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GEF Support to Reduce Emissions from AFOLU

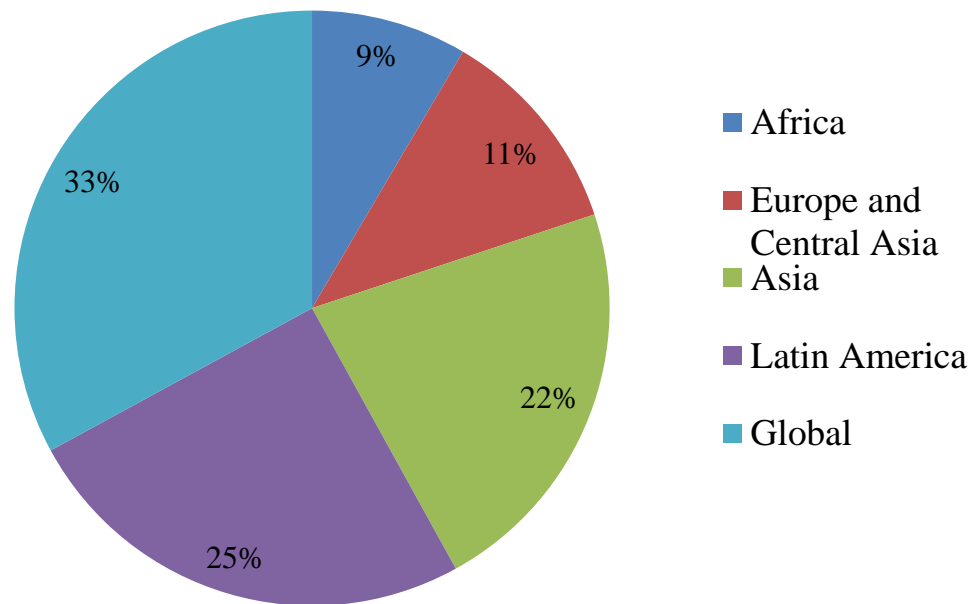
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GEF Experience: Land use and Mitigation

- In 1991 GEF started LULUCF pilot projects - \$4.1 million
- GEF-4 (2006-2010) - \$122.1 million
- GEF-5 (2010-2014)- \$776 million

Regional Distribution and Investments in Land Use Projects in GEF-5

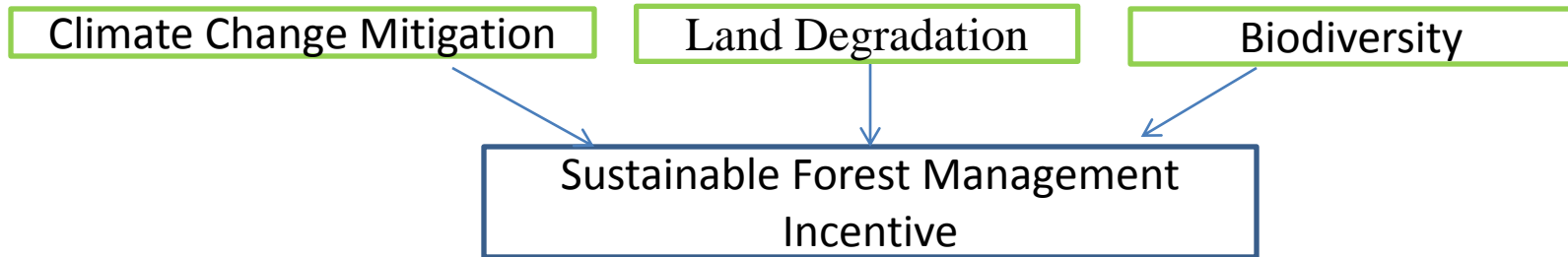


Significant increase in demand for LULUCF projects from countries



AFOLU: A GEF Experience

- 11 Agencies, Developing countries and Economies in Transition



- GEF-5 (2010-2014) Climate Change Mitigation Objective 5

To Promote conservation and enhancement of carbon stocks through sustainable land use.

Outcome 5.1: Good management practices in LULUCF adopted both within the forest land and in the wider landscape

Outcome 5.2: Restoration and enhancement of carbon stocks in forests and non-forest lands, including peatland

Sustainable Land Management

- Forests (forestry and energy)
- Peatlands
- Agriculture



Forests: Range of Supported Activities

- Scientifically-backed methodology and protocols for measuring carbon stocks and fluxes
- Set of policies and standards for Nationally Appropriate Mitigation Action in the forest sector
- GHG emission reference levels
- Methodology for REDD+ pilot project in the dry forest applied
- Implementation of REDD+ pilots
- SFM, conservation and reforestation
- Integrated district-level forest fire prevention systems
- Energy-efficient stoves program reduces firewood consumption
- Livelihood diversification

