

The Satoyama Initiative

- A global effort to realize “societies in harmony with nature”
- Jointly initiated by UNU and Ministry of the Environment, Japan
- Promotes integrated landscape approaches for “Socio-ecological Production Landscapes and Seascapes” around the world

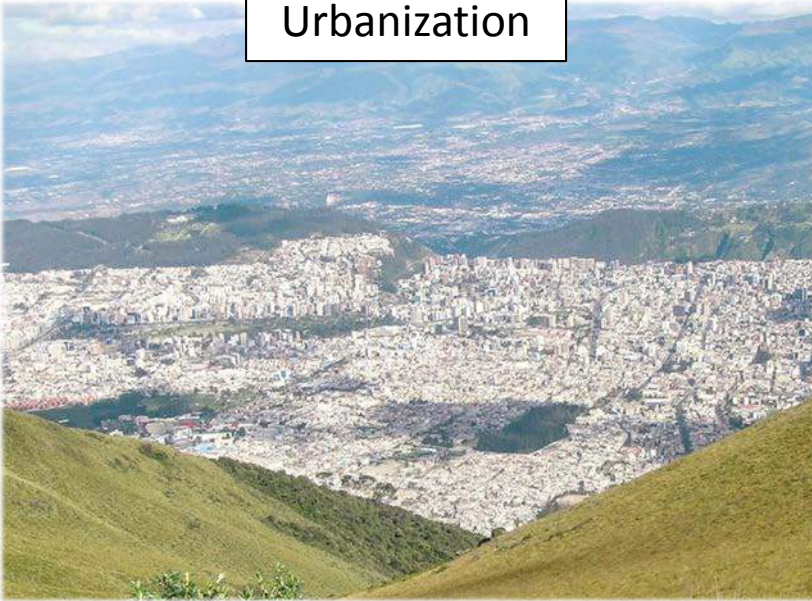


Integrated Landscape Approach Benefits

- **Socio-ecological Production Landscapes and Seascapes (SEPLS)**
 - Support **biodiversity** while providing humans with the **goods and services** needed for their well-being
 - **Mutual benefits** between human production and nature
 - **Dynamic mosaics** of habitats and land uses
 - Deeply linked to **local culture and knowledge**



Urbanization



Overexploitation



Threats and Challenges

Industrialized agriculture



Abandonment



Socio-ecological production landscapes and seascapes around the world

Pacific



Europe



East Asia



The Americas



Africa



South Asia



Revitalization and Sustainable Management of SEPLS

- Holistic landscape/seascape approach
- Multi-faceted, multi-stakeholder, multi-level

Conceptual Framework of the Satoyama Initiative:



Background

- Early studies and the “Japan Satoyama Satoumi Assessment” (JSSA)
- United Nations University policy reports:



Hokkaido



Tohoku



Hokushinetsu



Kanto-chubu

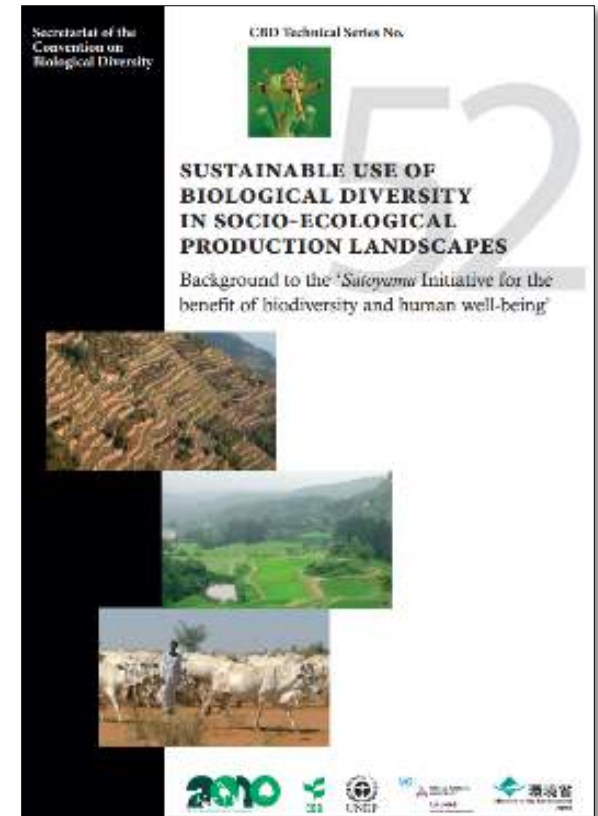
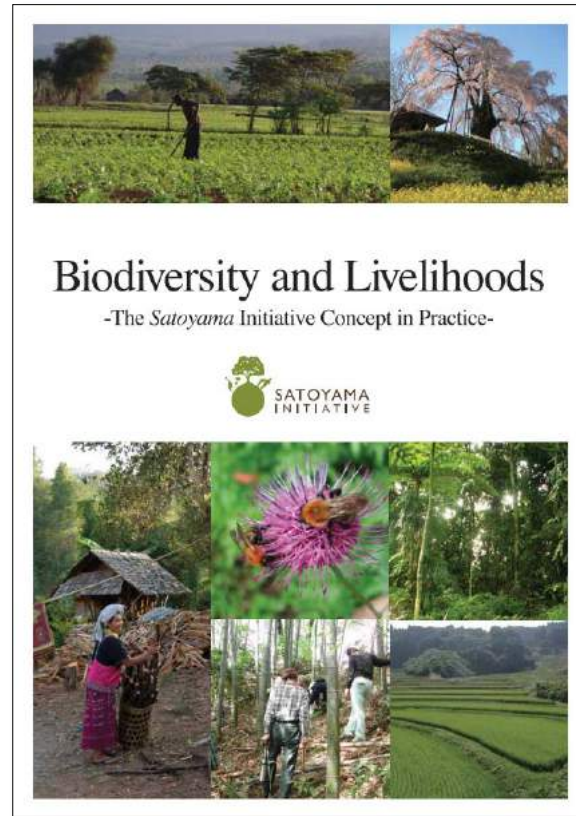
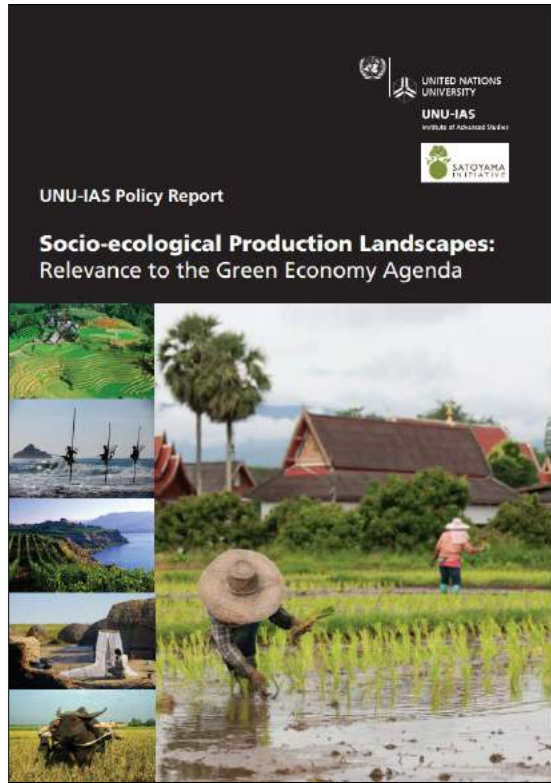


