



2023 GEF INTRODUCTION SEMINAR



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INTRODUCTION
SEMINAR

AGENDA

February 27

- GEF Overview
- GEF Partnership
- GEF Funding

February 28

- GEF Operations & Policies
- GEF-8 Programming

March 1

- OFP & Civil Society Support
- Small Grants Program

March 2

- Communication & Outreach
- Support for Climate Change Adaptation & Resilience



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SUPPORT FOR OFP

AGENDA

- Meet Philippines OFP, Ms. Anna Teh
- Country Engagement Strategy (CES)
- OFP Knowledge & Collaboration Platform (KCP)
- Country Factsheet
- Questions & Answers (please type your question in chat)
- Coffee break & Say hello
- GEF Portal



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GEF OPERATIONS IN THE PHILIPPINES



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PAST CHALLENGES ON PROJECT DEVELOPMENT IN THE PHILIPPINES

1

Proposals were endorsed on a “**first come, first serve**” basis

2

Submission of project proposals are **donor-driven**

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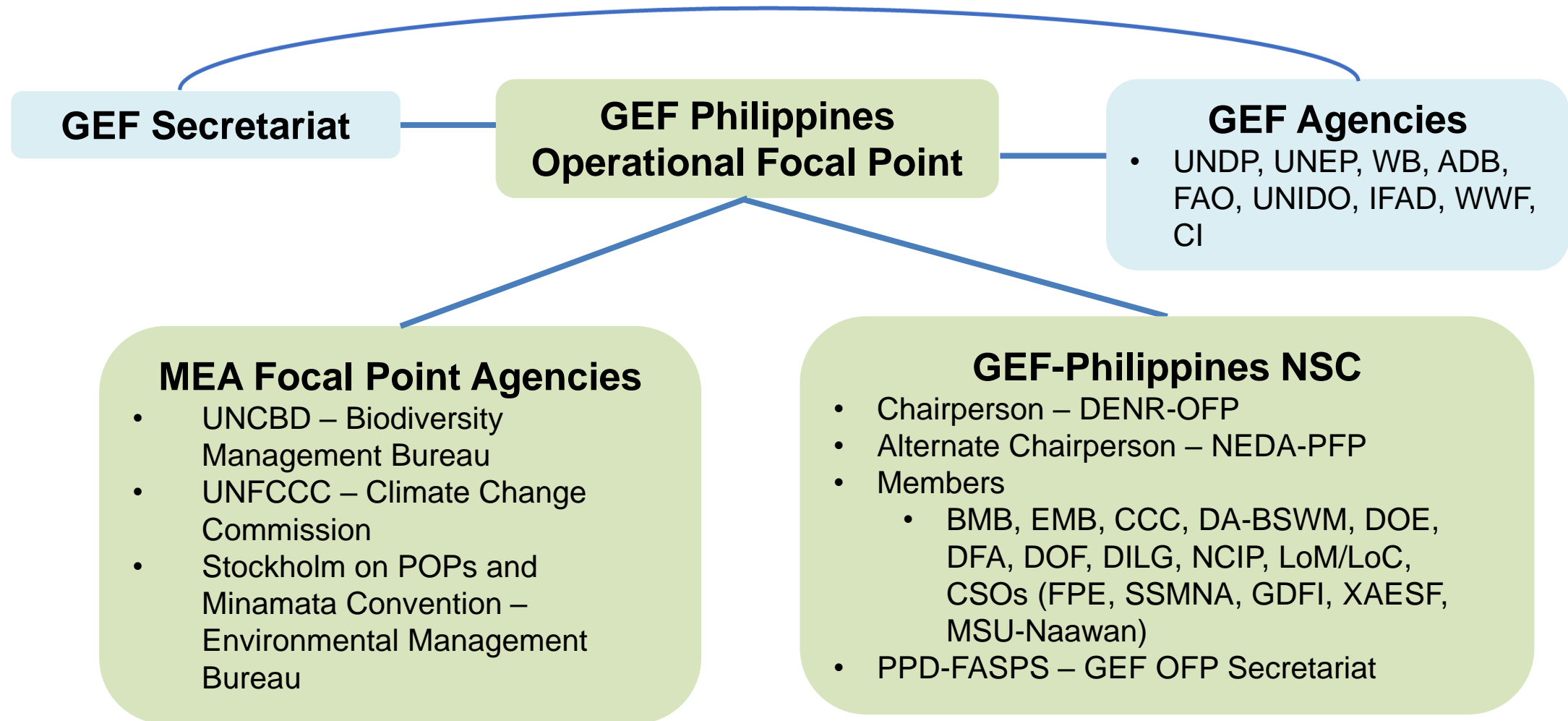
Lack of **long-term strategic direction** in the programming of resources



INITIATIVES

- Adoption of an **interagency mechanism** headed by the GEF-Operational and Political Focal Points with the Focal Point Agencies (FPAs) for Multilateral Environmental Agreements (MEA) and their respective committees
- Creation of **Technical Working Groups** comprising of the MEA focal points which review the proposals for GEF funding
- Creation of an **interim GEF National Steering Committee (NSC)** during the GEF-4 Cycle

GEF PHILIPPINES COORDINATION FRAMEWORK





Philippines' GEF National Steering Committee

Recommend policies, guidelines and resolutions that will stimulate and aid in the development and implementation of GEF supported projects

Review and endorse project proposals for subsequent endorsement of GEF OFP

Provide guidance, and recommendations for Philippines' input to GEF Council Meetings and correspondence to GEF Secretariat on the formulation, endorsement and implementation of projects

Ensure complementation between and among other offices and committees having similar functions/mandates and those implementing GEF-supported projects

Meet at least twice a year or as deemed necessary to discuss and assess overall GEF implementation status in the country

GEF NATIONAL STEERING COMMITTEE IN THE PHILIPPINES

- 1) Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) – Chairperson – GEF-OFP
- 2) National Economic and Development Authority (NEDA) – Co-Chairperson – GEF-PFP
- 3) Biodiversity Management Bureau (BMB-DENR)
- 4) Environmental Management Bureau (EMB-DENR)
- 5) Climate Change Commission (CCC)
- 6) Bureau of Soils and Water Management (BSWM)
- 7) Department of Energy (DOE)
- 8) Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG)
- 9) Department of Foreign Affairs (DFA)
- 10) Department of Finance (DOF)
- 11) National Commission on Indigenous Peoples (NCIP)
- 12) League of Cities/League of Municipalities; and
- 13) Civil Society Organizations



CSO REPRESENTATION IN THE GEF NSC

- ◆ In 2011, three (3) CSO representatives were elected to the National Steering Committee
- ◆ CSO representation in the NSC was increased to five (5) members in 2019 with the inclusion of CSOs from the three major island groups of the Philippines
- ◆ Creation of Philippines' GEF CSO Network
- ◆ Capacity building for CSOs
 - Participation to GEF-sponsored workshops, Council meetings, engagement in GEF project implementation

CSO REPRESENTATION IN THE GEF NSC

1. **Foundation for the Philippine Environment (FPE)**
2. **Save Sierra Madre Network Alliance (SSMNA)**
3. **Guiuan Development Foundation, Inc. (GDFI)**
4. **Xavier Agricultural Extension Service Foundation (XAES)**
5. **Mindanao State University – Naawan (MSU-Naawan)**

- Identification of projects;
- Implementation of specific components of approved projects;
- Co-financing projects;
- Assistance to link national and local levels
- Direct interaction with beneficiaries through outreach and consultations; and
- Provision of specialized experience and knowledge in the monitoring and evaluation of GEF projects.

INITIATIVES

Conduct of Strategic Planning and Country Dialogue (2008)

DEVELOPMENT OF GEF-PHILIPPINES COUNTRY PROGRAM

Goal

Sustainable Development with focus on poverty alleviation emphasizing on the priorities:

1. Biodiversity conservation and sustainable utilization;
2. Climate change adaptation and mitigation; and
3. Land, water and natural resources conservation, utilization and management

Principles

1. Alignment with MTPDP, MDGs and MEA obligations;
2. Convergence and synergies of focal areas including harmonization of activities and programs;
3. Optimizing available resources;
4. Good governance, particularly on the aspect of transparency, accountability, public participation, and access to justice; and
5. Sustainability of outcomes and institutionalization of approaches

Strategies

1. Capacity building;
2. Localization and replication;
3. Knowledge management including database management;
4. Interagency cooperation including cost and benefit sharing;
5. Multisectoral and stakeholder partnerships;
6. Results-based monitoring and evaluation; and
7. Mainstreaming into operations, policies and institutions

INITIATIVES

ASSESSMENT OF
GEF-4 AND GEF-5
IMPLEMENTATION
IN THE PHILIPPINES
2006-2014

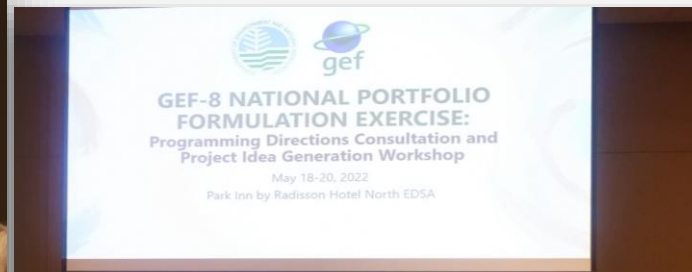


Undertaking of a Country-initiated GEF-4 and GEF-5 Assessment

- ◆ Use of a multi-stakeholder approach in selecting and prioritizing projects
- ◆ Engagement with relevant GEF Agencies according to comparative advantage
- ◆ Conduct of pre-implementation activities
- ◆ Strengthening the roles of EA and other stakeholders in project operations

INITIATIVES

Holding of GEF-supported National Portfolio Formulation Exercise (since GEF-5)





GEF-8 Experience

INITIATIVES

- ◆ GEF-8 programming consultation workshops
 - Applying climate-lens intersectionality with sectors
 - Adopting risk-based approach
 - Using geospatial analysis
- ◆ Consultation with CSOs and national government agencies proponents
- ◆ MEA focal points and Implementing Agencies' Meetings
- ◆ GEF NSC Meetings
- ◆ Clearance from the DENR Secretary



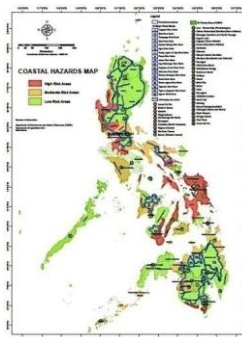
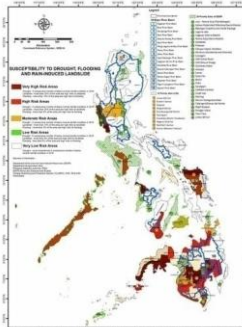
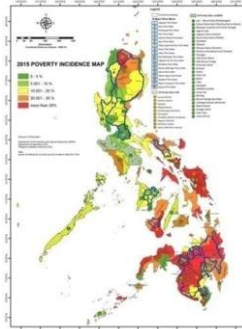
GEF-8 PORTFOLIO PROGRAMMING

Philippines' GEF-8 Project Selection Criteria

- Alignment with country priorities and frameworks (geo-spatial, thematic areas), and international commitments.
- With potential for scalable transformation/impacts, e.g., biodiversity corridor/landscape approach, demonstration models for upscaling/replication.
- Addressing systemic barriers (policy support, institutional changes, capacity-building, public investments), thus, with potential to provide solutions to interrelated drivers of environmental degradation (e.g., BD and CC).
- With opportunities for local innovative solutions and stakeholder engagement towards empowerment of women, youth and IPLCs.
- With potential to unlock private sector resources and engagement.
- Alignment with GEF programming guidelines.
- Demonstrating approaches to address the intersectionality of sectors to enhance climate and disaster resilience.

