

FINAL EVENT

09.12.21

13h00-16h00 CET

FTA HIGHLIGHTS OF A DECADE

2011-2021



RESEARCH
PROGRAM ON
Forests, Trees and
Agroforestry

10 YEARS OF FTA RESEARCH
FOR PEOPLE AND THE PLANET

REDD+: fighting climate change with forest science

Assessing ten years of REDD+ research

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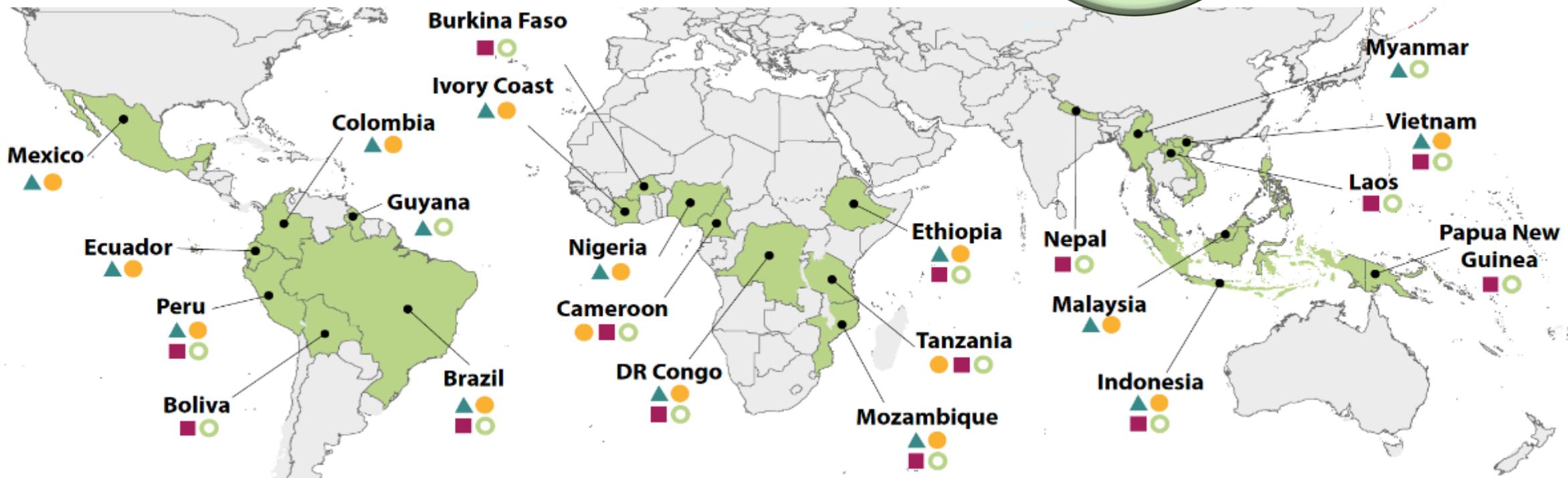
Global Comparative Study on REDD+

