

5.6. REDD+: Magdalena Medio valley

<p>Partner</p>	
<p>What is the Project about?</p>	<p>This is a REDD+ project (Emission Reduction for Forest Deforestation and Degradation) located at the Middle Magdalena Region, which aims to actively contribute to the conservation and ecological connectivity of the barbacoas marsh that is nowadays threatened by extensive livestock farming.</p> <p>The project's main objective is to conserve and increase the connectivity of the forests and wetlands of the Barbacoas marsh DMI through restoration of riparian forest, enrichment of secondary forests and conversion of pastures to agroforestry and silvopastoral systems on land with conservation agreements.</p>
<p>What do we aim at?</p>	<p>Apoyar el proyecto para la validación y primera verificación bajo los estándares VCS (Verified Carbon Standard) +CCBS (Climate, Community & Biodiversity Standards). Así como contribuir a la conservación de la biodiversidad y la mitigación del cambio climático.</p> <p>Support the project for the validation and first verification under the VCS (Verified Carbon Standard) and the CCBS (Climate, Community & Biodiversity Standards) standards. It also aims to contribute to the conservation of biodiversity and the mitigation of climate change.</p>
<p>Expected benefits</p>	<p>Avoid the deforestation of more than 9,500 hectares of forest, contributing to a potential emission reduction of 576,127 tons of CO₂. In parallel, it seeks to positively impact the communities that surround the Barbacoas marsh.</p>
<p>SDG's to which it contributes</p>	

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