Western
Japan

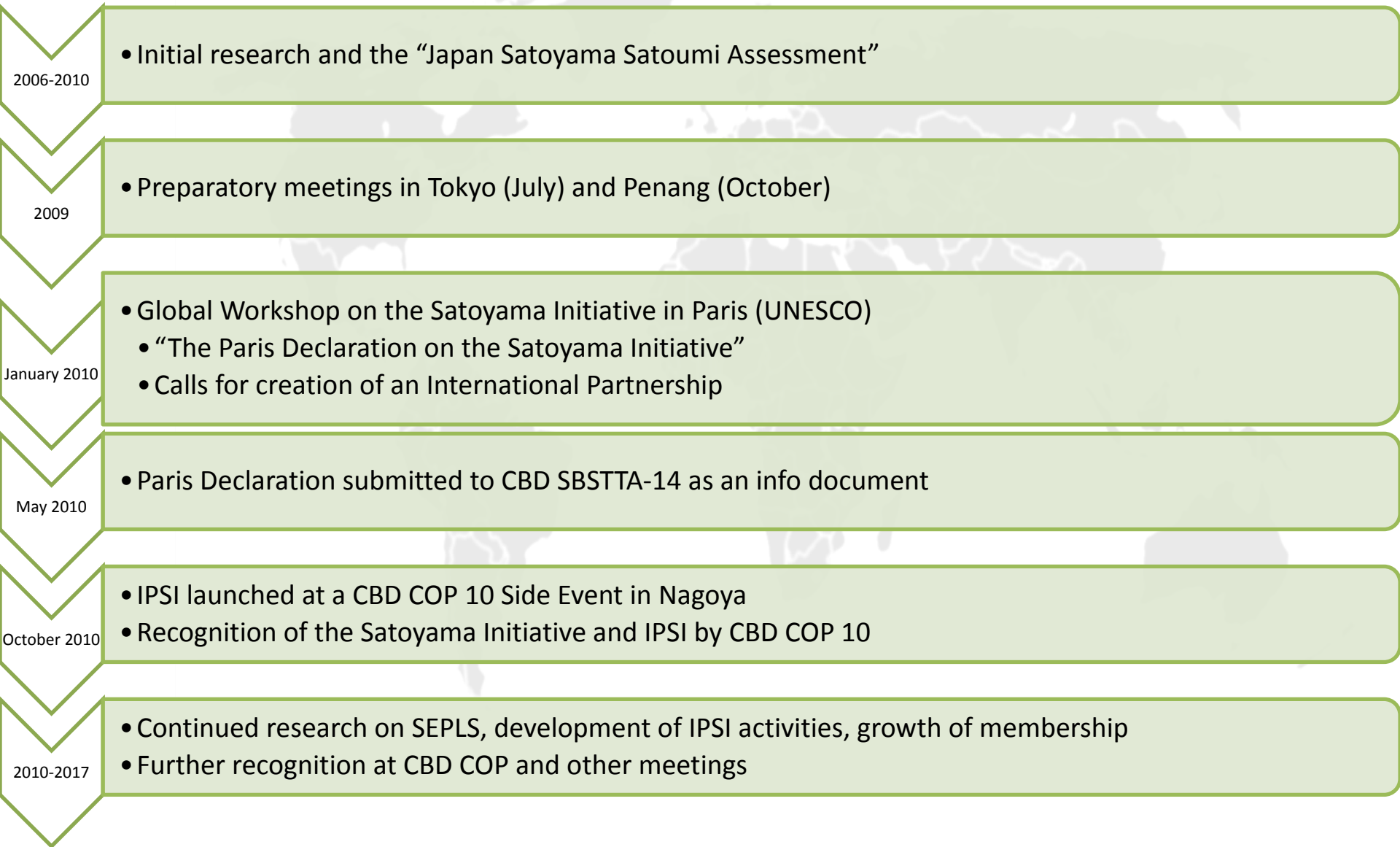


Seto Inland
Sea

Early publications (case studies)



Development of the Satoyama Initiative



CBD COP Decisions involving the Satoyama Initiative and IPSI

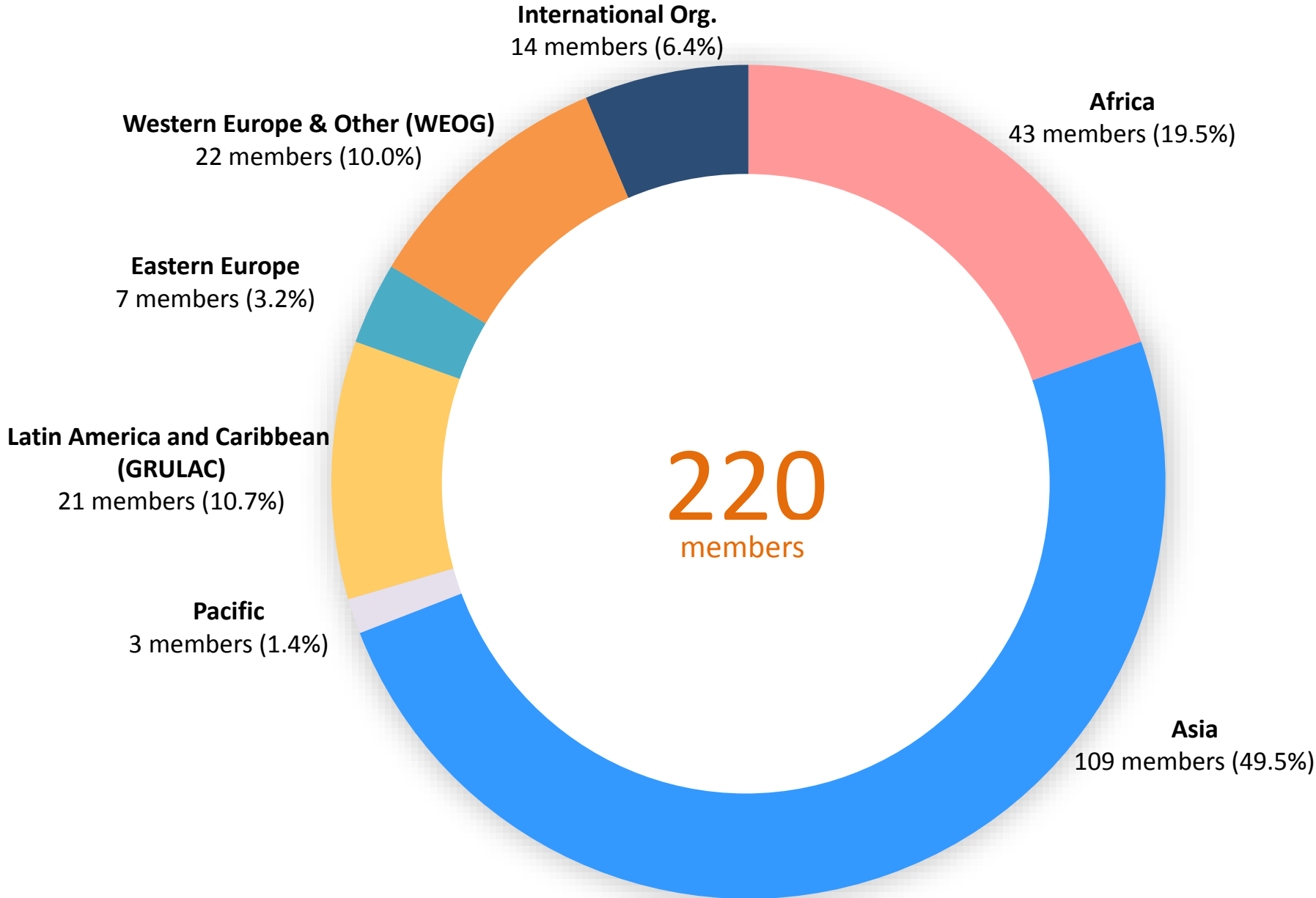
- X/32. Sustainable use of biodiversity
 - Recognizes the Satoyama Initiative as a potentially useful tool to better understand and support human-influenced natural environments for the benefit of biodiversity and human well-being...
 - Takes note of the International Partnership for the Satoyama Initiative as one mechanism to carry out activities...
- XI/25. Sustainable use of biodiversity
 - ...recognizes the contribution that the Satoyama Initiative is working to make in creating synergies among the various existing regional and global initiatives...
- XII/5. Biodiversity for poverty eradication and sustainable development
 - Also taking into account relevant initiatives, such as the Satoyama Initiative...Invites Parties to raise awareness on best practices of sustainable use
- XII/12. Article 8(j) and related provisions
 - Acknowledges that other initiatives, such as the International Partnership for the Satoyama Initiative (IPSI), consistent with decisions X/32 and XI/25, and in accordance with other international obligations, are contributing to the facilitation of the customary sustainable use of biological diversity;
- XII/18. Sustainable use of biodiversity
 - Notes that the International Partnership for the Satoyama Initiative, consistent with decisions X/32 and XI/25, is working towards the sustainable use of biodiversity and its integration into the management of land, forests, and water resources;
- XIII/3. Strategic actions to enhance the implementation of the Strategic Plan
 - *Requests* the Executive Secretary, subject to the availability of resources...To prepare and disseminate to Parties...further guidance on the concept of “sustainability” in food and agriculture with regard to biodiversity, and to promote and strengthen support for relevant information-sharing and technology transfer among Parties, in particular for developing countries, building on existing initiatives, where feasible, such as the Satoyama Initiative...

