



COSTA RICA'S SIS OBJECTIVES AND DESIGN



REDD+
COSTA RICA

REDUCCIÓN DE EMISIONES
POR DEFORESTACIÓN Y
DEGRADACIÓN DEL BOSQUE
Y MÁS





Overview

- REDD+ in Costa Rica
- Costa Rica's Safeguards country approach
- National Framework
- Timeline for construction
- SIS objectives
- SIS design
- Next Steps
- Lessons Learned



REDD+ in Costa Rica:

Knowledge of local causes of deforestation and forest degradation

Policies and programs
To stop this causes and
Remove barriers to conservation, and increase forest carbon's reservoirs

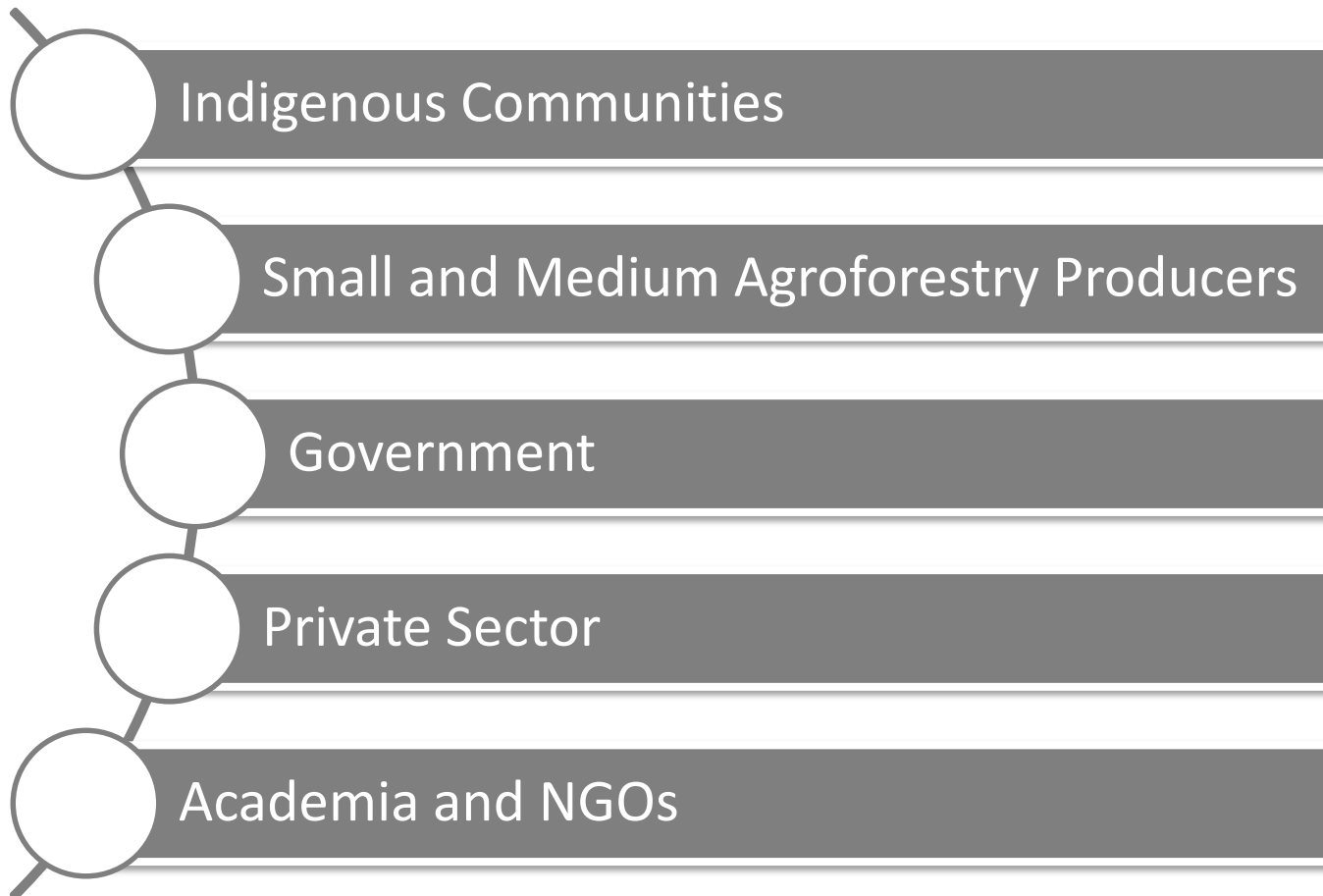
Participatory approach
integrating all the relevant stakeholders