GEF-8 PORTFOLIO PROGRAMMING

Priority Provinces



Criteria:
 High susceptibility to climate hazards
 Situated in critical watersheds/ Areas of focus of the government
 High poverty incidence
 With convergence sites

2020

2021

2022 onwards

1. Masbate
2. Sorsogon
3. Negros Oriental
4. Western Samar
5. Sarangani
6. Surigao del Norte
7. Surigao del Sur
8. Dinagat Islands

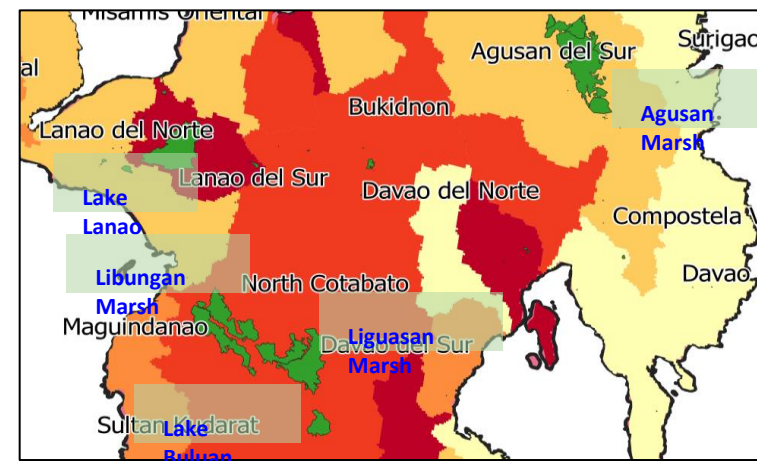
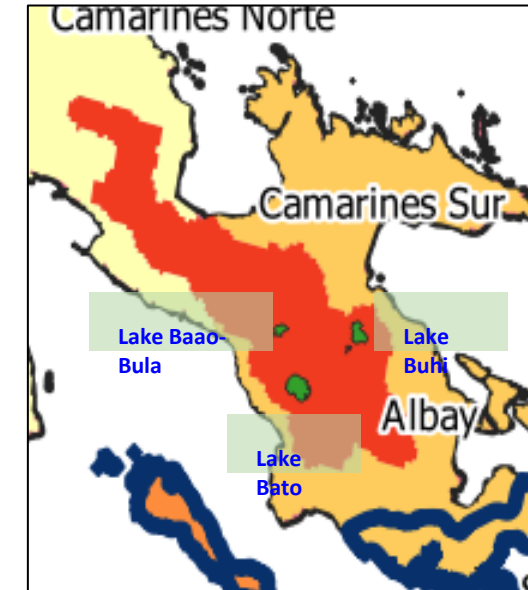
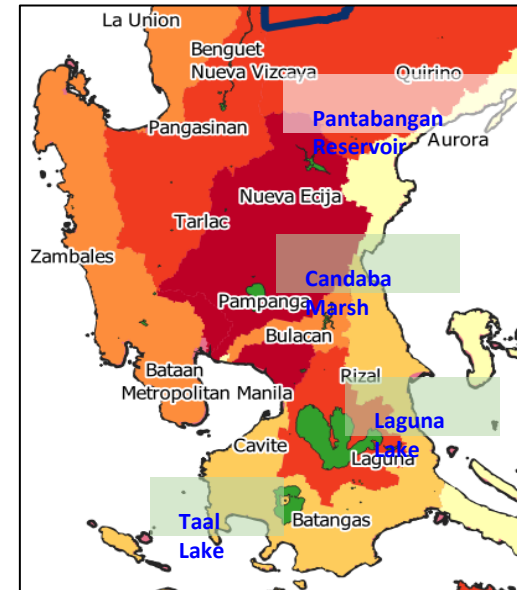
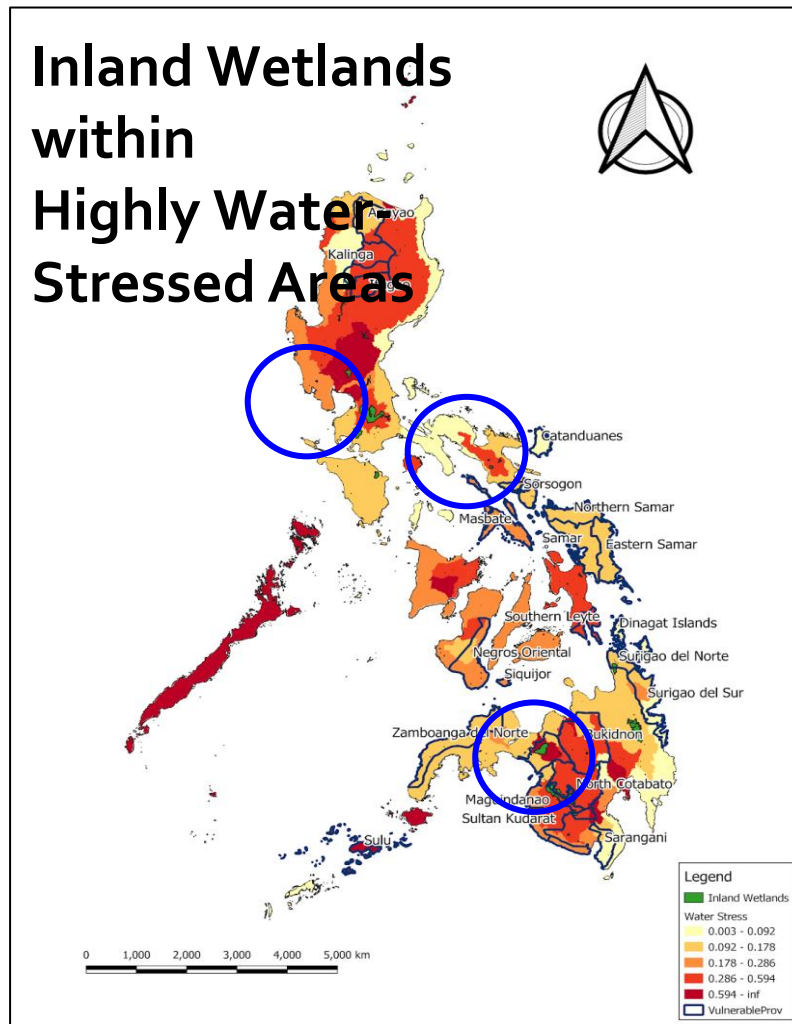
1. Southern Leyte
2. Eastern Samar
3. Zamboanga del Norte
4. Bukidnon
5. North Cotabato
6. Sultan Kudarat

1. Maguindanao
2. Sulu
3. Lanao del Sur
4. Northern Samar
5. Apayao
6. Kalinga
7. Mountain Province
8. Ifugao
9. Catanduanes
10. Siquijor

