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Global Climate Action Partnership

Implementing the Net Zero Nature Positive Approach

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NZNP Project Costa Rica

The objective of the project is to support Costa Rica in the implementation of its National Decarbonization Plan through the following actions:

- Strengthen the integration of the national decarbonization and biodiversity agendas, i.e. the National Decarbonization Plan (NDP) and Costa Rica's National Biodiversity Strategy and Action Plan (NBSAP).
- Identify nature-positive actions and investments required for the inflection (2023 – 2030) and massive deployment (2031 – 2050) phases of the NDP.
- Promote coordination and NZNP enablers, including stakeholder engagement, information and knowledge platforms, and financing mechanisms.
- Apply these and other mechanisms in the industry and AFOLU sectors, creating evidence and gaining momentum for the nature-positive decarbonization of Costa Rica.



Costa Rica

USD 13 Million

2 sectors

5 agri- value chains



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THEORY OF CHANGE

BARRIERS

- Policy instruments have limited resolution, integration and impact
- Limited awareness of the potential transition towards NZNP:
- Lack of alignment between financial flows and climate and biodiversity policies
- Insufficient tools and data to enable a NZNP pathway: lack of investment plans

Sectoral roadmaps



Integration of nature positive actions in decarbonization scenarios



Incentives schemes



Sectoral commitments



Incorporate nature positive actions, biodiversity and adaptation

PROJECT APPROACH



AFOLU SECTOR

BARRIERS

Resistance to adopt best practices as many stakeholders are unaware of the advantages of CSPP.

Lack of incentives to promote deforestation free products (DFPs) and the production and use of bio-inputs.

Insufficient funding to develop pilots, replicate or scale up agricultural NAMAs, slowing down the decarbonization pathway.

Technical, institutional, and operational weaknesses that hinder the implementation and promotion of CSPP.



Piloting, replication and scaling-up of climate-smart, biodiversity-friendly production practices in 5 NAMAs (Rice, livestock, banana, coffee, sugarcane)



Regulations and incentives schemes with a focus on deforestation-free products (DFP), soil restoration and increased use of bio-inputs



Development of a financial mechanism to catalyze finance for climate and nature positive actions for five agricultural NAMAs



Capacity building and technical assistance in support of the transition to NZNP value chains

PROJECT
OUTPUTS



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