Guarantee compliance of
Social and environmental safeguards

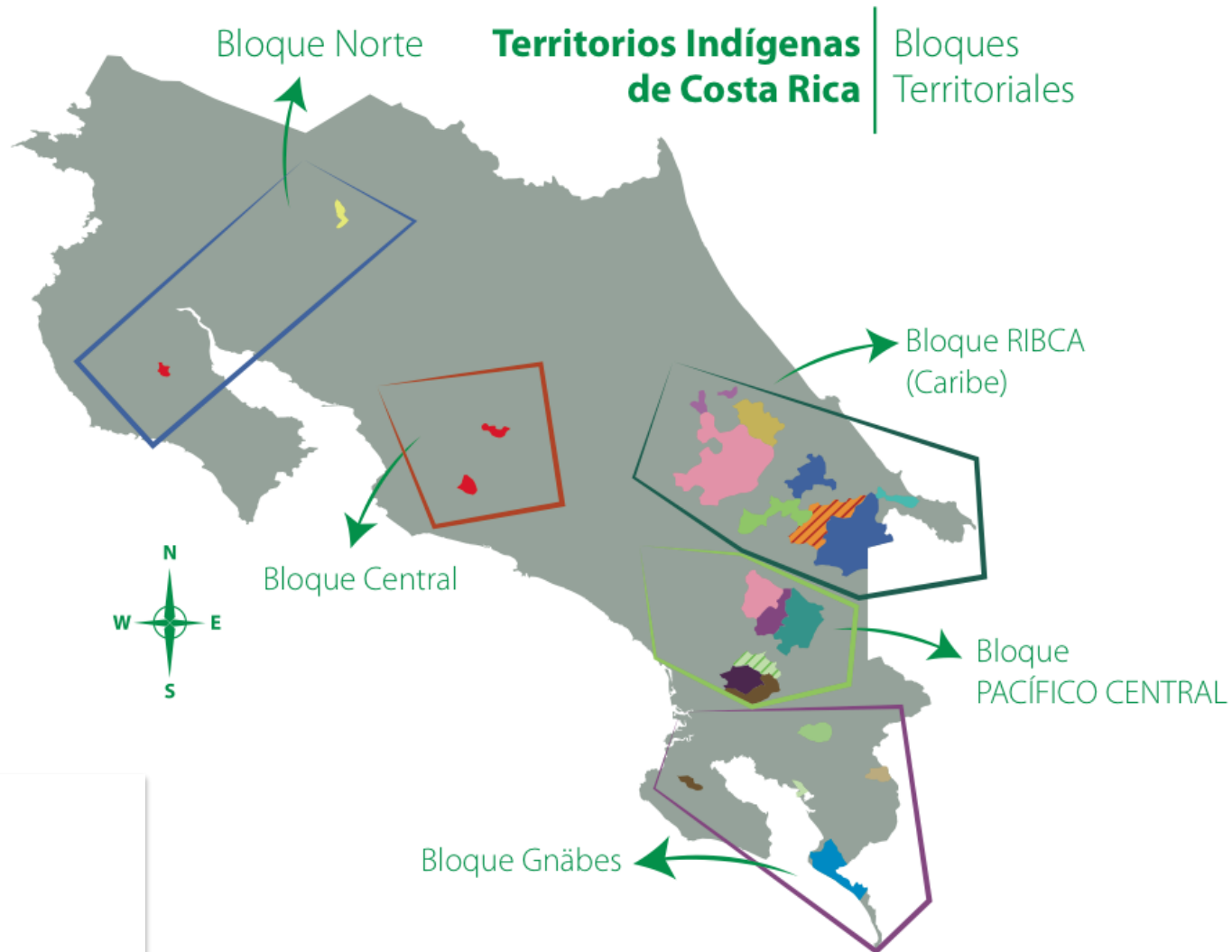
Payment for
Verified results of
Emission reduction and a benefit sharing mechanism
Within forest owners

Implemented in a context of financial sustainability and within a landscape restoration strategy

