



Forest Carbon Partnership Facility

Madagascar: REDD+ Readiness Process

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Madagascar's Commitment to Global Goals

- NDC: 14% reduction and 32% increase in sequestration compared to BAU
 - LUUCF sector: 61 MTCO₂ ER's – REDD+ is a priority
- FREL submitted to UNFCCC, under revision based on feedback received
- Committed to implementation of CITES action plan for protection of rosewood
- National REDD+ Strategy – First Draft under revision

World Bank Support to Forest Sector in Madagascar

- FCPF support builds on a strong partnership in forests and sustainable agriculture:
 - Sustainable Agriculture Through a Landscape Approach (PADAP) project: \$107 million
 - 3 Ministries (Agriculture, Environment, and Water)
 - Development Partners: World Bank, GEF, AFD
 - WB support to GoM for the implementation of their rosewood/CITES action plan
 - WB has supported GoM for two decades through Environmental Programs 1, 2 and 3, supporting Madagascar's Protected Areas

Update on Grant Monitoring and Reporting

- Component 1:
 - BNCR effectively and transparently leading multi-stakeholder REDD+ readiness process, including ER-Program design process
 - 2 regional platforms operational
 - Multi-stakeholder working groups on key issues (MRV, REL, safeguards)
 - Inter-ministerial coordination on design of structure for results-based payments

Update on Grant Monitoring and Reporting

- Component 2:
 - Most major studies complete; two additional eco-region specific studies underway, benefit-sharing mechanism study nearly finalized
 - SESA complete
 - ESMF complete, under review by WB Safeguards team along with 2 other frameworks: Process Framework, Resettlement Policy Framework
 - FGRM designed, under revision based on stakeholder feedback – final version will be nationally validated in coming months
 - Advanced Draft ER-PD submitted, under TAP review

Update on Grant Monitoring and Reporting

- Component 3:
 - National REL under revision after first submission to UNFCCC
 - ER-Program REL complete, under TAP review
 - Monitoring system (including carbon, non-carbon benefits, and safeguards) design currently being refined
 - NFMS being finalized, includes govt and non-govt partnerships (BNCCC and WRI)
 - Laboratoire Geomatique is operational – reflects a partnership between BNCR and BNCCC – responsible for national reporting to UNFCCC

FCPF Implementation Status: as of June 30, 2017

FCPF US \$3.8M Grant	FCPF US\$ 5M Grant
<p>Disbursement Summary: US\$ 3.2M/100% committed</p>	<p>Grant effective disbursement pending delivery of \$3.8.</p>
<p>Supporting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Capacity Development of BNCR as manager of readiness process- Multi-stakeholder platform engagement (National/Regional)- Preparation of safeguards instruments- Forest inventories for 2 ecoregions- ERPD prep support	<p>Supporting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Institutional arrangements for implementation (focus on regions)- NFMS- Development of strategic options to address drivers- National REL development- Forest inventories for 2 add'l ecoregions- ERPD implementation support

WB Task Team assessment

- World Bank Task Team believes the R-Package meets the FCPF readiness criteria and fully aligned with WB engagement strategy in MDG
- Readiness process demonstrates immense progress in the development of a strong multi-stakeholder engagement in all elements of the REDD+ program design process
- Madagascar has effectively managed its readiness process to prepare for and design its ER-Program, which is in an advanced stage of design



THANK YOU!

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