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Session : Disaster Management and Climate Readiness of Utilities

Building Resilient Power Infrastructure

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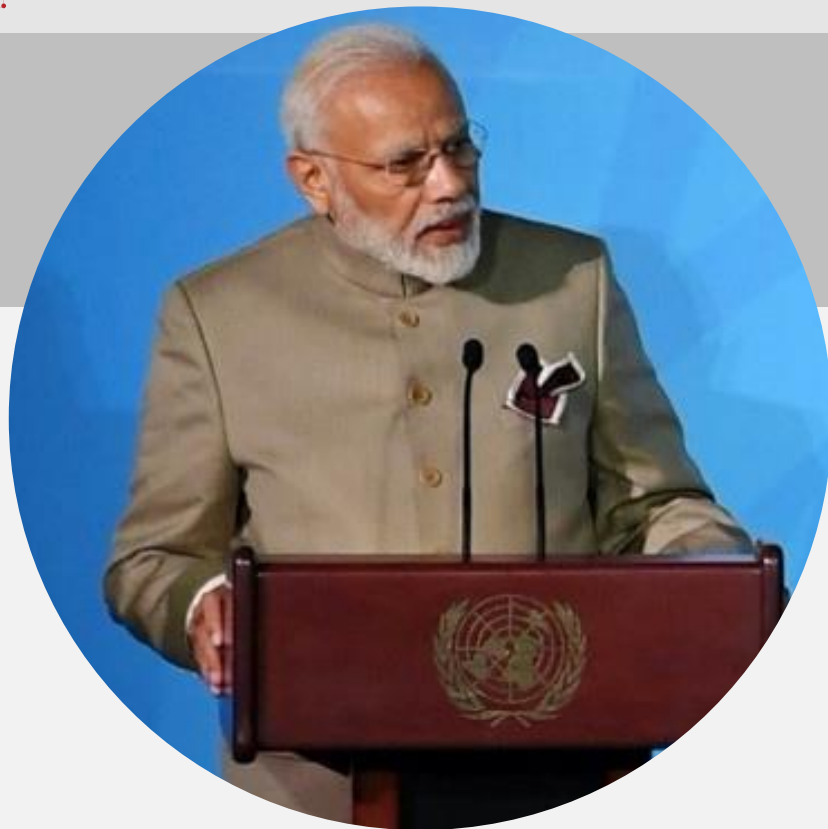
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Launched at

UN Climate Action Summit in 2019

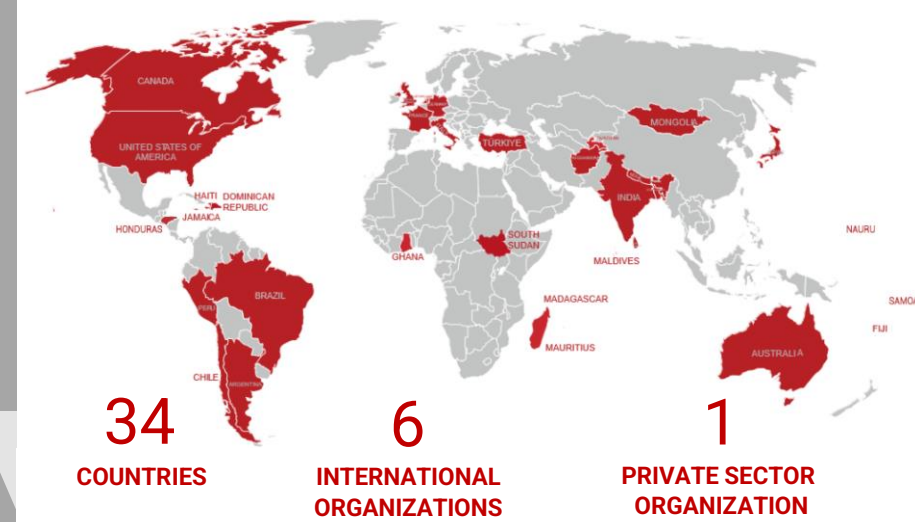
“ What we need is a global people’s movement to bring about behavioral change.....therefore India is here today to present a practical approach and roadmap. In order to make our infrastructure resilient in the face of disasters, India is launching a Coalition for Disaster Resilient Infrastructure. I invite all member states to join this Coalition. ”



