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GSP and the Caribbean Cooperative MRV Hub, CCMRVH

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GSP Synopsis

- GSP jointly implemented by UN Environment and UNDP, initiated with the objective of providing support to developing countries in preparation of National Communications (NCs), GHG inventories, Mitigation and V&A analysis, and Biennial Update Reports (BURs)
- GSP guided by an Advisory Committee composed of representatives from UN Environment, UNDP, UNFCCC, GEF, CGE
- GSP major support approaches
 - Regional and national training workshops
 - Preparation of guidance materials/publications
 - Review of TORs, draft reports/components; NIR, NC, BUR, Mitigation analysis, V&A assessment
 - Assist in identifying international experts to support countries
 - Joint training regional workshops with other international or regional capacity building entities
 - Regional MRV Networks that facilitate South-South and bilateral technical cooperation

GSP in the CCMRVH

- The Regional MRV Network/Hub as the entry point
 - Continued initiative to develop networks/hubs for as learning and mentoring cooperatives, regionally pooling expert technical capacities and institutional arrangements
 - Develop/enhance existing training course modules, tailor-made for the regions, on key technical support areas – with focus on and GHG inventory and mitigation for CCMRVH
 - Moving away from once-off training workshops to forming supported and sustained learning and mentoring regional collaborative networks/hubs that pool regional and international trainers and country experts for knowledge sharing and peer reviews
 - Coordination support – steering committee and Hub logistics
- Continued South-South collaboration with a touch of north collaboration

GSP in the CCMRVH (continued)

- Facilitate annual meetings for English-speaking Caribbean countries to discuss and share challenges, gaps and needs, as well as results achieved in building sustainable capacities on MRV.
- Support the development of an online mitigation course module.
- Support the participation of learners from targeted countries in undertaking virtual courses, including, among others,
 - mitigation,
 - GHG inventory preparation based on 2006 IPCC Guidelines in collaboration with GHGMI
 - Vulnerability and Adaptation in collaboration with the UNFCCC Secretariat.
- Support the replication of the MRV hub structure in other regions by, for example, supporting South-South exchange once concrete results are achieved by Countries participating in the MRV Hub
- Provide support to targeted countries on integration of gender considerations into the MRV/enhanced transparency framework

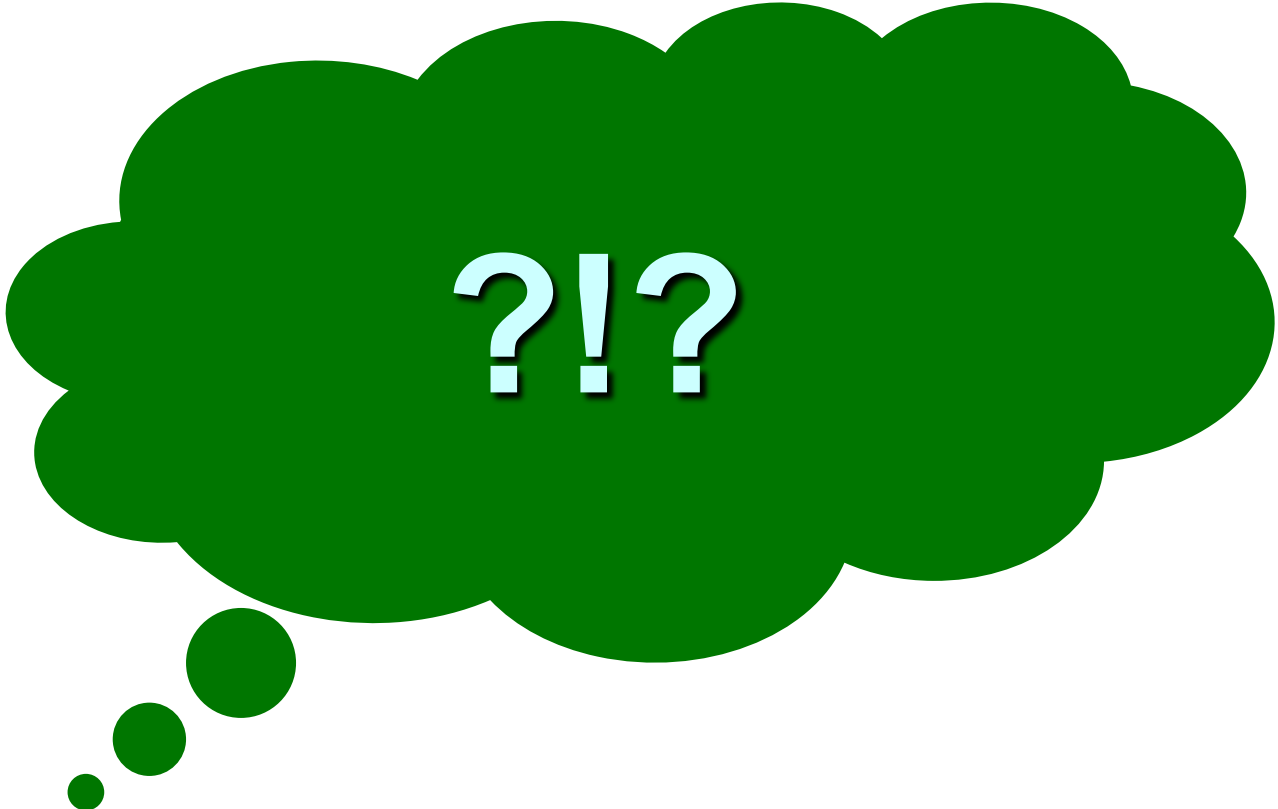
Rationale for GSP Support of CCMRVH (Hubs/ Networks)



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- High degree of geographical, economical, environmental and institutional similarities in the regions
- Usually similar circumstances, constraints and gaps, and hence replicable solutions
- Taking advantage of already established collaboration initiatives in the regions
- Economical because of geographical proximity
- Effectiveness of capacity building initiatives when implemented on a small scale – easy to support and sustain

Questions



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