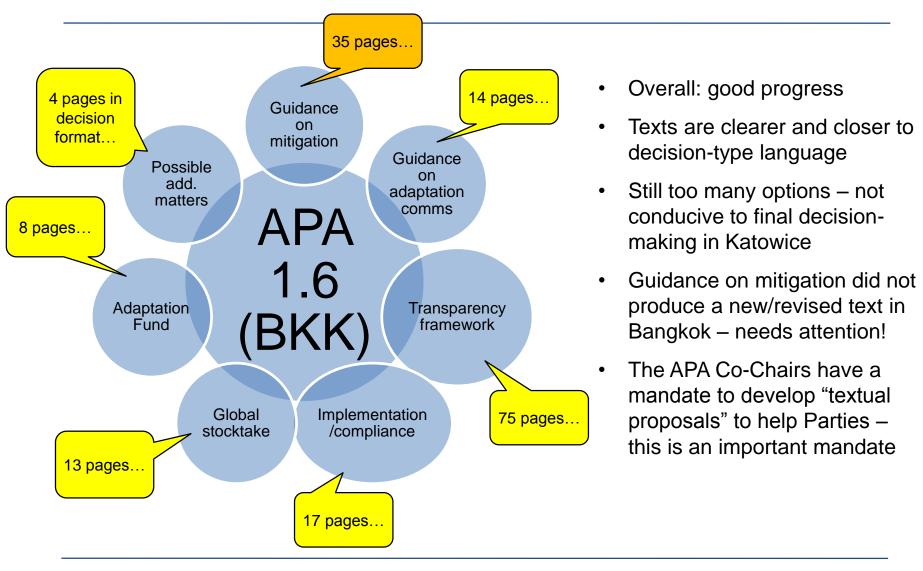
# **SBSTA** highlights:



- Overall very good progress, Partyowned outcome, agreed basis for negotiations ...but still lots to do ...
- On Art.6: excellent session with constructive groups, everyone worked hard to advance
  - On Art.9.7: most advanced finance issue with related placeholder reflected in APA text
- On Art. 10.4: very productive session for technology negotiators
- Mandate for the SBSTA Chair to prepare textual proposals

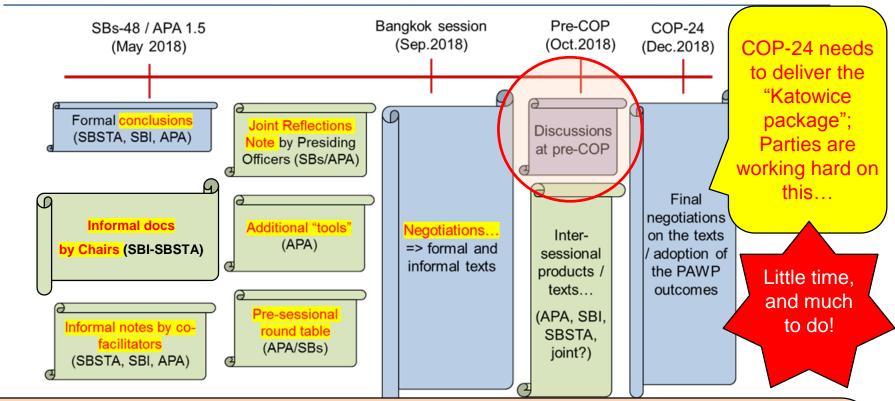


## **APA** highlights:





### From Bangkok to Katowice



- Building on the Bangkok outcome, the Presiding Officers will prepare a joint reflections note identifying ways forward, including textual proposals before the pre-COP (end of October)
- The pre-COP (21–24 October) is of particular importance; it is the last and most important opportunity to explore before the COP, with key negotiators at a senior level and in an appropriate setting what needs to be addressed, and, most importantly, how for both PAWP and non-PAWP issues (balance is of major importance)
- The negotiations time at COP-24 will be very limited; it will be critical to work diligently and with a focus on delivery. PAWP is doable!