The International Partnership for the Satoyama Initiative (IPSI)

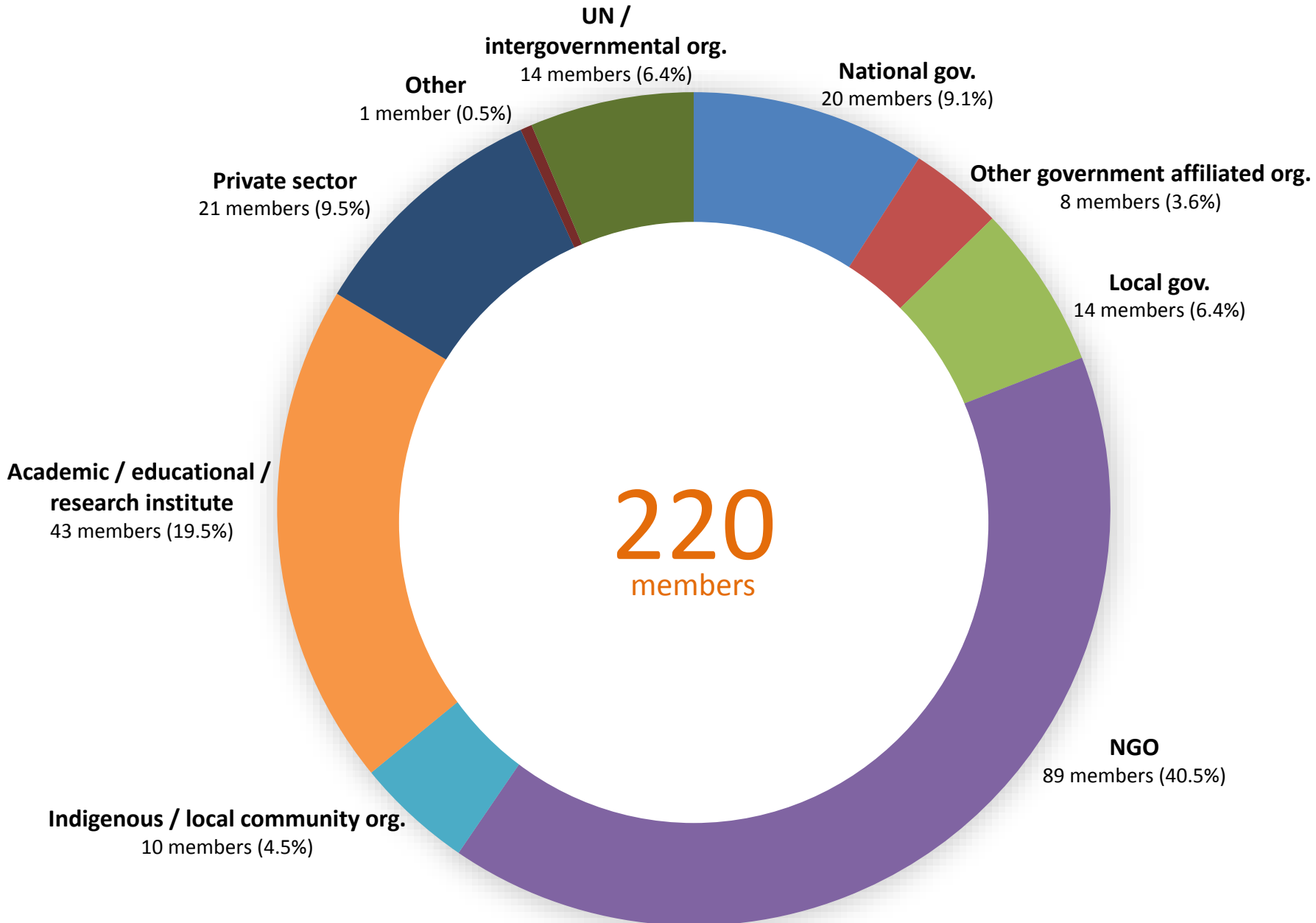
- 220 member organizations (gov't, NGO, private sector, academic, int'l org., etc.) all over the world
- Promotes networking and collaboration, facilitates activities for the Satoyama Initiative



