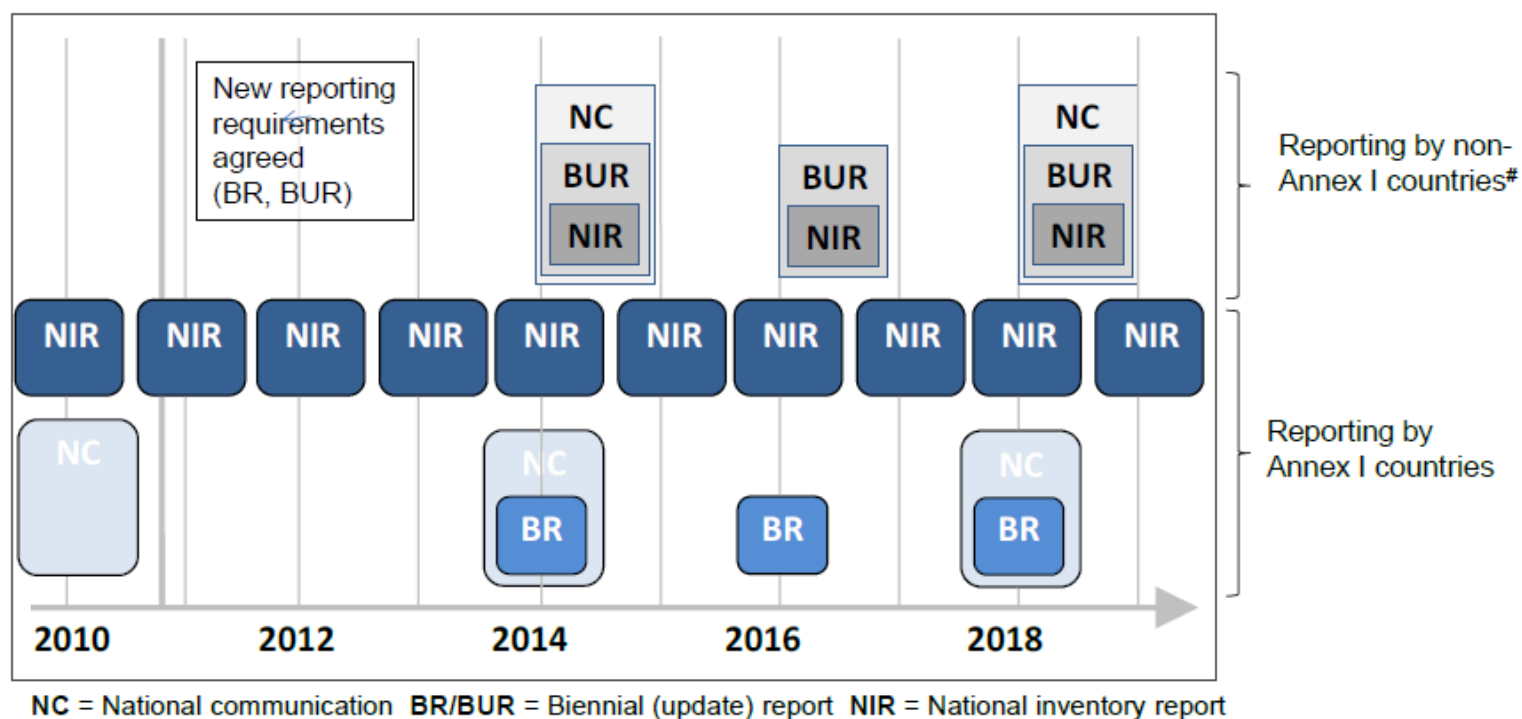


# GHG Monitoring Reporting and Verification Systems

- Case study of the MRV system in building sector -

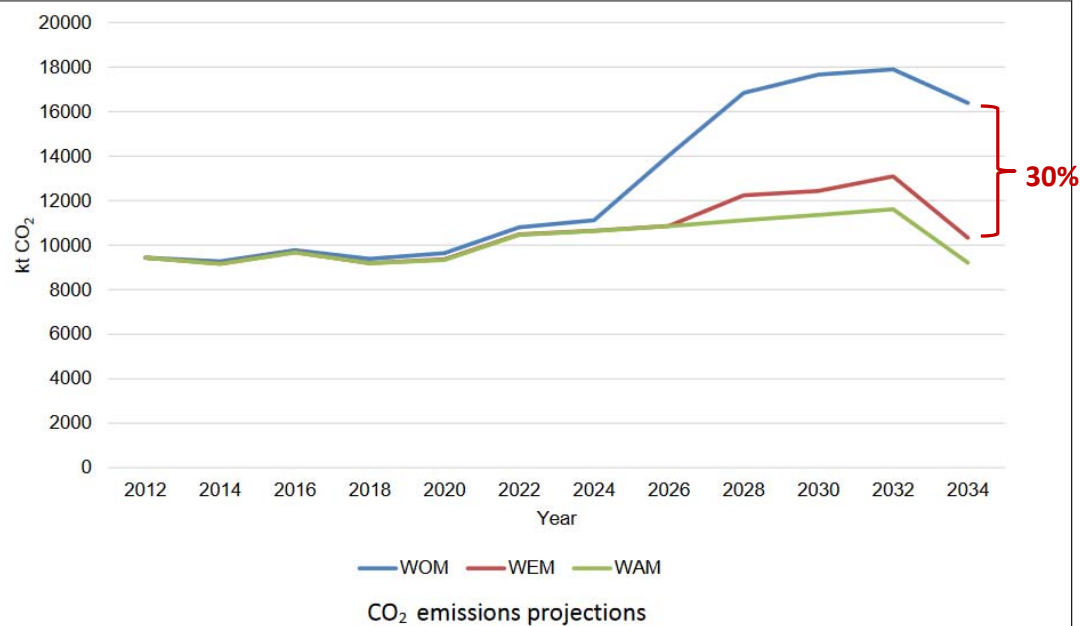
# Current state of reporting



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# Necessary progress

