



# REDD+ FOR THE GUIANA SHIELD

## Technical Cooperation Project



SESSION 2:

## A La Carte support for French Guiana

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# Context of French Guiana

- Context HFLD
- Same drivers of deforestation as in the Guiana Shield
- Non-eligibility REDD+
- Important relative weight in the French forest sector

=> Necessity of finding an innovative way of rewarding forest conservation



# Objective of the study

Identify feasible options inciting development of public and private actions to reduce GHG resulting from deforestation and / or degradation of tropical forest in French Guiana

For example :

- PES
- Domestic project
- Taxes
- CSR



# (A few) Options by sector

- Gold mining
  - Illegal : Police, ground watching, cooperation, ...
  - Legal : Site reforestation, label, ...
- Agriculture : Intensification, soil property valuing, ...
- Town planning / Infrastructures : Impact of deforestation in town planning, compensation (including biodiversity), ...
- Forest management : Wood energy, wood market improvement



# Observations and progress

- This is NOT a REDD+ mechanism, but REDD+ can be an inspiration
- This is a French solution, taking into account regional context
- Options will be suggested but have to be thought in French general political context

Progress : Lawyer on site in September, study to be finished and presented to the Region in the coming weeks





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