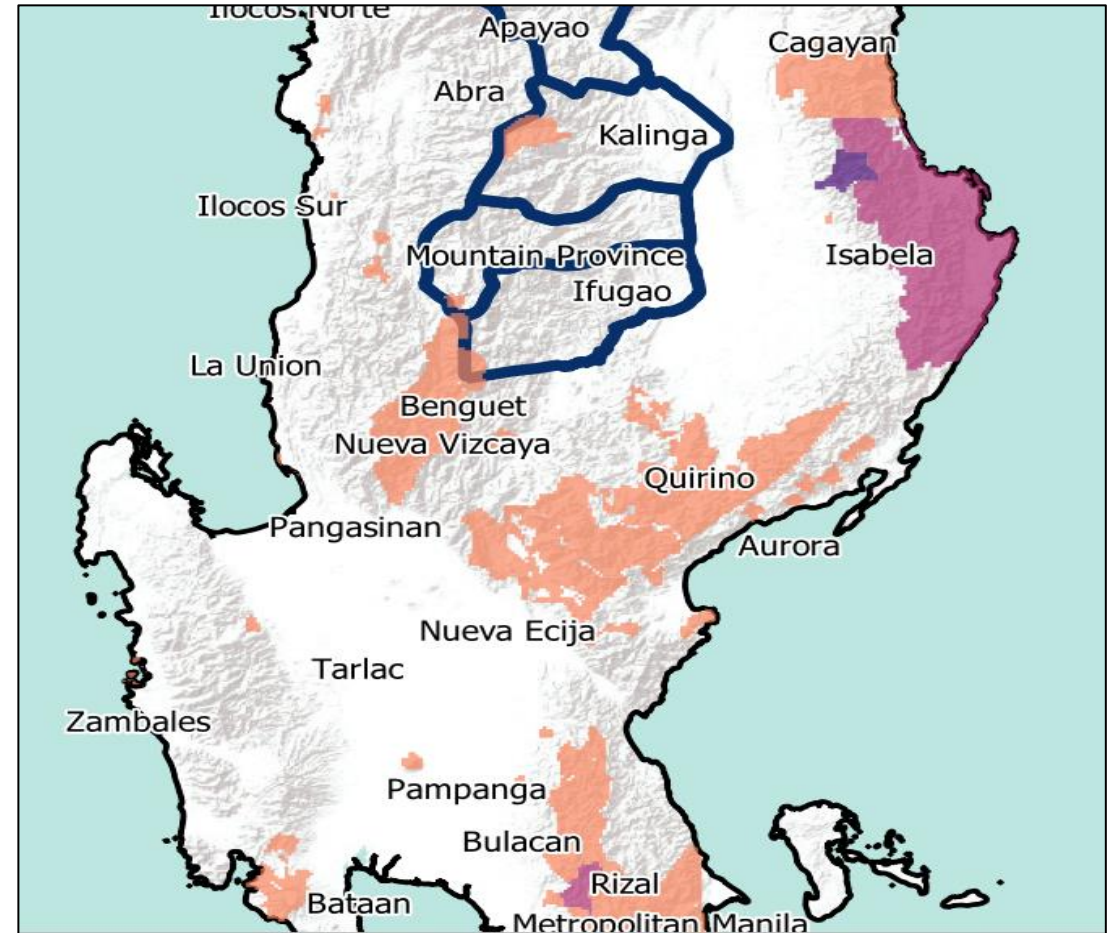
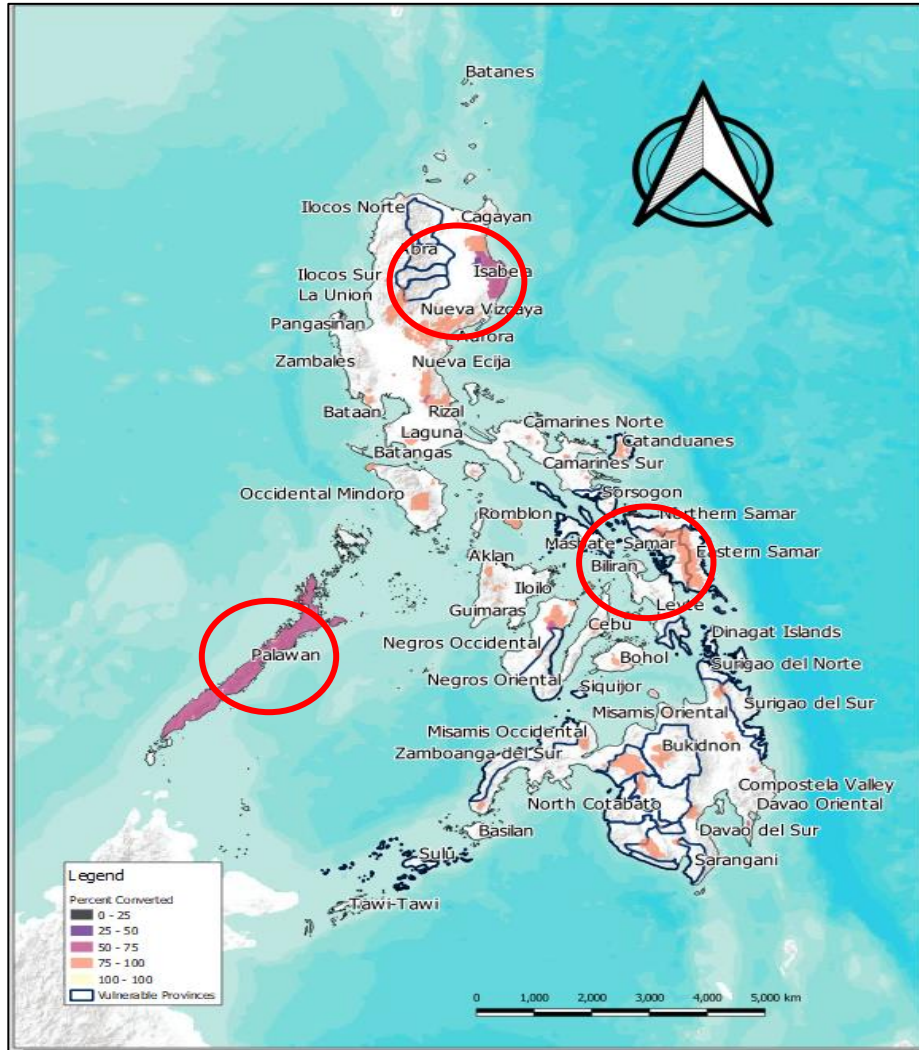
4 Major Urban Centers: Metro Manila, Metro Cebu, Metro Iloilo and Metro Davao

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Inland Wetlands within Highly Water-Stressed Areas



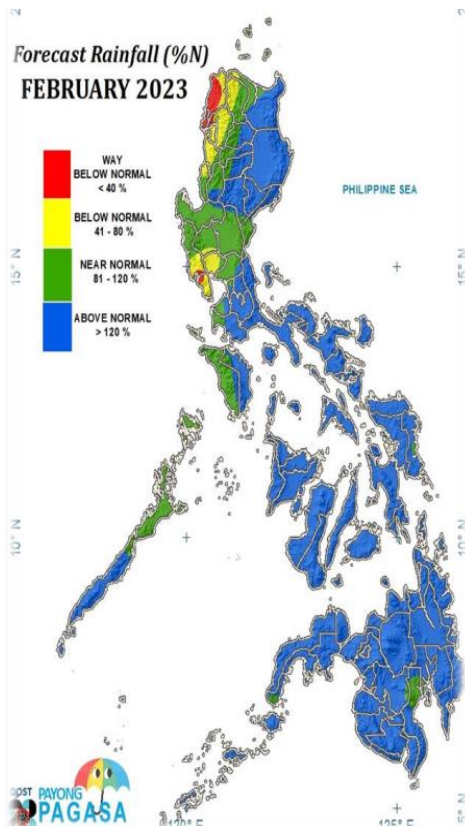
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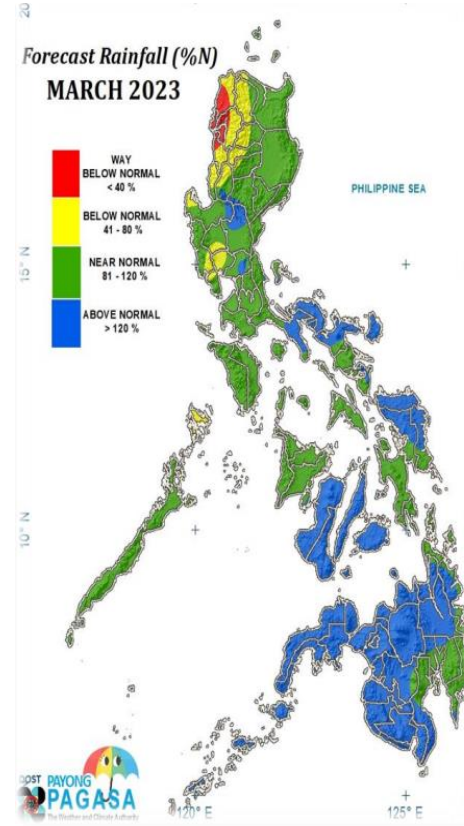
Human pressures within Protected Areas

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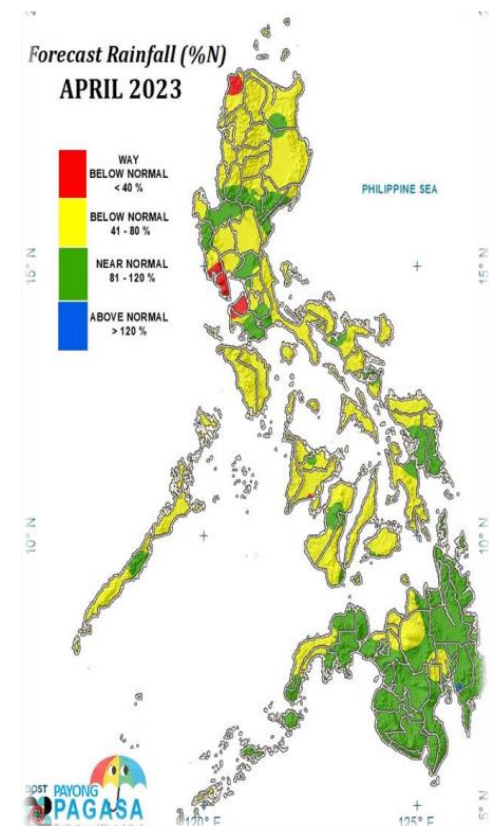
Rainfall Forecast for February, March, April 2023



way below normal	below normal	near normal	above normal
1	4	13	66



way below normal	below normal	near normal	above normal
2	6	45	31



way below normal	below normal	near normal	above normal
2	51	31	0

GEF-8 PORTFOLIO PROGRAMMING

Expected Outcomes and Results

Outcome 1

Improved management of priority landscapes and seascapes

18 project proposals contribute to this outcome

Outcome 2

Sustainable and climate resilient food production

6 project proposals contribute to this outcome

Outcome 3

Improved enabling mechanisms, technologies and financing for carbon neutral, nature positive, inclusive, pollution free and resilient transformation

18 project proposals contribute to this outcome

GEF-8 PORTFOLIO PROGRAMMING

GEF-8 Integrated Program	Proposed Project
1. Sustainable Cities	Green and Resilient Cities (BMB/UNDP)
2. Food System	Transforming agricultural landscapes in island ecosystems and Key Biodiversity Areas towards sustainable food systems and climate resilient communities (BSWM/FAO)
3. Ecosystem Restoration	Biodiverse Tree-Crop Portfolios for Enhanced Agrobiodiversity and Agroecosystems in Protected Areas and Broader Landscapes in the Philippines (BMB/CI)
4. Wildlife Conservation for Development	Scaling up efforts to combat the illegal wildlife trade in the Philippines (BMB/ADB)
5. Circular Solutions for Plastic Pollution	Reduction of POPs in the Life Cycle of Plastics with Technological Innovation (EMB/UNIDO)

INITIATIVES



Philippines' Participation to GEF's Knowledge and Collaboration Platform (KCP)

- ◆ easy access to GEF related knowledge and resources
- ◆ exchange experiences and lessons,
- ◆ share knowledge and learning products
- ◆ collaborate with each other on GEF relevant issues



PROMOTING NATIONAL POLICY CHANGES AND COHERENCE THROUGH GEF PROJECTS

Capacity Building to Remove Barriers to Renewable Energy Development Project

- ◆ **RA 9513 or the Renewable Energy Act**
 - Accelerate the exploration and development of renewable energy resources
 - Provide incentives for RE developers and government share in the development, utilization, and commercialization of off-grid and on-grid renewable energy

PROMOTING NATIONAL POLICY CHANGES AND COHERENCE THROUGH GEF PROJECTS

Strengthening National Systems to Improve Governance and Management of Indigenous Peoples and Local Communities Conserved Areas and Territories (ICCA) Project

