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THE INTERNATIONAL PARTNERSHIP FOR THE SATOYAMA INITIATIVE (IPSI): RECENT DEVELOPMENTS

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Part I

IPSI's history and status: development, growth,
recent events and outputs

IPSI: Development

□ Timeline:

2010

- Launch of the partnership, CBD COP 10, Nagoya

2012

- IPSI Strategy adopted

2013

- IPSI Plan of Action adopted

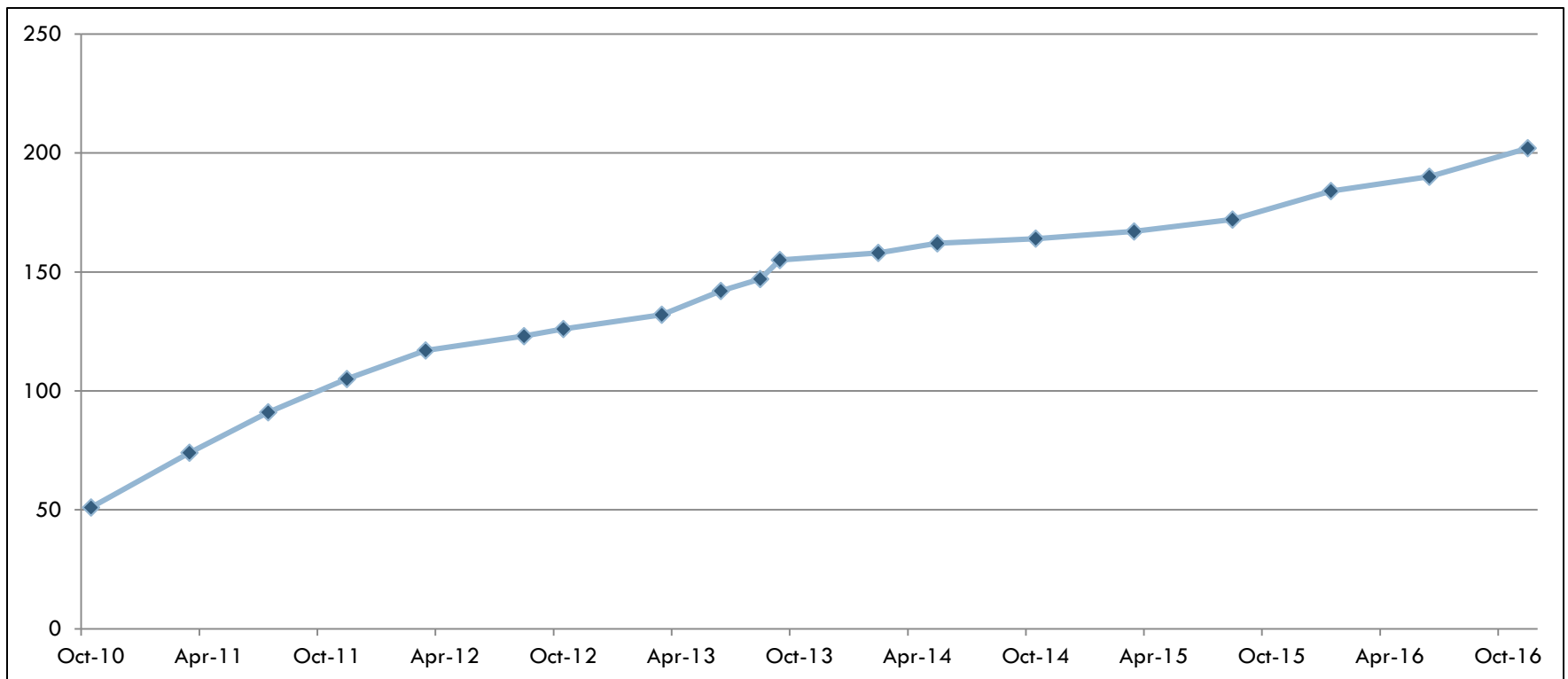
2016

- **Plan of Action interim review**

IPSI: Development

□ IPSI's current status:

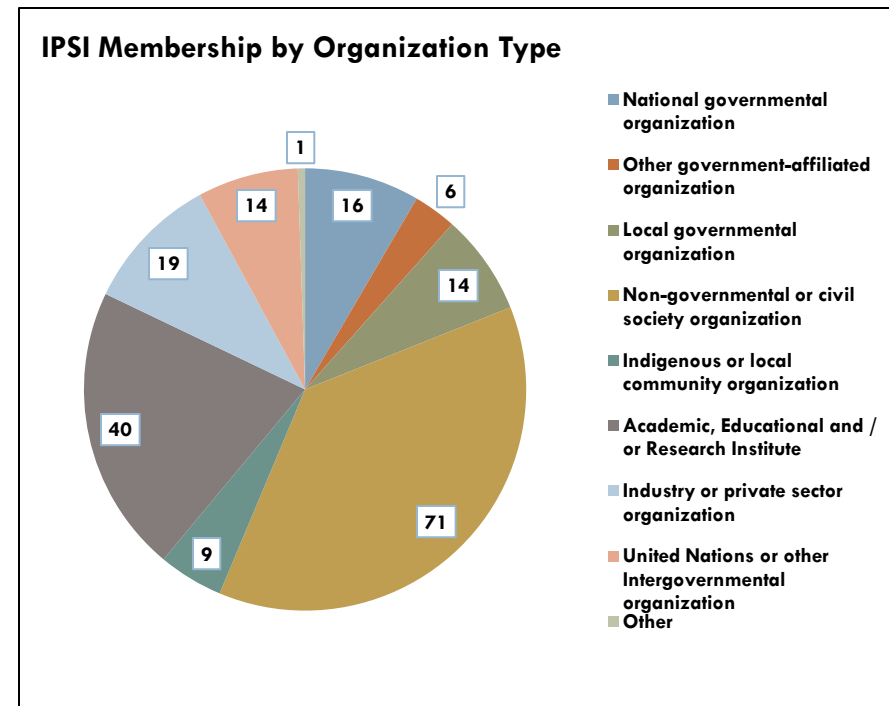
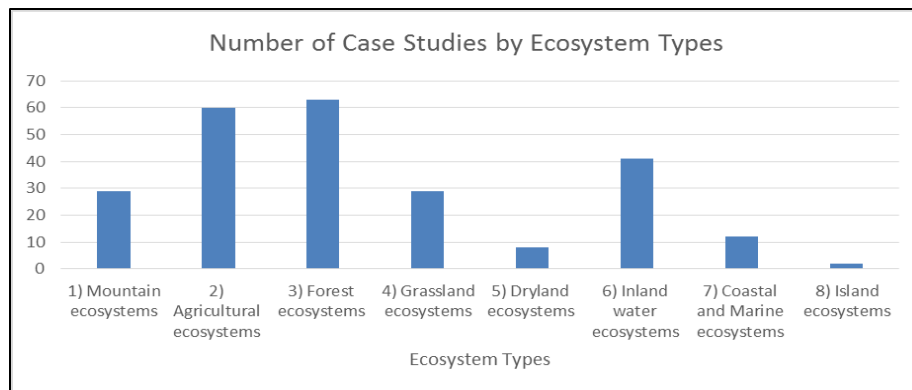
- ▣ The partnership has grown from original 51 members (2010) to 202 (2016)



IPSI: Development

□ IPSI's current status:

- Since 2010, improved representation in geographical regions, ecosystems, organization types



IPSI: Development

- IPSI's current status:
 - ▣ Improved collaborative activities (now 40 endorsed), resource mobilization, capacity-building, knowledge products, and more!

The collage features several key elements:

- Organizational Structure:** A flowchart showing the hierarchy from the CI-GEF Project Agency (orange box) to the Executive Team (CI Japan Executing Agency, blue box), which oversees Advisors & Experts (incl. GEF Sec. and IPSI Steering, green box).
- Component Grantees:** A purple box labeled "Component Grantees CEPF CI Field Programs" with arrows pointing to the map.
- World Map:** A map of the world with yellow highlights in South America (Tropical Andes) and Madagascar. Insets show detailed maps of the Tropical Andes region (including Venezuela, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru, Brazil, Bolivia, and Argentina) and Madagascar (including Comoros, Seychelles, Mauritius, and Réunion).
- Field Program Photo:** A photograph of a group of people, including a man in a blue shirt and a woman in a yellow shirt, standing outdoors in a rural setting.
- Publications:** Several reports and book covers are displayed, including:
 - "Sustainable Use of Biological Diversity in Socio-Ecological Production Landscapes" (CBD Technical Series No. 52)
 - "Biodiversity - The Satoyama Initiative"
 - "SATOYAMA INITIATIVE" (IGES)