By region (head office)



By organization type



IPSI Global Conferences and Satoyama Initiative Regional Workshops

European Regional Workshop
27-29 May 2014
Florence, Italy



IPSI-5
4-5 Oct 2014
Pyeongchang, Republic of Korea



IPSI-4
12-14 Sep 2013
Fukui, Japan



Asian Regional Workshop
14-15 May 2013
Kathmandu, Nepal



IPSI-1
10-11 Mar 2011
Aichi, Japan



African Regional Workshop
10-12 August 2015
Accra, Ghana



Latin American and Caribbean Regional Workshop
27-29 Jun 2016
Cusco, Peru



IPSI-2
13-14 Mar 2012
Nairobi, Kenya



IPSI-3
6-7 Oct 2012
Hyderabad, India



IPSI-6
12-14 Jan 2016
Siem Reap, Cambodia



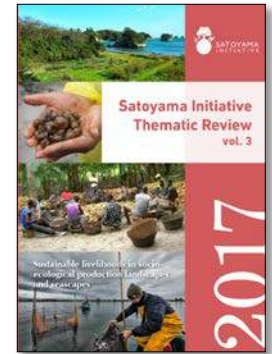
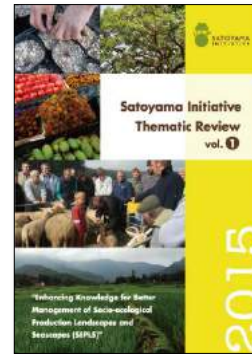
Asian Regional Workshop
18-20 Apr 2017
Kota Kinabalu, Malaysia



Publications

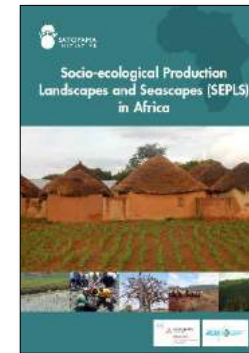
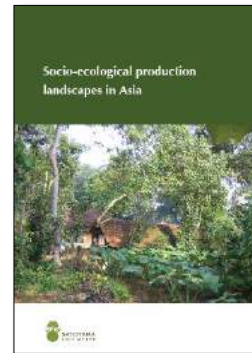
Satoyama Initiative Thematic Review

- Annual publication series compiling case studies from IPSI members
- Experiences and relevant knowledge especially from practitioners working on the ground



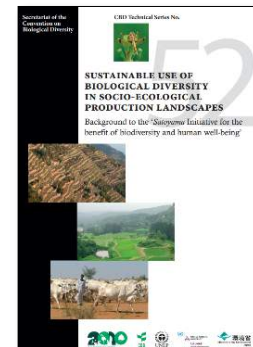
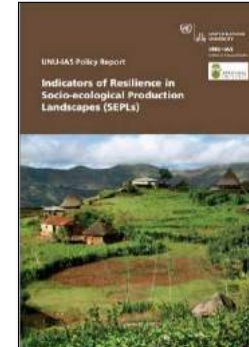
Region-specific publications

- Compilation of SEPLS case studies from respective regions: currently Asia and Africa
- Landscape characteristics, physical and institutional structures, management, challenges



