



UNEP/GEF Blue Forests

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Blue Forests Project Update

Wade Fairley, WorldFish



Bangladesh blue forests

NASA Earth Observatory



Thailand project site

Clint Cameron



Mangrove deforestation, Haiti

Rémi Käupp



Belize blue forests

Quick details:

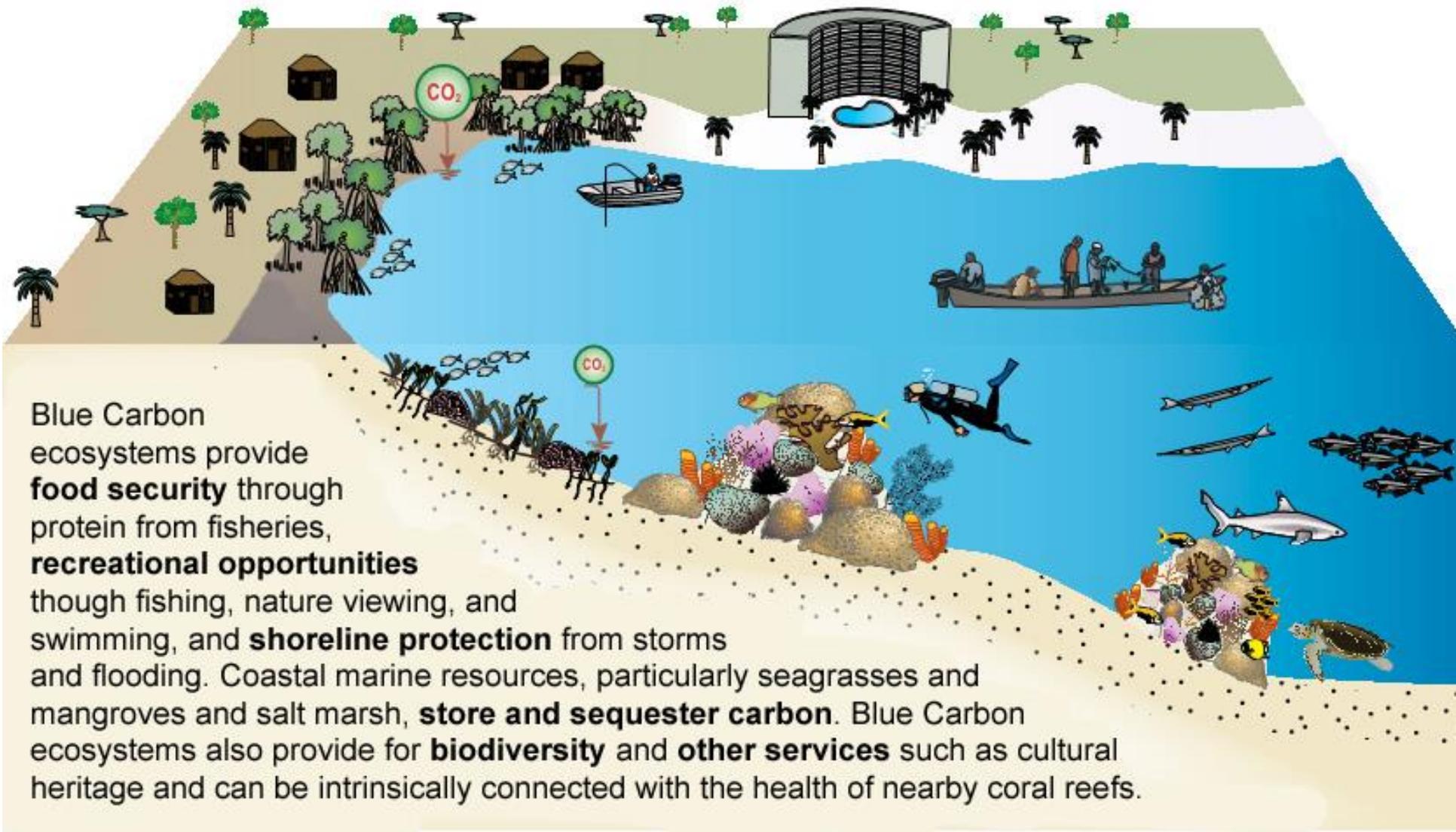
- GEF funds: \$4.5m USD
- Total funds: \$27 million USD
- Implementation: January 2015
- Duration: 4 years (2015-2018)
- Implementation agency: UNEP
- Executed through GRID-Arendal with partners



Indonesia blue forests



Blue Forests Project sites



Multiple benefits of blue forests



Madagascar project site

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Ecuador project site

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Mikoko Pamoja



Kenya project site



Certificate No. **A434**

Republic of Kenya

MINISTRY OF GENDER, CHILDREN & SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

Certificate of Registration of Community Based Organization (CBO)

This is to Certify that

MIKOKO PAMOJA COMMUNITY BASED ORGANIZATION _ C.B.O.

Group Name

DSS/MSAMB/DN/A434/34/2012

Registration No.