Shri Narendra Modi
Hon. Prime Minister of India

Coalition Membership and Governance

	AFGHANISTAN		GERMANY		MONGOLIA
	ARGENTINA		GHANA		NAURU
	AUSTRALIA		HAITI		NEPAL
	BANGLADESH		HONDURAS		NETHERLANDS
	BHUTAN		INDIA		PERU
	BRAZIL		ITALY		SAMOA
	CANADA		JAMAICA		SOUTH SUDAN
	CHILE		JAPAN		SRI LANKA
	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		MALDIVES		TAJIKISTAN
	FIJI		MADAGASCAR		TÜRKIYE
	FRANCE		MAURITIUS		UNITED KINGDOM
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1. Asian Development Bank (ADB)
2. European Union
3. The Private Sector Alliance for Disaster Resilient Societies
4. United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)
5. United Nations Office for Disaster Risk Reduction (UNDRR)
6. World Bank Group
7. European Investment Bank (EIB)

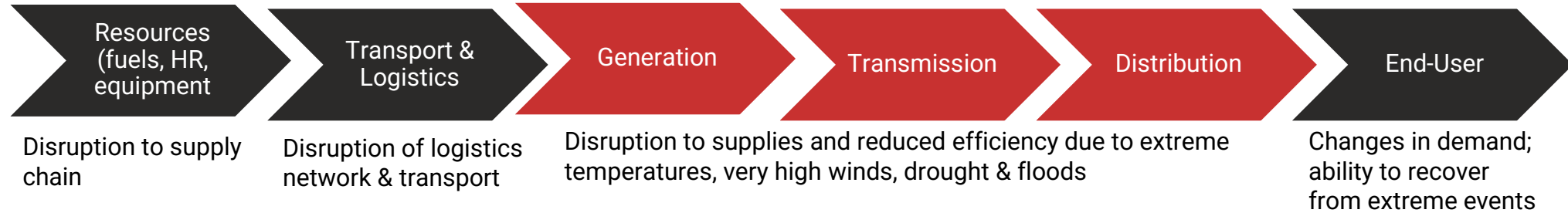
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Executive Committee (representatives from select constituencies)

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The increased frequency, severity, and impact of physical events highlight the growing concerns facing energy production, distribution & critical infrastructure



Overview- Disaster & impact on community, critical power infra & economy



Cyclone Fani, India (2019)

Economic Impact- \$ 9 billion



Cyclone Winston, Fiji (2017)

Economic Impact- \$ 1.3 bn (31% GDP)



Hurricane Maria, Puerto Rico (2017)

Economic Impact- \$ 91 billion



Superstorm Sandy, USA

Economic Impact- \$ 65 billion

Annual economic losses in Pacific SIDS- **\$ 1 Bn--5%** of combined GDP- World Risk Index 2021

40 % ↑ no. of disasters during 2015-2030- GARR 2022

Economic Impact on developing countries-

Pvt Sector Sale Losses of **\$ 82 Bn per year**

Household losses- **\$ 2.3 bn -190 Bn per year**

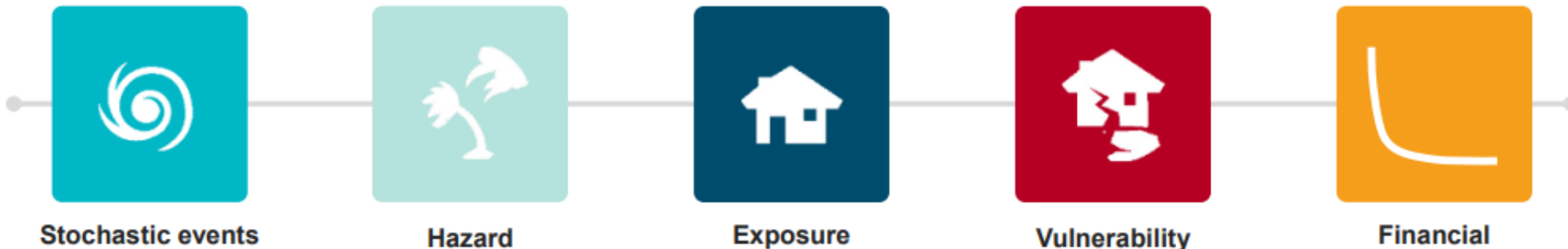
Stronger Power, World Bank 2019

Dynamic trends-

- **Risks are driving system design and adaptation** in warped and critical ways
- Interactions across **multi-jurisdictional and subsystems critical**
- **Overcoming:** System vulnerabilities, Supply chain vulnerabilities, Resource vulnerabilities, and Market vulnerabilities
- **Integrating equity** considerations requires new questions, linkages, and supports

Things to consider-

- Where in my network is at greatest risk?
- What infrastructure should be prioritized for hardening? How much downtime can be expected for critical infrastructure?
- How to conduct criticality analysis: Target investment where it matters most? How should it be invested?
- What changes call for shifting perspectives in order to broaden our perspectives?

