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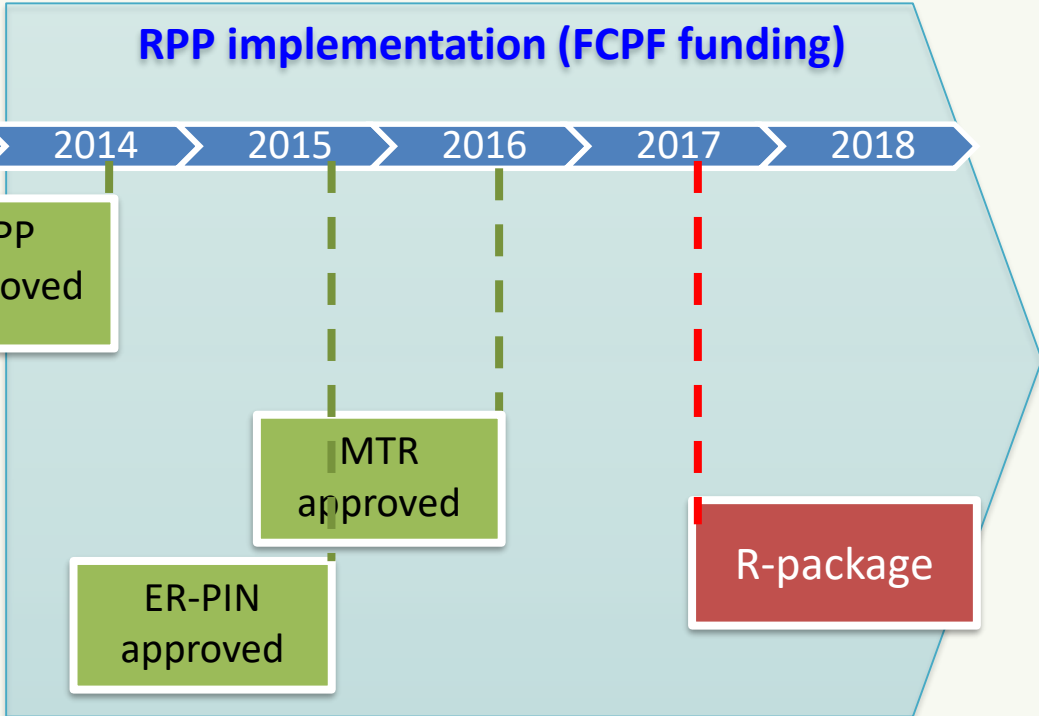
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# MADAGASCAR REDD+ READINESS PROCESS



UN –REDD,  
Government  
World bank, GIZ



2001 > 2008 > 2009 > 2010 > 2014 > 2015 > 2016 > 2017 > 2018

R-PIN  
Approved

National  
validation of  
RPP

RPP  
approved

ER-PIN  
approved

MTR  
approved

R-package

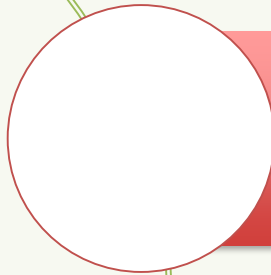
ER-PD  
designing

REDD+ Pilot projects

# NATIONAL REDD+ VISION



Reducing emissions 15% per year until 2030



*Reducing deforestation and degradation rate*



*Increasing forest coverage through reforestation and restoration of degraded forests*