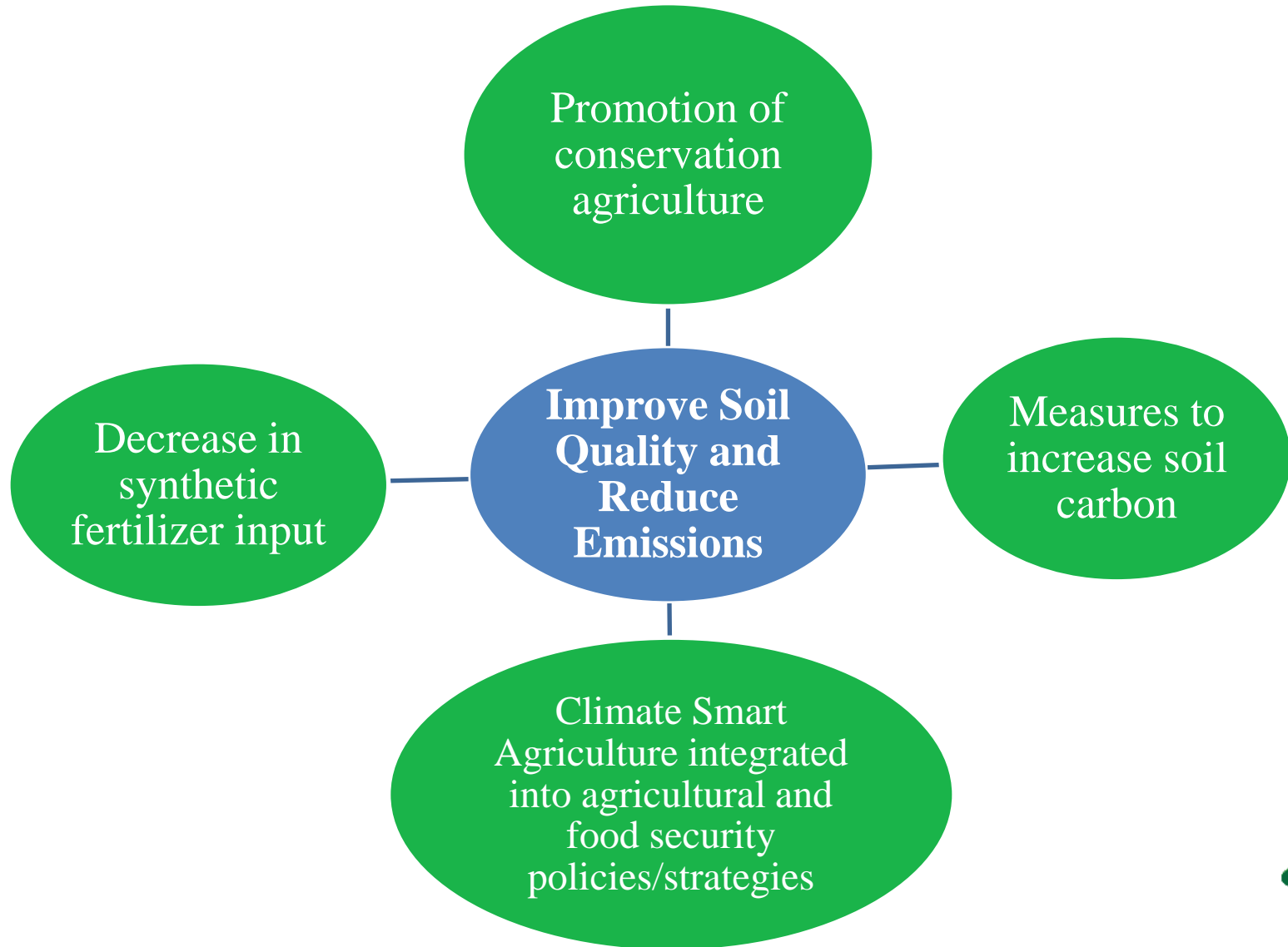
Technical Assistance

REDD+

Implementation



Agriculture: Range of Supported Activities



Key Messages and Opportunities

- Impactful mitigation actions in integrated projects and programs
- Actions largely limited to symptoms of emissions from LULUCF
- Risk taking, pilot and demonstration activities
- Difficulties in monitoring and measuring mitigation benefits

- Projects designed to generate multiple benefits and progress tracked
- Focus on drivers and underlying causes
- Pilot and demonstration activities linked to policies and scaling up measures
- Adoption of agreed upon methodologies

Promote conservation and enhancement of carbon stocks in forests and other land use, and support climate smart agriculture

Demonstrate Systemic Impacts of Mitigation Options

GEF-6 Climate Change Mitigation Strategy Objective 2



GEF-6 Climate Mitigation Strategy

1. Promote innovation & technology transfer

- Program 1: Low carbon technologies and mitigation options
- Program 2: Innovative policy packages and market initiatives

2. Demonstrate systemic impacts of mitigation options

- Program 3: Integrated low-carbon, urban systems
- Program 4: Forests and other land use, and climate smart agriculture

3. Foster enabling conditions to mainstream mitigation concerns into SD strategies

- Program 5: Convention obligations for planning and mitigation targets

Goal:

To support developing countries to make transformational shifts towards low emission, resilient development path

Program 4:

- Policies, practices and accounting measures (MRV) in forests, peatlands and other landuse.
- Focus on Climate Smart Agriculture.
- Mitigation Impact through AFOLU.



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