Emission  
projections



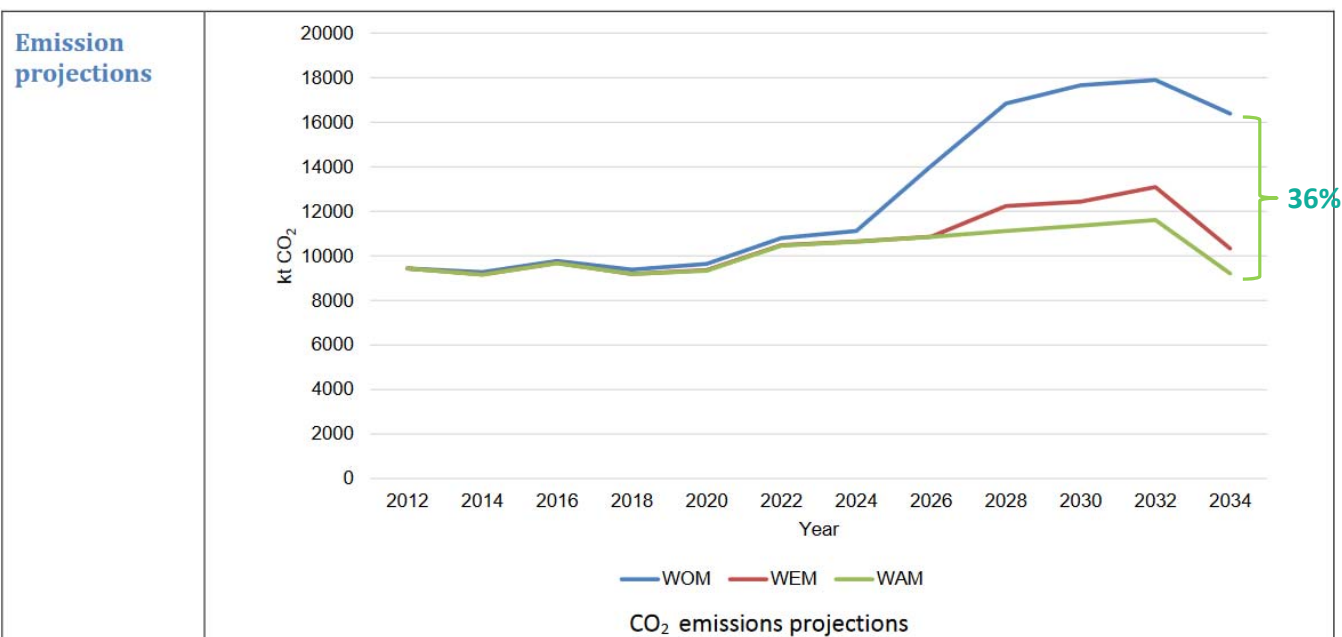
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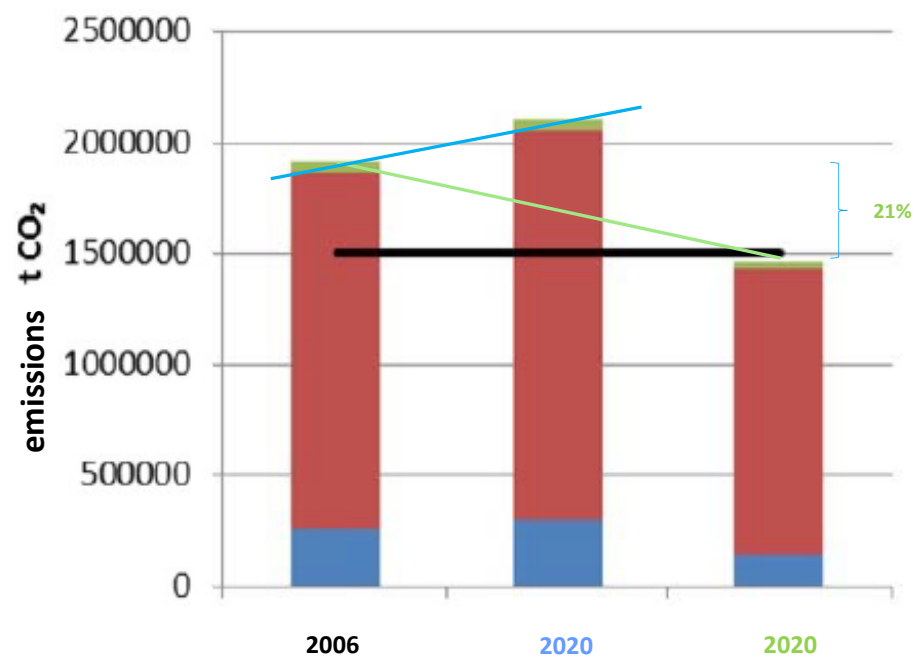
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# Katowice Rules

