Challenges of Managing a National REDD+ Program: Indonesia's Experience

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Indonesian REDD+: brief history, road map and architecture

REDD in Indonesia: brief history

- 2007: 'quick studies' Indonesia Forest Climate Alliance (IFCA) → IFCA Consolidated Report, MoF 2008,
- 2008: establishment of "REDD+ architecture" dan "Readiness Strategy / REDDI Framework" (2009-2012)
- 2009: start the "Readiness Strategy" (prepare policy to address drivers of DD, regulation, REL/RL, MRV system, incentive distribution mechanism, REDD+ WG, DA/Pilot Activities) → the strategy 's integrated with awareness raising, capacity building, stakeholders' involvement)
- 2010: establishment of REDD+ Task Force under UKP4, and establishment of units under Ministries (e.g. MoF, MoE) with CC-related tasks

REDD+ in Indonesia

Phase-based approach :

- preparation: 2007-2008 (identification of current status of the scientific based, REDD-supported policy)
- readiness: 2009-2012 (testing period, strengthen scientific base and policy support, set REDD-related regulations, pilot projects
- **full implementation**: depending on Indonesia readiness and COP-decision
- National approach with sub-national implementation

Institutions involved in REDD+:

- REDD+ National Task Force
- National Development Planning Agency (BAPPENAS)
- National Council on Climate Change (DNPI)
- Ministry of Forestry
- Ministry of Environment
- Ministry of Finance
- Ministry of Agriculture
- Min. of Energy and Mineral Resources
- Bakosurtanal, LAPAN
- Local Government (Provincial & District)
- REDD+ local institutions (WG, task forces, etc.)

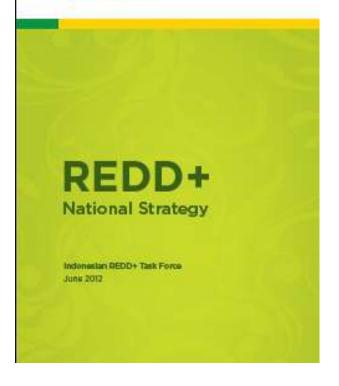


REDD + Indonesia Architecture MoFor, MoAgr, MRV institution : Financial institution: ESDM, BPN, Local National REDD+ Task National REDD+ Task Government, Force, Force MoFor, Local • Technical/methodolo -Regulations: MoFin & Government gical aspects: MoFor., MoFor LAPAN, BAKOSURTANAL Demonstration Activities, Result-based actions **Policy** Interventions **MRV** Distribution REL/RL (Benefits & Awareness raising Responsibilities) **Capacity building** Access to data Addressing drivers of DD in 5 Access to technology **REDD+ Guidelines** landscapes: Stakeholder **REDD+** Production forest, communications/ **National Strategy** participations Protected areas (Conservation **National REDD+ Agency**

Safeguards (governance, social and environmental)

- Protected areas (Conservation forest and Protection forest),
- Timber plantation,
- Peat land, other forested land
- Oil palm plantation (related to LUC)





Status Overview of Indonesia REDD+ National Strategy

Indonesia National Strategy on REDD+

- Preparation of National REDD+ Strategy was coordinated by National Development Planning Agency (BAPPENAS), prepared by REDD+ National Task Force
- The process involved an intensive multi-stakeholder consultation
- Final document published in June 2012, through a decree issued by the head of the REDD+ Task Force (SK No. 02/SATGAS REDD+/09/2012)
- Some drivers of deforestation and forest degradation were identified, for example: poor spatial planning, conflict in tenurial/access rights, ineffective forest management, inconsistency in sectoral policies, and lack of compliance to laws/weak law enforcement.



Indonesia National Strategy on REDD+

- Recognize the necessity of reforms in the land use sector planning, related regulations and their enforcement within a climate-friendly legal framework,
- Recognize the importance of stakeholder involvement in keeping good governance principles (transparency, participation and accountability) at different processes, particularly the potentially affected people and vulnerable groups,
- Serve as a guideline for the development of sub-national REDD+ action plans as integral parts of the national action plan
- Be treated as a 'living' document to allow adjustments whenever necessary along with progress in UNFCCC negotiations and national efforts.

