

Supporting the Gambella REDD+ Project Development

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REDD+ is one of the key components of Ethiopia's ambitious green growth strategy. The national REDD+ strategy requires the development of jurisdictional REDD+ programs for all regional states with major forest cover. Gambella Peoples Regional State is the third most forested state in Ethiopia and has high potential for forest-based development. UNDP supports the Government of Ethiopia in the development of its national REDD+ strategy. UNDP commissioned UNIQUE to provide initial support to prepare a bankable REDD+ program for the Gambella Region. The program describes the necessary measures and investments to reduce deforestation and degradation, while ensuring sustainable socio-economic development. The program also contributes to the implementation of the green growth strategy and national determined contributions commitments.

Our contribution

- Collect, compile and analyze forest and related secondary data for Gambella.
- Organize three multi-stakeholders workshops to complete and verify data and information.
- Compile the REDD+ program document for the Gambella region.

Country

Ethiopia

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Client

United Nations
Development Programme
(UNDP)