Since 2009

22 countries

Knowledge and tools

for efficient, effective and equitable REDD+



What this assessment is

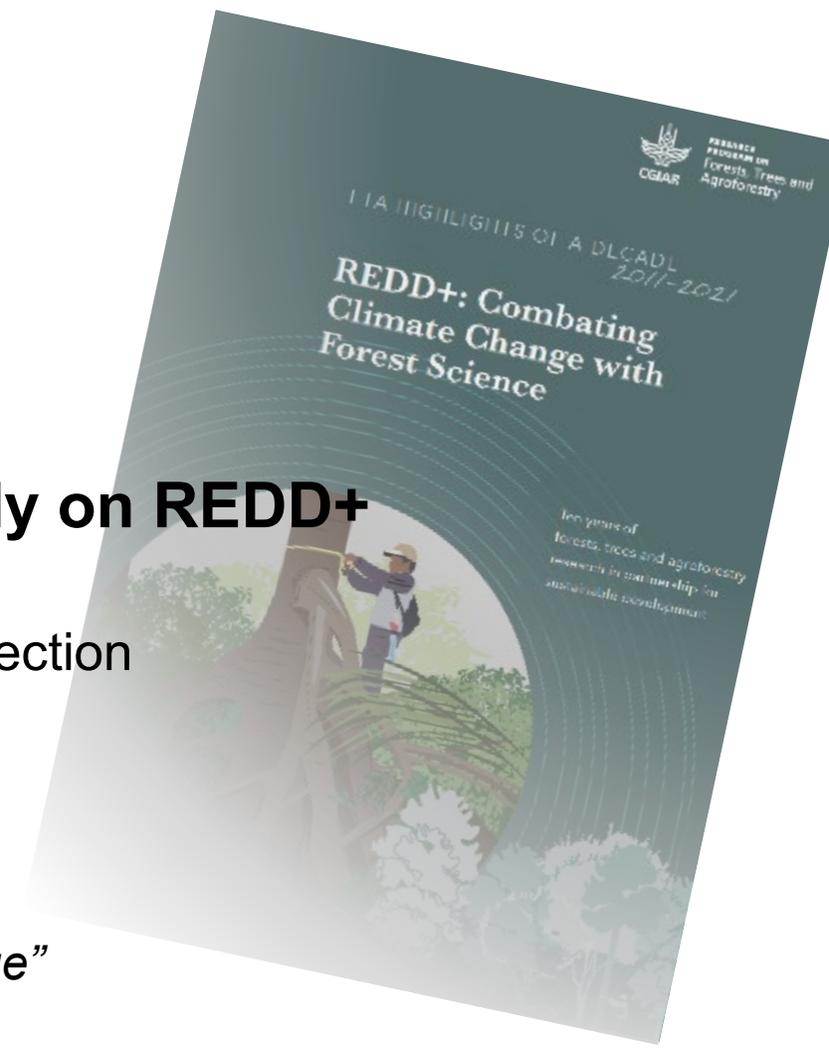


not an analysis of REDD+



Analysis how CIFOR's **Global Comparative Study on REDD+**

- contributed to REDD+ knowledge
- influenced REDD+ policy and practice, forest protection
- provided learning
 - for climate change and development initiatives



from 4 external impact assessments and our own "stories of change"

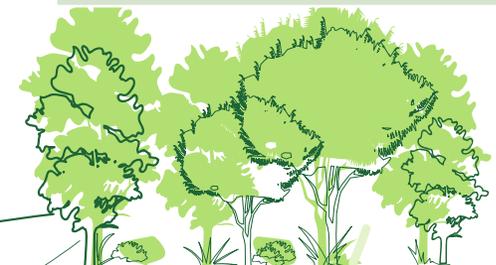


Learning from... many assessments

External impact assessments	Stories of change
<p>2014 IEA assessment of CRP on Forests, Trees and Agroforestry (FTA) https://bit.ly/IEA-FTA</p>	<p>Supporting district-level jurisdictional approaches in Indonesia https://doi.org/10.17528/cifor/008049</p>
<p>Assessments of CIFOR's Global Comparative Study on REDD+:</p>	<p>CIFOR's science on wetlands for Indonesian forest reference emission level development https://doi.org/10.17528/cifor/008048</p>
<p>2015 ODI https://bit.ly/ODI-GCS</p>	<p>Payments for Forest Environmental Services in Viet Nam https://doi.org/10.17528/cifor/008028</p>
<p>2019 RSD https://bit.ly/RSD-GCS</p>	<p>¿Cómo vamos? A tool to support more equitable co-management of Peru's protected areas</p>
<p>2021 Efeca https://bit.ly/EFE-GCS</p>	<p>https://doi.org/10.17528/cifor/008008</p>



https://www.cifor.org/publications/pdf_files/FTA/FTA-Highlights-11.pdf



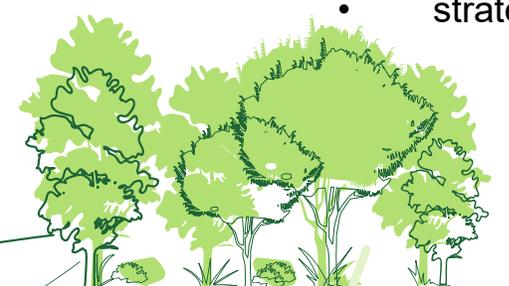
Results (examples)

• Country policies

- **Indonesia:** Supporting Indonesia's *Peatland Restoration Agency (Badan Restorasi Gambut - BRG)* setting peatland reference emission levels, and its **dialogue on national FREL and MRV system**
- **Peru:** Supporting **legal recognition of peatlands** in Amazonia as important for climate change mitigation, and supporting more **equitable co-management** of Peru's protected areas
- **Viet Nam:** Strengthening **effectiveness of Payments for Forest Environmental Services (PFES)** through monitoring and evaluation

• Global Influence

- contributing to **IPCC reports and guidelines**
- **UN-REDD tenure** framework
- **European Commission** on **transparent monitoring and REDD+ finance**
- training for **Governors' Climate & Forests Task Force** and **UNDP** on **gender-transformative policies**
- strategy guides for the **Green Climate Fund** on **forests and land use / ecosystems and ecosystems services**



Elements of success



- **Partnerships** and on-the-ground presence
- Role of global **“influencers”**
- **Communication** adapted to different audiences
- **Time** needed for change
- **Being prepared** for unintended consequences (negative and positive)
- **Agility** to respond to new priorities
- **Cost-efficiency**



GCS REDD+ THEORY OF CHANGE

