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# Capacity-building Initiative for Transparency (CBIT) Progress and Prospects

ASIA REGIONAL WORKSHOP  
Partnership Retreat of the Partnership on Transparency in  
the Paris Agreement (PATPA)

April 24-26, 2019

# Paris Agreement decision requested the GEF to support the establishment and operation of the CBIT



## Aims of CBIT (paragraph 85)

- 1 To strengthen national institutions for transparency-related activities in line with national priorities;
- 2 To provide relevant tools, training and assistance for meeting the provisions stipulated in Article 13 of the Agreement;
- 3 To assist in the improvement of transparency over time.

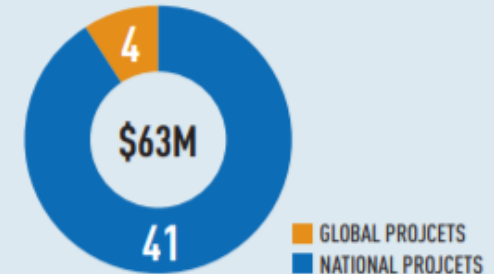
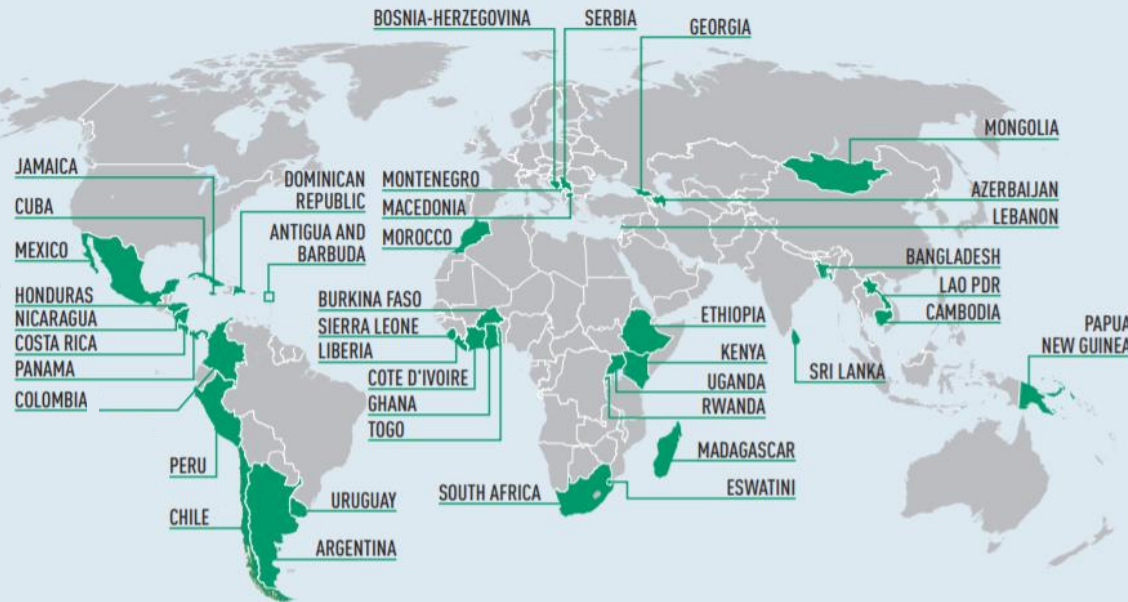


## Programming Strategy

## Key Considerations

- ✓ Alignment with Art. 13 and adopted rulebook
- ✓ Alignment with NDC
- ✓ Address identified capacity needs
- ✓ Alignment and coordination with other support (i.e. GEF, ICAT, etc.)
- ✓ Inter-ministerial coordination
- ✓ Feedback of data and information into policy-development
- ✓ Linkage with the Global Coordination Platform