- ◆ **House Bill 115 also known as the “Indigenous Peoples and Local Communities Conserved Areas and Territories Act of 2016”**
 - Provides for a system of recognition, registration, protection and promotion of ICCAs
 - Mandates the annual allocation of government budget and people to manage the ICCAs
 - Provides fair and equitable sharing of benefits from utilization of the natural resources found within the ancestral domains

PROMOTING NATIONAL POLICY CHANGES AND COHERENCE THROUGH GEF PROJECTS

Dynamic Conservation and Sustainable Use of Agro-biodiversity in Traditional Agroecosystems of the Philippines Project

- ◆ **Development of Joint Memorandum Circular on the Rules and Regulations Governing the Declaration (recognition) of Nationally Important Agricultural Heritage System (NIAHS)**
 - aims to recognize and register nationally important agriculture heritage system/s (NIAHS), and provide the process for its recognition
 - to promote and encourage the dynamic conservation and sustainable management of recognized NIAHS through appropriate policies, plans and programs of the government
 - to provide incentives and benefits to host communities and LGUs of recognized NIAHS as may be allowed under existing laws

PROMOTING NATIONAL POLICY CHANGES AND COHERENCE THROUGH GEF PROJECTS

Biodiversity Partnerships Project (BPP)

- ◆ **Development of DA-DENR Joint Administrative Order on Mainstreaming Biodiversity-Friendly Agricultural Practices (BDFAP) in and around Protected Areas and Promoting the same in Wider Agricultural Landscapes**
 - Promote agricultural development that is compatible with the conservation of the ecosystem in areas where agricultural and fisheries activities are carried out.
 - Ensure judicious use of the country's natural resources for sustainability and to conserve genetic diversity of biological resources
 - Initiate/strengthen the institutionalization of BDFAP in multiple use and buffer zones of protected areas, and tenured areas within key biodiversity areas

Let us make this GEF-8 Programming **More MEANINGFUL!**



- Transformative change means **doing things differently**— not just a little more or less of something we're already doing.
- **Strategic, fundamental shift, catalytic**



- Incremental vs. transformative, **not merely ramping up the things that are already being done** Instead, calls for a **fundamental system-wide reorganisation** of how the environment and natural resources are managed. This includes shifts in social, economic, environmental, and technological dimensions, and underpinning paradigms, goals and values.

- Of course, we should keep up many of the good things we're doing.

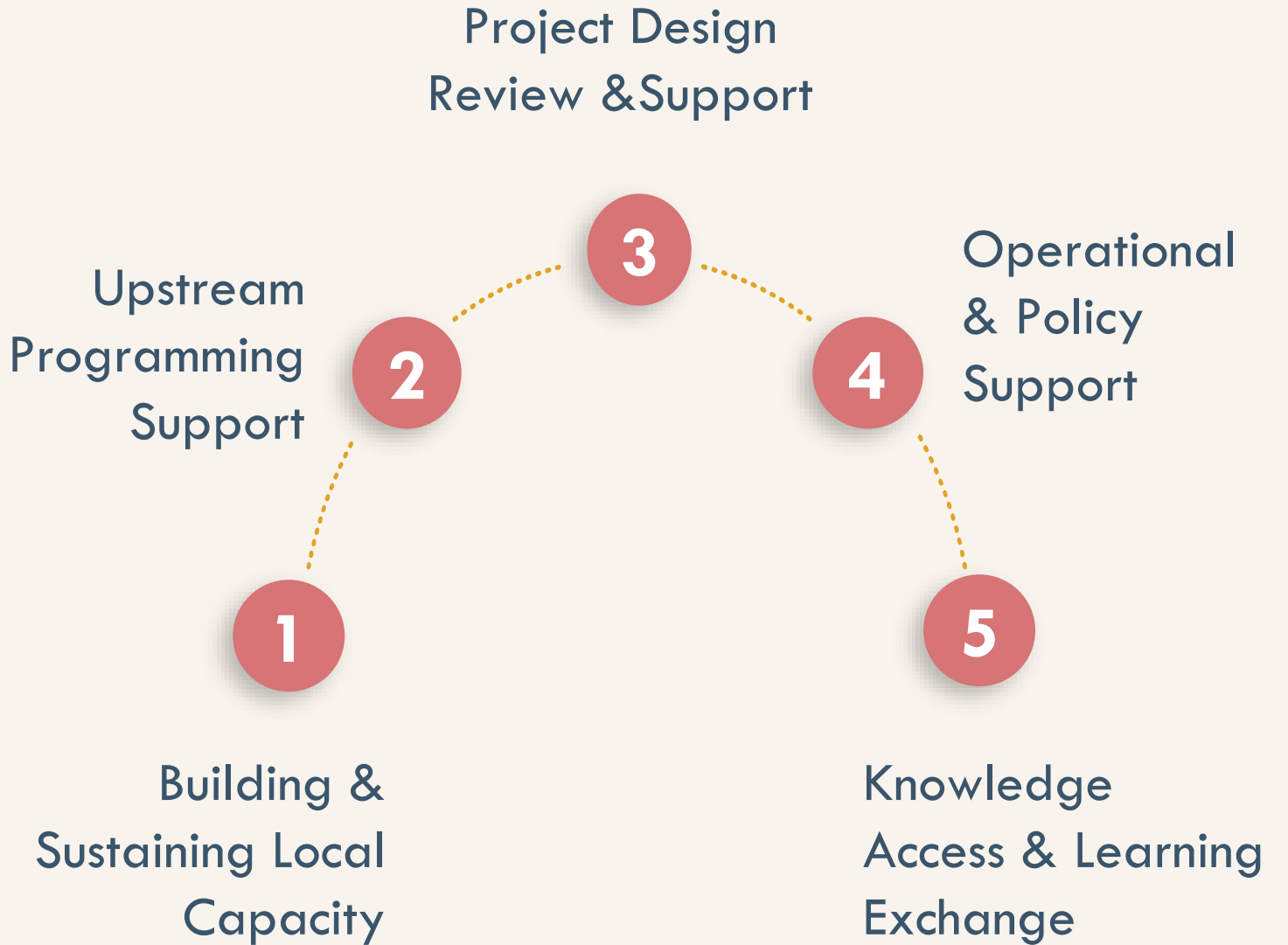




THANK YOU!



COUNTRY ENGAGEMENT STRATEGY



IMPLEMENTATION COMPONENTS

Core Activities

- Upstream Technical Dialogues & National Dialogues
- GEF Workshops & Introduction Seminars
- GEF Constituency Meetings
- Building execution capacity of stakeholders
- Financial Support to GEF OFPs
- Knowledge exchange & learning

Additional Activities

- Gustavo Fonseca Youth Conservation Leadership Program
- Support for country delegations & relevant stakeholders to attend COPs to the Conventions and related meetings

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OBJECTIVE

Tool provided to the OFPs to help oversee & manage GEF portfolio

- Provides up-to-date info & data on
 - Resource allocation & commitment of STAR, LDCF & SCCF funds
 - Project implementation info
 - Average data on disbursement rate, project rating & development outcome
- Allows countries to make informed decision in GEF programming & resource planning
- Allows better coordination with the GEF Secretariat and Agencies

Available in GEF Portal
(access provided to OFPs)

Latest country resource allocation & utilization



Better knowledge of resources utilization



Enhancing the focus on portfolio performance



Strengthening performance culture with data



Coordinating better with the secretariat and agencies



Taking steps to improve delivery and portfolio oversight



COUNTRY FACTSHEET BRAZIL

Up to date as of January 19, 2023

Country Focal Points

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GEF-8 Allocations and Commitments

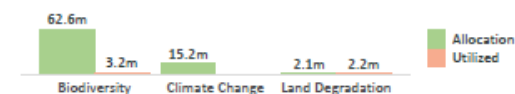
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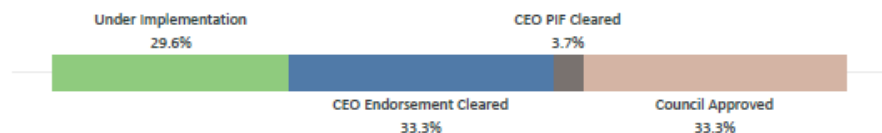
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GEF-7 Portfolio Progress

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Distribution of GEF-7 projects by status

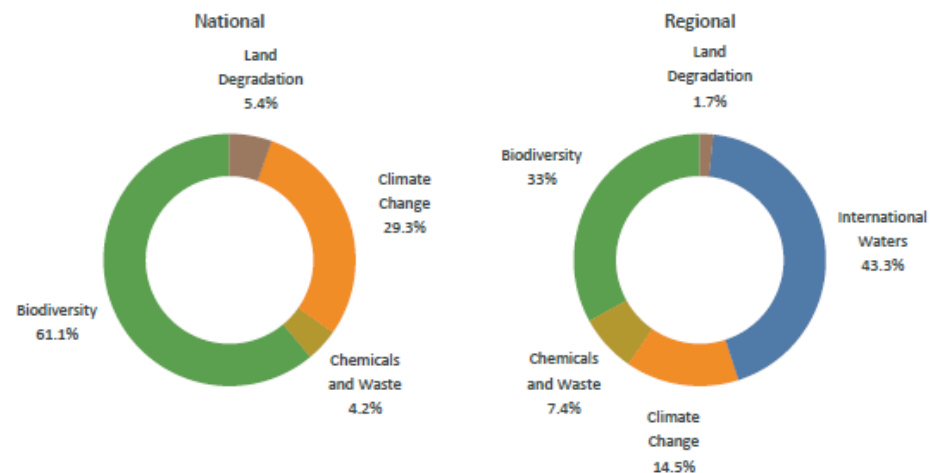


Portfolio of Ongoing Projects

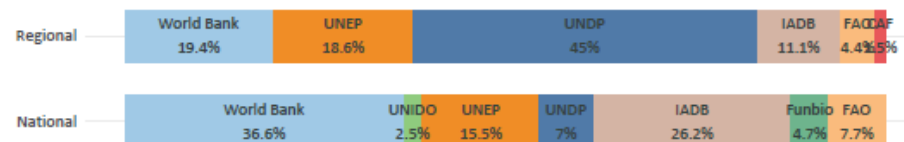
Portfolio of projects across GEF-managed Trust Funds

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Regional projects	19	138.7	5.5
GEF-MANAGED TRUST FUNDS			
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Distribution by Focal Area