**Article 4** of the Paris Agreement: national commitments:

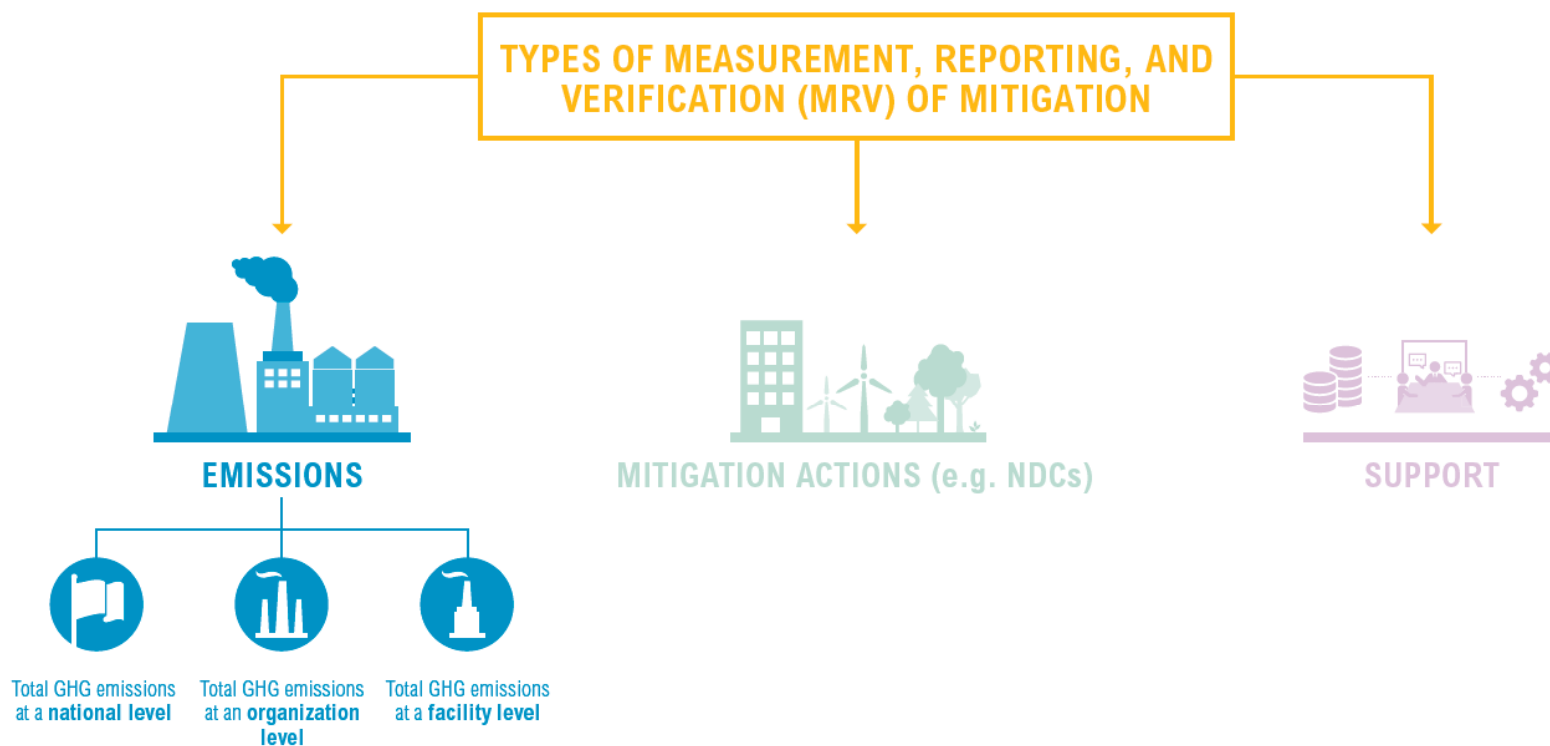
The minimum contents of the NDCs are established (Annex I of the Katowice Rules).

National GHG inventories: will be carried out using the most updated National IPCC Guidelines for Inventories. At this time, the latest version dates from 2006. However, these guidelines are under revision, and a new version is expected in 2019.

The NDCs of the countries will be registered in a public registry.

