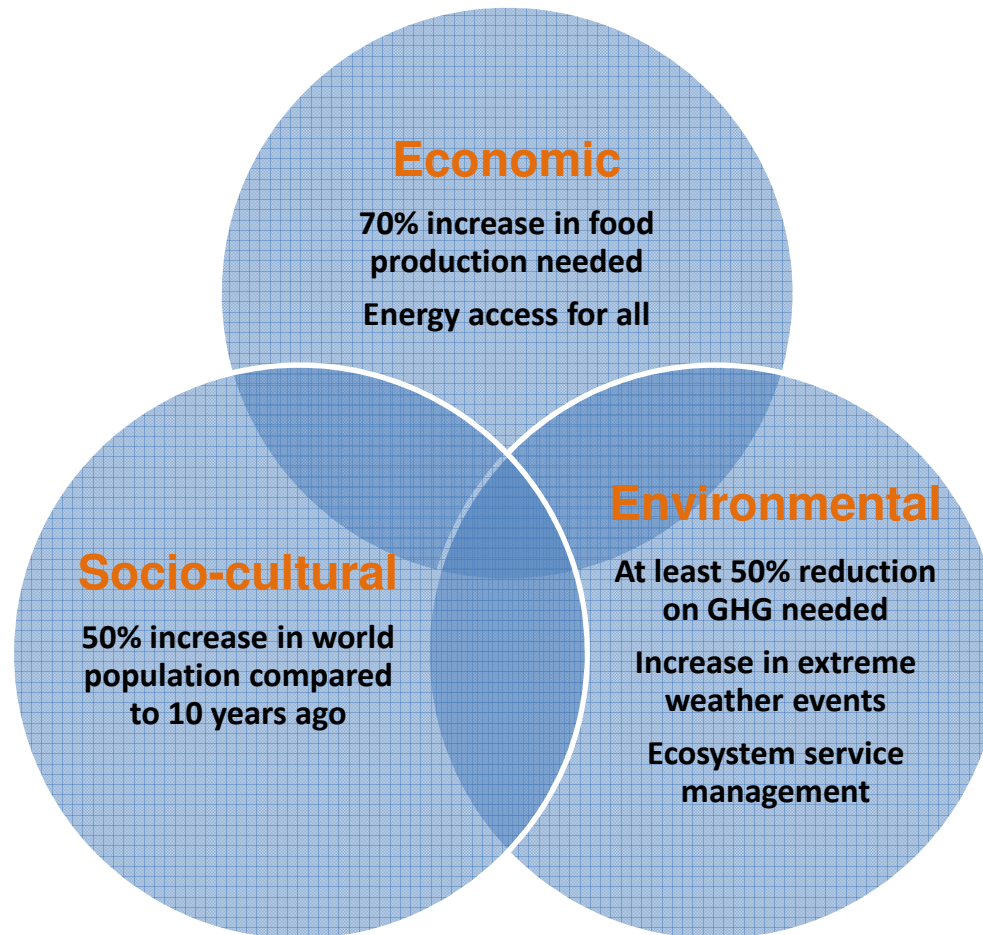


Investing in Community-Based Resilience of Socio-Ecological Production Landscapes

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Global Challenges for Sustainable Development towards 2050



Integrated Development at National, Sub-national and Local levels

Green, Low Emissions Climate Resilient Strategies

National

- Formulation of Green, Low-Emission and Climate Resilient Development Strategies

Sub-national

- State-Level or municipal LECRDS.

Local

- Productive Landscape Approach to develop climate resilient community through sustainable livelihoods, access to financing and markets