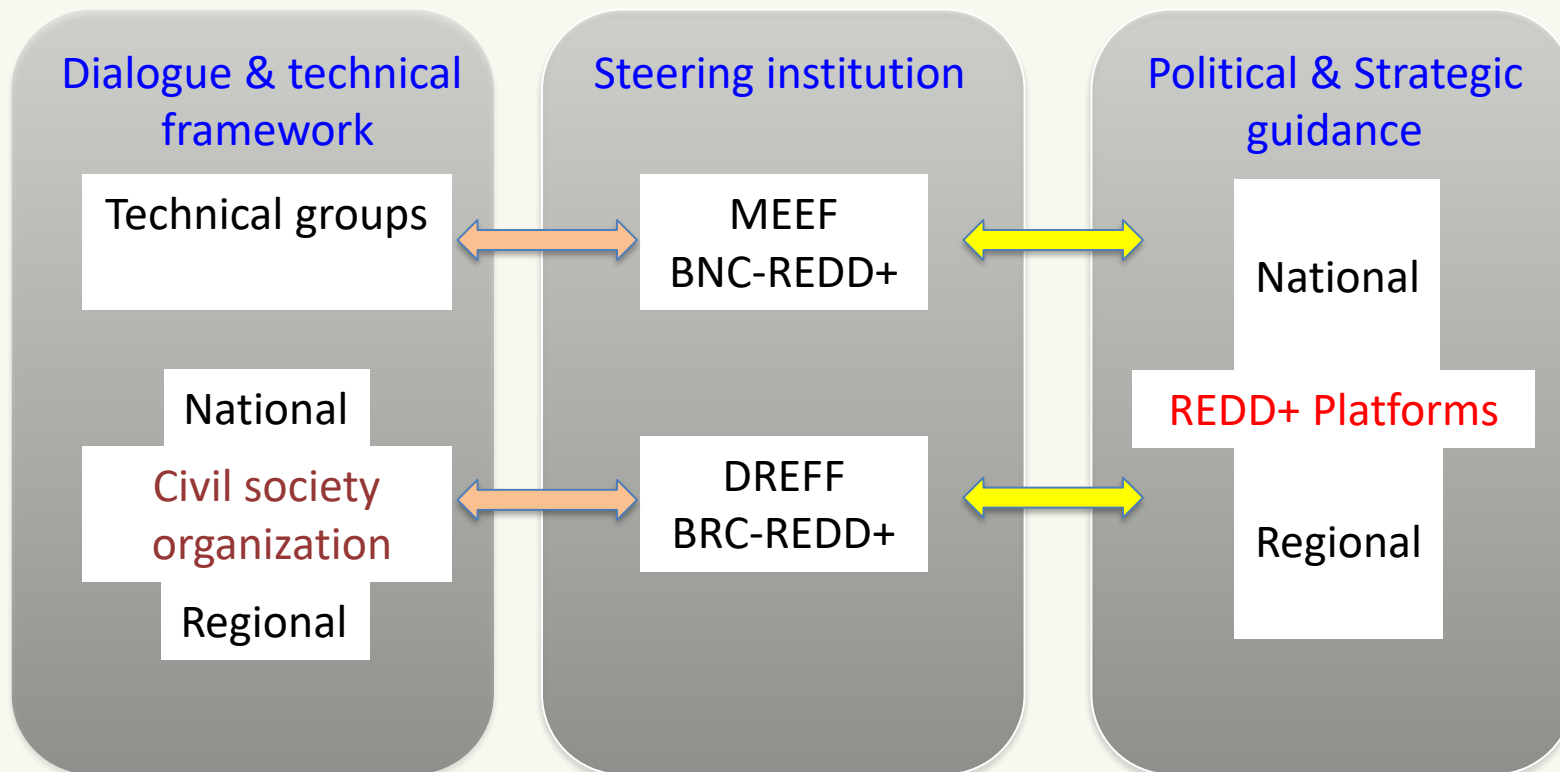
# Component 1: Readiness Organization and Consultation



## Sub-component 1a: National REDD+ Management Arrangements

№	Evaluation criterion	Final rating
1	Accountability and transparency	✓
2	Operational mandate and budget	✓
3	Mechanism for multi-sector coordination and cross-sector collaboration	✓
4	Technical supervision capacity	✓
5	Fund management capacity	✓
6	Mechanism for information feedback and grievances	✓
7	participation and commitment of major stakeholders	✓