# Programming Status as of April 15, 2019

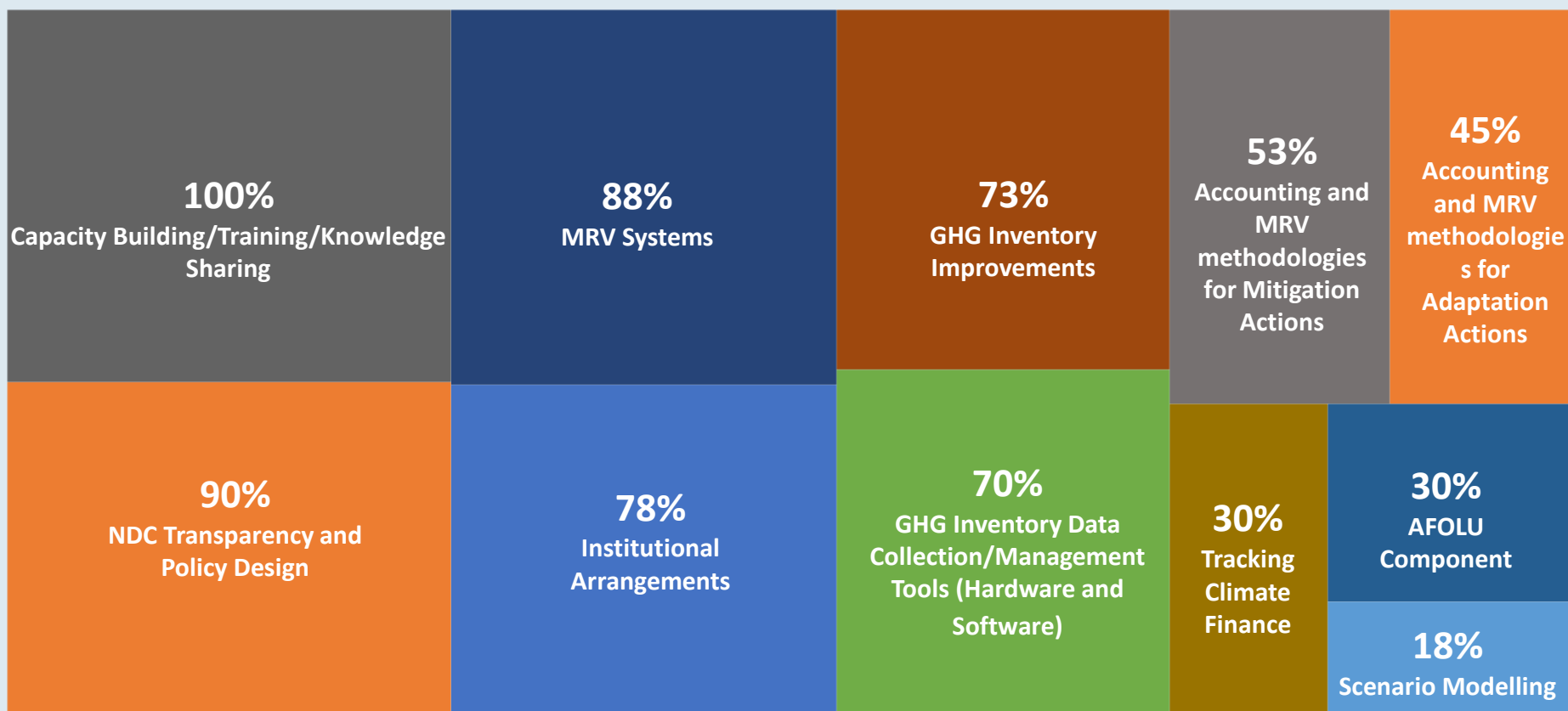


- ❑ 26% of non-Annex I Parties supported to date
- ❑ 11 Least Developed Countries (LDCs) and 5 Small Island Developing States (SIDS)
- ❑ 17 projects have begun implementation
- ❑ 4 global projects aim to improve knowledge sharing, coordination and facilitate additional capacity-building
- ❑ 5 agencies involved to date: Conservation International, FAO, IDB, UNEP and UNDP

## CBIT Support by Region



# Priorities among CBIT National Projects



# CBIT Outlook for GEF-7 (2018-2022)



- ✓ Continued implementation of GEF-6 projects
- ✓ New CBIT projects supported through GEF Trust Fund
  - Notional allocation of \$55 million
  - CBIT support continues from set-aside, outside of national allocations
  - Already aware of pipeline of interested countries
- ✓ Expansion of the CBIT Global Coordination Platform
  - Third CBIT Global Coordination Workshop in May
  - CBIT Global Coordination Platform and the Global Support Programme for NCs and BURs (GSP) to be combined
- ✓ Ensure alignment of CBIT projects with adopted rulebook
  - Focus on enabling countries to comply with biennial transparency reports (BTRs) by 2024