Distribution by Agency

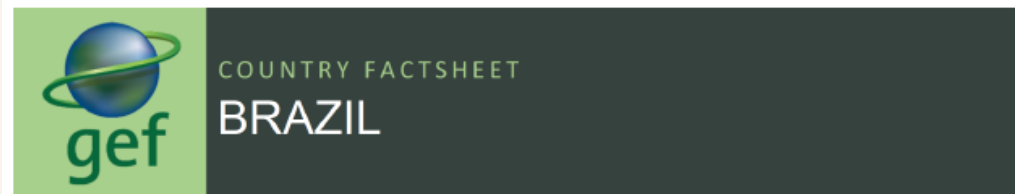


Progress

	Key indicators		Projects rated Moderately Satisfactory or above	
	Disbursement rate (%)	Average age (year)	Implementation progress (%)	Development outcomes (%)
National projects	34	4	82	83
Regional projects	9	6	75	83

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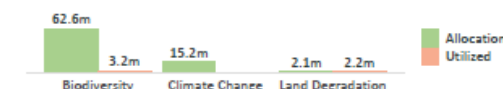
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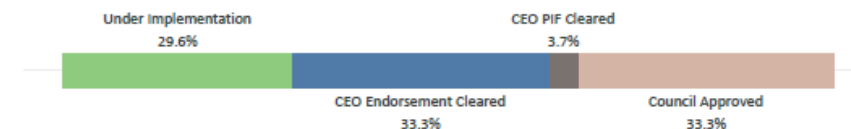
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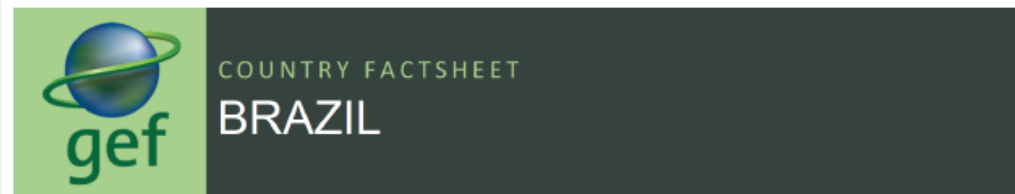
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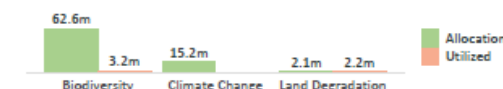
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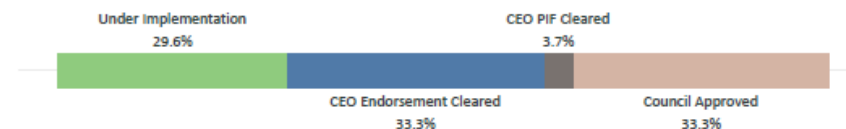
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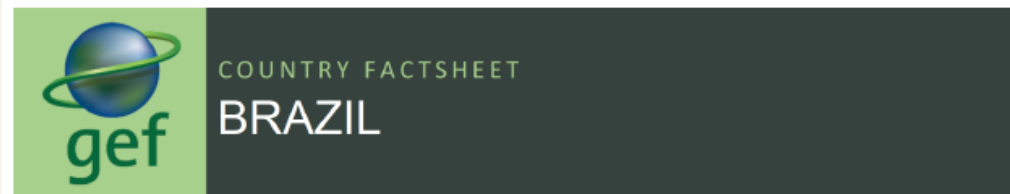
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GEF-8 Country Resource Allocation & Commitments

- STAR
- Additional GEF resources
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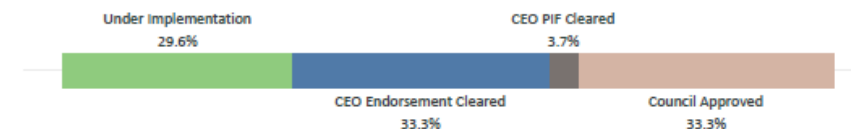
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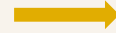
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Latest GEF-7 Portfolio Distribution

Portfolio Under Implementation (GEF resources & LDCF and SCCF)

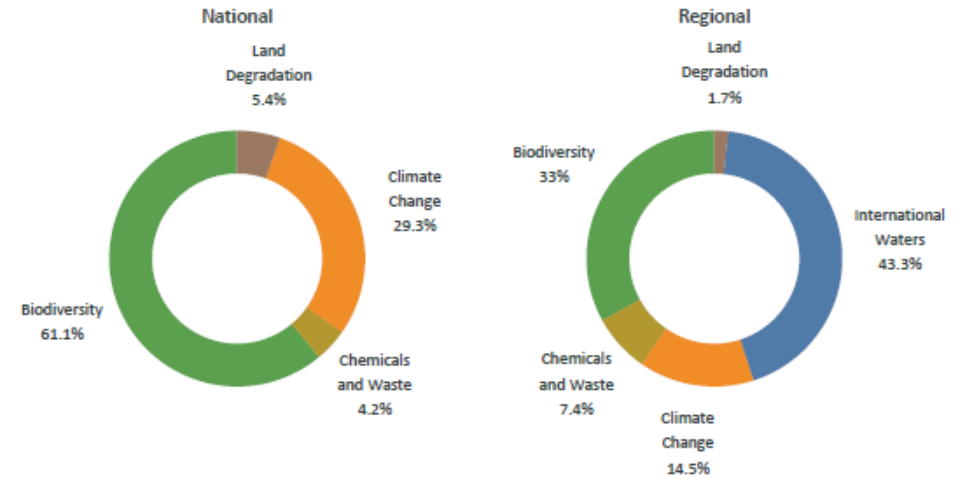


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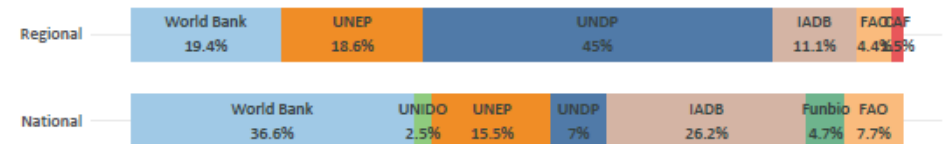
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- Land Degradation
- International Waters
- Climate Change
- Chemicals & Waste

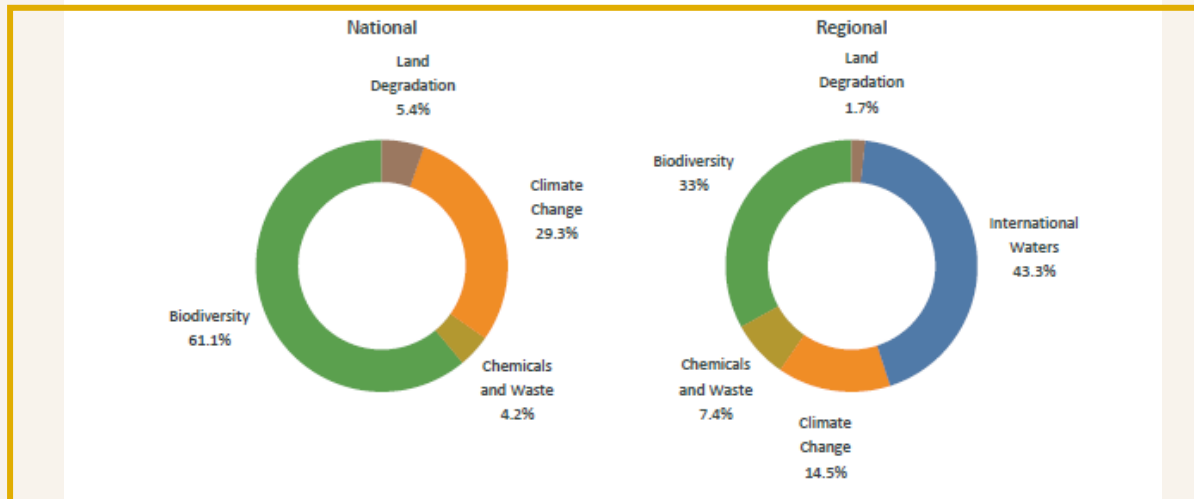
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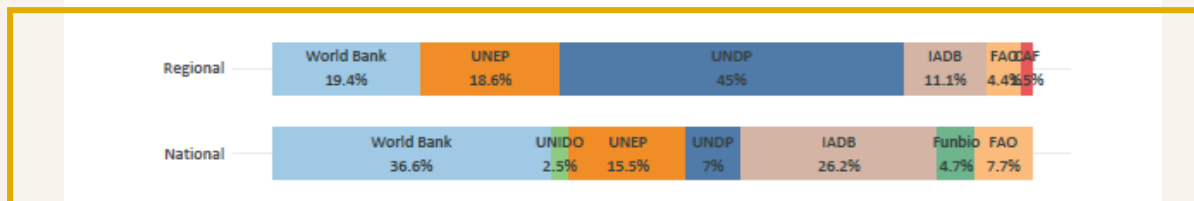
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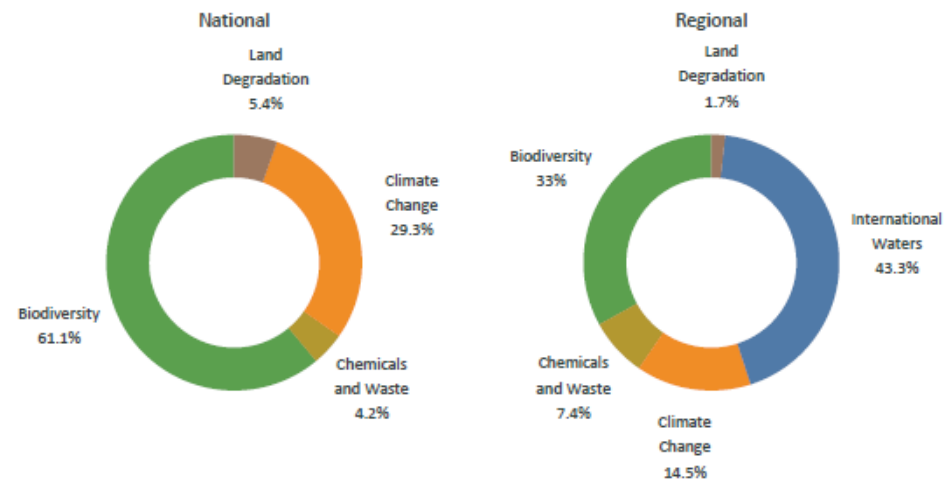
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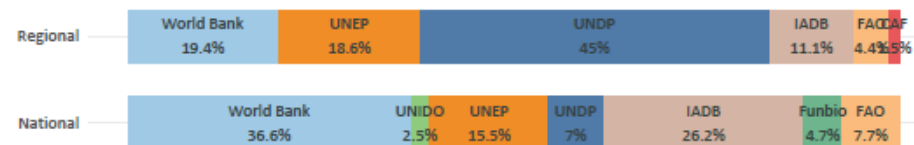
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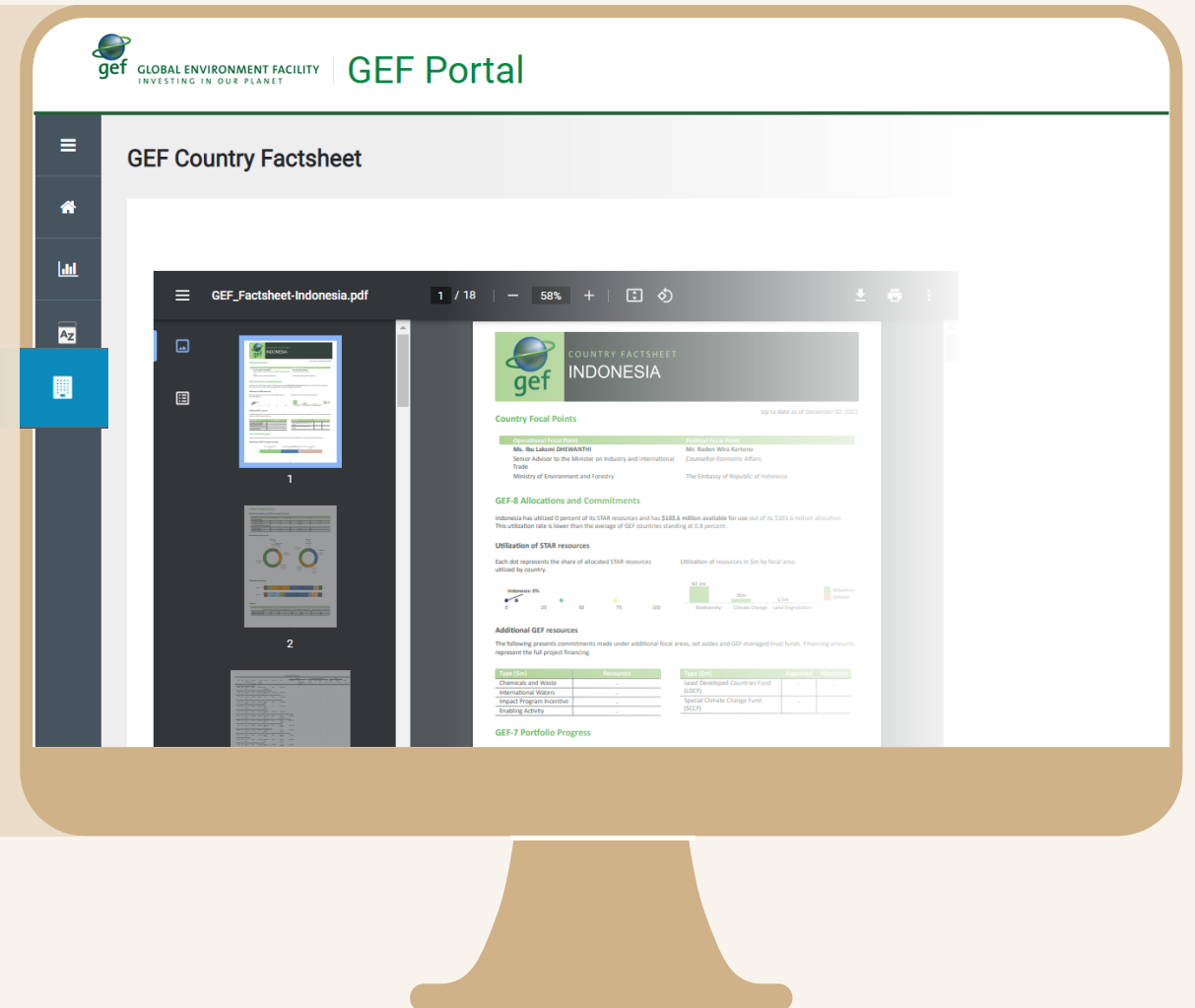
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Country factsheet page

