

# **REDD+ and PES: Rights and Trust**

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# **PNRPS: 6 CORE VALUES**

- 1. Care for the Earth and life in all its diversity**
- 2. Respect for human dignity**
- 3. Encourage social responsibility**
- 4. Attainment of social justice**
- 5. Transparency and accountability**
- 6. Empowerment through partnership and collaboration**

# REDD+, A Form of PES

- The PNRPS recognizes that REDD+ is a form of PES.
- PNRPS focuses on carbon valuation and payment as well as community and biodiversity appreciation and valuation
- Proposal by PNRPS: a complementary national strategy on PES be crafted and that a level of integration of such PES actions can be considered in REDD+ actions.

# REDD+ DISCOURSE

## UNFCCC COP 13, Bali 2007

### Decision 2/CP.13 Reducing emissions from deforestation in developing countries: approaches to stimulate action

- *...encourages Parties to explore a range of actions, identify options and undertake efforts, including demonstration activities, to address the drivers of deforestation relevant to their national circumstances, with a view to reducing emissions from deforestation and forest degradation and thus enhancing forest carbon stocks due to sustainable management of forests;*
- *... policy approaches and positive incentives on issues relating to reducing emissions from deforestation and forest degradation in developing countries; and the role of conservation, sustainable management of forests, and enhancement of forest carbon stocks....*
- *(from July 1-2 sessions on REDD, REDD+, PNRPS, and MRV)*

# REDD+ DISCOURSE

## UNFCCC COP 15, Copenhagen 2009

### Copenhagen Accord:

- *We recognize the crucial role of **reducing emission** from deforestation and forest degradation and the need to **enhance removals of greenhouse gas emission** by forests and agree on the need to provide positive incentives to such actions through the immediate establishment of a mechanism including REDD-plus, to enable the mobilization of financial resources from developed countries.*

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# REDD+ DISCOURSE

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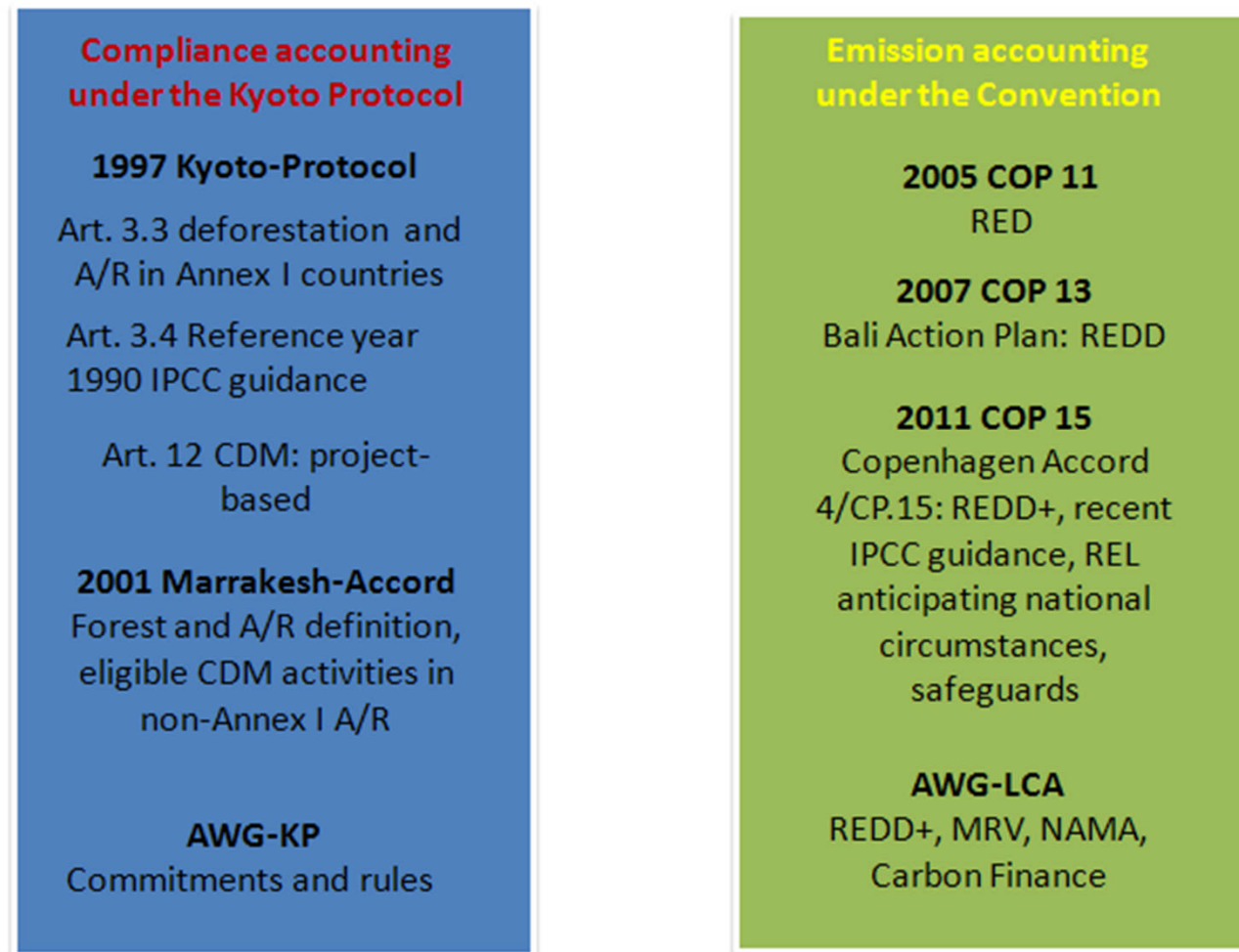
**Decision 4/CP.15: Methodological guidance for activities relating to reducing emissions from deforestation and forest degradation and the role of conservation, sustainable management of forests and enhancement of forest carbon stocks in developing countries**