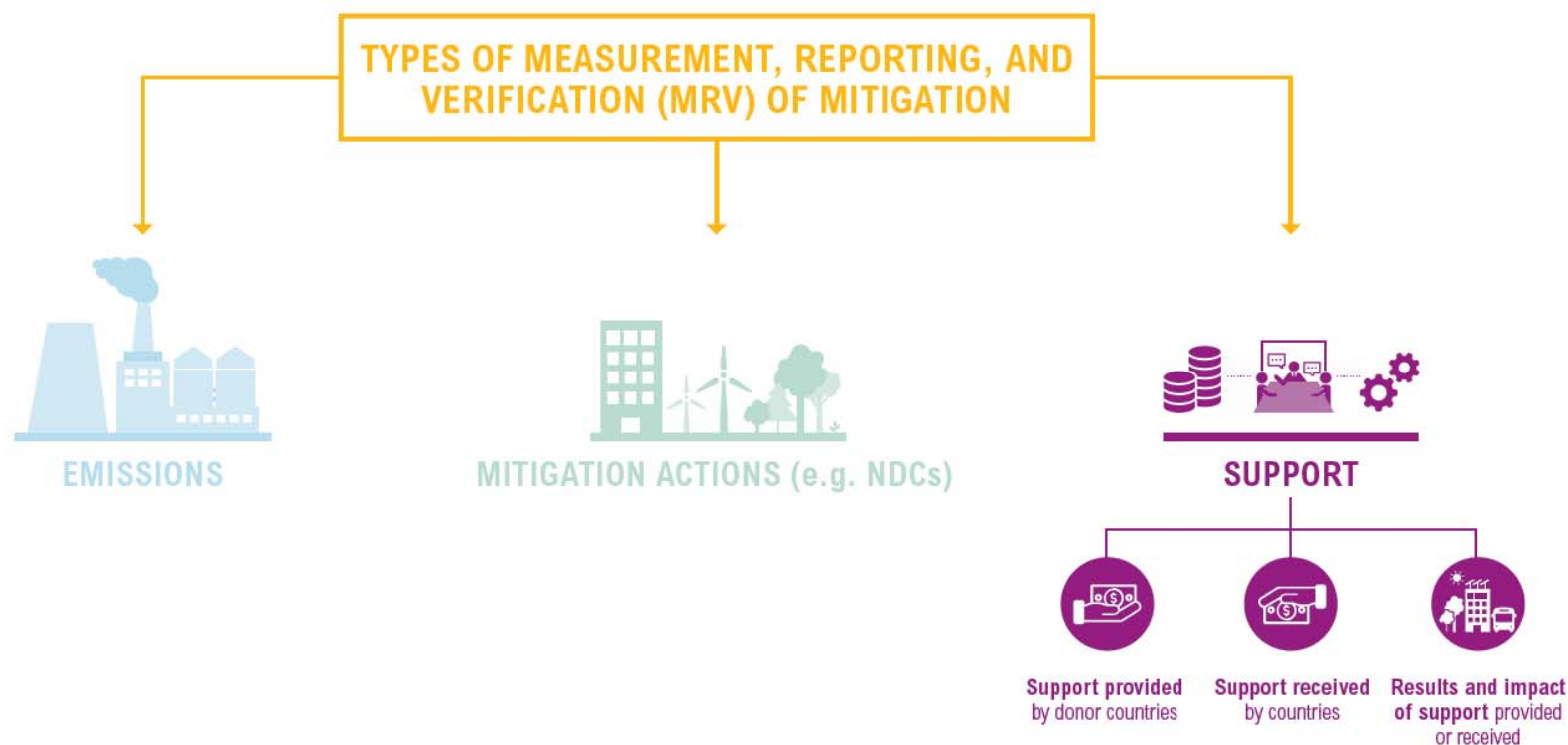
As of 2031, the NDCs will have a common time horizon, to be defined. Currently, some countries are developing NDCs with a horizon of 5 years, while others are considering a horizon of 10 years.