REDD+ framework with 5 pillars

to facilitate the achievement of long-term goals



- REDD+ Agency
- Funding Instrument
- MRV Institution
 - Measurement
 - Reporting
 - Verification

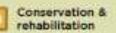


Legal and Regulatory Frameworks

- Review land rights and accelerate spatial planning
- Improve law enforcement and prevent corruption
- Enforce 2 year moratorium on issuance of new permits for the exploitation of forests and peatlands
- Improve data and permit issuance systems for forests and peatlands
- Provide incentives for the private sector

Strategic

Programs



- Establish protected area function
- Control conversion of forests and peatlands
- Restore forests and rehabilitate peatlands

Sustainable agriculture, forestry & mining

- Increase agricultural and plantation productivity
- Manage forests sustainably
- Control conversion of productive land to open-cut mining
- Prevent and control fires in forests and peatlands

Sustainable management of landscapes

- Promotion of value added downstream industries
- Expansion of sustainable alternative livelihoods
- Management of multi-function landscapes

Changes to Work Paradigm. and Culture

- Strengthening of forests and land use governance
- Empowerment of local economies using sustainability principles
- National "Save Indonesia's Forests" campaign

Inclusion/ involvement of Stakeholders

- Facilitate interaction with and among stakeholders (national, regional and local governments, private sector, non-governmental organizations, indigenous and local peoples, international community)
- Develop social and environmental safeguards
- Ensure equitable benefit sharing



Emissions reduction



Increased carbon stocks



Conservation & maintenance of biodiversity



Economic growth

National Strategy →
Provincial Strategy:
Facilitation on
development of
Provincial Strategy
(by Task Force, MoF,
etc.)

(prioritized)

PEMAPARAN PERKEMBANGAN PALING SUBTANSI **AKHIR** PROSES MASALAH CURAH PENDAPAT DISKUSI KELOMPOK SUBSTANSI DAN PROSES SISTIMATIKA PEMILAHAN LAWAS (SCOPING) PENTAHAPAN PENYELESAIAN DOKUMEN SISTIMATIKA DOKUMEN DATA, INFO, NARASUMBER PARA PIHAK YANG DILIBATKAN PENGORGANISASIAN URAIAN TUGAS DAN MEKANISME KERJA JADWAL KERJA TARGET DAN TATA-WAKTU PENYELESAIAN DOKUMEN SRAP KEBUTUHAN FASILITASI SELANJUTNYA

REDD+ Implementation Elements (requirements as

COP-16 Dec.) & and Progree

Kemenhut (Planologi)

SATGAS REDD+

(1) Strategi
Nasional
atau Rencana
Aksi REDD+,
SRAP

(1)
NAT IONAL
STRATEGY/AP

(2) Penetapan NFREL/RL
yang dapat merupakan
agregasi dari FREL dan/atau
FRL Sub-nasional, bbrp
prov/kab/site sdh memiliki
REL/RI, nas: data collect,
processing n analysis, cap
buildg

(4) SIS REDD+
IMPLEMENTATION
INSTRUMENTS

(2) REL/RL

(4) SIS sesuai Kep. COP-16

Kemenhut (Pustanling)

(3) NFMS-MRV (3)Pembangunan Sistem monitoring hutan nasional (NFMS) yang robust dan transparent untuk monitoring reporting REDD+ (dan bila diperlukan subnasional), part of forest resource inventory

Kemenhut (Planologi)

REDD+ requirements – elements of Strategy

- Addressing drivers of DD
- Addressing tenurial issue, governance, gender, safeguards, stakeholders involvement, IP and local community
- Phase approach (step by step) according to situation and readiness of the country
- Demonstration Activities ('learning by doing' scaled up into 'result-based action') "every REDD+ activity/project/program will be required to measure its performance, for reporting and verification by an independet institution"

