



Forest Carbon Partnership Facility

FMT's Report: Progress since PC11 & Targets for PC13

Twelfth Meeting of the Participants Committee (PC12)

Santa Marta, Colombia

June 27-29, 2012

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1. Country Implementation Support and Advisory Services
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3. Multiple Delivery Partner Arrangement
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Country Implementation Support & Advisory Services (1)

- Achieved since inception

- Grant allocations to countries: \$85 million (cumulative)
- Grants signed with countries: \$27.9 million (cumulative)
- Grants disbursed to countries: \$4.9 million (cumulative)

- Achieved since PC11 (cumulative)

- Mid-term progress report submitted: 1 (1)
 - DRC
- Readiness Preparation grant agreement signed: 1 (6)
 - Liberia
- R-PP presented for formal assessment: 1 + 1 (24 + 1)
 - Nicaragua + *Burkina Faso*
- R-PP presented for informal discussion: 1 (28 + 1)
 - El Salvador

- More details in the Dashboard [[Access the Dashboard here](#)]

Country Implementation Support & Advisory Services (2)

- Target before PC13 (cumulative)
 - Mid-term progress report submitted: 0 (1)
 - Readiness Preparation grant agreement signed: 2 (8)
 - Costa Rica, Vietnam
 - R-PP presented for formal assessment: 1 (25)
 - El Salvador
 - R-PP presented for informal discussion: 2 (30)
 - Cameroon, Chile
- Proposal to PC on information & capacity building

Country Implementation Support & Advisory Services (3)

- Achieved since PC11 (examples)

- Cameroon

- Missions to unlock R-PP formulation, foster stakeholder dialogue and prepare a national multi-stakeholder validation workshop on the draft R-PP

- Chile

- Support to R-PP formulation, including initial dialogue with stakeholders in Araucanía

- Colombia

- Dissemination of SESA roadmap and R-PP v.6 integrating stakeholder comments
- Dialogue with Afro-Colombians, Indigenous Peoples, campesinos, and CSOs

- Colombia & DRC

- Guidance on cost assessment framework for demonstration activities

- Congo Basin

- Study on future drivers of deforestation, with detailed sector reports (draft)

- Costa Rica

- Expert workshop to discuss development of national MRV system

- DRC

- Preparation of mid-term progress report

Country Implementation Support & Advisory Services (4)

- Achieved since PC11 (examples)
 - El Salvador
 - Support to R-PP formulation
 - Mexico
 - Strengthening communications on REDD+
 - Support to national feedback and grievance redress mechanism
 - Mozambique
 - Workshop to discuss the national legal framework for REDD+
 - Nepal
 - Technical assistance to finalize TOR for REL and MRV, as per grant agreement
 - Suriname
 - UNDP scoping mission
 - Thailand
 - Support to R-PP formulation
 - Vietnam
 - Structure FCPF grant funding to maximize synergy with other initiatives
 - Technical assistance for early development of ER program ideas

Country Implementation Support & Advisory Services (5)

- A Lesson emerging: Information & capacity building needs are huge
 - Indigenous Peoples and local forest communities want to be involved but the information is not reaching the grassroots fast enough, and they place increasing requests on governments and Delivery Partners
 - Governments and Delivery Partners are short-staffed and lack money
- These needs must be attended early on in the REDD+ design

Country Implementation Support & Advisory Services (6)

- Possible ways forward:

- Financial aspects:

- Seek bilateral donor support for specific needs in countries where they can intervene (or even more broadly if possible) → ad hoc discussions at country level and/or more organized matching of needs with resources
 - Allocation of FCPF Readiness Fund proceeds to complement country grants
 - Use of part of IP and CSO capacity building programs
 - New donor contributions targeted at capacity building (through FCPF or not)

- Human capacity aspects:

- Rely to a large extent on indigenous and community leaders/experts to “push information down” to the grassroots

- Procedural aspects:

- These resources ought to be as flexible as possible to address needs where and when they arise

- Proposal to PC13

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REDD+ Methodology Support

- Achieved since PC11

- 5 video-conferences on R-Package

- Interactive exchange with 20 countries on R-Package to advance discussion between PC meetings

- 3 regional video-conference south-south exchanges

- Exchange among 15 countries on early ideas and lessons learned on benefit sharing