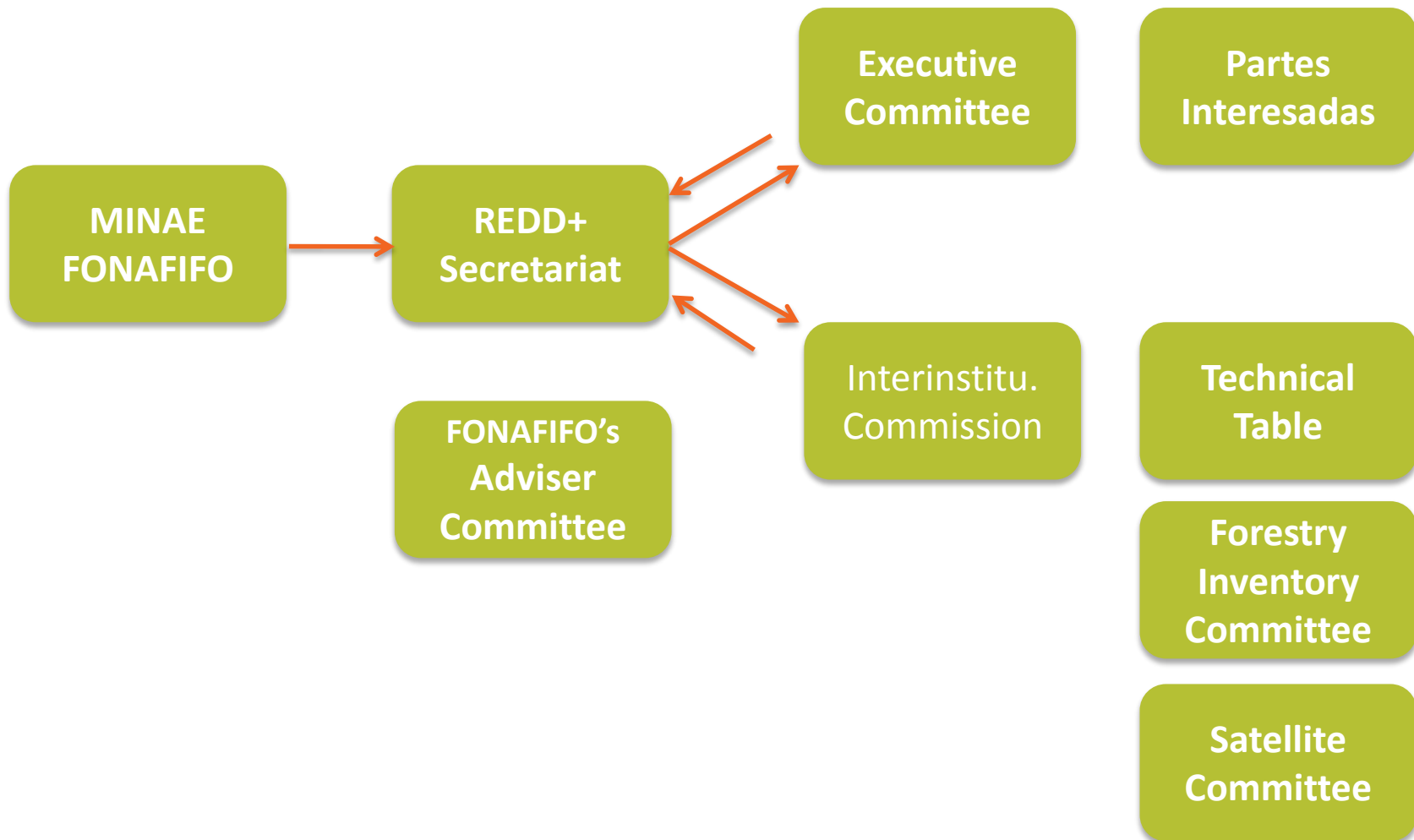
Stakeholders:



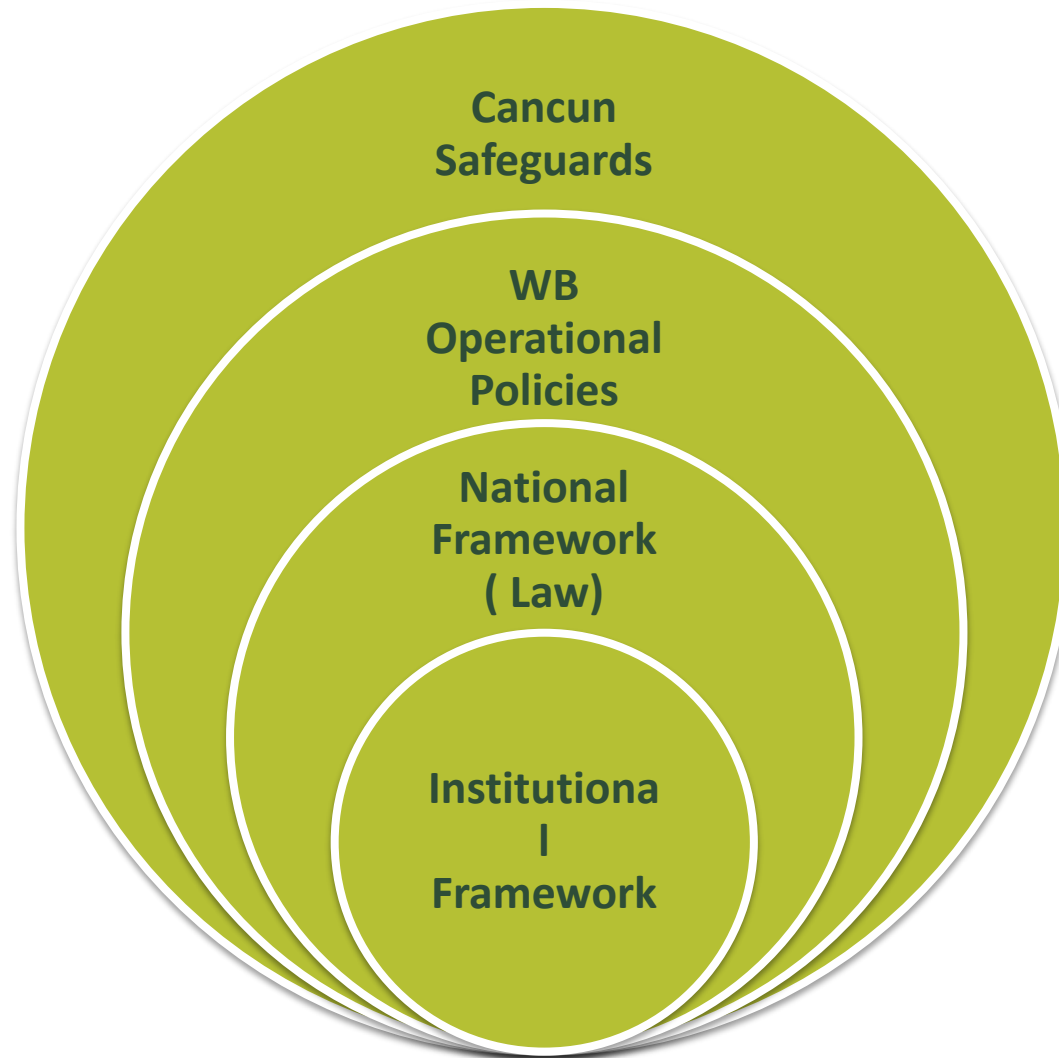
Indigenous Structure



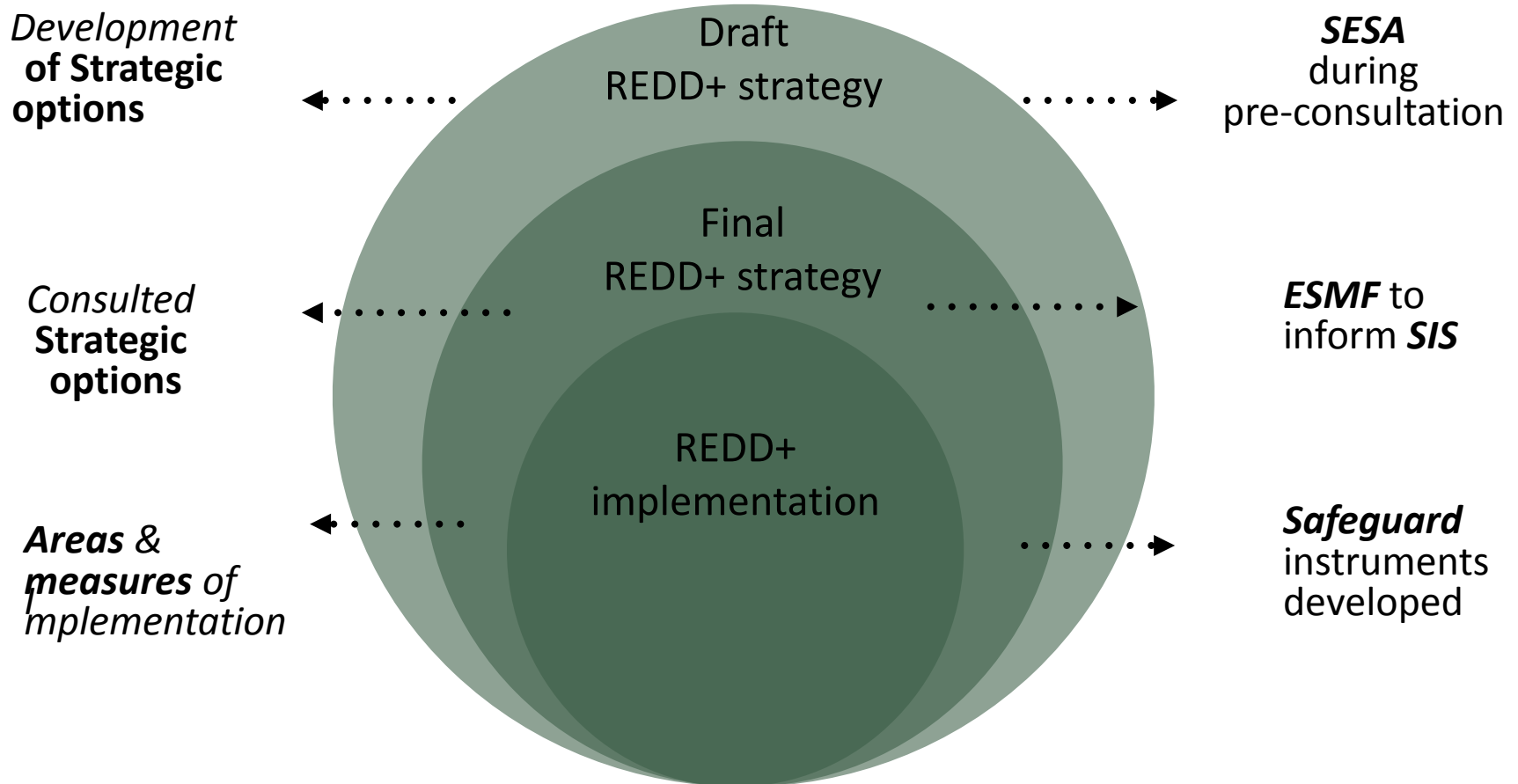
Governance Structure



Costa Rica's Country Safeguards Approach:



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National Framework

- National Development Forestry Plan 2011-2020
- National Strategy for Climate Change
- Forest Fire Management
- International Agreements
- Biodiversity Law
- **Environment Law**
- Forestry Law
- Indigenous Law



Timeline

TS1: gathering and
Analyzing data,
ideas for indicators

2013

Partnership: FONAFIFO
And CENIGA
Draft of indicators, submitted
For consultation (92**)

2014

Final Document:
Political and
administrative
approach

April
2015

Trial
Make
It official
Comm's
strategy

2015



SIS Objectives

- Gather and report relevant information that demonstrate the approach and compliance of Cancun's Safeguards
- Define indicators that simplify decision making for institutions during REDD+ Implementation
- Contribute with country reports and National Communications
- Provide accessible information for the different stakeholders, including cooperation agencies



SIS Design: Document

1

For each safeguard, addresses concept, **institutional** and/or policy context, legal information

2

Information Systems Available.
Reference to National of Environmental Indicators (SINIA)

3

Proposal of structure and indicators for REDD-SIS Module
(20 indicators)



National Center of Environmental Information (CENIGA) and SINIA

- Information system with environmental indicators, used to measure progress and relationship with economic and social indicators