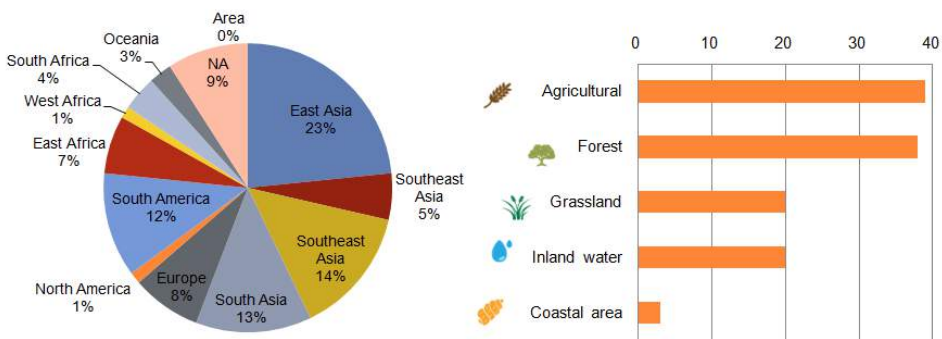
Policy and technical reports

- To contribute to the dissemination of up-to-date and accurate information on selected topics
- Concise research summaries and expert recommendations



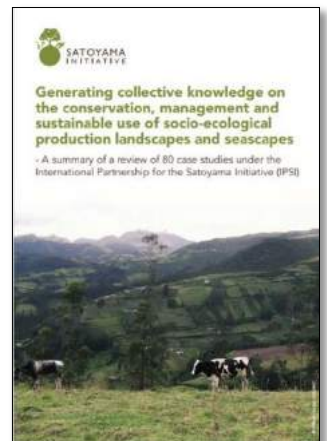
Research / knowledge facilitation

- **Case Studies collection & analysis**
 - Over 100 case studies publicly available



IPSI Website Structure:

- Navigation: HOME, ABOUT, IPSI, CASE STUDIES, EVENTS, ANNOUNCEMENTS, RESOURCES
- Section: CASE STUDIES
- Map: World map with location pins for various countries including Canada, USA, Europe, Africa, Asia, and Australia.
- Filters: All, Forest, Coastal, Grassland, Agricultural Land, In-land Water
- Case Studies List:
 - Mainstreaming Biodiversity into the Cocoa Growing Landscape in the Kakum Conservation Area in Ghana**
 - Location: Ghana (Central Region) Africa
 - Organization: Conservation Alliance
 - Recovery of Mouthless Crab (Cardisoma grassumi) Populations in Mangrove Forests of the Chone River Estuary (Ecuador)**
 - Location: Ecuador South America
 - Organization: Foundation for Research and Social Development (FIDIS)