# Three types of MRV systems



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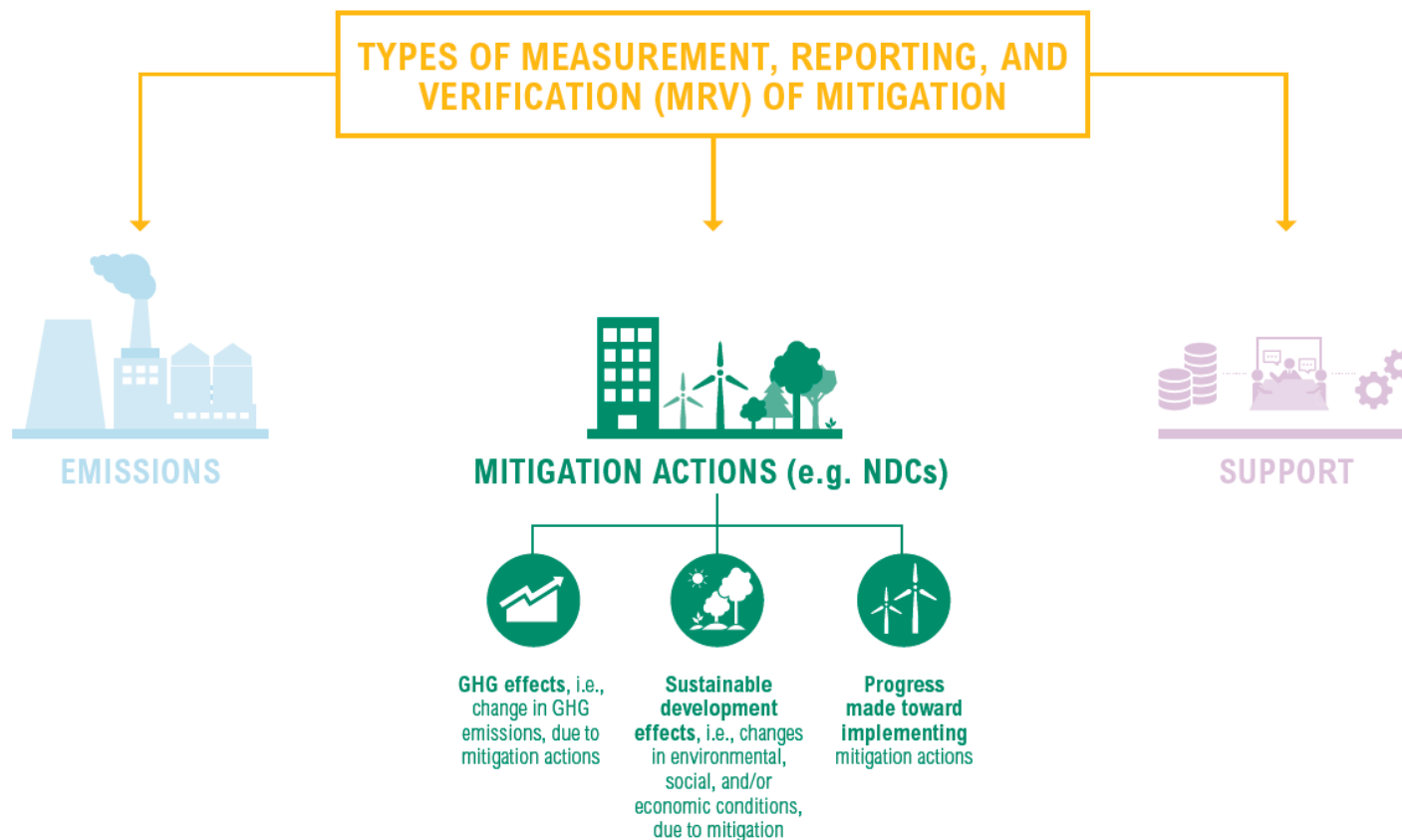
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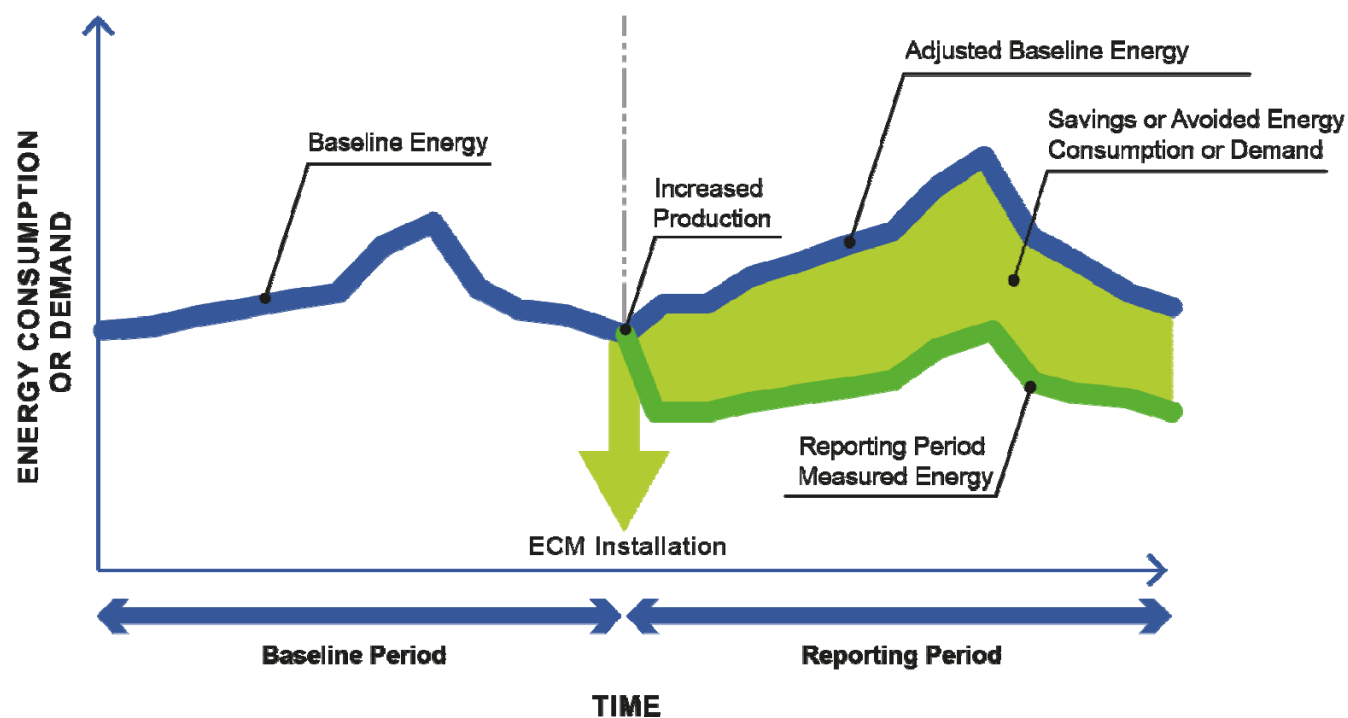
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# Basics of the mitigation MRV - IPMVP

## *HOW TO CALCULATE ENERGY SAVINGS?*

$$\begin{aligned} &\text{Savings Reported for Any Period} = \\ &\text{Baseline Period Energy} - \text{Reporting Period Energy} \\ &\quad \pm \text{Adjustments} \end{aligned}$$

