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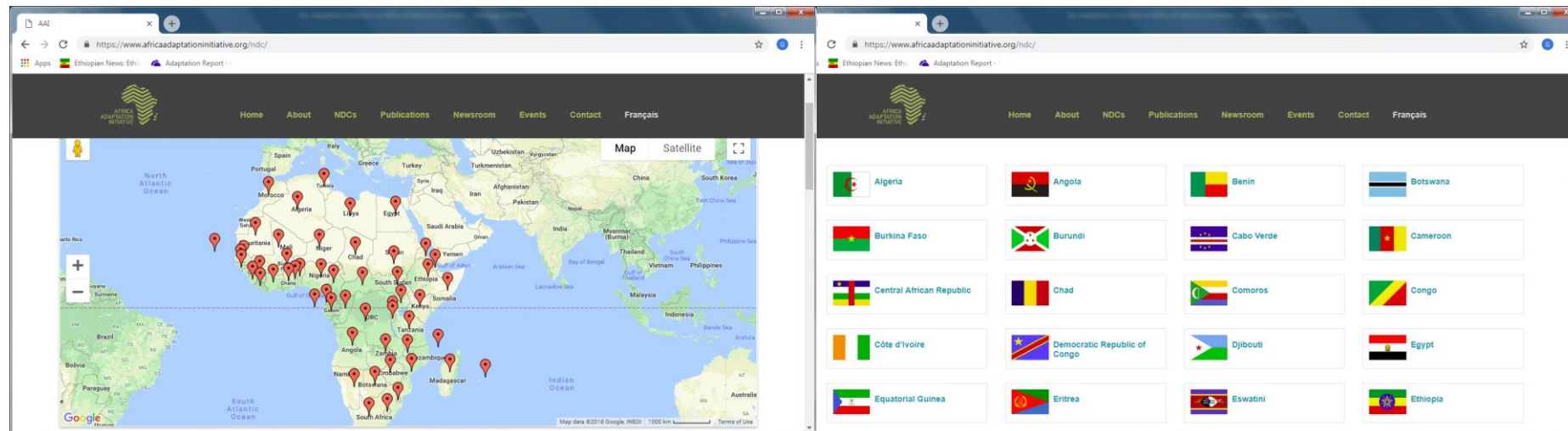
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Priorities are expressed either in terms of **sectors** or **vulnerabilities & risks** in which to undertake adaptation action to enhance resilience

## SECTORS

- Agriculture (including livestock and fisheries)
- Water resources

## OTHER (close seconds in varying degree of representation)

- Health
- Ecosystem, land, forest
- Coastal zones
- Infrastructure
- Energy (very few)

# Vulnerabilities and Risks

- Drought
- Flood
- Coastal zone erosion/degradation
- Land and marine ecosystem degradation/desertification

# Synergies with other planning frameworks

- Most have a very good summary of the key relevant plans, policies, and strategies (national or sectoral), thus good starting point for integrated planning
- Synergies are typically sought with:
  - **Development plans**
  - **Disaster risk reduction plans**
  - To a lesser extend with: sustainable land management, forest conservation, coastal zone management

# Implementation

- Most highlight means of implementation needs in terms of **finance**, human and institutional **capacity building**, **technology** transfer
- Set-out **unconditional and conditional priority actions** they intend to undertake; thus good starting point for adaptation planning and programming

- **UNFCCC**, full NDCs of all countries  
<http://www4.unfccc.int/submissions/INDC/Submission%20Pages/submissions.aspx>. Will eventually have registry mandated by COP decision.
- **NDC Partnership**: a coalition of countries and institutions working to mobilize support and achieve goals outlined in NDCs. <https://ndcpartnership.org/>
- **African Adaptation Initiative**: synthesis of African NDCs & priorities therein; and linkages with NAPs, development, Sendai and other planning frameworks.  
<https://www.africaadaptationinitiative.org/ndc/>
- **African Development Bank NDC Hub**: support action, mobilizing means for implementation, as well as coordination, advocacy and partnerships:  
<https://www.afdb.org/en/topics-and-sectors/initiatives-partnerships/africa-ndc-hub/>
- **CREWS** (Climate Risk and Early Warning Systems): for LDCs and SIDSs, analysis of links and relations between NDCs/NAPs/Sendai Framework and countries' expressed needs in terms of climate services and EWS. <https://www.crews-initiative.org/en>