- *Requests developing country Parties ...*
  - (a) To identify drivers of deforestation and forest degradation ...;*
  - (b) To identify activities within the country that result in reduced emissions and increased removals, and stabilization of forest carbon stocks;*
  - (c) To use the most recent IPCC guidance and guidelines ... as a basis for estimating anthropogenic forest-related greenhouse gas emissions by sources and removals by sinks, forest carbon stocks and forest area changes;*
  - (d) To establish ... national forest monitoring systems and, if appropriate, sub-national systems as part of national monitoring systems*

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# REDD-Plus and CDM

## Forest-based emission accounting within a 2-track approach



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# REDD+ DISCOURSE

## REDD and REDD-Plus

REDD-Plus as performance based incentive system for GHG mitigation and enhancement of carbon stocks

- **REDD** emissions reduction from deforestation and forest degradation
- **REDD-Plus** includes removal of emissions
  - ➔ *conservation of forest carbon stocks*
  - ➔ *sustainable management of forests*
  - ➔ *enhancement of forest carbon stocks*

### **Co-benefits:**

- Socio-economic benefits /livelihoods improvement
- Biodiversity conservation
- Ecosystem services

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# REDD+ DISCOURSE

## REDD-Plus and PAs

### Protected areas and intact forests within an IPCC compliant REDD-Plus accounting

#### Cases to be considered:

- ***Unexploited forests*** covered by a protection scheme
- ***Intact forests*** not threatened by future deforestation or forest degradation outside any management scheme
- ***Exploited forests*** within a protection scheme