# Basics of the mitigation MRV - IPMVP



# Challenge

**De-risking and scaling-up investment in energy efficient building retrofits in Armenia**

***Implemented by the Ministry of Natural Protection and UNDP***

***Funded by Green Climate Fund, City of Yerevan, UNDP and the Ministry***

***Total value of the project: appx. 30.000.000\$ with additional 60.000.000\$ EIB***

## ***Expected results***

***264,3GWh/annum, 69TCO2eq/annum, total 4mTCO2eq, 1.700 jobs created***

## ***Beneficiaries***

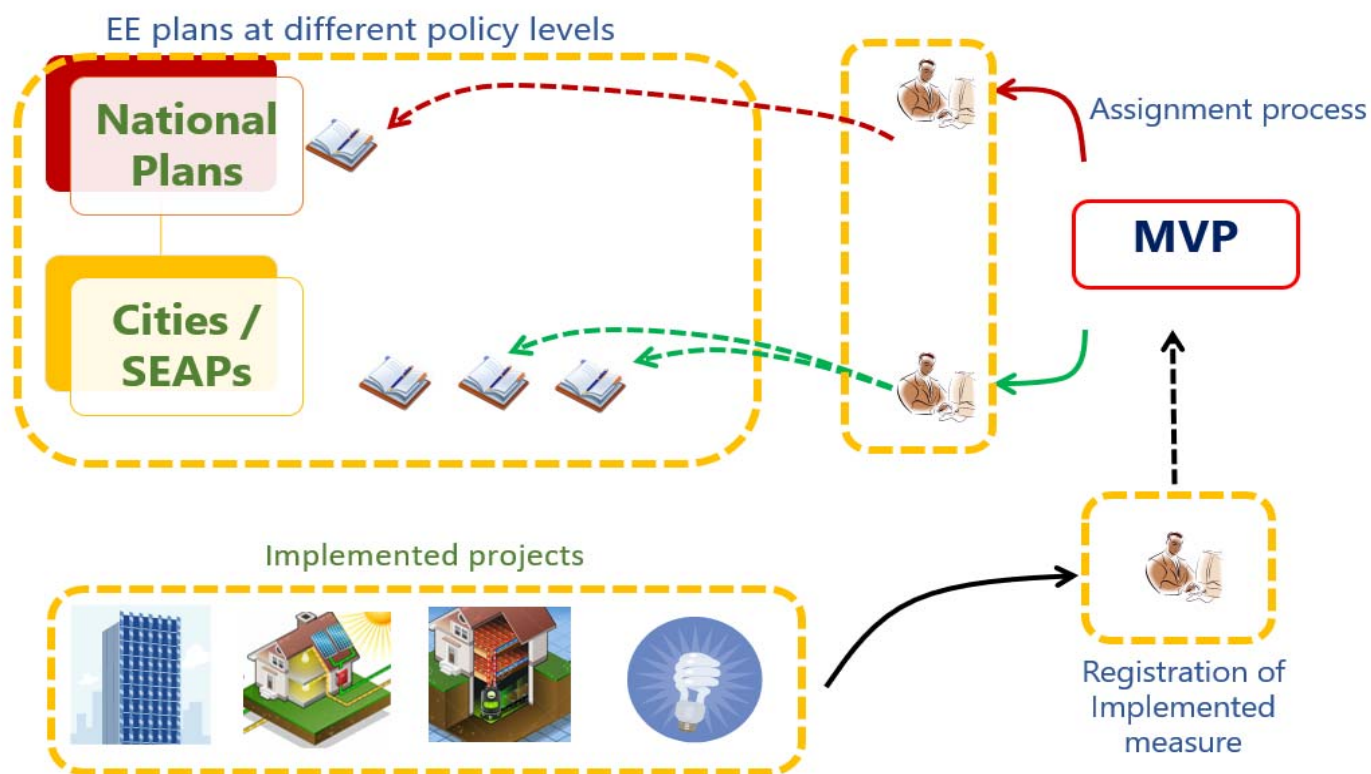
***6000 – single family individual buildings***

