



# The Dedicated Grant Mechanism (DGM) for Indigenous Peoples and Local Communities In The Forest Investment Program (FIP)

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## Objective

*To strengthen the capacity of Indigenous Peoples and Local Communities (IPLCs) to participate in the Forest Investment Program and other REDD+ programs at local, national and global levels.*

## Principles

- **Community-led governance:** A steering committee in each country led by Indigenous and local communities as the decision-making body of the mechanism;
- **Complementary to and aligned with objectives of country FIP objectives**
- **Collaboration with IPs & LCs and governments** in preparation & operationalization of DGM;
- **Decentralized, yet globally connected:** Each country has an independent DGM operation moving at its own pace linked to the overall program through a common framework and global platform;



### Country Components (\$45M)

- *IPLC investment in projects that meet program criteria*
- *Increase IPLC capacity at the national level*
- *Contribute to regional and global learning and policy*

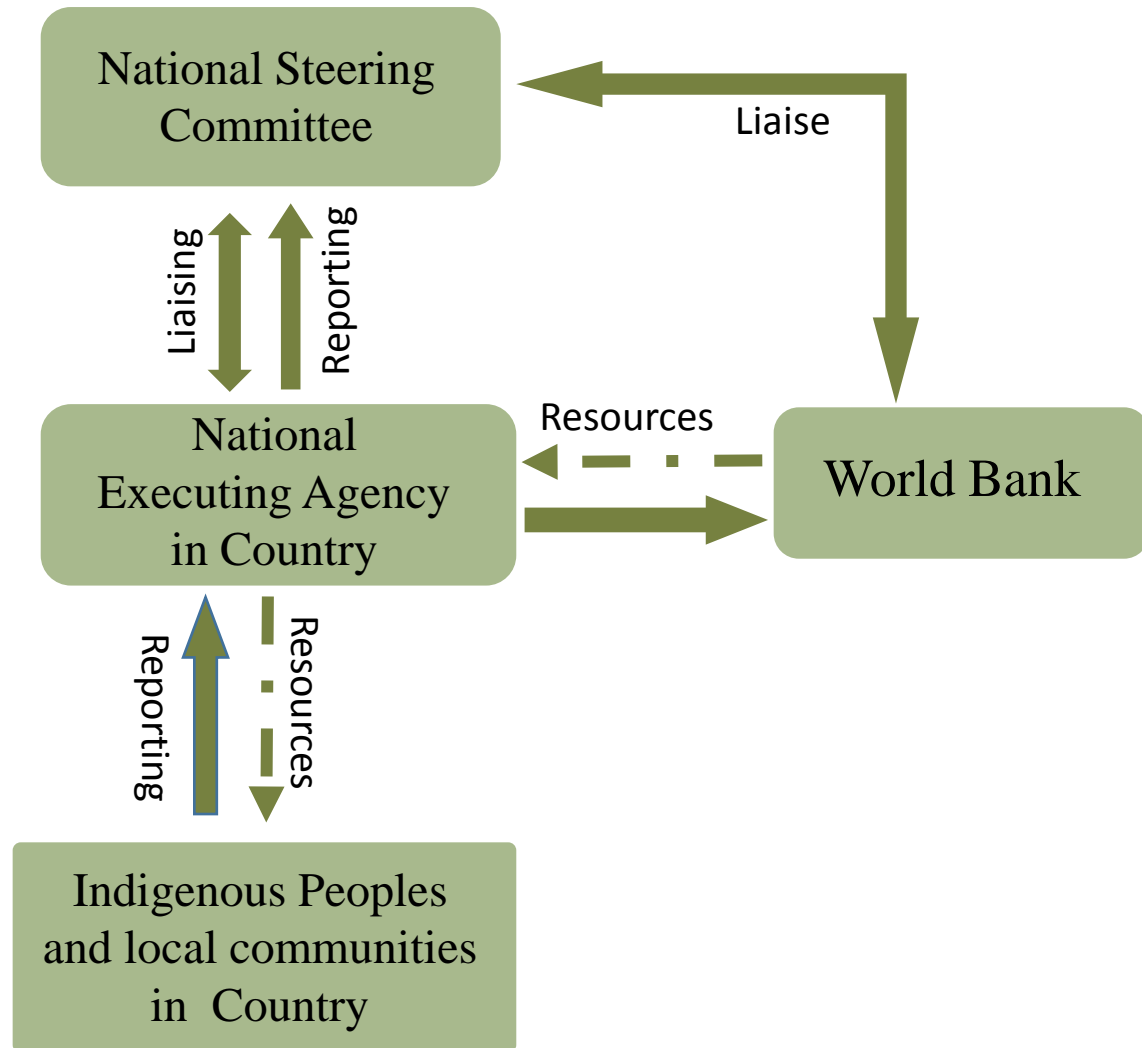
Brazil	\$6.5
Burkina Faso	\$4.5
DRC	\$6.0
Ghana	\$5.5
Indonesia	\$6.5
Lao PDR	\$4.5
Mexico	\$6.0
Peru	\$5.5

### Global Component (\$5M)

- *Program Governance*
- *Knowledge exchange;*
- *Strengthening IPLC networks & alliances;*
- *Communication & Outreach;*
- *Programmatic support to the Global Steering Committee.*

\$30million for New Pilots + Global

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## Why this Model?

- **A unique opportunity for capacity building through program management**
- **A platform to bring all parties together on FIP and REDD+**
- **Is a replicable delivery model for community level grants, directly managed by community organizations**
- **National Steering committee members develop capacity to seek and manage other funds and initiatives**

## **What is expected in the New FIP countries?**

During IP preparation DGM national steering committees need to be formed through a community-led process of self-selection

Familiarize stakeholders about the Program objectives and requirements

Once the National Steering Committee is formed, develop an early concept note with the Committee for inclusion in the Investment Plan

With sufficient notice, Global Steering Committee and Global Agency may be available for advice during these steps.



# Preliminary Sample of DGM activities prioritized by the community members

- Training/skill development
- Natural resource management and income activities (Brazil, Burkina)
- Titling of native lands (Peru)
- Support to recognition of use rights (DRC)
- Mapping of customary lands (Indonesia)



# Status of DGM in Countries

- National Steering Committees established in Indonesia, Peru, Brazil, Burkina, DRC



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- Executing Agencies selected by the Steering Committees in Brazil, Peru, DRC, Indonesia, Burkina Faso
- World Bank Board approved DGM business model and the Global and Brazil projects