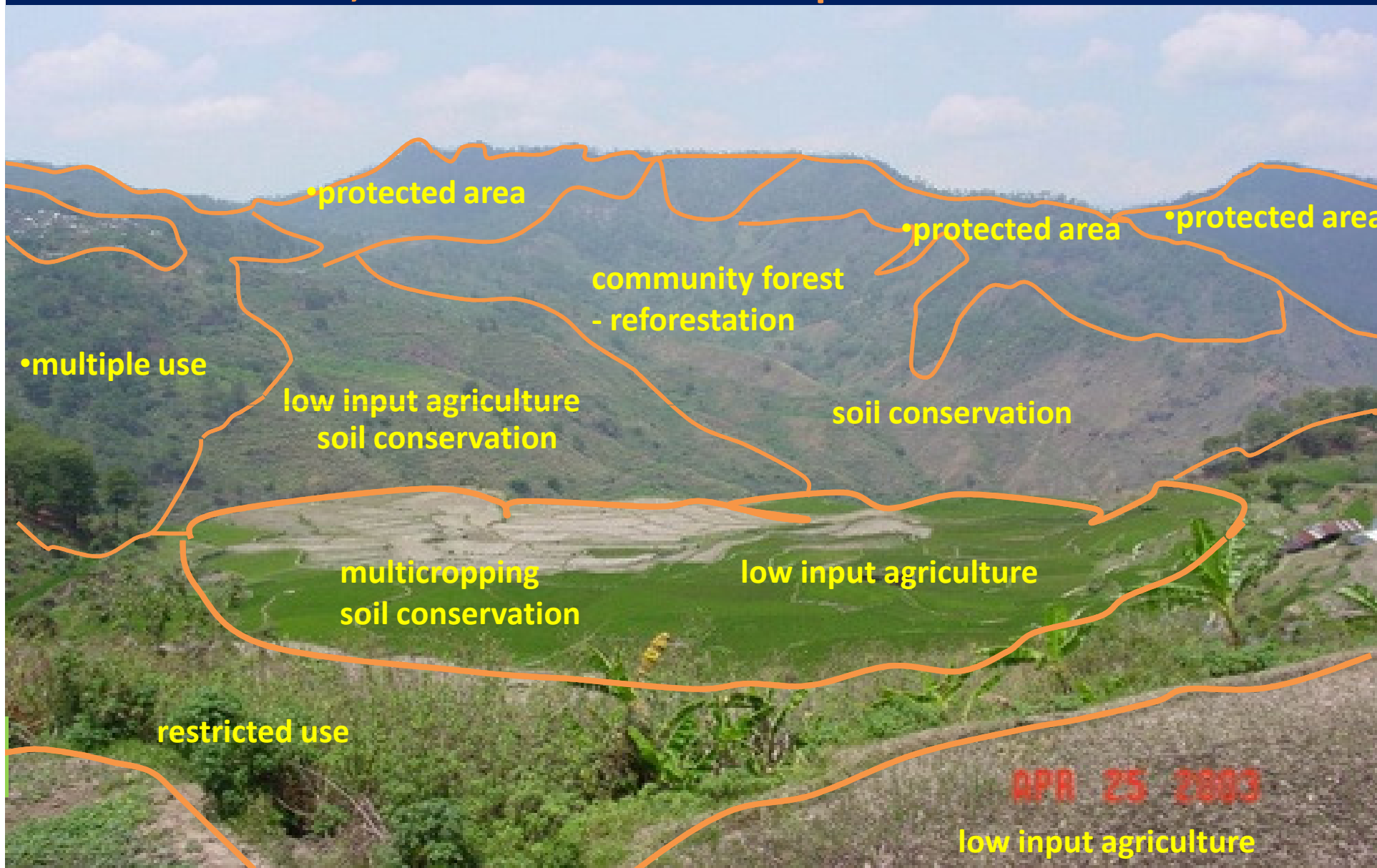
Moving towards Socio-Ecological Production Landscapes



UNDP and the landscape approach:

An effective way of mainstreaming biodiversity and ecosystem functioning, while providing sustainable livelihoods, in low- carbon development that maximizes resilience to climate change.

The Landscape Approach: biodiversity dependent ecosystem services for low emissions, climate resilient development