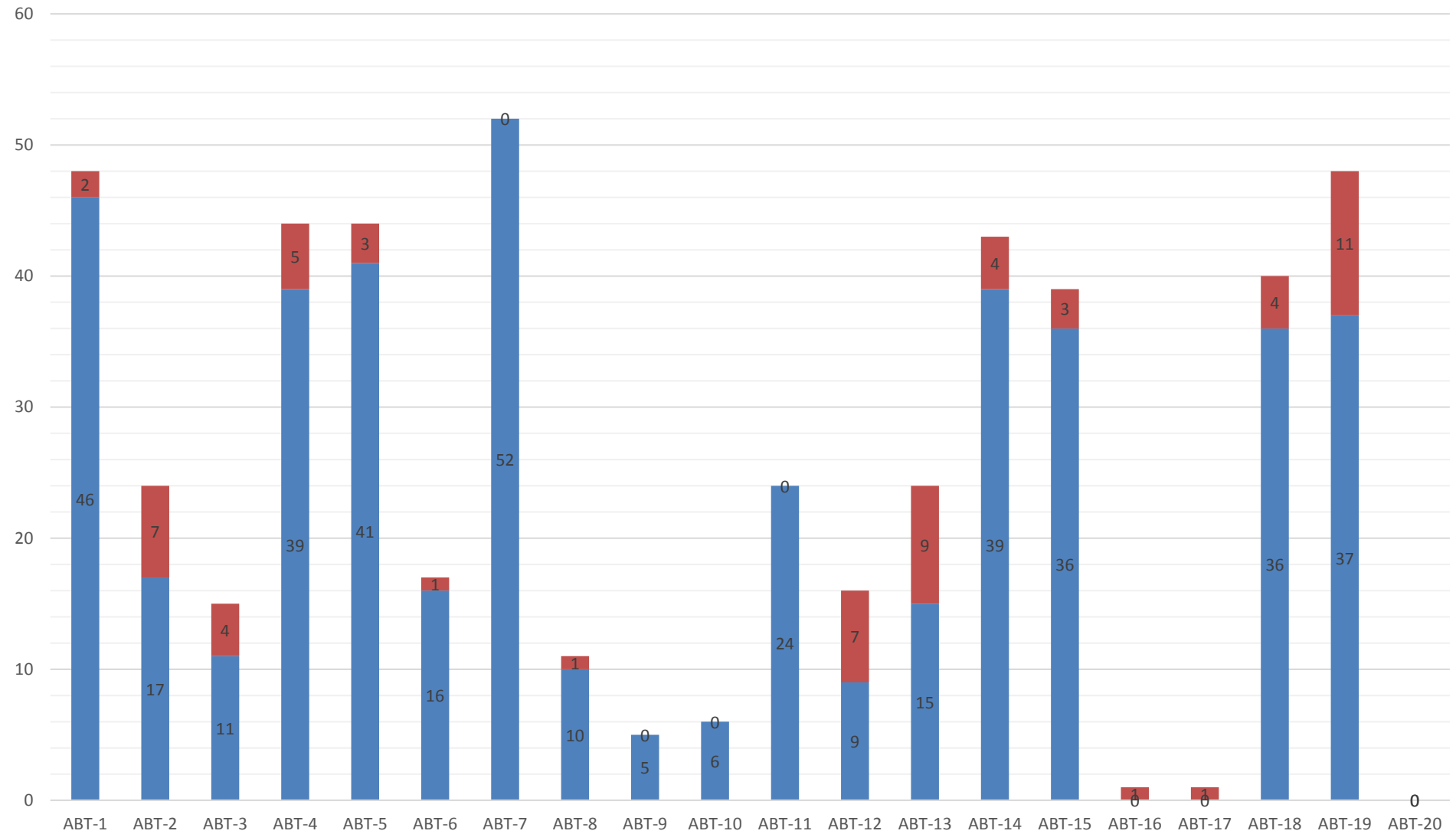


Case study analysis publications

IPSI Case studies and Aichi Biodiversity Targets

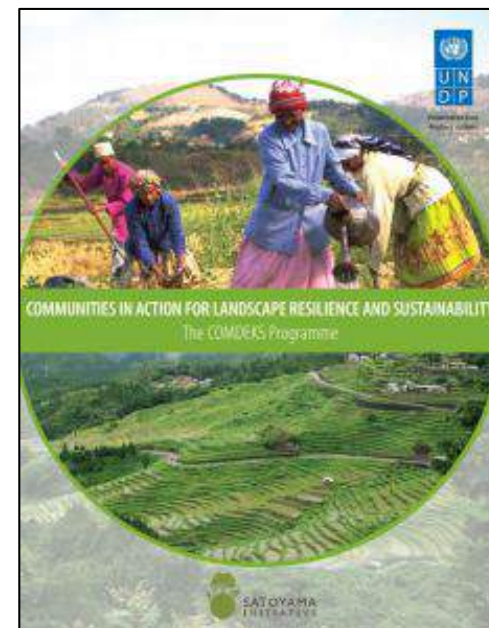
*57 cases analyzed

■ Direct contribution ■ Indirect contribution



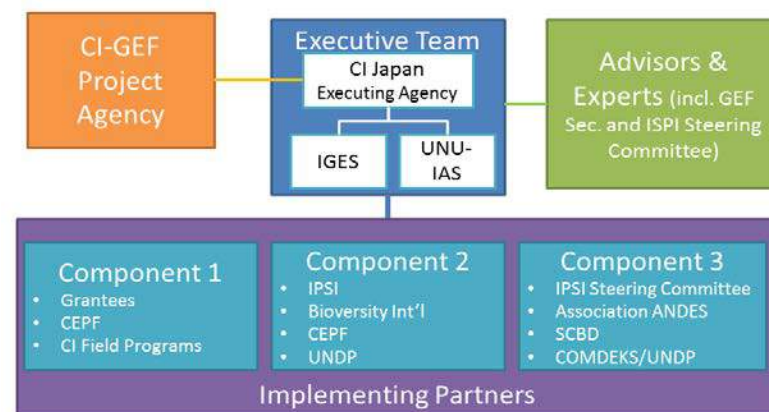
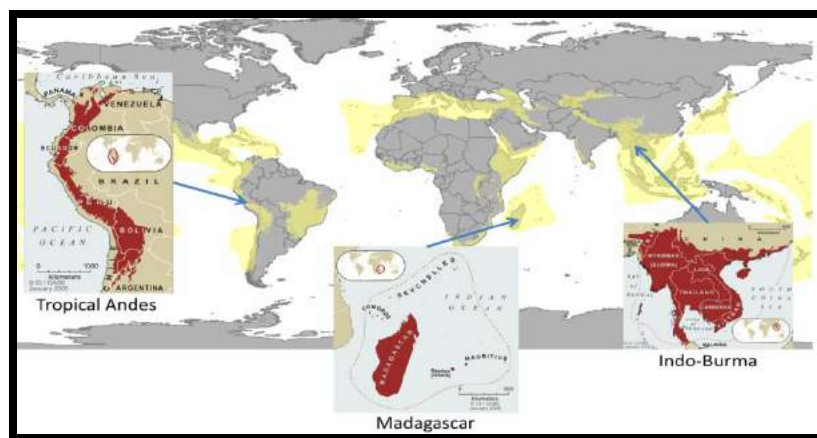
Resource mobilization / Capacity building