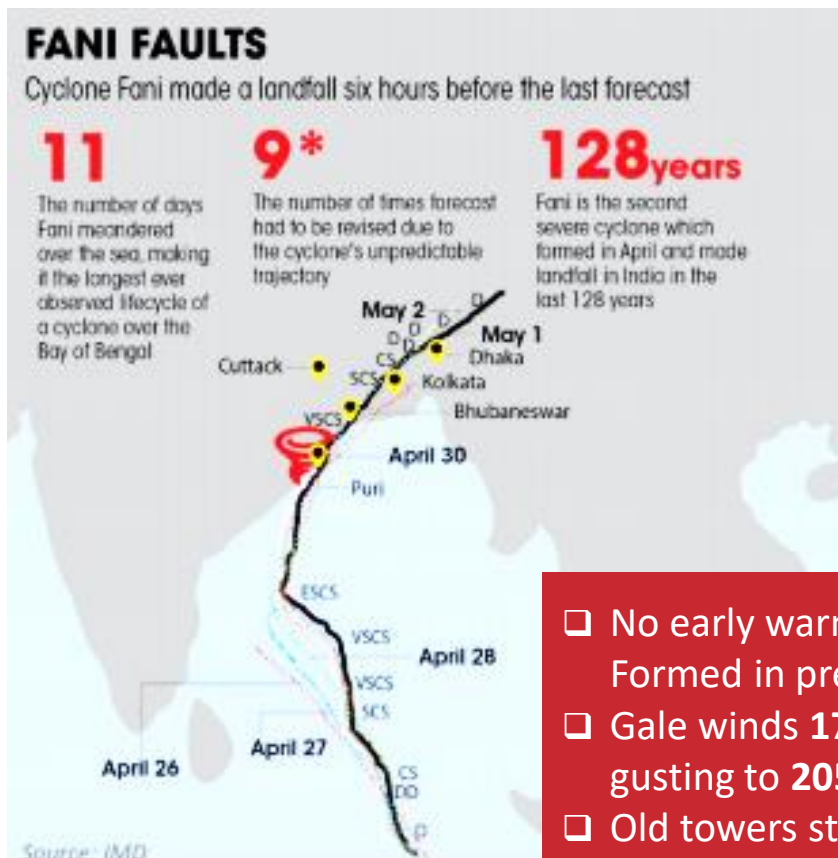


Case Study-Cyclone Fani: Impact on Odisha power infra



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Damage to power infrastructure: INR 8,139 Crs (USD 1.2 Bn)

Transmission (440, 220 and 132kV)

- 116 towers
- 2 Grids and 250 km lines

Distribution (33kV, 11kV and LT)

- 2.2 lakh poles
- 1.1 lakh km lines
- 12,064 Transformers

Estimated revenue loss: INR 254 Crs (USD 36 Mn)

Electricity consumers impacted: 4.63 Mn

- ❑ No early warning indicator- Formed in pre-monsoon (April)
- ❑ Gale winds **175-185 kmph**; gusting to **205 kmph**
- ❑ Old towers standards not upgraded to the above wind speed
- ❑ High winds and torrential rains in Puri & Bhubaneswar

- ❑ Major damage to distribution infrastructure, transmission impact was limited
- ❑ Power disruption to critical consumers like hospitals, water pumps, state dept. offices
- ❑ Clogged roads and highways due to fallen trees, electricity poles, and lines



Case Study/Project- Towards Resilient Power Infrastructure in Odisha



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Component I: Disaster preparedness and management

- Preparedness and survival
- Recovery and reconstruction
- Social and community resilience

Component II: Risk mapping and improvement of infrastructure

- Risk identification and estimation
- Codes, standards, design and regulation
- Technology and innovation

