# AIDER's experience: REDD+ project in Shipibo Conibo and Cacataibo native communities in the Ucayali region - Peru





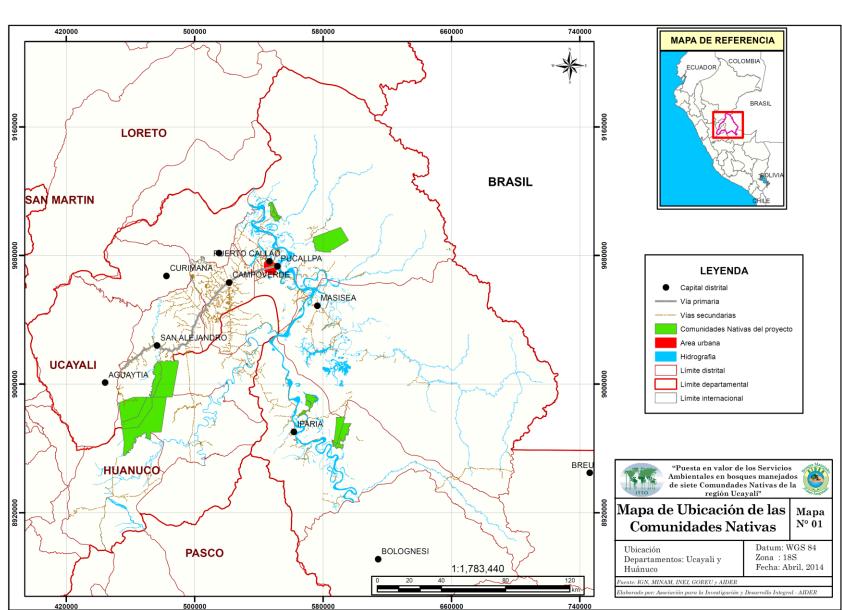
#### Project location

**Ucayali region:** Irazola, Masisea, Calleria and Iparia districts, in Padre Abad and Coronel Portillo provinces

**Huanuco Region:** Codo de Pozuzo, Puerto Inca and Tornavista districts, in Puerto Inca.

Area of **127,004.0** ha of forests in the 7 Native Communities belonging to the Shipibo Conibo and Cacataibo ethnicity:

- Callería
- Curiaca
- Sinchi Roca
- Pueblo Nuevo
- Puerto Nuevo
- Flor de Ucayali
- Roya





### Purpose of the Project:

Conserve the forests of these communities against the deforestation and degradation advance.

Reduce the pressure to change the land use in the project area with 4 components:

- Proper use of communal land,
- Capacity building for the management of natural resources,
- Project finance and market linkages, and
- Technical assistance and supervision

These actions are intended to prevent the advance of deforestation





#### The REDD+ Project has being developed based in two international standards:







**Carbon emissions** 

To avoid an annual average net emissions of **564,818.5 tCO<sub>2</sub>-e** for the first 10 years.

- Climate
- Community
- **Biodiversity**

- Contribute to improve livelihoods and the governance of community resources
- Offer conditions for the fauna and flora of the existing ecosystems that ensure connectivity and serve as corridors

#### Emissions:



Period	Estimated reductions or removals of GHG emissions (tCO2e)	Net GHG emission reductions (tCO2-e)	Commercialized VCUs
2010-2011	325,198.9	218,036.00	185,331.00
2011-2012	257,163.3	95,870.00	81,489.00
2012-2013	323,780.4	157,743.00	134,081.00
2013-2014	419,690.5	117,180.00	97,259.00
2014-2015	453,659.6	179,279.00	148,802.00
2015-2016	548,493.9	41,482.00	34,430.00
2016-2017	731,077.5	653,145.00	542,110.00
2017-2018	783,397.2	780,472.00	663,401.00
2018-2019	854,590.2		
2019-2020	951,133.2		
Total estimated	5,648,184.7		



# Deforestation in the project area:

Period	Projected deforestation (ha)	Ocurred deforestation (ha)	Avoided deforestation (ha)
2010-2011	1,295.90	649.5	646.40
2011-2012	954.4	649.5	304.90
2012-2013	1,135.00	649.5	485.50
2013-2014	1,369.90	1,011.20	358.70
2014-2015	1,416.10	868.4	547.70
2015-2016	1,722.30	1,515.80	206.50
2016-2017	2,288.60	426.8	1,861.80
2017-2018	2,441.50	260.1	2,181.40
2018-2019	2,692.90		
2019-2020	2,943.70		







#### **FORESTRY ALLIANCE**

Sustainable businesses for the management of communal forests in Ucayali, Peru.