Events: Satoyama Initiative Regional Workshop in Africa 2015

Theme:

“Securing Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services for Sustainable Development in Africa: Status, Trends and Future of Socio-ecological Production Landscapes and Seascapes”

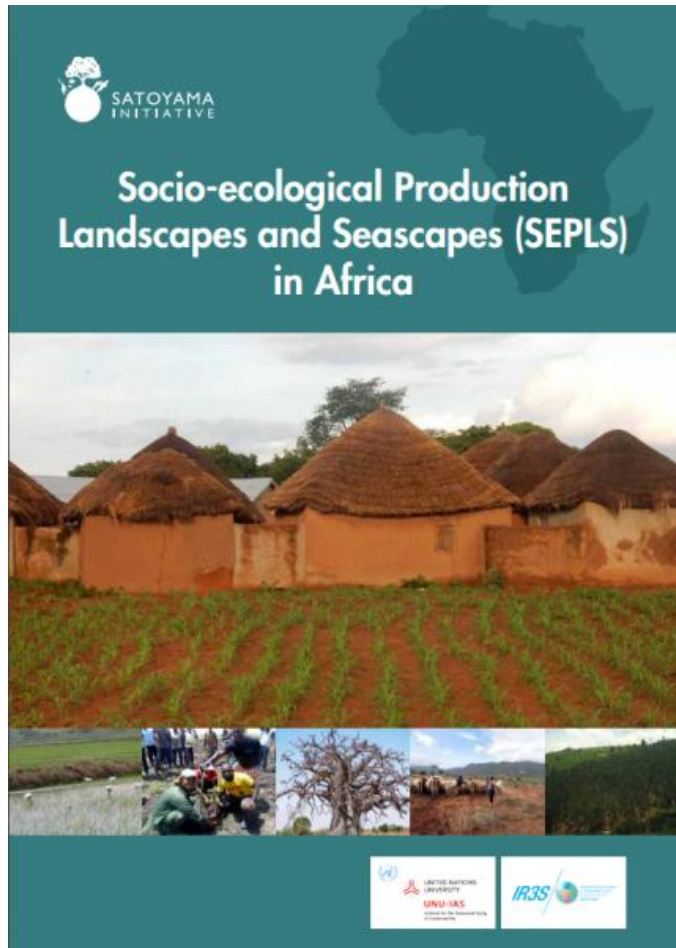


10-12 August 2015, Accra, Ghana

Satoyama Initiative Regional Workshop in Africa 2015: Some main conclusions

- There are many projects on-the-ground in Africa, but a need for more coordination and involvement in policy processes
- Policy should be streamlined among different governing bodies
- There is also need for effective resource mobilization at the regional level

Output: SEPLS in Africa



- 12 case studies from around Africa, plus a synthesis chapter
- Focuses on status, trends and threats of SEPLS in Africa, and how to revitalize and conserve them
- Available for distribution at COP 13, or from the IPSI website

Events: Sixth IPSI Global Conference (IPSI-6)

Theme:

“Planning and reviewing strategic actions for sustainable landscape and seascape management”



12-14 January 2016, Siem Reap, Cambodia

IPSI-6: Some main conclusions

- Strategic actions should be planned and developed in line with international processes, including SDGs
- Networked bottom-up approaches should be pursued for more effective coordination and partnership
- There is also need to reconcile traditional knowledge and modern science

Events: Satoyama Initiative Regional Workshop in Peru 2016

Theme:

“Socio-ecological production landscapes and seascapes (SEPLS) in Latin America and the Caribbean: Harmonious places of beauty, rich biodiversity, and secure livelihoods”



