

Introduction to the workshop

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**African Regional Workshop on REDD+
National Forest Monitoring Systems and
Greenhouse Gas (GHG) National Inventory Systems
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Overview of NFMS regional workshop series

- UN-REDD working in 49 countries, 17 Nat. Prog.
 - Lots of experience nationally, learning in each country
- Objectives of the series of workshops:
 - Share experiences, learn from each other (south-south)
 - Gain efficiencies and consistency in approaches
 - Share what works well and learn to handle challenges
- 11 Latin American countries in Ecuador, April 2013
- 17 Asia-Pacific countries in Bangkok, October 2013
 - All presentations on [UN-REDD Workspace internet](#)



Part of a global series - Latin American NFMS workshop 63 Participants, from 11 countries



Some formal presentations, lots of active working groups:



Joint Objective:

- Improve coordination and connection between programmes, agencies and individuals responsible for NFMS and GHG inventory development in REDD+ LECB countries

UN-REDD workshop objectives:

- Inform UN-REDD approach to national forest monitoring system
- Share experiences and lessons learned from implementing National Forest Monitoring Systems in the context of REDD+

LECB workshop objectives:

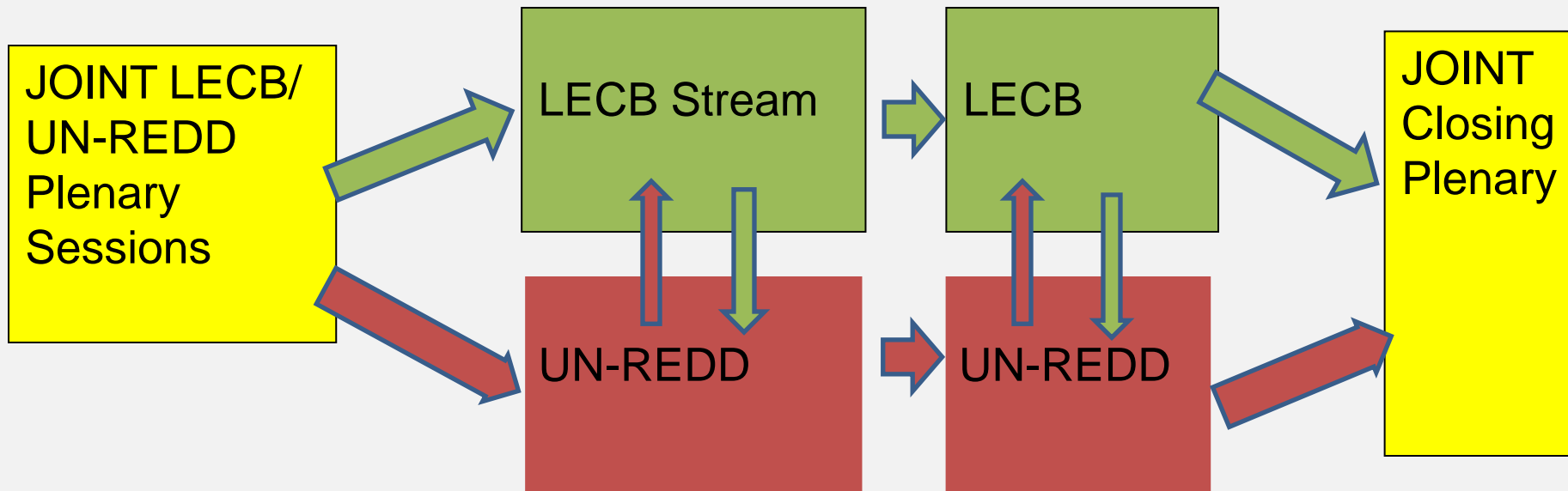
- common understanding of key elements of national GHG inventory system
- Share experiences, lessons learned on GHG inventories
- improving institutional and management arrangements for development of NFMS for REDD+ and GHG inventories



DAY 1

DAY 2

DAY 3



General expectations for this workshop



- Improved coordination - between projects, agencies, and individuals responsible for NFMS, REDD+ with those focused on the national GHG inventory reporting (LECB)
- More cost-effective approaches for forest-related GHG data analysis and reporting
- Minimize duplication and promote synergies
- Improved knowledge, skills (capacities) and networks on NFMS and GHG inventory systems, in countries and regionally



What are your expectations?



1. Write the 1 most important expectation for you on a coloured card and pin it up to the wall
2. We will come back to these at the end of the week and see how the workshop went compared to your expectations
3. We look forward to your input!

PS Chairpersons see Caroline, and Speakers please give presentations to Carlos well before your session



Thank you for your attention.
For more information go to our

websites:
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The screenshot shows the UN-REDD Collaborative On-Line Workspace login page. It features a background image of a lush green forest. The page includes the UN-REDD Programme logo and the text 'The United Nations Collaborative Programme on Reducing Emissions from Deforestation and Forest Degradation in Developing Countries'. Below the image, there are input fields for Username and Password, a 'Remember Me' checkbox, and a 'Login' button. A link for 'FORGOT YOUR PASSWORD' is also present. At the bottom, there is a note: 'This workspace is for registered users only. For questions, please contact admin@unredd.net. To access the public UN-REDD website, please visit www.un-redd.org'.