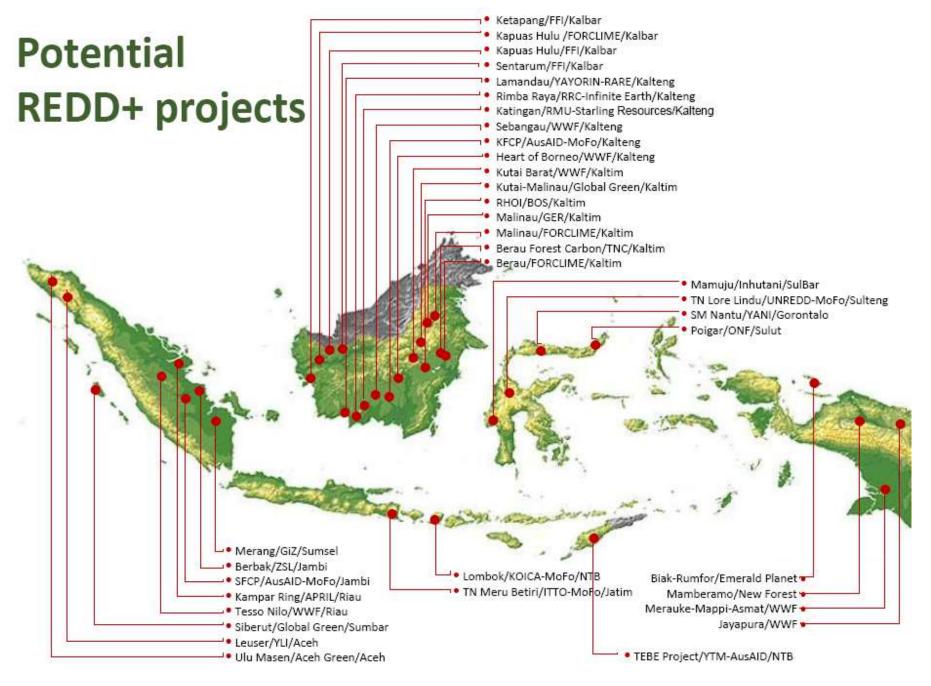
REDD+ projects, activities and subnational scale programs in the country



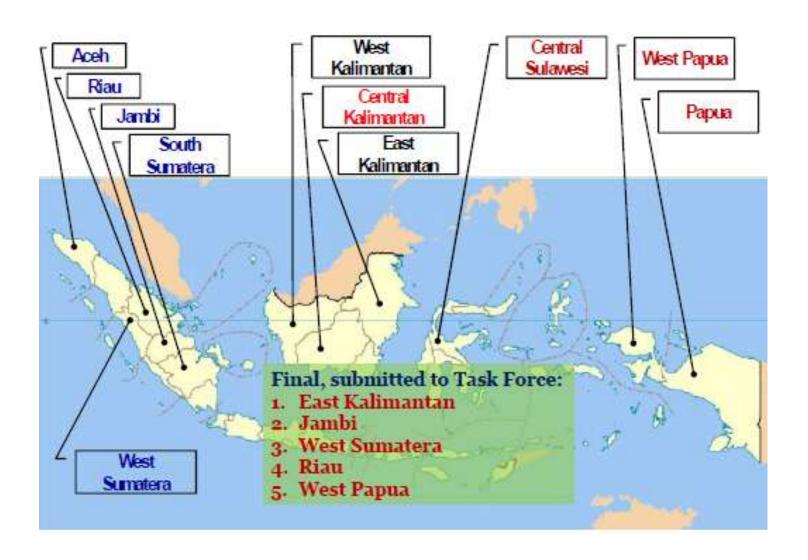








Sub-national scale: pilot & priority province



REDD+ DA/pilot in Indonesia: what they do – link to the national process

- Development of appropriate DA according to local circumstances,
- Data collection and (early) analysis for the establishment of reference emissions level (REL)/reference level (RL) and development of monitoring, reporting, and verifying (MRV) at the project/ DA level,
- Exercise on safeguards,
- Stakeholder engagement, and addressing drivers of deforestation and forest degradation at the local level.
- Diversed in approaches, scales, scope of activities and many of them were in the early stage
- Despite these diversity, the DAs provide valuable lessons useful for preparing full implementation phase of REDD+ in Indonesia, as well as for sharing lessons with other countries.
- Sharing information and lessons on REDD+ actions has been encouraged under COP decisions as well as under the global REDD+ partnership.

