



Survey of REDD projects in Central Africa Etude des projets REDD en Afrique Centrale

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1) General description / Description générale

Project name / Nom du projet:

Building the foundations for success; ensuring community participation is at the heart of REDD

Domain of activity / Domaine d'activité

(n answers possible, if possible sorted by priority 1= highest priority
plusieurs réponses possibles, si possible par priorité 1= plus haute priorité)

Monitoring of forest cover (deforestation and degradation) Suivi du couvert forestier (déforestation et dégradation)	
Assessment of carbon stocks Mesures des stocks de carbone	
Forest dynamics Dynamique forestière	
Modelling of forest dynamics (including reference scenario) Modélisation des dynamiques forestières (dont scénario de référence)	
Political and institutional context Contexte Institutionnel et Politique	1
Capacity-building and technology transfer Renforcement des capacités nationales et transfert de technologie.	
Promotion of participation of local communities Promotion de la participation des communautés locales	1
Field Project with REDD potential (project generating emission reduction from Deforestation and Degradation without an MRV component) Projet de terrain ayant un potentiel REDD (projet permettant la réduction des GES liées à la déforestation et la dégradation sans composante MRV)	
REDD Pilot Project (project aiming to generate measurable and verifiable GHG emissions reduction from deforestation and forest degradation) Projet Pilote REDD (projet visant la réduction mesurable et vérifiable des émissions de GES liés à la déforestation et à la dégradation forestière)	

General objective / Objectif général

The super objective of the project is to ensure that local peoples' rights in Congo Basin are guaranteed within a forest climate regime

Specific objectives / Objectifs spécifiques

The specific goal is to ensure that REDD decisions affecting Congo Basin countries benefit forest communities and lead to improved forest governance and sustainable forest use

Region of interest / Région d'intérêt

5 Congo Basing countries: Cameroon; Central African Republic (RCA); Republic of Congo (RoC); Democratic Republic of Congo (RDC) and Gabon

Budget

1,625,439 EUR

2) Partners / Partenaires

(Institution, contact person, email)

Project leader / Leader du projet

Institutional Name	Stichting FERN
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Technical and political and scientific partners / Partenaires techniques et scientifiques

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Institutional Name	Organisation concertée des écologistes et amis de la nature (OCEAN)
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Institutional partners (COMIFAC countries) / Partenaires institutionnels (Pays COMIFAC)

Financial partners / Partenaires financiers

3) Earth Observation component / Composante d'Observation de la terre

This part aims at identifying the characteristics of the Earth observation component if there is one. Leave it blank if it not the case.

Cette partie veut identifier les caractéristiques de la composante d'observation de la terre, s'il y en a une. Ne remplissez pas cette partie si ce n'est pas le cas.

Data used / données utilisées

Dataset Données	Sensor / capteur Radar/optical/lidar...	Resolution	Coverage Couverture	Time & frequency Date et fréquence	Quality / qualité (good-medium- bad)	Accessibility (free access- with conditions – restricted)

Methods / Méthodes

(short description on sampling, classification methods... / description de l'échantillonnage, des méthodes de classification...)

Expected results / résultats attendus

(short description of products, parameters measured, frequency, expected accuracy..

Courte description des produits, paramètres mesurés, fréquence, précision attendue...))

Validation

(short description of validation protocols, reference data... / courte description des protocoles de validation et des données de référence)

4) Ground component / Composante sol

Parameters collected / paramètres collectés

(list of parameters with short description of collection method / liste des paramètres collectés avec une courte description des méthodes de collecte)

Sampling strategy / Stratégie d'échantillonnage

Statistical analysis / Analyse statistique

5) Integration Earth Observation - ground / Intégration Télédétection-sol

Integration methods / Méthodes d'intégration

(assimilation models, statistical models...)

Final products / Produits finaux

(estimation de biomasse, de flux de carbone, de flux financiers...)

Validation

(short description of validation protocols, reference data...)

6) Political component / Composante politique

Beneficiaries / Bénéficiaires

(REDD focal points, forest services, monitoring services, local communities... / points focaux REDD, services forestiers, services de suivi, communautés locales...)

The main stakeholders and principal partners are the 5 national NGOs partners of the project. Through this project, these organisations will gain expertise on REDD-related issues and processes; develop contacts with other organisations working on REDD; and get resources and support to improve their operational capacities and participate in all REDD processes.

Key beneficiaries of the project are local NGOs in the five Congo Basin countries. The partners in this consortium will work towards strengthening the capacity of other local NGOs, indigenous organisations and local leaders to assert their rights, present demands to their governments and use the REDD process to improve their status nationally.

The final beneficiaries will be local communities and the rural poor in the five Congo Basin countries. By establishing strong REDD programmes that recognise their rights, forests stand most chance of being protected and of maximising income for communities

Theme / thème

(Negotiation, reporting, monitoring, retrocession of payment... / négociation, reporting, suivi, distribution des bénéfices)

Negotiation: effective civil society participation in national, regional and international REDD debates

Type of action

(training, awareness-raising, field project, demonstration project, development of economic alternatives to deforestation and/or degradation, political study... / formation, sensibilisation, projet de terrain, projet de démonstration, développement d'alternatives à la deforestation et degradation, étude politique)

- **Facilitating and supporting national NGOs in their understanding of REDD through exchange of information, field visits, coaching, provision of briefing papers and 5 advocacy workshops**
- **Conducting specific country and regional related research on REDD to share with national NGOs**
- **Publishing practical guidelines on REDD, governance, rights and carbon to inform all stakeholders eg. politicians, government officials, media, academics.**
- **Facilitating networks at national and regional level through exchange of information, network meetings, e-list discussions, coaching, etc.**
- **Participating in national, regional and international REDD debates**
- **Advocacy work to ensure proper REDD consultation processes with stake- and rights holders**
- **Monitoring of the consultation dynamics of the different REDD schemes on basis of a set of key criteria**

7) Capacity Building activities

Trainings delivered

(theme, beneficiaries, location, date, duration, frequency / thèmes, bénéficiaires, lieu, date, durée, fréquence)

The project is to start in 2010

Workshop organized

(theme, beneficiaries, location, date, duration, frequency / thèmes, bénéficiaires, lieu, date, durée, fréquence)

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Support Provided for the organisation of local communities and/or local project management institutions

(Types of institutions created, structure and modus operandi, legal status, contractual arrangement and benefits sharing agreement / Types d'institutions créées structure et modes opérationnels, statut legal, accord contractuels et accord sur le partage des benefices)

The project is to start in 2010

Potential support in training/capacity building activities organized by others

The project is to start in 2010

8) General Details (For REDD Pilot Projects Only /Pour projets pilotes REDD seulement)

Pays	
Surface	ha
Type de certification (MDP, VCS, ...)	

tURCE/VER générées	
Date de début du projet	
Méthodologie utilisée	
Période de comptabilisation	
Coûts d'investissement (hors composante carbone)	Si disponible
% fonds propre	Si disponible
% dette	Si disponible
Revenus carbone	Si disponible
Delta TIR	Si disponible
Promoteur	Si disponible
Financeur	Si disponible

9) Publications

List of publications or reports available in or relevant for the project – please send a digital copy of the public documents for publication on the OFAC web site

Liste des publications ou rapports disponibles dans le projet – envoyez une copie digitale des documents publics pour mise à disposition sur le site de OFAC)

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10) Free comments / Commentaires libres

(including what you expect from this survey / incluant ce que vous attendez de cette enquête)