- The country factsheet page is ready to be read from the GEF Portal and it can be downloaded or printed directly.





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THE GEF PORTAL

A Quick Overview



Overview



- IT-based system to support three main areas of partnership work
 - Project review process – submission, review and approval of proposed projects
 - Project implementation modules – info/reports during implementation
 - Project portfolio info more generally – it's all there and accessible (see next slide)

- Multiple users - tailored to role
 - Secretariat, Agencies, OFPs, STAP, IEO, Convention Secretariats, Council
 - Need to register – ITS here today



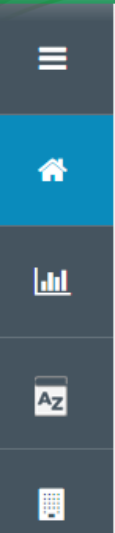
What you will see inside

- Entry fields and review sheets aligned to programming strategy, policies, financing and operations
 - To help match project proposals to the agenda of the Partnership
 - Being *updated for GEF-8* and *streamlined* as we speak
- Reservoir of information on project portfolio – with reports, finger-tip access
 - *Drop down menus* to access documents (PIFs, PFDs, PIRs, Review Sheets, etc.) and other information
 - *Search feature* with filters to enable access across the project portfolio
 - *Reporting features* to access and generate reports on updated information on all projects

A look inside



Landing Page - OFPs



Focal Point Projects

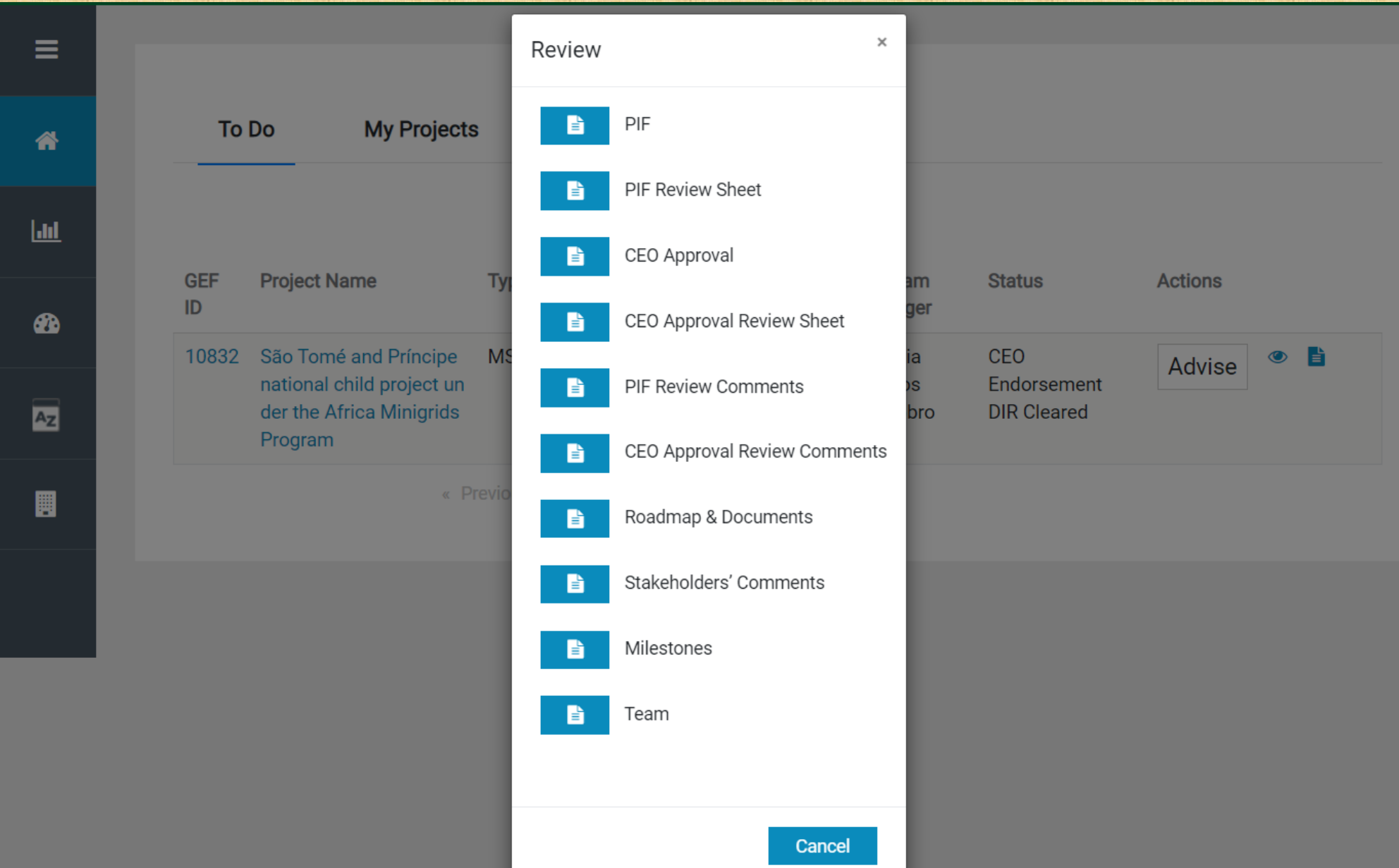
Filters Applied:

[Download list in Excel](#)

GEF ID	Project Name	Type	Country	Agency	Focal Area	Program Manager	Status	
11029	Global Biodiversity Framework Early Action Support (Asia Pacific 7)	EA	Regional	UNDP	Biodiversity	Mark Zimsky	CEO Endorsement Cleared	
10921	Enhancing Political Will for Sustainable Protected Areas Financing	MSP	Global	UNEP	Biodiversity	Hannah Fairbank	CEO Endorsement Pending	
10913	Protection of biodiversity and sustainable land-use in conservation landscapes in South Sulawesi, Gorontalo and East Nusa Tenggara	FSP	Indonesia	UNEP	Multi Focal Area	Hannah Fairbank	Council Approved	

- ❖ Projects in own country, all PFDs, regional/global projects in which country involved
- ❖ Project list includes hot-links to access underlying documents, a roadmap of project timeline, and other project-related information
- ❖ Search feature with filters to locate info

Drop-down menus



The screenshot shows a web application interface. On the left is a dark sidebar with navigation icons. The main area has two tabs: 'To Do' (active) and 'My Projects'. Below the tabs is a table with columns: GEF ID, Project Name, Type, Manager, Status, and Actions. One row is selected, showing GEF ID 10832 and Project Name 'São Tomé and Príncipe national child project under the Africa Minigrids Program'. The 'Actions' column for this row contains an 'Advise' button, an eye icon, and a document icon. A 'Review' dropdown menu is open over the 'Advise' button, listing the following items:

- PIF
- PIF Review Sheet
- CEO Approval
- CEO Approval Review Sheet
- PIF Review Comments
- CEO Approval Review Comments
- Roadmap & Documents
- Stakeholders' Comments
- Milestones
- Team

A 'Cancel' button is located at the bottom of the dropdown menu.