Diverse landscape challenges require locally adapted solutions



Ethiopia



Ghana



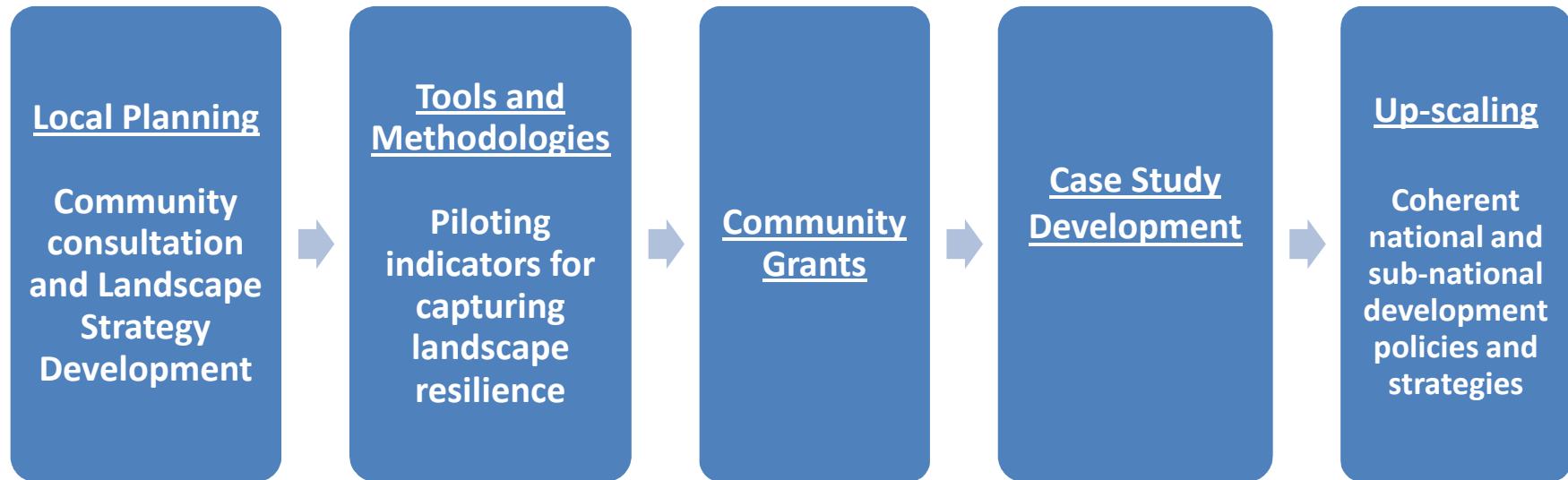
Slovakia



Ghana

COMDEKS Strategic Framework

UNDP Capacity Development support at the country level



Capacity Development



Facilitating Knowledge and Learning



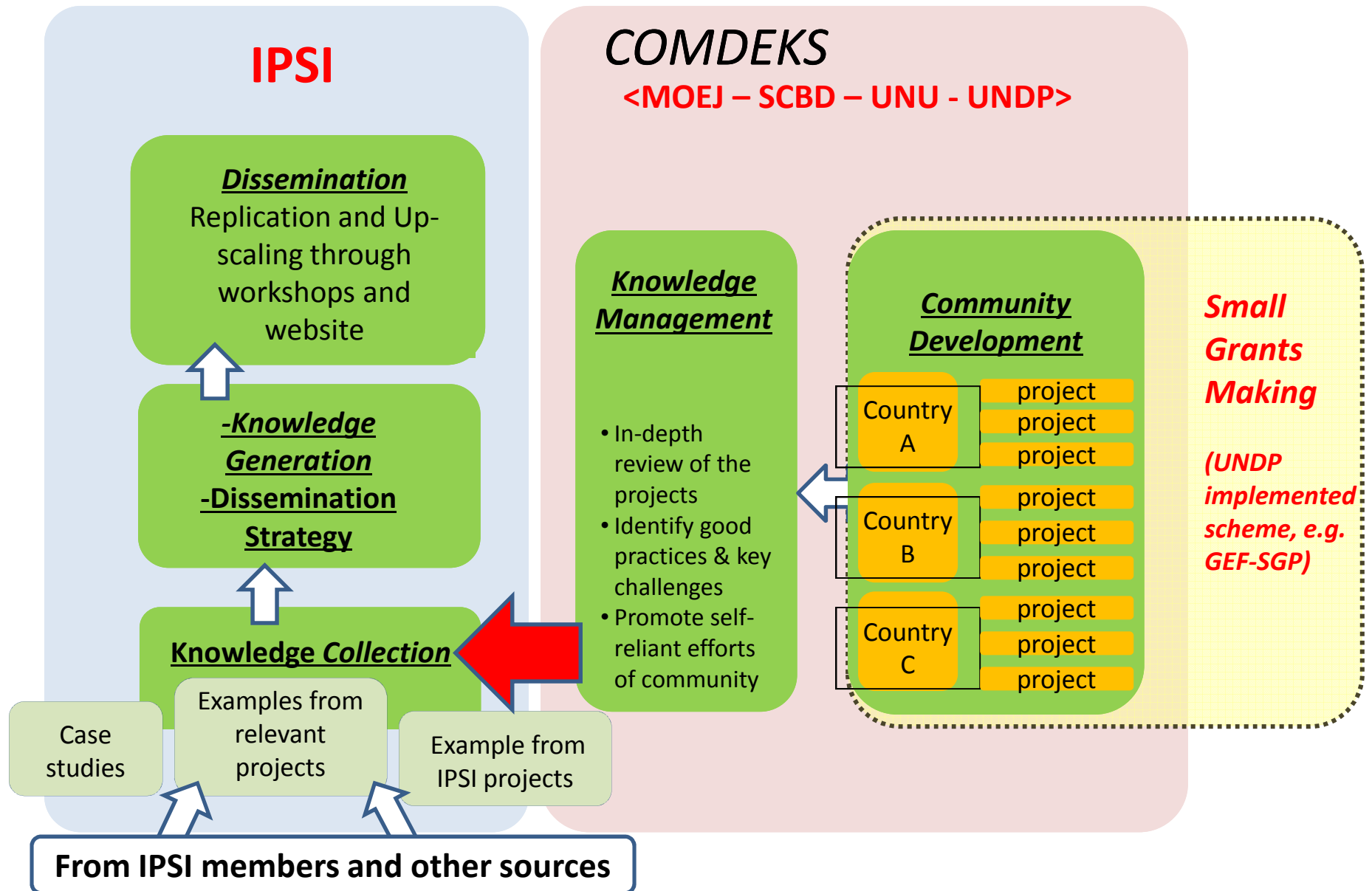
Policy support



Enhancing Resilience of Socio-Ecological Production Landscapes



COMDEKS: Partnership Arrangements



UNDP small grants delivery mechanism: a fast and effective way to empower communities & catalyze change



Implementation Status

COMDEKS Community development and knowledge management for the *Satoyama* initiative

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The Ministry of the Environment of Japan (MOE), the Secretariat of the Convention on Biological Diversity (SCBD), the United Nations University (UNU), and the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) have agreed to support a project titled Community Development and Knowledge Management for the *Satoyama* Initiative (COMDEKS) as the flagship of the International Partnership for the *Satoyama* Initiative (IPSI). The *Satoyama* Initiative is a global initiative to promote sustainable use and management of natural resources in socio-ecological production landscapes with the aim of maintaining, rebuilding and revitalizing them.

The project will provide small-scale project financing to local community organizations in selected developing countries through UNDP's small grants delivery mechanisms, including the GEF Small Grants Programme (SGP) and other alternative schemes, and will be executed by UNOPS. The project will also review, analyze, and codify results arising from implementation of the community projects supported to distill and disseminate lessons which can be communicated to policy makers for coherent policy development and replication in other parts of the world.

Explore

COMDEKS projects are being implemented in 11 landscapes around the world. Click on a point to find out more about the COMDEKS project in that country.

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The Community Development and Knowledge Management for the *Satoyama Initiative* Project

Goal →

To develop sound biodiversity management and sustainable livelihood activities with local communities to maintain, rebuild, and revitalize socio-ecological production landscapes (SEPLs)

Countries →

First Phase: Brazil, Cambodia, Ethiopia, Ghana, Grenada, Fiji, India, Malawi, Nepal, Slovakia, and Turkey

Timeframe and Budget →

Japan Biodiversity Fund contributing with 2 million USD a year starting in 2011, with the scope of expanding to a 5-year partnership programme

Status →

First phase: currently under implementation in 10 countries



Capturing resilience in socio-ecological production landscapes



- **Indicators for Resilience in SEPLs:** on going collaboration between UNDP, UNU-IAS and Bioversity International.
- The indicators are currently being applied and tested in the COMDEKS project sites to help measure and understand the resilience of target landscapes.
- Experiences and lessons learned to be gained through the practical application of the indicators are envisaged to be compiled and analyzed for further improvement of the indicators
- Piloting approach will help UNDP and other IPSI members to refine the overall approach and methodology for measuring resilience.



Thank You

