GEF-7 RESULTS FRAMEWORK AND MONITORING POLICY
Increasing GEF’s impact on the environment
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We aim to safeguard the planet’s environment
And set ambitious targets for ourselves

PROGRESS IN REACHING TARGETS ONE YEAR AND A HALF INTO GEF-7 IMPLEMENTATION

- **Shared water ecosystems**: 32 ecosystems
- **Greenhouse gas emissions mitigated**: 1500 million metric tons of CO₂
- **Landscape areas restored**: 6 million hectares
- **Terrestrial areas protected**: 200 million hectares

The diagram shows the progress towards these targets, with bars indicating the percentage of targets achieved and the distance from the target.
Our results framework is a management tool
Designed to assist the GEF in delivering on its priorities

- Increase impact on the environment
- Enhance GEF’s performance
- Monitoring delivery over time
- Communicate institutional priorities
- Identify lessons from the past to guide the future
Cascading GEF-7 corporate priorities and policies

- Core indicators
- Targets and policy standards
- Institutional KPIs
- Project and program review

Cascading GEF-7 and corporate priorities
Alignment to corporate objectives
Continuous improvement of the results architecture
We have re-engineered and simplified our approach

GEF 4
- Early steps towards a GEF-wide approach to results

GEF 5
- Tracking tools for all focal areas
- Annual monitoring reviews

GEF 6
- High-level, GEF indicators
- Replenishment-level targets
- First Corporate Scorecard
- Emerging lessons on tracking benefits

GEF 7
- 11 core indicators
- Ambitious targets
- Reporting in GEF Portal
- IATI compliance

Future
- Harnessing data and information on results for evidence-based decision-making and learning
We have re-engineered our results framework for GEF-7
Focus on most relevant outcomes

- **Simplification**—fewer, more relevant indicators
- **Clarity**—effective definitions and guidance
- **Access**—real time information system
- **Socio-economic benefits**—Better monitoring
- **Disaggregate**—accountability and focus
Core indicators increase the focus on strategic priorities
GEF-7 indicators are aligned to environmental challenges

- Terrestrial protected areas for conservation
- Area of landscapes restored
- Area of marine habitat under improved practices
- Number of shared water ecosystems under cooperative management
- Reduction, destruction, elimination and avoidance of chemicals

- Marine protected areas for conservation
- Area of landscapes under improved practices
- Greenhouse Gas Emissions Mitigated
- Over-exploited marine fisheries moved to more sustainable levels
- Reduction, avoidance of emissions of POPS to air

SOCIO-ECONOMIC CO-BENEFIT
Number of direct beneficiaries disaggregated by gender
Sub-indicators support and inform core indicators. They include disaggregated and contextual indicators.

Core indicator—Reduction, elimination and avoidance of chemicals of global concern and their waste (metric tons of toxic chemicals reduced)

AGGREGATE UP TO CORE INDICATOR

- Solid and liquid Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs) and POPs containing materials and products removed or disposed (POPs type)
- Quantity of mercury reduced
- Hydrochlorofluorocarbons reduced or phased out

BRING CONTEXT TO CORE INDICATOR

- Number of countries with legislation and policy implemented to control chemicals and waste
- Number of low-chemical/non-chemical systems implemented, particularly in food production, manufacturing, and cities
Results on gender

Gender policy

- Enhance accountability and compliance
- Take gender into account during project preparation
- Action, results and lessons during implementation
- Conduct gender analysis and action plan

Reporting on gender

- Access and control of natural resources
- Improve of women participation in decision making
- Socio economic benefits and services for women
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<td>$18.1 billion of GEF investment</td>
<td>383 million hectares of terrestrial and marine areas better managed for biodiversity conservation</td>
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<td>$94.2 billion of additional resources mobilized</td>
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<td>4,500 projects</td>
<td>1050 million metric tons of CO₂ equivalent mitigated</td>
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<td>4% of globally over-exploited fisheries moved to more sustainable levels</td>
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We are accountable and transparent on GEF results
Key reports highlight the GEF impact

The GEF Monitoring Report
2019

Progress Report on LDCF and SCCF
2019
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Online GEF platform for real-time results reporting

- Results monitoring during the project life cycle
- GEF Portal offers a user-friendly interface
- Improved reporting on qualitative data

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### Core Indicators at Project Identification Form (PIF)

**Indicator 1: Terrestrial protected areas created or under improved management for conservation and sustainable use**

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**Indicator 1.1: Terrestrial Protected Areas Newly Created**

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**Name of Protected Area**
- Akuwaka National Park
- Bartolo Nature Reserve

**WDPA ID**

**IUCN Category**

**Ha (Expected at PIF)**

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**Ha (Achieved at MTR)**

**Ha (Achieved at TE)**
Core indicators in GEF Portal

At Terminal evaluation stage
Guidelines help explain GEF-7 results requirements
Available on the GEF website

- Help implement consistent reporting on results across GEF projects and programs
- Include clear technical definitions and methodological note for each core indicator and sub-indicator
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A new monitoring policy tracks implementation progress. It provides requirements aligned to agency’s practices.

| Concept approval | • Results framework  
|                  | • Expected results includes at least one core indicator |
| CEO endorsement  | • Results framework  
|                  | • Expected results from core indicators  
|                  | • Monitoring and Evaluation Plan |
| Implementation progress | • Annual Project Implementation Report  
|                       | • Mid-Term Review  
|                       | • Terminal Evaluation |
Next steps

- Monitoring progress in achieving results
- Feed GEF portal with live results data
- Better disaggregated results
- Focus on impact programs
THANK YOU