27-29 June 2016, Cusco and Pisac, Peru

Satoyama Initiative Regional Workshop in Peru 2016: Some main conclusions

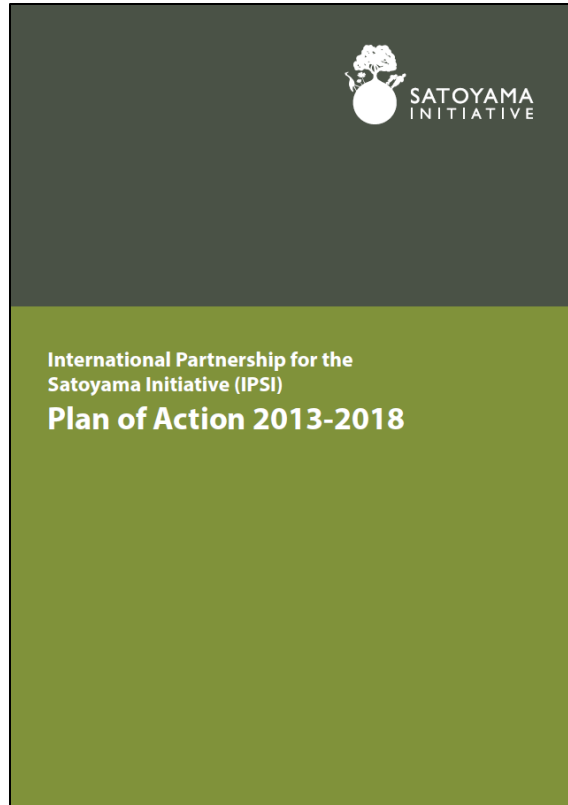
- Landscape and seascape governance must be in line with biocultural reality and with the needs of local communities
- On-the-ground practitioners and policymakers need good opportunities to engage with each other
- Knowledge held by local communities should be recognized as science and incorporated into policy

Part II

IPSI's future outlook: interim review of the IPSI
Plan of Action

IPSI Plan of Action

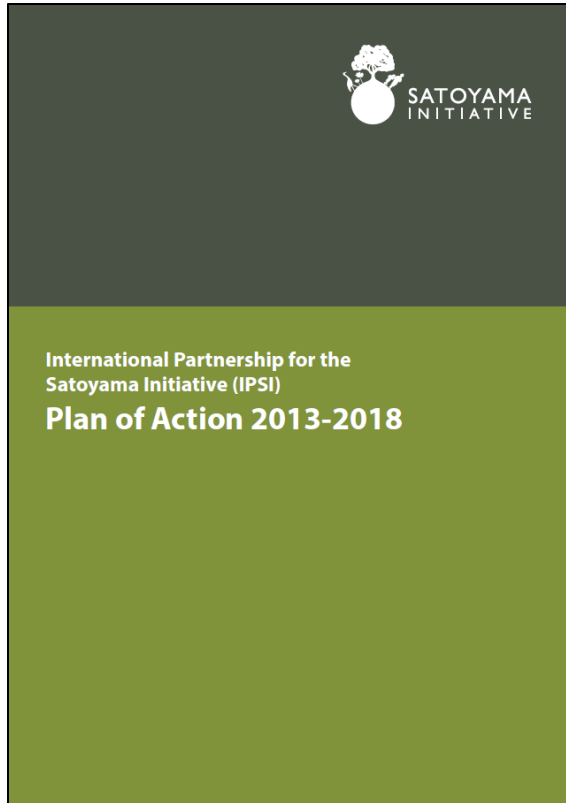
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- Strategic objectives:
 - Increasing knowledge and understanding of SEPLS
 - Addressing the direct and underlying causes for decline of SEPLS
 - Enhancing benefits from SEPLS
 - Enhancing capacities for implementation of the Satoyama Initiative

IPSI Plan of Action

- Developed in 2013 to guide IPSI's strategic development
- Mechanisms for implementation
 - Building the partnership
 - Promoting collaborative activities
 - Collaboration with relevant international agreements, initiatives, programmes, and networks



Interim Review: Methodology

- Carried out in 2016 to assess IPSI's current status and future directions

- Main components:
 - ▣ Questionnaire survey of all IPSI members

 - ▣ Discussions at IPSI events

 - ▣ Surveys of IPSI case studies and collaborative activities

 - ▣ Guidance from IPSI Steering Committee

Interim Review: Conclusions

- IPSI's future directions:
 - ▣ It is time to move from an “establishment and growth” phase to an “implementation and consolidation” phase
 - ▣ The science side of the SEPLS concept should be further bolstered, particularly in terms of integrating traditional knowledge and modern science
 - ▣ Knowledge products should be pursued to demonstrate the advantage of SEPLS-based approaches within and beyond IPSI

Interim Review: Conclusions

- IPSI's future directions:
 - ▣ Efforts should continue to be made toward on-the-ground contributions in as broad a range of SEPLS as possible
 - ▣ Strategic development in line with evolving global agendas: SDGs, CBD after the Aichi Targets, post-2020 agenda
 - ▣ We need to secure reliable, diverse long-term funding for IPSI to continue successes

Thank you for your attention!



Members of the IPSI Steering Committee and Secretariat