### KEY ACHIEVEMENTS



# Component 1: Readiness Organization and Consultation



## *Sub-component 1a: National REDD+ Management Arrangements*

### **ACTION PLAN**

- Capacity strengthening of REDD+ institutions (SLC, Communes, BRC, PFN, PFR, OSC)
- Elaboration of Investment plan and guide to roles and responsibilities
- Improvement of communication & information sharing (PFN, PFR)
- Elaboration of financial and administrative procedure manuals
- Capacity building for implementation of the FGRM



# Component 1: Readiness Organization and Consultation



## *Sub-component 1b: Consultation, participation and outreach*

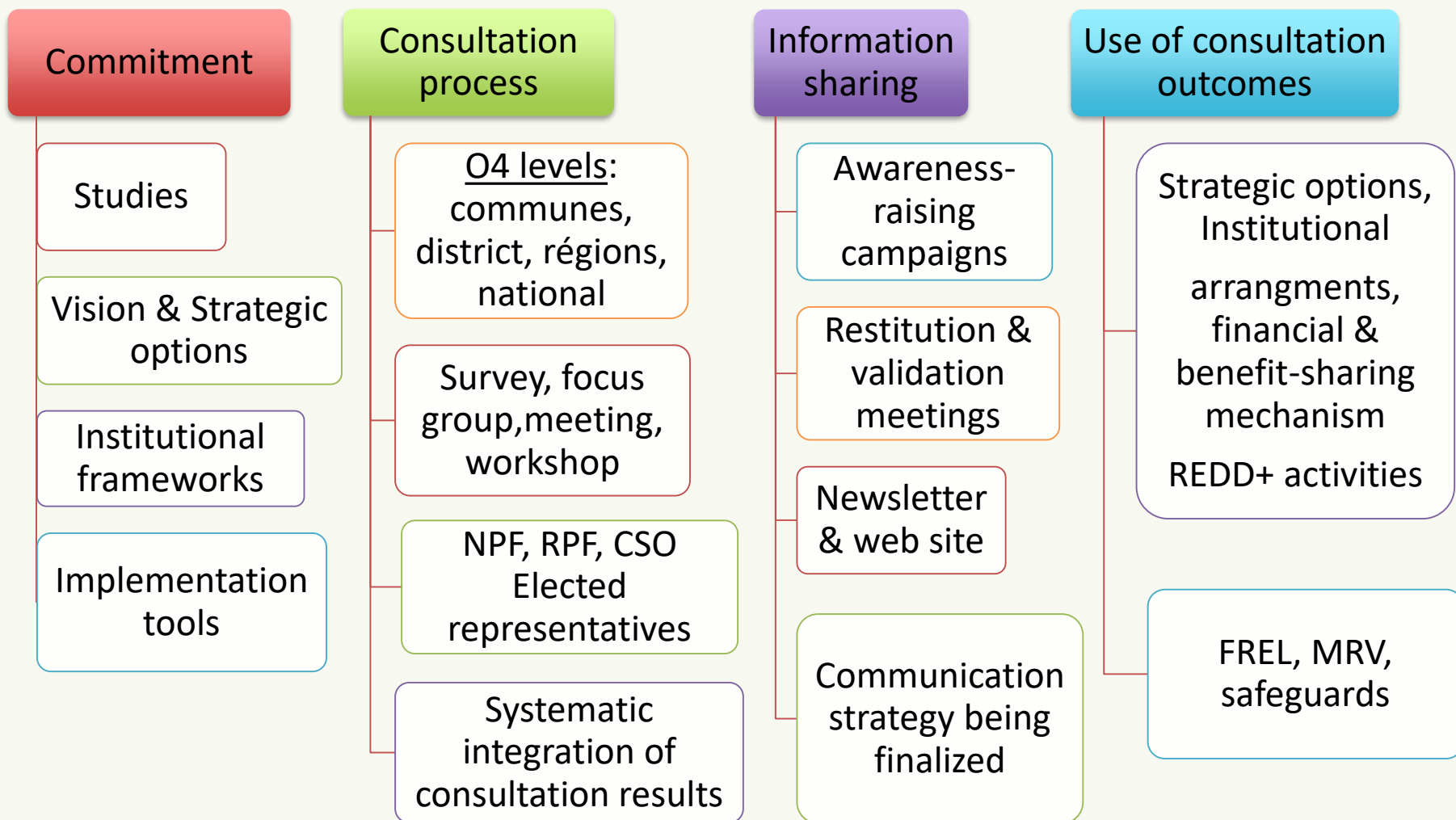
№	Evaluation criterion	Final rating
7.	Participation and commitment of major stakeholders	B
8.	Consultation process	B
9.	Information dissemination and access to information	B
10.	Use and disclosure of the results of consultations	C