- Methodological framework and pricing approach for Carbon Fund

- Working Group recommendations [\[Access WG page here\]](#)

- Participation in Global Forest Observation Initiative (GFOI)

- Advise GFOI to enhance strategic alignment with REDD country MRV efforts
 - Membership in advisory group to develop methodological guidance documents
 - Hosted GFOI committee of advisors at World Bank (May 2012)

- Target before PC13

- Exchanges on the key components of the future Emission Reductions Payment Agreement (ERPA) for the Carbon Fund

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Multiple Delivery Partners

- Achieved since PC11

- FAO

- Information exchange with Indigenous Peoples of Africa

- IDB

- Transfer Agreement negotiations completed
 - IDB Board approval expected on August 23, 2012 (tentative)
 - Ongoing dialogue with Guatemala, Guyana and Peru

- UNDP

- Transfer Agreement negotiations being finalized
 - Ongoing dialogue with Cambodia, Honduras and Suriname. First scoping mission to Suriname undertaken

- Target before PC13

- IDB

- Transfer Agreement signature end August 2012

- UNDP

- Transfer Agreement signature in July 2012

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Dialogues with Forest-Dependent People

- Achieved since PC11

- Pan Africa Dialogue of Indigenous Peoples on FCPF
- Country-level exchanges (examples)
 - Cameroon
 - Colombia
 - Mexico

- Target before PC13

- Dialogue of Indigenous Peoples from Meso-America, South America and the Caribbean on FCPF (Lima, August 1-3)
- Asia Dialogue of Indigenous Peoples on FCPF (Chiang Mai, September 24-28)

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Knowledge Management & Communications (1)

- Achieved since PC11 (examples)
 - New website designed + documents catalogued
 - Communications specialist selected
 - Carbon Fund brochure published [\[Access brochure here\]](#)
 - Quarterly newsletter on REDD+ Latin America [\[Access newsletter here\]](#)
 - PES lessons for REDD+ published (co-financed by PROFOR) [\[Access report here\]](#)
 - Lessons learned from community forestry & REDD+ in Brazil and exchange with Africa (co-financed by GEF) [\[Access report here\]](#)
 - Guidelines on stakeholder engagement finalized (with UN-REDD) [\[Access here\]](#)
 - Revamped FCPF Facebook page [\[Access page here\]](#)
 - Created FCPF Twitter account
 - Article published in Environment Matters on impact of Rio 1992 summit on forestry at the World Bank
 - Rio+20 Brief on a vision for the future of forestry at the World Bank [\[Access here\]](#)

Knowledge Management & Communications (2)

- Target before PC13
 - New website operational
 - Communications specialist on board
 - Annual Report published
 - Study on future drivers of deforestation presented
 - Additional brochures /material on R-Package, carbon finance, Methodological Framework, reference levels

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Resource Mobilization for FCPF and Beyond

- **New contributions to FCPF since PC11**
 - Australia (commitment): \$6.3 million (RF) + \$5.6 million (CF)
 - Canada (commitment): \$5 million (CF)
 - United States (pledge): \$4 million (RF) + \$4 million (CF)
- **Bilateral support for country work complementing FCPF (examples)**
 - **Colombia**
 - Support from USAID's FCMC
 - **Ethiopia**
 - Norway's NICFI & UK DFID topping up FCPF funds for R-PP execution
 - **Ghana**
 - Switzerland's support to pilot demonstration projects identified in the R-PP, and development of benefit sharing mechanism
 - **Honduras, Guatemala, Nicaragua**
 - Support from Germany's GIZ for R-PP formulation/improvement
 - **Vanuatu**
 - Support from Germany's GIZ for R-PP formulation and presence of focal point at PC12²⁰

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Other

- Achieved since PC11

- Management response to World Bank's IEG review of FCPF

- Quality of independent evaluation of FCPF
 - Performance of the World Bank in the partnership
 - Relevance of FCPF

- Target for PC13

- IEG review

- Discussion between Management and IEG
 - World Bank Board's Committee on Development Effectiveness (CODE) informed
 - IEG review published

- Draft FCPF monitoring framework (Readiness Fund + Carbon Fund)



Gracias

Merci

Thank you

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