# UN-REDD related work of FAO in the Asia-Pacific region

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#### 22<sup>nd</sup> APFC Session Recommendations 2008:

#### For attention of Governments and FAO:

- Priorities and potential synergies focus on critical issues
- Policies and strategies on climate change mitigation and adaptation into nfps
- REDD methodologies
- PES and livelihood benefits from REDD
- REDD readiness
- Information and experience in region on climate change challenges
- Analytical capacities for clarifying climate change mechanisms
- Guidelines for national forest climate change adaptation plans

Certification REDD nfps Farm forests

**PES** 

FLEG RIL Biodiversity BD corridors

Biospheres Plantations

Livelihoods

MAR Bioenergy

Agroforestry Climate change

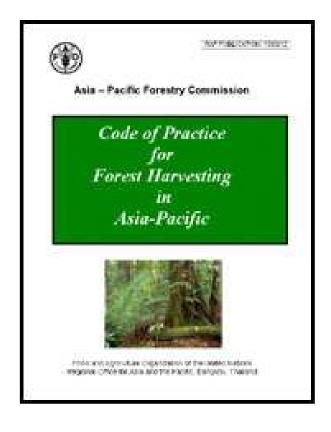
**Co-benefits** 

ntfps National parks

CoP Model Forests

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### Subregional Capacity-Building Workshop on Forest, Biodiversity and Climate Change, 2-5 September 2009, Singapore



Development and implementation of national codes of practice for forest harvesting in Asia and the Pacific





#### FAO's support for enhancing SFM:



Reduced Impact Logging (RIL)
Forest certification
FLEG
Policy and institutional changes



National Forest Programmes: <u>270 Proposals for Action (IPF/IFF)</u>
Added emphasis on: participatory, multi-stakeholder, equitable, sd

APFC Session (Hanoi): Policies and strategies on climate change mitigation and adaptation into nfps

REDD Activities	Proposals for Action
Maintain or increase forest land area:	Underlying causes of deforestation and forest degradation:
<ul><li>reduce deforestation</li><li>increase afforestation</li><li>reforestation</li></ul>	<ul><li>studies</li><li>policies, those of other sectors</li><li>information/public awareness</li></ul>



#### **MAR**

Project: Strengthening Monitoring, Assessment and Reporting (MAR) on Sustainable Forest Management in Asia (GCP/INT/988/JPN)

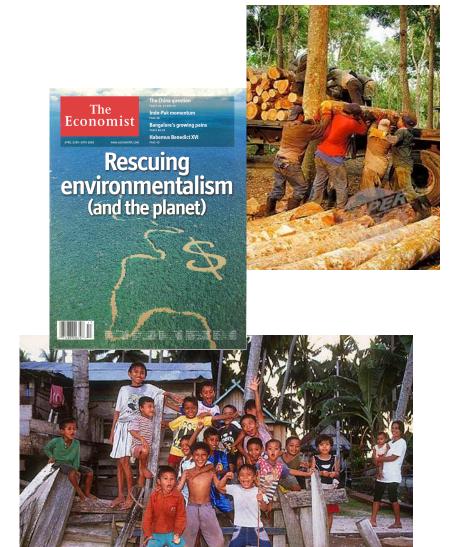
- Collaboration with international processes on forests
  - √ Harmonization of international reporting processes (C&I, FRA, UNFF, CBD, UNFCCC, etc.)
  - ✓ Consultations, training workshop





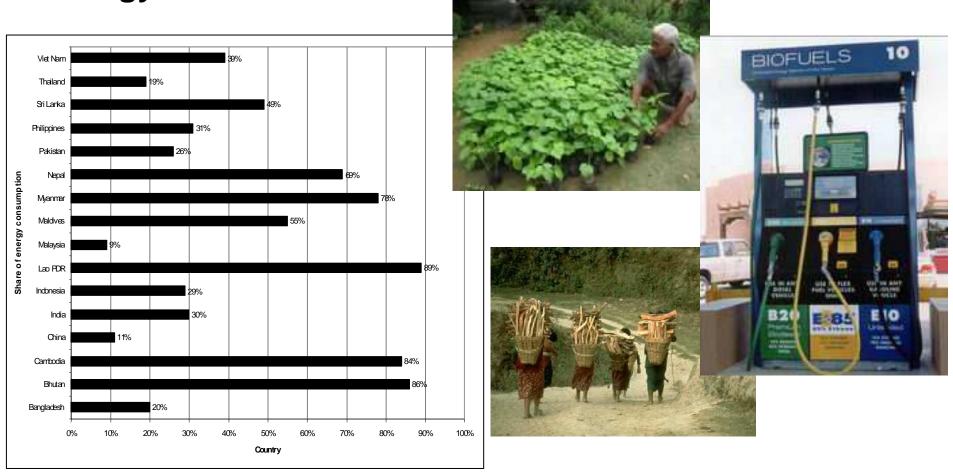
#### Additional projects...

- 1) Indigenous tree plantation programme Thailand
- 2) PES Communities (region)
- 3) ANR Philippines
- 4) Voluntary carbon markets forest communities (region)





**Energy Forest** 





#### **UN-REDD in Asia-Pacific**

- 1) UN-REDD Scoping in Viet Nam
- 2) Joint Declaration 17 Sep. 2009
- 3) Analysis of land use, forest policy & governance
- 4) Role of minorities
- 5) Design of MRV system
- 6) REDD dialogues with stakeholders
- 7) Design of payment system
- 8) Develop field based REDD pilot project







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