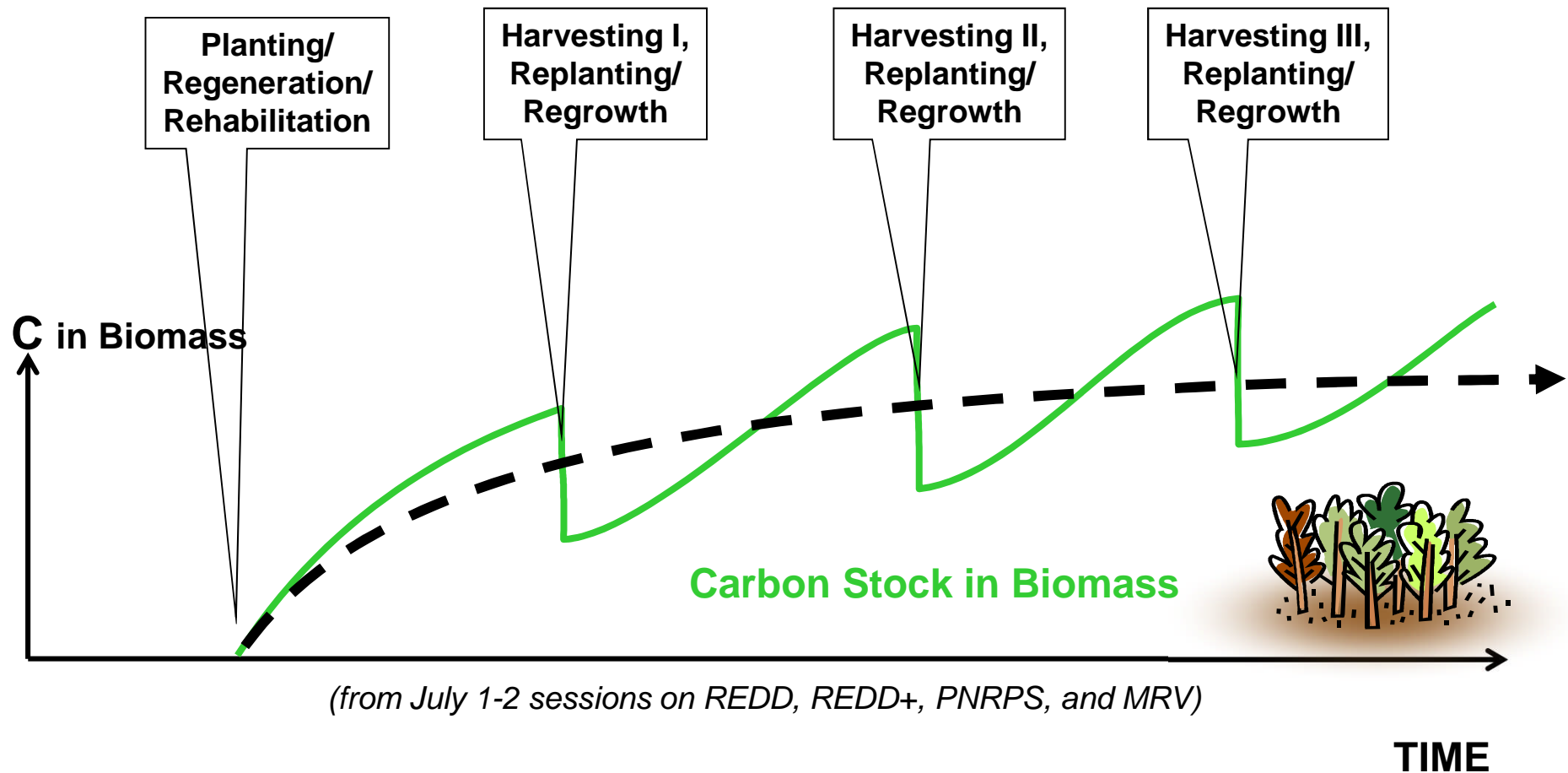
#### Eligibility under IPCC 2006

- ***Managed unexploited forests***: neither emission nor removal of GHGs
- ***Unmanaged intact forest***: neither emission nor removal of GHGs
- ***Managed non-intact forests***: regrowth in protected areas = gains of carbon stocks

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# Sustainably Managed Forests and Carbon Stocks