***290 – multi-apartment buildings***

***23 – complex demand public buildings (hospitals)***

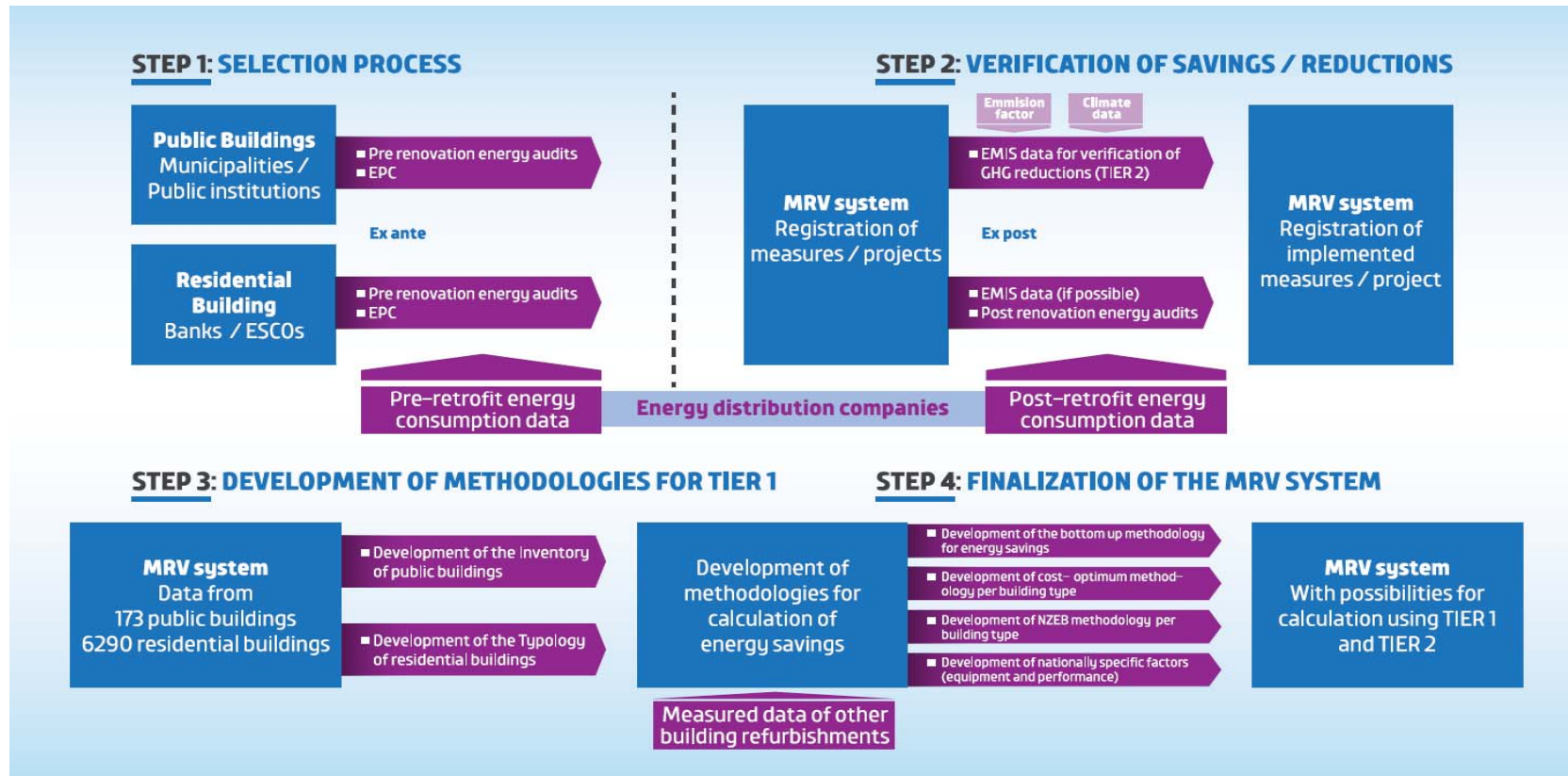
***150 – simple demand public buildings (schools and kindergartens)***

# Monitoring and reporting platform



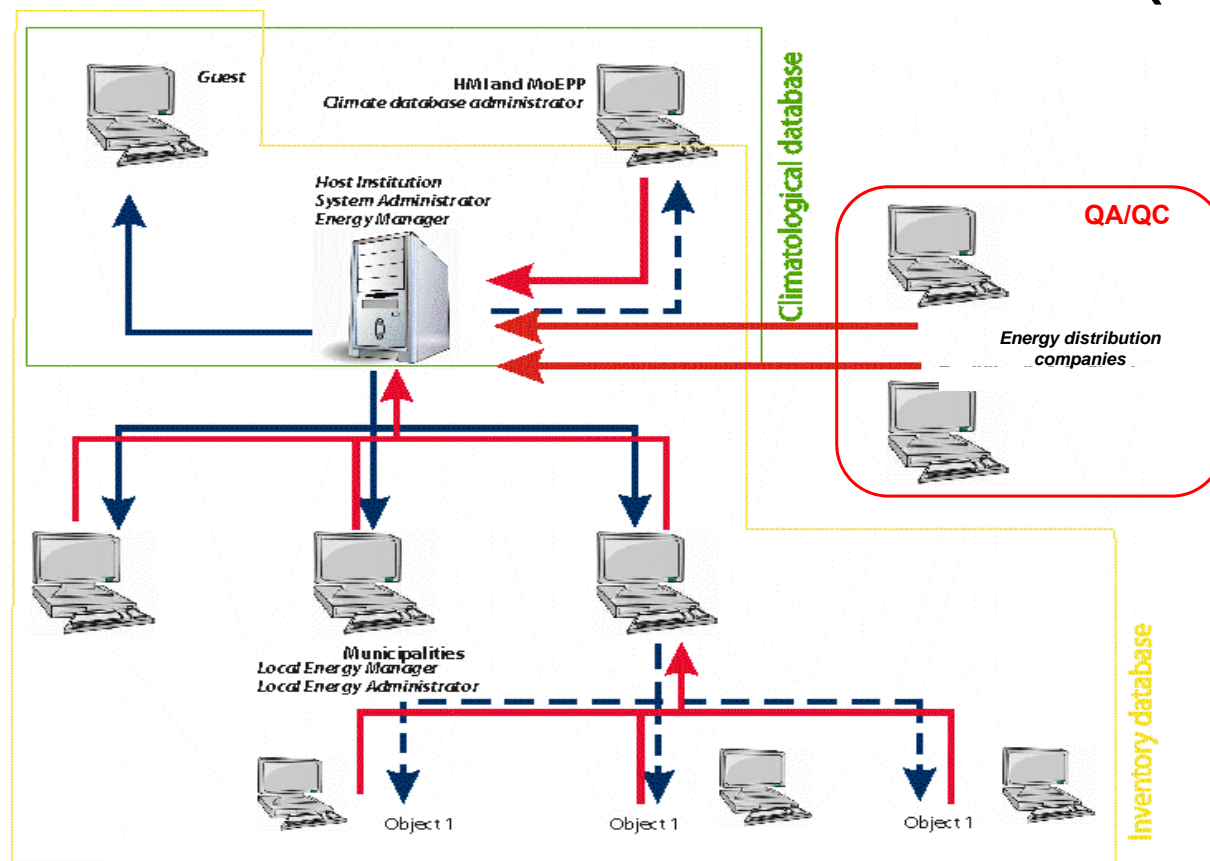
Source: Dr. A. Teskeredzic, Sazdovski I, Monitoring and Verification Platform,  
Training for the Ministry of Economy, Skopje, January 15<sup>th</sup> 2015.