An initiative implemented by:



#### What is it?

It is an initiative that promotes AIDER, Althelia-Mirova and USAID that seeks to reduce deforestation and seeks the development and growth of Indigenous communities of the Amazon, through monitoring, control and surveillance of natural forests and the implementation of sustainable businesses.





### Objective

The main objective of the Alliance is that communities conserve and have a sustainably manage of the forests, through sustainable businesses, and the restoration of degraded lands and thereby contribute to the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions.

BENEFICIARIES: 7 Indigenous communities (Shipibo, conibo and cacataibo)

EXECUTION PARTNER: AIDER

■ FINANCING 1: USAID

■ FINANCING 2: Mirova-Althelia

DURATION OF THE ALLIANCE: 5 YEARS

LOCATION: Ucayali region

#### Context:





ITTO Project: REDD + project design for 7 native communities

2010-2013

Presentation of project idea to Althelia Investment Fund

Oct-Dec 2016

Althelia's first visit to Ucayali (Callería)

February 2017

Creation of ACICOB\* with the 7 heads of the native communities

**April 2017** 

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Pre-investment phase begins **Set 2017** 

Althelia's second visit to the native communities

March 2018

Community assemblies for participatory consultation

**May 2018** 

Pre-investment phase closure

October 2018

Start of investment Project

Nov 2018





120 000 Biologically signatural resources

Biologically significant better of natural resources.

**520** ha

Biologically significant with better biophysical conditions for restoration of lands and forests in lands of indigenous communities.





## Social impact

•350 indigenous families with improved livelihoods and economic benefits derived from the CFM.

 Respect for the indigenous worldview and its ancestral relationship with nature, and the enrichment of its cultural identity based on forest management, which leads to harmonious coexistence, reciprocity, solidarity and social inclusion.

#### Economic impact

 Productive economic activities based on the integral use of forest resources and services, both ancestral and innovative, which, to be profitable and sustainable, will be inserted in value chains and managed as inclusive companies.

sustainable businesses developed by indigenous communities organized in partnership with the private sector.





# Expected results of the Forest Alliance

# 1. Enabling conditions for CFM strengthened

- 1.1. Control and surveillance.
- 1.2. Monitoring of deforestation.
- 1.3. Public support to CFM
- 1.4. Training on priority issues

- 2. Indigenous communities' livelihood improved trough the creation and strengthening of sustainable forest businesses.
- 2.1. NFTP sustainable use.
- 2.2. Sustainable use of forests for timber.
- 2.3. Land restoration through agroforestry and forest plantation.
- 2.4. Strengthening of business units.

- 3. CFM model transferred to key stakeholders
- 3.1. Learning initiative for promoting scaling-up of the CFM model.
- 3.2. CFM platforms strengthened.

# Financing model (private and public blend finance)



5-year investment project funded by Althelia Climate Fund and USAID



Financing with return through forest carbon (VCUs)



Three stages conditioned on project results



Althelia participates in financed business profits (20%)

#### Main advances to date:



• 07 community committees for control & forest surveillance operating and officially recognized.

• 03 communities with geo-referencing process concluded, contributing to effective resolution of land use conflicts and avoiding deforestation.



• 07 communities trained in governance and control & forest surveillance.

 14 productive committees operating on handcrafting and agroforestry & forest plantations.

#### Main advances to date:

- Sustainable fashion products (embroidery) developed by women artisans and linked to national markets in partnership with specialized designing companies.
- Shiringa comunal census & biotextile improved products from shiringa rubber concluded in Puerto Nuevo community.
- Marketing activities on-going for Citeindigena (a commercial aggregator firm owned by indigenous organizations).
- A financial sustainability plan for the CFM model, under development.
- 07 agreements established with key stakeholders (Ucayali Regional Government, private companies, indigenous organizations).





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#### Main challenges:



- Developing of a "business culture" in indigenous communities aligned to people's needs and based on indigenous values & culture (accountability, transparency in benefit-sharing, solidarity and reciprocity principles).
- Land invasions in three native communities driven by land traffic and ilicit crops. Need to increase political willingness and effective support of regional authorities to address this issue.
- Scaling-up of business initiatives in other communities and involving new partners through similar value chains.

# THANKS!!!