



REDD and Sustainable Forest Management in China

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Outline



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REDD+



- Climate change and forests
- Mitigation and adaptation
- Sinks and sources
- SFM, an important instrument

Bali Action Plan



Scope of REDD+ activities

- Deforestation and forest degradation
- Afforestation and reforestation, forest conservation and SFM.



China Policies/Measures(1)



- Medium and long-term forestry development plan(2005-2050)
- National key forestry programs, since 1998
- Resolution on accelerating forest development in china, 2003

China Policies/Measures(2)



- Compensation system for public interest forest, since 2004
- Opinions on advancing collective forest tenure reform all-around, 2008
- Central forestry working conference, 2009

China Policies/Measures(3)



- High level political commitment in NY CC summit, September 2009
- Forestry Action Plan to address CC, Nov 6, 2009
- China Forestry Assets and Equity Exchange, Nov 23, 2009

Main Challenges



- 7th national forest resources inventories

	National	Guangxi	Yunnan
Forest coverage	20.36%	52.71%	47.50%
Forest area (million ha)	195	12.525	18.177
Forest volume (million m ³)	13721	469	1554

Main Challenges



- Low forest quality and forest degradation
- Deforestation
- Low quality sites for afforestation and reforestation
- Multiple needs of society

Principles for REDD Action



- Local people centered and livelihood improvement
- Harmonization of human and nature
- Balance of conservation and economic development
- Multi-functions of the forests

APFNet



- A new initiative in Asia and the Pacific region
- Mission and objectives
- Activities in 2008-2009
- Potential activities in GMS



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