# Component 1: Readiness Organization and Consultation



## Sub-component 1b: Consultation, participation and outreach

### KEY ACHIEVEMENTS



# Component 1: Readiness Organization and Consultation



## *Sub-component 1b: Consultation, participation and outreach*

### **ACTION PLAN**

- Support women's organization
- More integration of local agents in consultation team leaders
- Implementation of the national REDD+ communication strategy
- Use of variety of methods of communication
- Ensuring prompt circulation of reports to all invited parties and establishing mechanisms for communication and feedback to local levels

# Component 2: Preparation of the REDD+ strategy



## Sub-component 2a: Assessment of land use, drivers of change in the allocation of land, forest laws, policies and governance

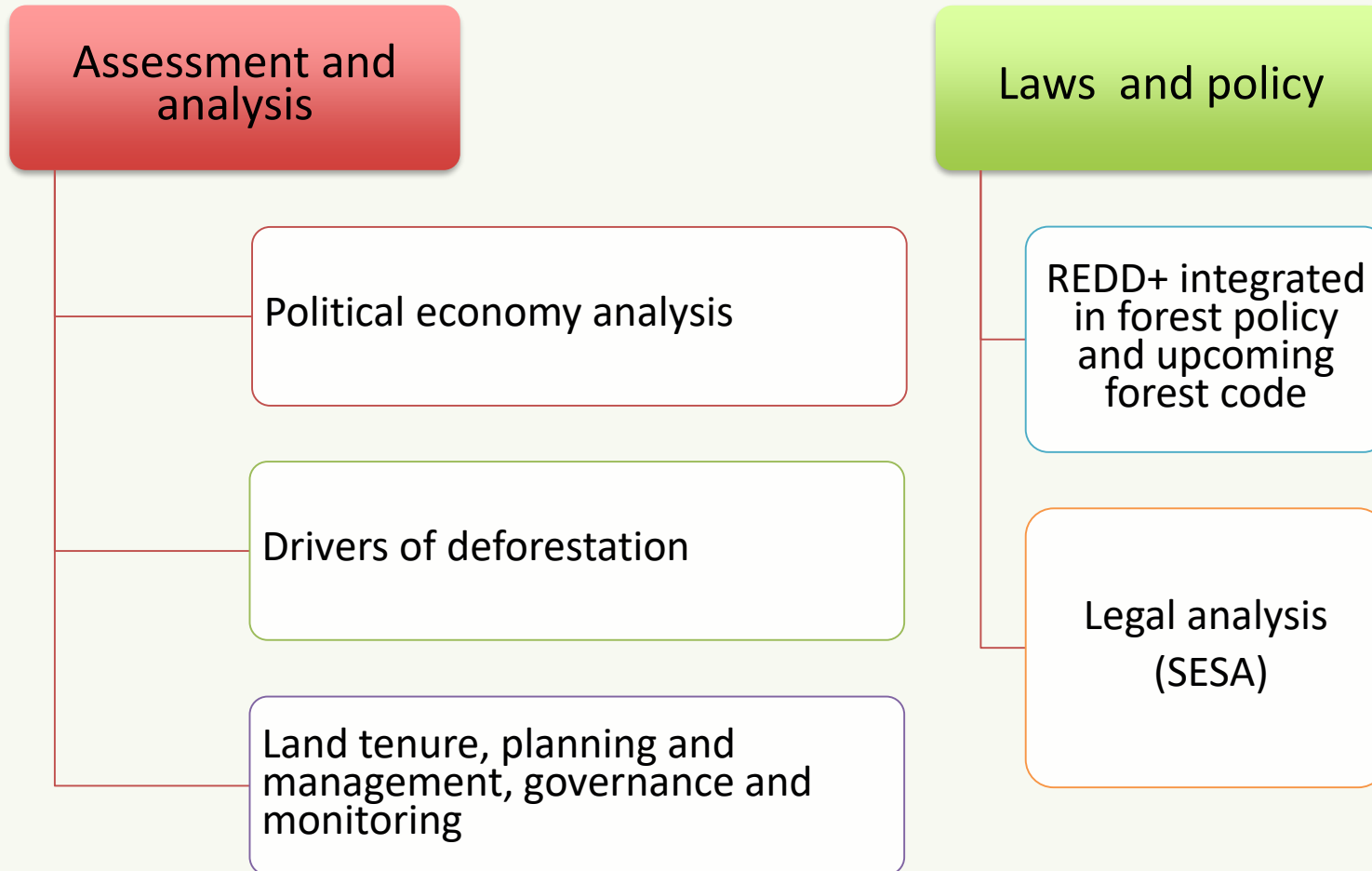
N°	Evaluation criterion	Final rating
11.	Assessment and analysis	A
12.	Ranking of favorable/unfavorable elements, direct and indirect elements, the development of forests	A
13.	Linking these favorable/unfavorable elements and the activities of REDD+	A
14.	Action plans to take into account rights to natural resources, land tenure and governance	A