Reports Feature



Reports

Select Phase ▾

PROJECT INFORMATION



FOCAL/NON-FOCAL AREA ELEMENTS



Data on all projects in GEF-6, GEF-7 and GEF-8, as well as on STAR utilization for GEF-7 and GEF-8

Implementation Reports



Report

Implementation Report

Project Title:
Mainstreaming Biodiversity Conservation and Sustainable Use into Inland Fisheries Practices in Freshwater Ecosystems of High Conservation Value (IFish)

GEF ID:
5759

Implementation Type	Implementation Status	Report Date	Fiscal Year	
PIR	1st PIR	6/30/2018	FY 2018	
PIR	2nd PIR	2/13/2020	FY 2019	




Country Fact Sheets




GEF Country Factsheet


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COUNTRY FACTSHEET
INDONESIA

Up to date as of December 02, 2022

Country Focal Points


Operational Focal Point	Political Focal Point
Ms. Ibu Laksmi DHEWANTHI Senior Advisor to the Minister on Industry and International Trade Ministry of Environment and Forestry	Mr. Raden Wira Kartono Counsellor-Economic Affairs The Embassy of Republic of Indonesia

GEF-8 Allocations and Commitments


Indonesia has utilized 0 percent of its STAR resources and has **\$103.6 million available for use** out of its \$103.6 million allocation. This utilization rate is lower than the average of GEF countries standing at 0.8 percent.

Utilization of STAR resources

Each dot represents the share of allocated STAR resources utilized by country.



Utilization of resources in \$m by focal area.



Additional GEF resources

The following presents commitments made under additional focal areas, set asides and GEF-managed trust funds. Financing amounts represent the full project financing.

Type (\$m)	Resources	Type (\$m)	Approved	Allocation
Chemicals and Waste	..	Least Developed Countries Fund (LDCF)
International Waters	..	Special Climate Change Fund (SCCF)
Impact Program Incentive	..			
Enabling Activity	..			

GEF-7 Portfolio Progress



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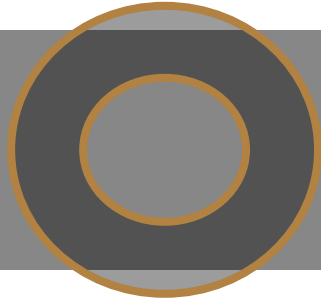
Civil Society & SGP

- Engagement with Civil Society
- Small Grants Program (SGP)
- Questions & Answers
(Please type your question in chat)

AGENDA



QR code: Agenda,
presentation &
reference materials



GEF and Civil Society

**GEF's Approach,
Support and Engagement**

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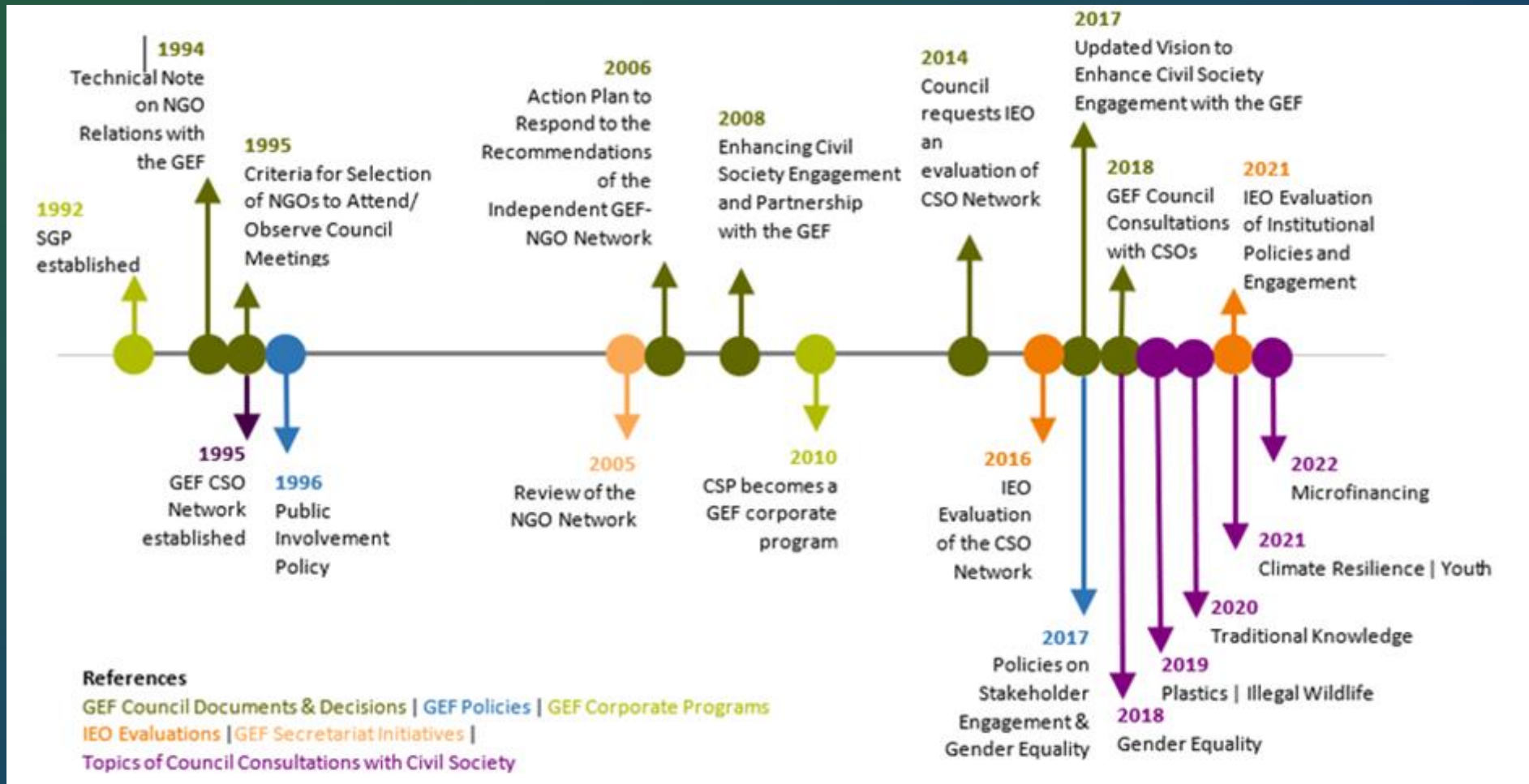
**Civil Society and other
Stakeholders**



Increasing the scale and scope of GEF's engagement and financing for Civil Society



GEFs Evolving Engagement with Civil Society





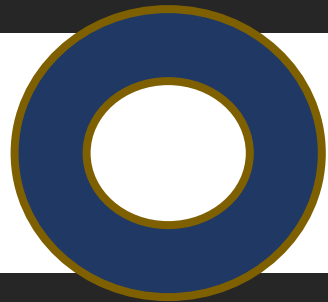
GEFs CSO Network

A voluntary network established in 1995

- Organized around Regional Focal Points, Chair, Vice Chair and a Network Secretariat.

Evolving mandate in the GEF Governance

- Enhancing the engagement of civil society in the work of GEF
- Providing feedback to the GEF Council in the development and adoption of policies and guidelines
- Supporting and leading activities such as CSO consultations and workshops, as well as the GEF Assemblies



CSOs Roles in the GEF Architecture

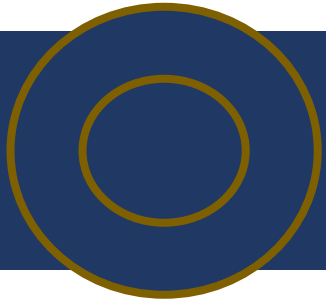
Project executors/co-executors

Influence and set national policy and global agendas

Local knowledge, skills and networks

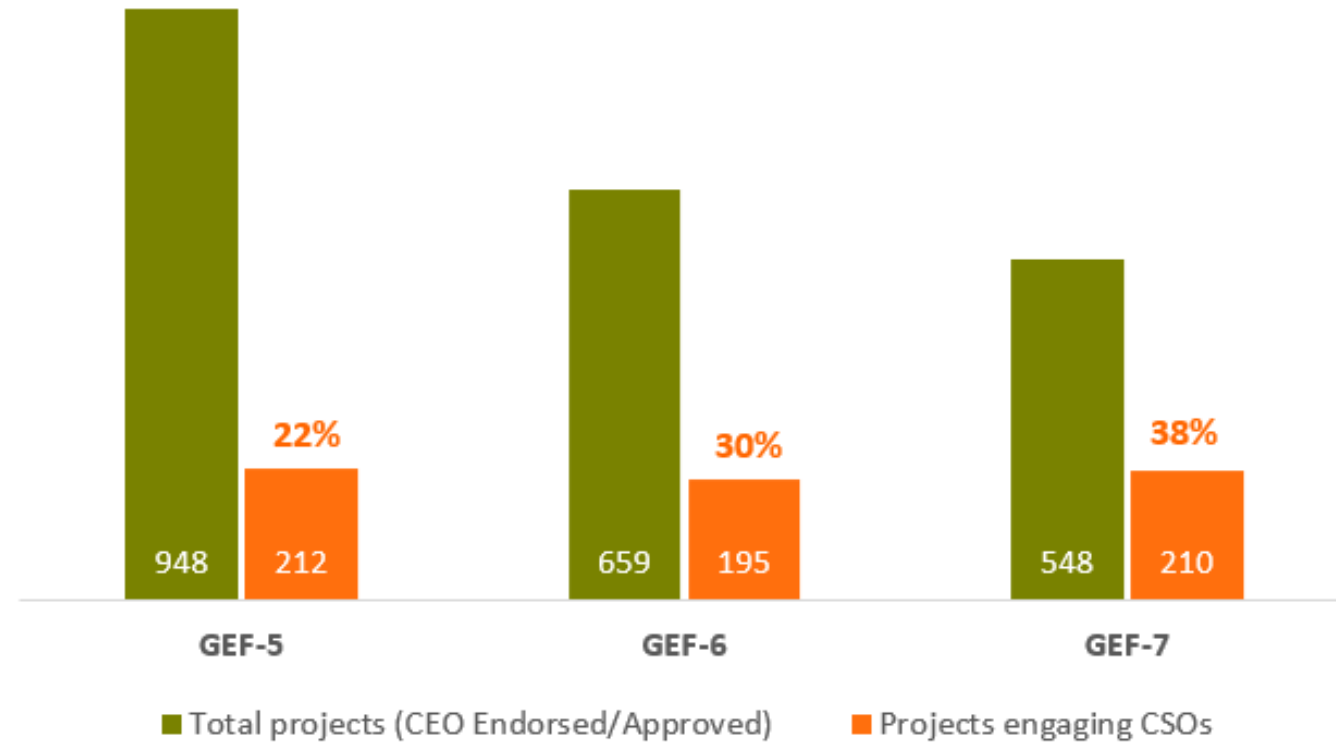
Deliver local solutions and conservation outcomes

