Proposal for scope and content of Phase I of the CH

Conceptual scope

This database would include information about funding from all sources for sustainable forest management (SFM). The funding source to be included in the database should contribute to SFM, defined

Official website

Database 2 - Database of Information and Learning Materials for Accessing Resources

Funding agencies/institutions have specific programmatic and operational rules to allow access to their funding. Lack of knowledge about these rules pose a major challenge to eligible countries. This database aims to address this challenge and facilitate access of countries to the resources of relevant funding institutions through providing necessary information and knowledge about the scope of work, and respective rules of these institutions.

Concept of the database

This database would include guides, tutorials, courses, training resources to enable users to improve accessibility to the funding sources that are identified in Database 1 Funding Sources/Opportunities. The information should help users to

- Identify which sources of financing are applicable to them based upon the specific eligibility criteria of the funding source.
- Be able to understand what they must do in order to apply and/or access the identified sources of financing.
- Understand what skills, expertise, and/or capabilities they must have in order to apply and/or access the funding opportunities

Content of the database

This database would largely feature direct weblinks to guides, tutorials, courses, training resources. Information to be included in this database would include information from CPF member organizations, UN and non UN sources. Information about these sources will be provided through a hyperlink to the original webpage of the respective information source. The UNFF-GFFFN training materials on accessing financing would be also available. The following areas of information would be provided by the database

- Subject Matter/Issue area , Project management, greenhouse gas accounting, Due diligence process, Institution specific requirements; Data sources; and others based on availability.
- Type of resource: , course, training material ie at Contain1 ° e d

This database would largely feature direct web links to lessons learned and best practices from Member States, CPF members and other organizations. It includes:

- Information from CPF member organizations, and UN system organizations that provide examples of projects that could be considered as "best practices" or "lessons learned"

- Importing information from other UN and non UN entities that are already labelled "best practices" or "lessons learned" by other organizations.

- Importing information about best practices, lessons learned and funding levels by Member states of the UN Forum on Forests through voluntary input from member states of the Forum. In this case, the UNFF national focal points /Permanent Missions in NY will serve as the authorized providers of such inputs.

( ) Payments for ecosystem services
( ) Protective functions of forests (soil and water management)
( ) Conservation and sustainable use of genetic diversity of forests and trees outside forests
( ) Traditional forest related knowledge
( ) Forest related education, training and extension
( ) Forests and trees in the urban context
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( ) Foreign and domestic private sector investment in sustainable forest management and forest-based enterprises

( ) Capacity-building to access and mobilize funds for sustainable forest management

( ) Expertise in expanding capacity-building in developing countries

( ) Public private partnerships

( ) Environmentally sound and innovative forest based technology and know how

( ) North South, South South and triangular technical and scientific cooperation

( ) North North technical and scientific cooperation

( ) Efficiency of forest based industries

( ) Forest science policy interface

( ) Best practices and innovative tools

( ) Regional and subregional financing sources and mechanisms

( ) Programmes and pilots for the implementation of the United Nations forest instrument and strategic plan

Global forest goal 5

Promote governance frameworks to implement sustainable forest management, including through the United Nations forest instrument, and enhance the contribution of forests to the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

The indicative thematic areas for action are:

( ) Cross sectoral coordination at all levels

( ) Integration of forest values into national planning and accounting

( ) Enabling environments for investment in sustainable forest management

( ) Forest law enforcement, governance and trade

( ) Illegal logging and associated trade

( ) Forest land tenure and land ownership

( ) Gender equality in the forest sector, including empowerment of women and girls

( ) Stakeholder engagement at all levels

( ) Public involvement in forest decision making

( ) Civil society partnerships

( ) The role of research in sustainable forest management

( ) Criteria and indicators for sustainable forest management

( ) Forest inventories and availability of reliable forest data and statistics

( ) National forest inventories and other official forest related data

( ) Legal policy and institutional framework for sustainable forest management

Global forest goal 6

Enhance cooperation, coordination, coherence and synergies on forest-related issues at all levels, including within the United Nations system and across member organizations of the Collaborative Partnership on Forests, as well as across sectors and relev a organizations of ts at all data

they have high liquidity and are standardized. Bonds can mobilize large amounts of funds. Green bonds are being designed for climate change and natural resource management. Bonds are suitable to be used in a wider portfolio approach to scale up financing of existing, well-introduced management and