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### KEY ACHIEVEMENTS



## Component 2: Preparation of the REDD+ strategy



### ***Sub-component 2a: Assessment of land use, drivers of change in the allocation of land, forest laws, policies and governance***

- Development of an action plan for the implementation of the REDD+ National strategy



# Component 2: Preparation of the REDD+ strategy



## Sub-component 2b: REDD+ Strategy

№	Evaluation criterion	Final rating
16.	Selection and prioritization of strategic options for REDD+	B
17.	Feasibility assessment	B
18.	Impacts of strategic options on the sectoral policies in force	B

Selection and prioritization of strategic options

Public consultation

National and regional Platforms

### 4 Strategic options:

- Improve political framework and governance of the sectors concerned by DD
- Promote sustainable management and effective use of forest resources
- Sustainable and effective development of rural land and spaces
- Implement Sustainable alternatives

- Environmental and social issues  
- Potential impacts of strategic options (SESA)



Meeting with decision-makers (MEEF)

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## *Sub-component 2b: REDD+ Strategy*

### **ACTION PLAN**

- Meeting with decision-makers (Government, Parliament, other sectors)
- Development of REDD+ regional strategy
- Finalization of REDD+ National strategy

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## *Sub-component 2c: Implementation framework*

N°	Evaluation criterion	Final rating
19.	Adoption and application of laws and regulations	B
20.	Implementation guidelines	B
21.	Benefit-sharing arrangement	B
22.	National REDD+ registry and REDD+ monitoring system	C

## KEY ACHIEVEMENTS

- Integration of the REDD + concept into the revised forest policy adopted in June 2017
- Creation of REDD + institutions through regulatory texts (NFP, PFR)
- Ongoing studies on benefit sharing

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## *Sub-component 2c: Implementation framework*

### **ACTION PLAN**

- Propose implementing laws for REDD+: carbon taxation, carbon law, benefit sharing, institutional arrangements, financial arrangements and grievance management
- Finalize benefit-sharing mechanism at different implementation levels
- Create a specific and independent REDD+ national fund
- Establish forest carbon national registry