MSAMBWENI

Constituency

6/6/2012

Date of Registration

GAZI

Sub-location / Ward

MSAMBWENI

District

KINONDO

Location

DIANI

Division

is registered with the office of the District Gender & Social Development Officer (DGSDO) as a Community Based Organization (CBO)

MSAMBWENI

District

OMARI M. WAZIRI

For: District Gender & Social Development Committee



6/6/2012

Date of Issue

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GAZI WOMEN MANGROVE BOARDWALK
RECEPTION

Kenya project site

Romy Chevalier

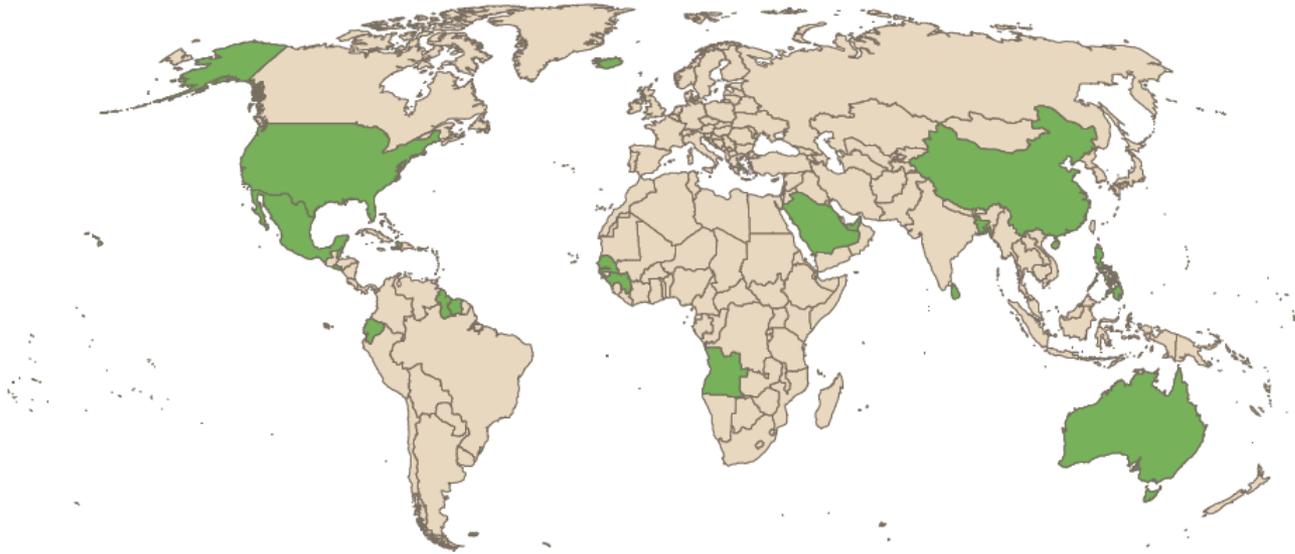


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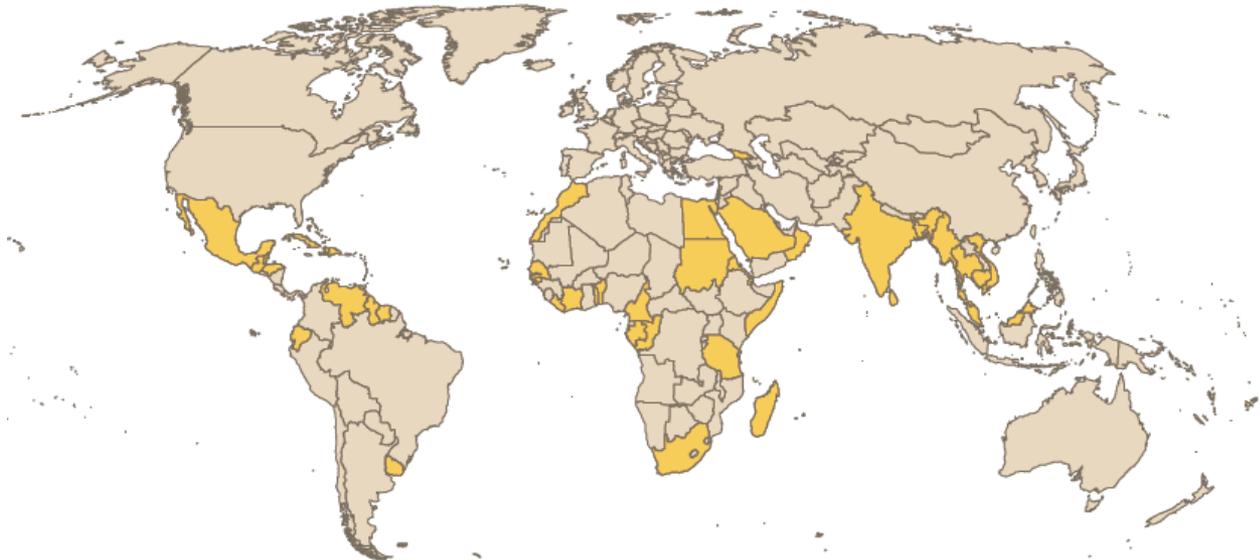
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MITIGATION

Blue Carbon in Nationally Determined Contributions



ADAPTATION



COP22 blue forests

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Coastal blue carbon ecosystems

Opportunities for Nationally Determined Contributions.

Policy brief

D. Herr, E. Landis



BLUE CARBON - NATIONALLY DETERMINED CONTRIBUTIONS INVENTORY

Appendix to:

Coastal blue carbon ecosystems

Opportunities for Nationally Determined Contributions



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Blue forests/carbon and NDCs

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Caroline Schwaner, Duke University