

Introduction to the PGA for REDD+ approach

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Why this meeting

- To raise awareness of the PGA for REDD+ approach
- To facilitate knowledge sharing
- To establish a community of practice
- To assess the need for a “Guide to PGAs for REDD+”
- To introduce other relevant UN-REDD tools



Relevance of the PGA for REDD+

PGA = generating information on governance issues relevant to REDD+, through an inclusive & participative process

- Feeding into national information systems on REDD+ safeguards
- Providing capacity building to ensure that:
 - relevant and timely information is provided
 - civil society actors act upon the information provided



Implementation of the PGA pilots

- Identifying and convening relevant stakeholders and participants
- Defining the scope – prioritizing areas of concentration
- Analysis of governance structures and systems; input to recommending policy reform
- Training and capacity building



Added value of the PGAs

- **Relevant information:**

providing information that is in demand by the stakeholders

- **Ownership:**

to follow up recommendations and to act upon the information

- **Sustainability:**

continued information sharing and follow up



Activities for 2012-2013

- Continue supporting existing 4 pilot countries (Ecuador, Indonesia, Nigeria, Vietnam)
- Develop guidance on how to undertake a PGA for REDD+, based on lessons learnt
- Explore potential new pilots (subject to available funding + selection criteria)

**Thank you for
listening!**