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## Sub-component 2d: Social and environmental impacts

N°	Evaluation criterion	Final rating
23.	Analysis of issues relating to social and environmental safeguards	B
24.	The design of the REDD+ strategy based on impact	B
25.	Environmental and Social Management Framework	B

Strategic Environmental and Social Assessment  
Safeguards framework

### KEY ACHIEVEMENTS

Environmental, socio-economic and governance issues analysis

Prioritization of issues leading to improvement and prioritization of strategic options

Evaluation of potential impacts of strategic options and safeguard measures >> SESA being finalized

Safeguards Framework (ESMF, RPF, PF) being finalized

# Component 2: Preparation of the REDD+ strategy



## *Sub-component 2c: Implementation framework*

### **ACTION PLAN**

- Finalization and validation of safeguards framework
- Capacity reinforcement for the operationalization of safeguards framework

# Component 3 : FOREST REFERENCE EMISSION LEVEL/FOREST REFERENCE LEVEL



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	Evaluation criterion	Final rating
26.	Demonstration of the method	
27.	Use of historical data and adaptation to the national context	
28.	Technical feasibility of the methodological approach and compliance with the UNFCCC guidelines and with IPCC recommendations and guidelines	

## • KEY ACHIEVEMENTS

- ✓ National FREL elaborated using available data (IEFN 1996, Est secondary forest inventory in 2016, published scientific paper on mangroves), used historical average method.
- ✓ FREL submitted to UNFCCC and improved according to their recommendations ;

## ACTION PLAN

- Improve the national FREL (Forest Reference Emissions Level) integrating forest inventory data from the western dry forest eco-region, mangrove forest and spiny forest;
- Update the national deforestation analysis with the data for 2016



# Component 4: Forest monitoring systems and safeguards measures



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## Sub-component 4a: NFMS and MRV

	Evaluation criterion	Final rating
29.	Explanation of the monitoring method	
30.	Demonstration of the first phases of application	
31.	Institutional arrangements and capacity	

### • KEY ACHIEVEMENTS

- ✓ NFMS based on three elements :
  - Satellite monitoring system hosted by Laboratoire géomatique
  - National forest inventory carried out in a progressive manner with the *Directorate General for Forestry*;
  - Greenhouse gas inventory carried out in collaboration with the *National Climate Change Coordination Office*
- ✓ MRV institutional arrangements developed

# Component 4: Forest monitoring systems and safeguards measures



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## ACTION PLAN

- Develop an action plan to finalize the development and operationalization of the NFMS/MRV system
- Implement the system MRV with the involvement of the stakeholders (GMC, GT REL)
- Formalize the Laboratoire géomatique
- Validate the MRV manual



Data collection training in the Laboratoire Géomatique

# Component 4: Forest monitoring systems and safeguards measures



## *Sub-component 4b: System of information on the multiple advantages, other impacts, governance and safeguards*

No	Evaluation criterion	Final rating
32.	Identification of aspects not connected with carbon and relevant social and environmental issues	B
33.	Monitoring, reporting, and exchange of information	B
34.	Institutional arrangements and capacity (2)	B

**KEY ACHIEVEMENTS**

- Analysis of the political economy of deforestation and degradation
- Safeguards measures identified through Strategic Environmental and Social Assessment

PCI for Madagascar

- 7 principles, 24 criteria and 132 indicators

SIS finalized

- Web application
- Baseline for safeguards monitoring
- Monitoring protocol established

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## *Sub-component 4b: System of information on the multiple advantages, other impacts, governance and safeguards*

### **ACTION PLAN**

- Capacity building of SIS monitoring managers
- Elaboration of guide of roles and responsibilities



# CONCLUSION



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- Inclusive process
- Central roles for REDD+ platforms
- Responsive management to improve program overtime
- National REDD+ strategy will be tested in the ER-program





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