



Improving the Effectiveness of REDD+ Finance

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Questions

- What is meant by “coordination of support” for REDD+ financing and actions?
- What are the barriers to the coordination of support for the implementation of REDD+ activities, and how can these barriers be overcome?
- What are the functions and elements necessary to improve the coordination of support for the implementation of REDD+ activities?
- Are these the right questions?

What is meant by coordination of support?

- Many different vehicles for support for the implementation of REDD+ activities
 - Domestic
 - Bilateral
 - Non-Governmental
 - Private Sector
 - Multilateral
 - All: market and/or non-market
- How do we ensure this support contributes effectively to implementing coherent national REDD+ strategies?

Coordination underway

- **Domestic:** Efforts on donor coordination, REDD+ strategies ✓
- **Bilateral:** 5-Party Donor coordination, SilvaCarbon, FCMC, etc ✓
- **Multilateral:** Coordination among FCPE, FIP, UN-REDD ✓
- **All:** Voluntary REDD+ Database ✓

Barriers remain

- Weak systems/ capacity
- Little domestic coordination of partners
- Few published national strategies/ action plans
- Lack of visibility on gaps, uses of other finance
- Few registries to track units, transactions
- Lack of agreed methodological approaches

Barrier? **Opportunity!**

Multiple vehicles for finance

- Fulfill different priorities and needs
- Allow each country to choose the financing approach that best fits its national circumstances

New institution?

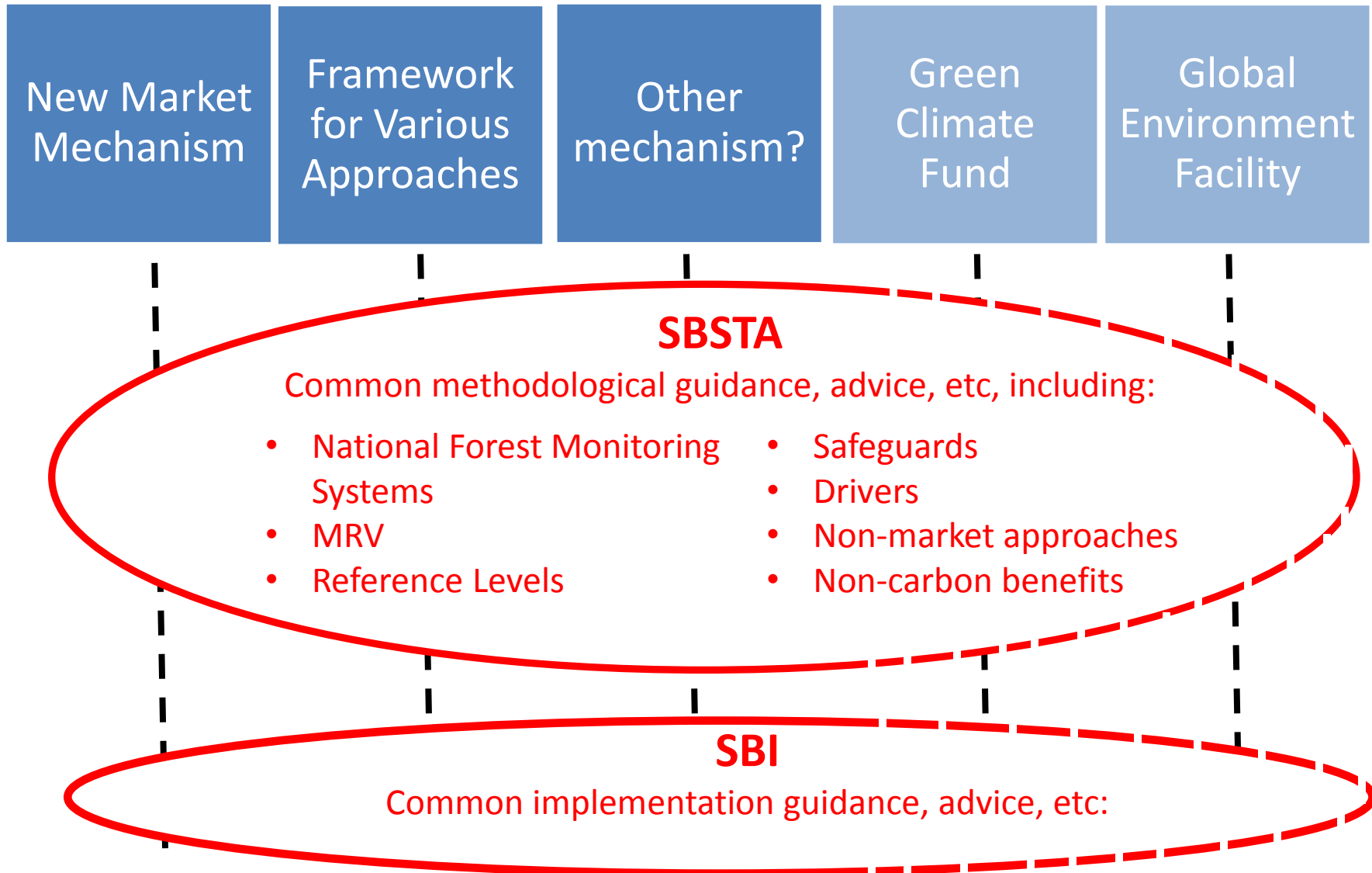
New body or institutional arrangement, similar to the Tech or Adaptation Committees?

- Advice, recommendations, coordination to relevant bodies
- Meetings and workshops
- Reports and information analysis
- Information sharing, exchanges of information sharing, lessons learned

New institutional arrangement?

Are the potential modalities
and functions already
fulfilled?

Advice, recommendations, coordination...



Information exchange...

SBSTA, COP Workprogram,
SBSTA/SBI

REDD+ Partnership

FCPF, UN-REDD, FIP

South-South efforts

Bilateral/ Regional Initiatives

Civil Society-Led Efforts

- Meetings
- Workshops
- Reports
- Research
- Synthesis
- Lessons learned
- Exchange of experiences
- Etc...

New institutional arrangement?

- Proposed functions are already filled
- Doesn't address identified barriers
- Takes a lot of time: creates delays, additional costs
- Our judgment: this would not contribute effectively to implementing coherent national REDD+ strategies

Better question?

How do we ensure support contributes more effectively to the implementation of REDD+?

Making support more effective

- Additional focus on building stronger systems, institutions, capacity
- National processes to facilitate coordination among partners
- Clear national visions: progress on national strategies/ action plans
- Visibility on gaps, uses of finance
- Use of appropriate tools, risk reduction
- Development of unit registries
- Agreed methodological guidance

Making support more effective

- Create confidence REDD+ can succeed



Thank you!

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