Component III: Institutional capacity and financing for resilience

- Risk based governance and policy development
- Financing resilience and adaptation
- Capacity mapping and development, and knowledge management

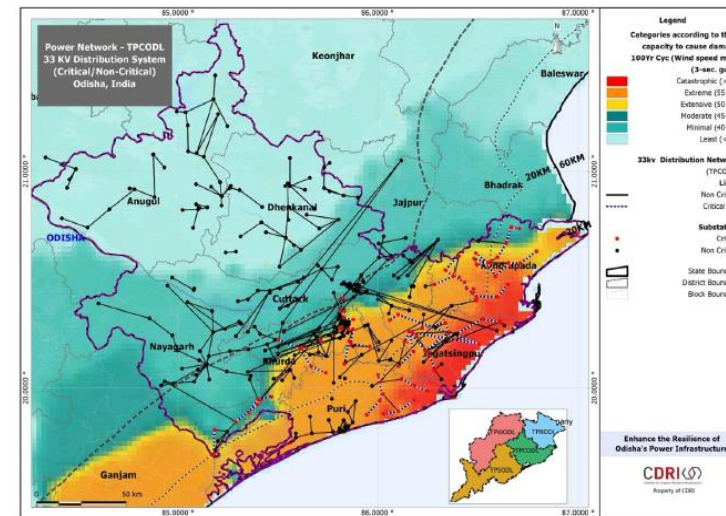
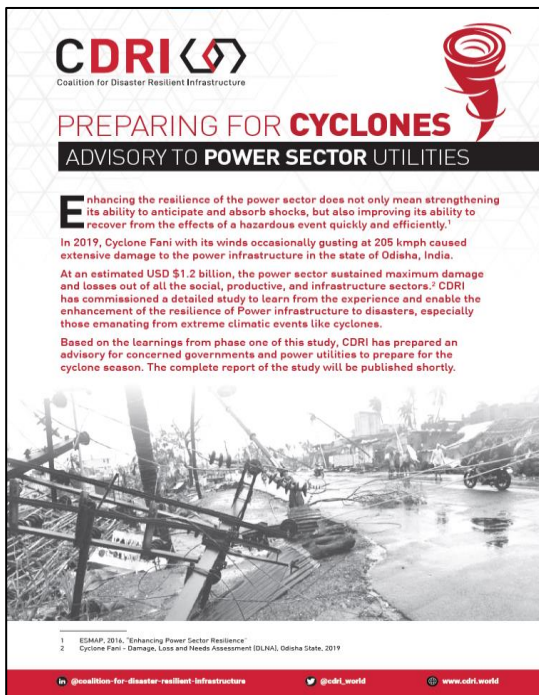
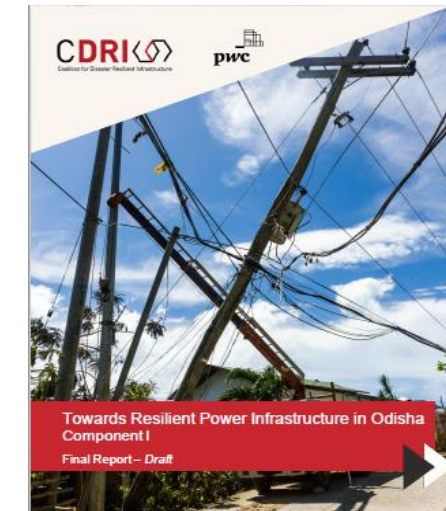


Figure 51 TPCODL 33 kV system Map: Critical / Non-Critical (100 year return period – 3 sec gust speed)



KEY TAKEAWAYS / RECOMMENDATIONS



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Strengthen infra- resilience governance

Improve outcomes

Create comprehensive
roadmaps

Integrate Resilience

Tool to support
legislations & regulations

Risk Assessment & Resilience Planning

Identify & manage risks.

Update & Introduce
regulations/codes/std

Adopt whole of system
approach

Align outcomes for
regulators/utility/Owners

Improve data collection and sharing

Integrate disaster & climate
risk into the maps

Equitable access &
standardize natural
hazards/climate risk data &
EWS

Adequate financing mechanism

Incorporate resilience
risk into infrastructure
investment

Adequate financing

Develop tools to justify
resilience's economic
benefits that outweigh
its costs.

Capacity Building

Support knowledge
development /building
capacity of local
institutions

Develop capacity for
interpreting climate
and disaster risk for
infrastructure

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