- **Community Development and Knowledge Management for the Satoyama Initiative (COMDEKS) Programme**
 - Implemented by UNDP; Contribution from Japan Biodiversity Fund
 - Small-grant funding in 20 countries



Resource mobilization / Capacity building

- **Mainstreaming Biodiversity Conservation and Sustainable Management in Priority Socio-ecological Production Landscapes and Seascapes (“GEF-Satoyama Project”)**
 - Funding from GEF; implemented by Conservation International
 - Subgrant funding; knowledge generation; and capacity-building in 3 priority ecosystems: Indo-Burma, Tropical Andes, and Madagascar and Indian Ocean Islands



Resource mobilization / Capacity building

- **Satoyama Development Mechanism (SDM)**
 - Established by MOEJ, IGES and UNU-IAS
 - Seed funding to promising projects (up to USD 10,000)

2013

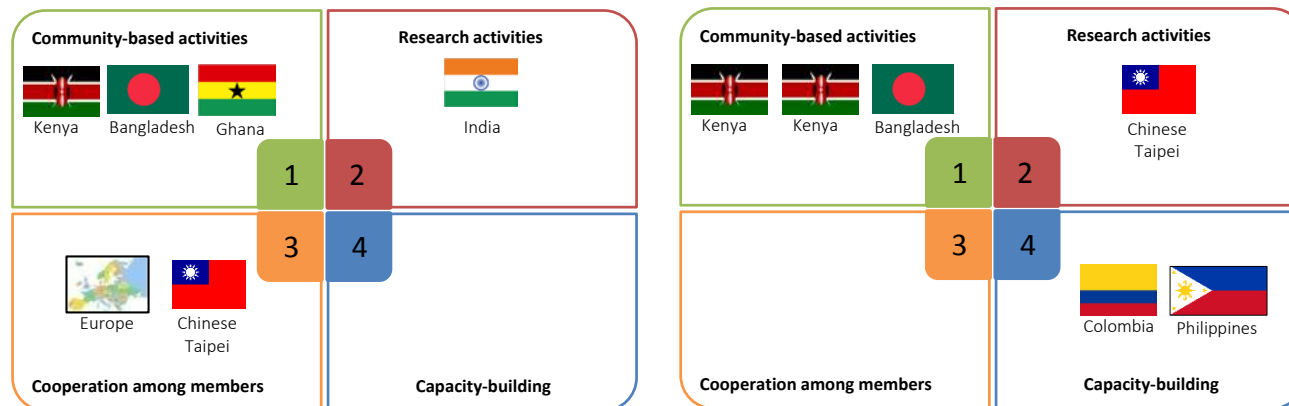
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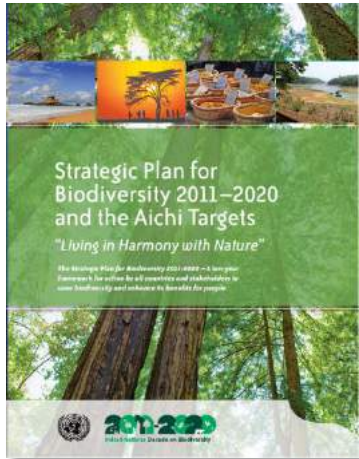


2016

2017



Aichi Biodiversity Targets and IPSI



Vision of the Strategic Plan and Aichi Biodiversity Targets
“Living in Harmony with Nature”

IPSI Strategy

- Mission
- Objectives

IPSI Plan of Action

- Priority Actions
- Mechanisms to Implement Priority Actions
- Monitoring, Reporting and Evaluation


IPSI Contributions to Aichi Biodiversity Targets


Aspirational

 Value of biodiversity recognized

 Sustainable production

Framework


 PAs and other area-based measures


 Ecosystem services


Specific Contributions

 Marine & Fisheries

 Agriculture


 Pollution

 Species

 Genetic Diversity

 Resilience & Carbon Stocks

 Traditional Knowledge

 Science Base

Ongoing and future development

- Post-2020 CBD plans and SDGs
 - Post-Aichi Targets: landscape approaches, production activities in harmony with nature, etc.
 - **NBSAP incorporation**
- Engagement with IPBES (LoA signed with UNU-IAS)
 - Providing inputs into assessments and disseminating results
- Expansion and mainstreaming of on-the-ground successes
 - Continued research and knowledge management
- Diversification of membership and support
 - Particularly national Parties and international orgs.



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