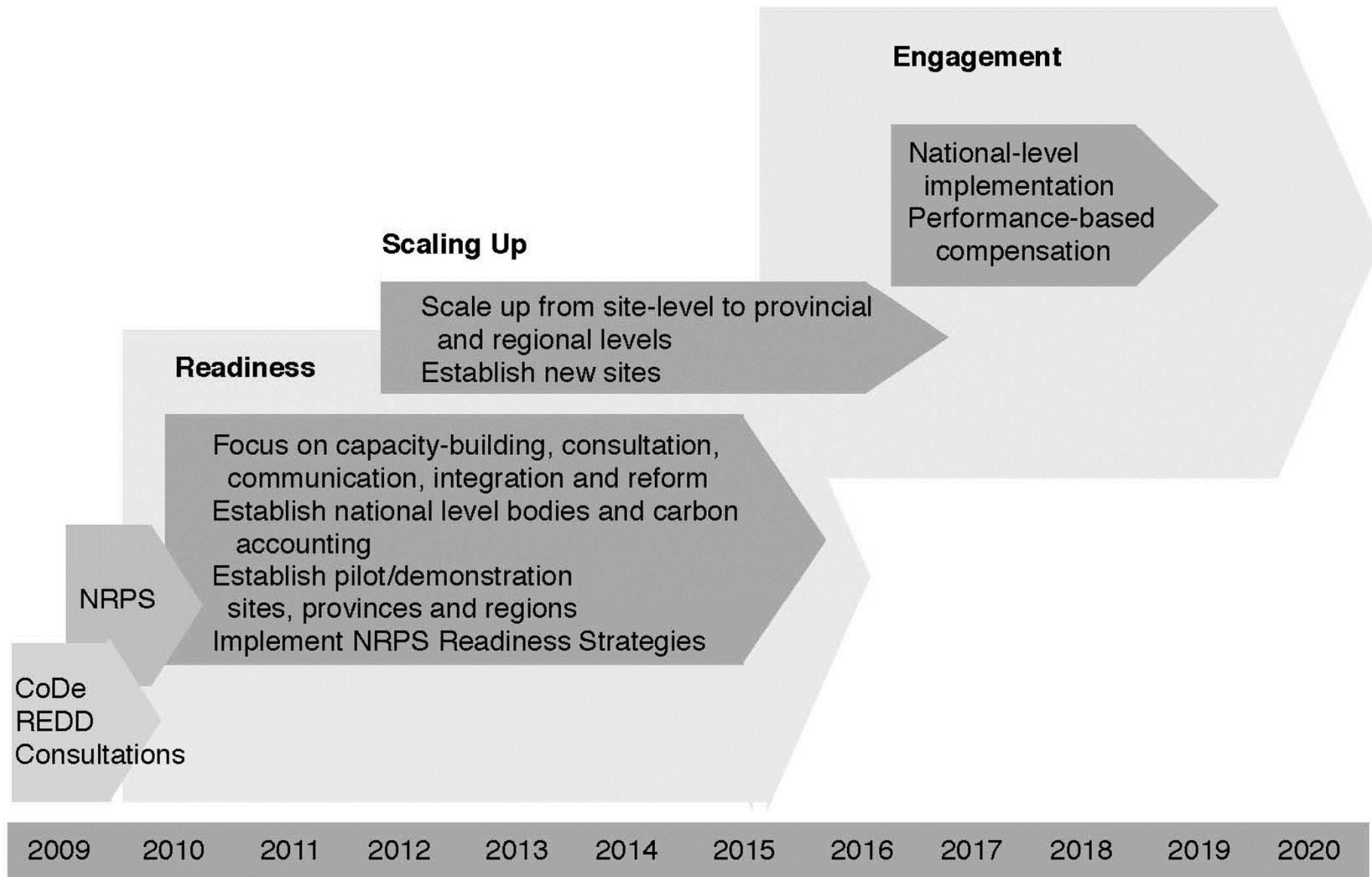
## Enhancement of carbon stocks



# ISSUE OF TRUST: CARBON TRADING SPECULATIONS

- CARBON TRADING CONTRACTS
- PIECE MEAL ACTIVITIES OUTSIDE OF THE NATIONAL FRAMEWORK

# PNRPS: ANTICIPATED TIMELINE



# READINESS AND CHALLENGES

- SAFEGUARDS AND BENEFIT-SHARING
- BEYOND ECONOMICS: HUMAN SECURITY THAT IS RIGHTS-BASED AND NON-DISCRIMINATORY
  - INFORMATION
  - HEALTH AND POPULATION MANAGEMENT
  - EDUCATION
  - ACCESS AND CONTROL
  - CULTURE