

Climate Change & Inequality

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Climate Inequality

- Emissions Inequality
- Impact Inequality
- Inequality in Response and Recovery

Climate Negotiation

- Emissions Reduction
- Climate Finance
 - Adaptation
 - Mitigation
 - Loss and Damage

Emissions Inequality

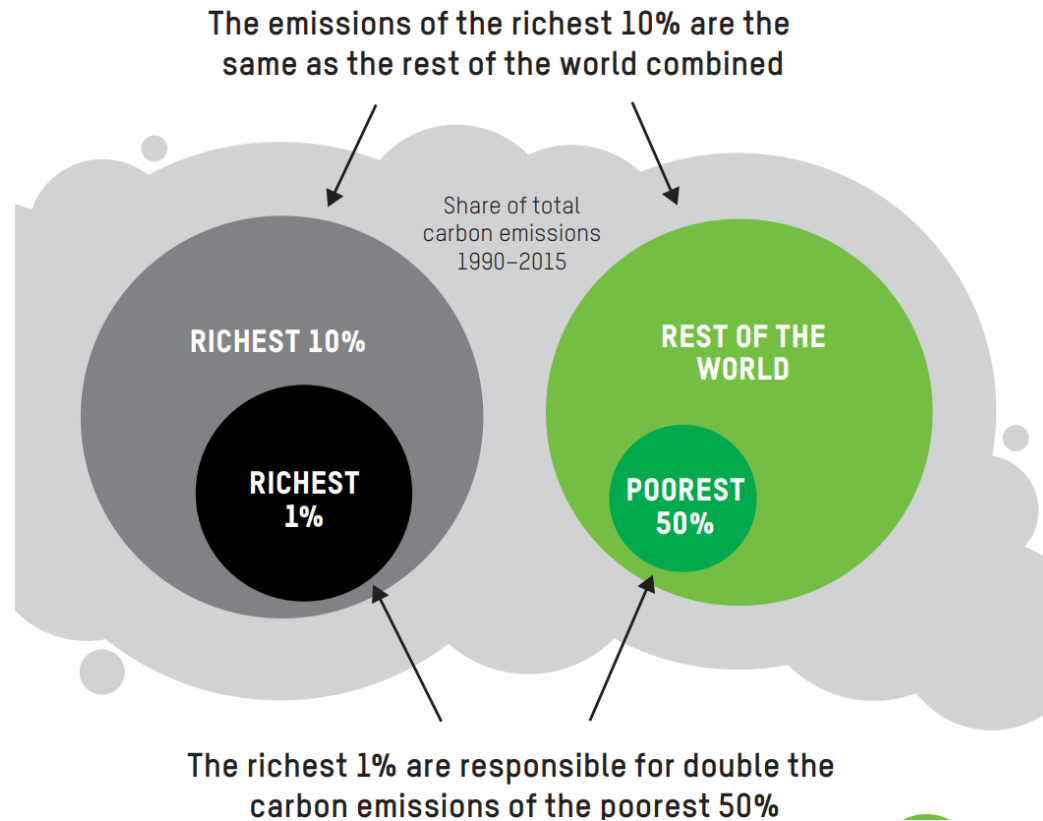
**We are not all equally
responsible for the
climate crisis.**

The Global North is responsible for 92% of excess emissions, and for 92% of climate damages.

Responsibility for climate breakdown



This is looking at cumulative historical emissions as well as per capita emissions.



The richest 10% would alone deplete the remaining carbon budget for 1.5C in the next 9 years!

Impact Inequality

**We are all impacted.
But we are not impacted
equally.**

**The poorest, people least
responsible for the crisis,
suffer the most.**

**Women, people of color,
indigenous communities,
are hardest hit.**

Inequality in Response and Recovery

**Not everyone has the
same capacity to
respond.**

**Adaptation and recovery
requires finance.**

**Without adequate
finance, the climate crisis
will increase poverty and
inequality.**

**Our economic system is
killing people and the
planet.**

**To address the climate
crisis, we need to tackle
inequality.**

How do we make progress?

**Solutions should be
based on justice and
fairness.**

Common but Differentiated Responsibilities and Respective Capabilities

Emissions reduction – limiting warming to 1.5C

**Who needs to cut first
and most? Who should
use the remaining carbon
budget?**

**Who is going to finance
developing countries to
transition to a low-
carbon economy?**

**Who is going to finance
developing countries to
adapt?**

**Who is going to finance
the damages and losses
experienced by poor
countries?**

Thank you.



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