- National System for Environmental Information (SINIA): official platform for institutional coordination. Reference for developing country reports and National Communications.



NOMBRE DEL INDICADOR	Respeto de los derechos de los pueblos indígenas y de las comunidades locales
Salvuarda REDD	C, D
Meta	0
Definición	Número de denuncias interpuestas sobre medidas REDD que lesionan derechos de pueblos indígenas y comunidades locales
Fórmula	Sumatoria del número de denuncias presentadas por miembros de territorios indígenas y comunidades locales, mediante mecanismo formales
Unidad de Medida	Número de denuncias
Frecuencia de medición	Anual
Fuente de datos	<p>Listado de derechos de los territorios indígenas y comunidades locales levantado durante el proceso de preparación para REDD</p> <p>Mecanismo de Queja de REDD</p> <p>Recursos de Amparo</p> <p>Recursos de Inconstitucionalidad</p> <p>Demandas ante la Corte Interamericana de Derechos o ante la OIT</p>
Clasificación indicador	Producto

Next Steps

- Validate final indicators
- Action plan for filling the gaps
- Have a trial phase (maybe with ERPROGRAM)
- Stakeholder engagement
- Training
- Establish entity responsible for the SIS module



Lessons Learned

- Define your CSA and how to link all the process
- Analyze existing structures
- Have your National plan or at least a draft
- Manage Communication
- Map your stakeholders, and organize participation based in time and technical competencies



Lessons Learned

- Do not generate expectations
- Keep it simple
- Enhance Institutional Arrangements and governance structures
- Focus on your Benefits/Risks -> REDD+ activity
-> Policy -> Safeguard



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