Diversity of pilot/DA REDD+ inIndonesia

Objectives	Status of area	Area	Funding	Periode of time	Activites
 Pengembangan proyek REDD+ pada areal kehutanan masyarakat/hutan desa Menjaga dan menggunakan ekosistem hutan dan keanekaragaman hayati scr berkelanjutan, menjaga dan merestorasi integritas ekologis ekosistem hutan melalui manajemen kolaboratif dengan masyarakat setempat Perbaikan perencanaan spasial Perbaikan community livelihood Penguatan kapasitas kelembagaan 	 Hutan Konservas i dan HL Taman Nasional Hutan Produksi (HP, HPT, HPK) Hutan Hak 	• 58.000 HA TN • 140,000 Ha TN • 86.450 Ha IUPKHHK- RE • 24.000 ha HP • 2,2 juta HA (sel. Kab.)	 USD 200,000 USD 973,388 USD 1 - 5 million USD 20 - 50 million 2 - 20 juta EUR AUD 30 million 	 5-10 tahun 12, 13, 14 tahun 30 th 60 Tahun IUPHHK- RE 	 MoU: fasilitasi pengajuan dan penetapan ijin hutan desa dan pengambangan proyek REDD+ Pelestarian hutan serta pemungutan dan pemanfaatan HH Restorasi Ekosistem Pengukuran di lapangan & Penghitungan karbon Desain kelembagaan dan tata kelola, Penguatan kelembagaan Pembuatan REL, FE Pengembangan peran masyarakat lokal dalam REDD Peningkatan kapasitas stakeholder & masyarakat (pelatihan) Peningkatan pendapatan masyarakat Pengembangan kemitraan MRV development Distribusi insentif Penanaman pada zona rehabilitas Penyiapan dokumen proyek DII.

Pilot/DA	Scopes	Activities
KFCP – Central Kalimantan (di HP)	REL/RL, MRV, Institusi, Distribusi insentif, Peningkatan kapasitas	 Est. of district govt WG Socio-economic baseline survey Tecnical and feasibility studies Community engagement
UNREDD- Central Sulawesi	Penguatan partisipasi multistakeholder dan konsensu tk nas, demonstrasi REL, MRV dan sist.pembayaran, pembangunan kapasitas utk implementasi REDD pd tk nas	 Konsensus key issues utk kebijakan REDD nasional Lessons learned REDD Program komunikasi Peningkatan kap dan desain metodologi utk carbon inventory dlm MRV REL Mekanisme pembayaran yang adil dan berimbang untuk tingkat Provinsi Toolkit untuk memaksimalkan potensi manfaat karbon dan co-benefits Penguatan stakeholders lokal
Community Carbon Pool – Ketapang & Kap. Hulu (FFI)	Pengembangan Hutan Desa, Penyusunan Rencana Kelola dan Kelembagaan, REL/RL, MRV, Institusi, Distribusi Insentif, Peningkatan kapasitas, pelibatan masy. lokal	 Survey Stok karbon hutan Survey keanekaragaman hayati Survey sosial dan konsultasi masyarakat Pengajuan ijin pencadangan hutan desa Penulisan PDD
ITTO – Meru Betiri National Park	MRV/REL, peningkatan kapasitas, pelibatan masyarakat lokal	 Review existing methodologies of resource base invent for CA, Dev SOP for field measurements Training Workshops on res based invent & CA, Remote sensing analysis Determine project boundary to facilitate measuring and mon.of carbon stocks Est. Project baseline to analyze a landuse and land cover change and the associated CC change Estimate emission reduction and enhancement stock Set up institutional system for mon forest carbon stock Enhance potential economic activiities through comm forest partnership programmes Promote community-based forest enterprise Stakeholder consultation, establish partnership for conervation of TNMB, awareness raising, etc.
BFCP – Berau (TNC)	REL/RL, MRV, Kerangka Kelembagaan, Distribusi Insentif, Peningkatan Kapasitas	 REL/RL: perhitungan perubhn land cover, perhitungan faktor emisi, penetapan wilayah acuan, rekom.proyeksi BAU MRV: Pembentukan POKJA, SC, Struktur Kelembagaan PHKB, Renstra PKHB Dis. Insentif: perumusan design skema pendanaan, pembentukan sistem manajemen pembiayaan, koord berbagai skema pendanaan, kajian opsi2 distribusi benefit atas insentif yang diperoleh dr PKHB Peningkatan kapasitas: sosialisasi, penelitian perhitungan karbon, WS REL, Lokalatih pendidikan konservasi

Challenges

for REDDI Architecture and its implementation, associated with multiple local-level projects:

"National approach with sub-national implementation" and phased-based approach:

- How to use lessons-learned from the ground?
- Will jurisdictional approach be suitable?
- How to maintain the consistency (in approach, method e.g. REL, that involves both technical and political process, MRV, what is the best system and how to make it workable ?) --> displacement antar sub-nas is tggjwb nasional
- Safeguards for REDDI how to use them reporting?
- Incentive vs disincentive ? Towards performance-based payment
- Overall, How to simplify the REDD and to make it more implementable?