Co-financing



CSO Engagement in GEF Projects by Cycle

Increasing CSOs
involvement in GEF
projects





Pathways for increased engagement

GEF-8 Priorities

- **Increase financing to civil society organizations and actors**
- **Leverage and support civil society engaged with the Conventions that the GEF serves**
- **Solidify civil society engagement in project design and implementation**
- **Support civil society engagement in the GEF Council, Assembly, and relevant events**

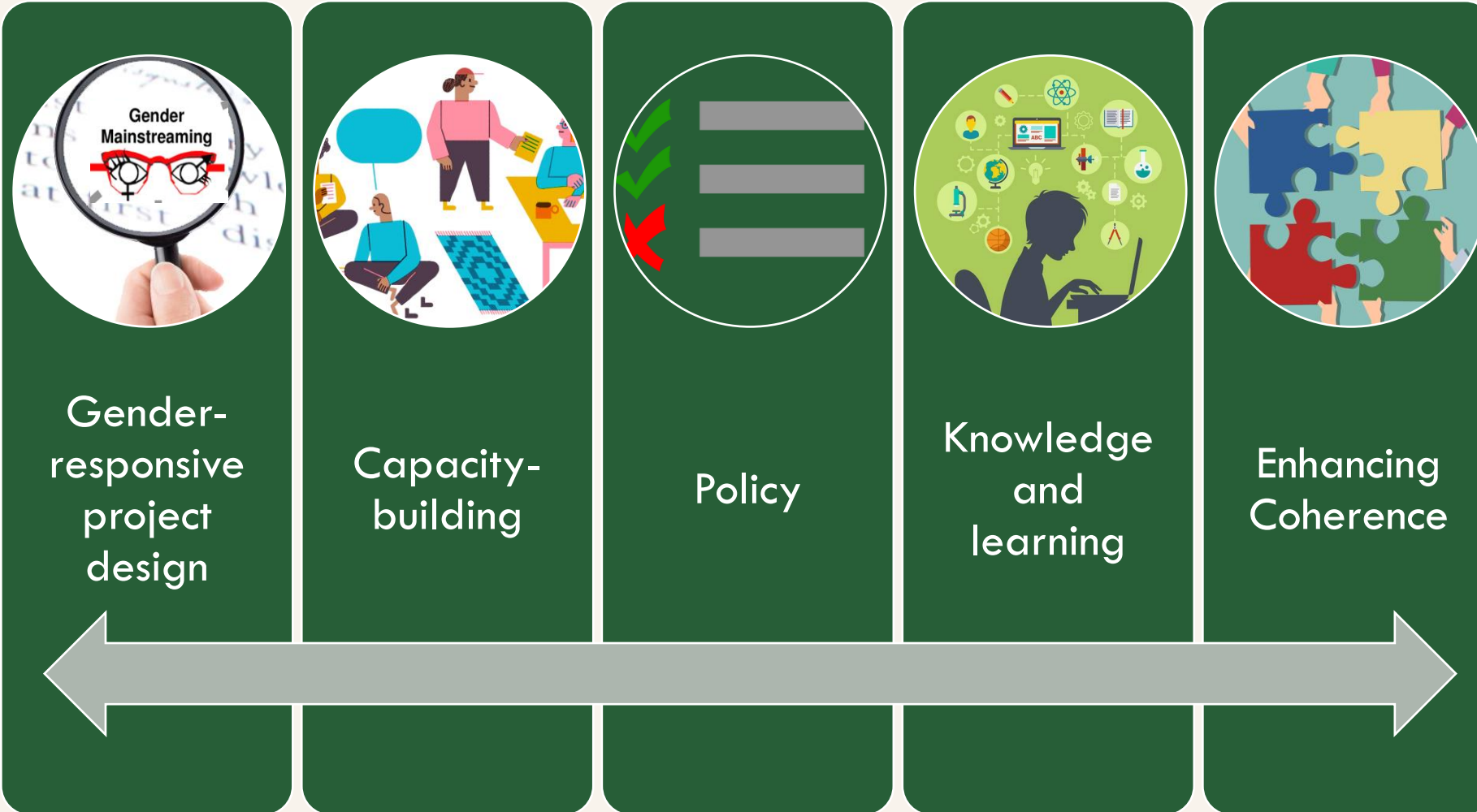
**GEF
Gender
Partnership:
Partners**

18 implementing
agencies gender
focal points

Gender officers of
the Secretariats of
the 5 MEAs

Other stakeholders:
women, youth, IPLCs,
CSOs

GEF Gender Partnership: Priorities



Work Ahead

Enhancing gender equality gains

- Through a global study to better capture gender perspectives and gender equality results

Leveraging network of partners

- GEF Gender Partnership, women's and youth organizations, academe, CSOs, private sector

Knowledge sharing and awareness-raising

- Best practices, community of practice, awareness-raising in Country Support Program events, GEF Agency Retreats, Regional Workshops, e-Courses, COPs

Connecting with implementors and women participants/beneficiaries

- Holding on-site visits and discussions with women and girls at GEF's Regional Workshops and/or national dialogues

Coherence

- Alignment with Conventions' gender action plans, human rights bodies, Commission on the Status of Women, ILO, WHO, other related bodies

Supporting the Conventions' gender-related work

- Engaging in the Conventions' work and collaborating with the Conventions' gender focal points

GEF Small Grants Program (SGP)



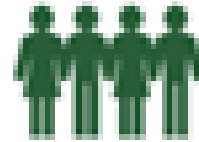
- A flagship corporate program of the GEF
- Demand-driven grants to local communities
- Direct financing and capacity development to CSOs and CBOs
- Local conservation, development, and livelihoods results
- Global Environmental Benefits

Launch of SGP 2.0 in GEF 8

Enhancing GEF's engagement and support to non-state actors



Build on over
30 years SGP
implementation

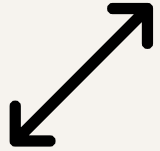


Respond to
civil society
needs and
requests



Pilot new
models and
approaches

Small Grants Program 2.0



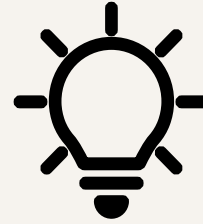
EXPAND

- Increase financial resources to civil society actors
- Enable greater scope and reach of SGP
- Ensure access to SGP core financing for all eligible GEF countries



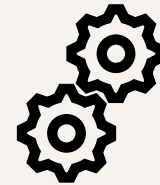
DIVERSIFY

- Open implementation roles for other existing GEF Agencies



INNOVATE

- Pilot a micro-finance model
- Launch a CSO Challenge Program to offer competitive access to civil society actors



OPTIMIZE

- Codify management protocols and operational oversight
- Strengthen SGP alignment with GEF-8 strategy



New Features SGP in GEF-8

- **Open up SGP implementing roles of SGP Core**
- **Eliminate the SGP upgrading country policy**
- **Recalibrate cost efficiency measures and reporting**
- **Launch novel two new CSO Initiatives, focused on youth, women and IPLCs**

Small Grants Programs 2.0

RESOURCE ALLOCATION

US\$155 Million



1

All countries can access SGP Core Resources

2

SGP Core Resources are allocated **equally**

3

Countries are encouraged to utilize **STAR**

Small Grants Core Program

Landscape and Seascape Approach

Thematic Priorities

- Community-based management of threatened ecosystems and species
- Sustainable Agriculture and Fisheries and Food Security
- Low-Carbon Energy Access Co-Benefits
- Local to Global Coalitions for Chemicals and Waste Management
- Catalyzing Sustainable Urban Solutions

Aligned with
GEF-8
Strategy
and
Impact
programs

Cross-cutting priorities

- Enhance social inclusion and engagement of IPLC, women and youth
- Facilitate Government-CSO-Private Sector collaboration
- Support capacity building
- Advance knowledge management and learning

Small Grants Programs 2.0

SGP 2.0 CSO INITIATIVES



MICROFINANCE INITIATIVE

Support Microfinancing Institutions to facilitate microenterprises' access to finance for climate and environmental solutions

- Pilot new GEF models to engage and support civil society actors to catalyze environmental actions and solutions

CSO CHALLENGE PROGRAM

Support competitive opportunities for local civil society organizations to access financial and technical resources to scale up innovative environmental solutions

- Support innovation of youth, women, Indigenous Peoples and local communities in LDCs and SIDS
- Capitalize on expertise of the GEF expanded Agency network and specialized organizations

Operationalization and Timelines

CSO Initiatives

GEF SEC circulate a first call for proposals during 2023

Agency Selection

GEF SEC circulate an Expression of Interest in 2023

Summary of entry points for CSO engagement

Project and Program design and implementation	Regional Knowledge Exchange and Dialogues	Global Level Decision Making	Other Consultations and knowledge sharing
Consultations in project design and preparation	Expanded Constituency Workshops	Council meetings	Policy and Strategy Formulation
Participation in project execution	Stakeholder Empowerment Series	GEF Council Consultations with CSOs	Participation in GEF working groups
GEF Small Grants Program		GEF Assembly	Access to Grievance Mechanism
Participation in National Dialogues			

SGP IMPLEMENTATION ARRANGEMENTS

**WHICH ONE
IS TRUE?**

1) SGP Core Resource is distributed to countries in proportion to their STAR allocation amount.

2) STAR resource allocation to SGP is required.

3) SGP Upgraded countries are required to develop a Full-sized SGP.

4) All recipient countries have access to SGP Core Resources.



Questions?



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