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Both developing and developed countries address climate change mitigation and, to a lesser extent, adaptation in their national sustainable development strategies (NSDS). This allows countries to recognize and adequately value co-benefits of policy measures and to identify and appropriately address potential trade-offs. Moreover, for developing countries, the Bali Action Plan explicitly states that mitigation action should be in the context of sustainable development. The presentation discusses the overall monitoring requirements for the implementation of climate change related policies and measures described in NSDS as well as current country practices in this regard.