How does MoF address the challenges?

Standardized approach: methodology aspect

- SNI on Carbon Accounting
- SNI DA: Guidance on DA REDD+

Institutional aspect

Development of KPH / FMU

REDD+ Safeguards

Development of SIS – REDD+

Standardized Approach: National Standards on Carbon Accounting







- SNI 7724:2011 (national standard for groundbased measurement and estimation of forest carbon stocks) and SNI 7725:2011 (devt of allometric equation to support GB forest CA)
- Methodological support for REL/RL est. and MRV system devt (integrated with other MRV initiatives, e.g. INCAS)
- Guidance for field measurement and estimation of carbon stocks at five carbon pools to support monitoring carbon stock changes with Tier 3.
- Consider/based on: relevant COP decisions, land cover classification (national & IPCC), forest Inventory principles, lessons learned dealing with nat and local/field conditions.

National Standard on DA REDD+ (SNI 7848:2012)

- Why ?
 - intl decision mandates (COP-13, COP-15, COP-16, COP-17)
 - voluntary standards (VCS, CCBS)
 - National situation (existence of DAs, challenge towards result-based actions, need guidance, request from practitioners, consider the existing regulation)
- Guidance for establishment of DA, as lessonslearned DA and/or result-based actions towards implementation of CC mitigation related to LULUCF
- Next is to be a technical regulatory
 (mandatory) promote reporting etc







Development of FMU (KPH)

- Geared towards SFM: Enhancing economic value of forest utilization
- Has the responsibility and competence for : planning, implementation & monitoring, forest protection, incorporating community needs, attracting investment and creates employment
- And: to incorporate local, national and global issues such as climate change mitigation
- Opportunities: achieving SFM, reducing forest degradation, promoting rehabilitation and reforestation, increasing benefits for the forest adjacent communities, stabilizing supply of forest products, enhancing forest governance, facilitating the entry to the carbon market
- 60 KPH Model, subjected to facilitated through FCPF

Development of SIS-REDD+

- The safeguards (together with guidance) for REDD+ implementation as in the Annex 1 of COP-16 Decision on outcome of the AWG-LCA, are conceptually logical but practically challenging
- need to translate the safeguards to enable Indonesia effectively implement them within the context of national legislation and circumstances
- MoF-Indonesia dev a system for information provision on safeguards implementation (SIS-REDD+), through stakeholders process (2011 – 2012)
- Use existing 'safeguards' (elements, instruments) and their implementation
- Progress: draft of structure is available, PCI (7, 17, 32) –
 webplatform to be exercised & tested on the REDD+ activities

Challenges on benefits (and rensponsibilities) sharing / distribution arrangements :

- Distribution covers not only benefits but also responsibilities
- Should the distribution mechanism be managed at the national, sub-national or project level?
- Most appropriate regulations to support such mechanism?
- → Has not been decided yet :
 - existing regulation has not been revised
 - need more work on procedural aspect
 - Process is still on going

summary - next challenges:

- Need more work on institutial arrangement (stage-by-stage)
- Maintain both technical & political processes, improve coordination and strenghten committment, willingness, dedication (MoF within the constraints nad complexities has done their best and progress)

e.g. on REL; MRV at different level: intl support, nat MRV, sub-nat implementation (methods, consistency, multistakeholder processes (cross cut action): awareness, understandable, agreed role and responsible); benefit-sharing, etc.

- Maintain the consistency: nat subnat, consistency /in-line with nat devt objectives & consistency across "nat govt plans"
- Accelerate the readiness of KPH, build strong leadership and willingness at local level
- Capacity building, awareness raising & outreach → harus benar-benar tepat sasaran; well-mainstreamed
- Work closely with local scientific authority optimize cap.build

terima kasih ... thank you