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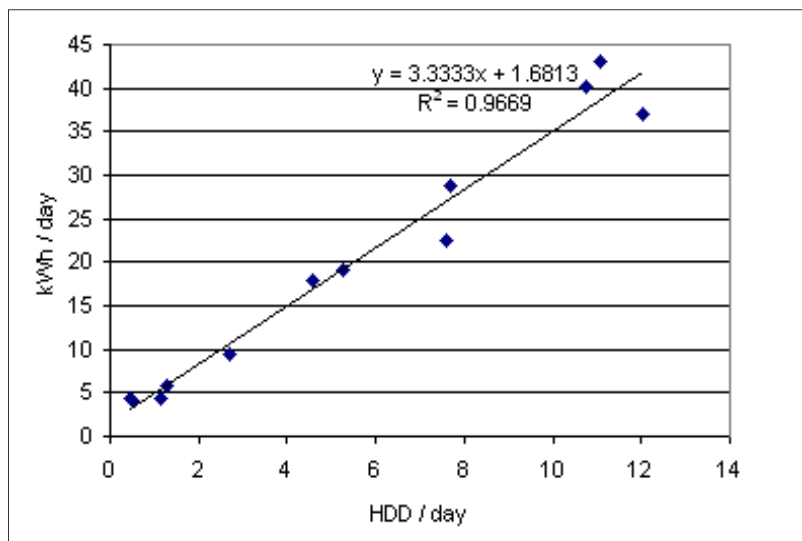
# TIER 2 calculation method (EMIS)



Source: Sazdovski I, Terms of reference for the EMIS system in the building sector, UNDP Macedonia, 2011.

# TIER 2 calculation method (EMIS)

8 key equations for calculation of energy savings and GHG reductions  
11 key parameters



$$NAECy = a365 + bHDDy + cCDDy \pm (\gamma x)$$

$$GHG_{after\ y} = \frac{EC_{after\ y} \times EF_{el,after\ y}}{1 - TDL_{after\ y}} + \sum_{i=1}^n FC_i \times NCV_i \times EF_{co2i}$$

Data / Parameter	$EC_{before}$	$EC_{after}$
Data unit	kWh or MWh	
Description	Annual Electricity consumed by the project building before and after the refurbishment	
Source of data	Smart meters, Electricity meter of the distribution company or electricity distribution billing system	
Measurement procedures (if any)	National standards described by the Regulatory Commission	
Monitoring frequency	Preferably weekly, minimum frequency once per month	
QA/QC procedures	If the data are transferred directly from the billing system of the electricity distributor, or smart meters, there is no need of additional QC procedures. Possible estimates, needed to be performed in the energy audit in case the energy measures of electricity is mixed with other sources of energy consumption like electrical appliances. Data controlled by the Local Energy Manager or National Energy Manager based on the procedure for monitoring and verification for the EMIS software.	
Any comment	For all data gathered from the EDC, it is recommended that direct link through cloud base is provided where the EDC will transfer data from their billing system. If that possibility is not enabled, the data should be verified by the Local Energy Management Team	

12 pages of static and dynamic database parameters

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# TIER 1 calculation method (CS)

## Refurbishment measures of existing buildings

Measures at consumption side (wall, roof, insulation, replacement of windows)

Via SHD values. Measures at generation, distribution and emission heat

via  $\eta$  value (new boiler, new automatic control, balancing, TSV at radiators)

$$\Delta E = \left( \frac{SDH_{before}}{\eta_{before}} - \frac{SDH_{after}}{\eta_{after}} \right) * A; [KWh]$$

$\Delta E$  – annual energy savings;  $\left[ \frac{KWh}{a} \right]$

$SDH$  – specific heat demand;  $\left[ \frac{KWh}{m^2 a} \right]$

$A$  – heated area  $[m^2]$

$\eta = \eta_{boi} * \eta_{dis} * \eta_{em}; [\%]$

Seasonal efficiency of heating  
system (before/after)

**EEI measure(s)**  
AND/OR  
 $SHD_{after} < SHD_{before}$   
AND/OR  
 $\eta_{after} > \eta_{before}$

Reference SHD values

Construction year	SHD residential	SHD non-residential
before 1940	180	180
1940 – 1970	250	250
1970 – 1987	150	150
1987 – 2006	150	150

Appx. 15 equations

App. 30 code tables

# *Thank you*

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