



RECOFTC

Resilient communities, sustainable and equitable forest landscapes

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Our vision

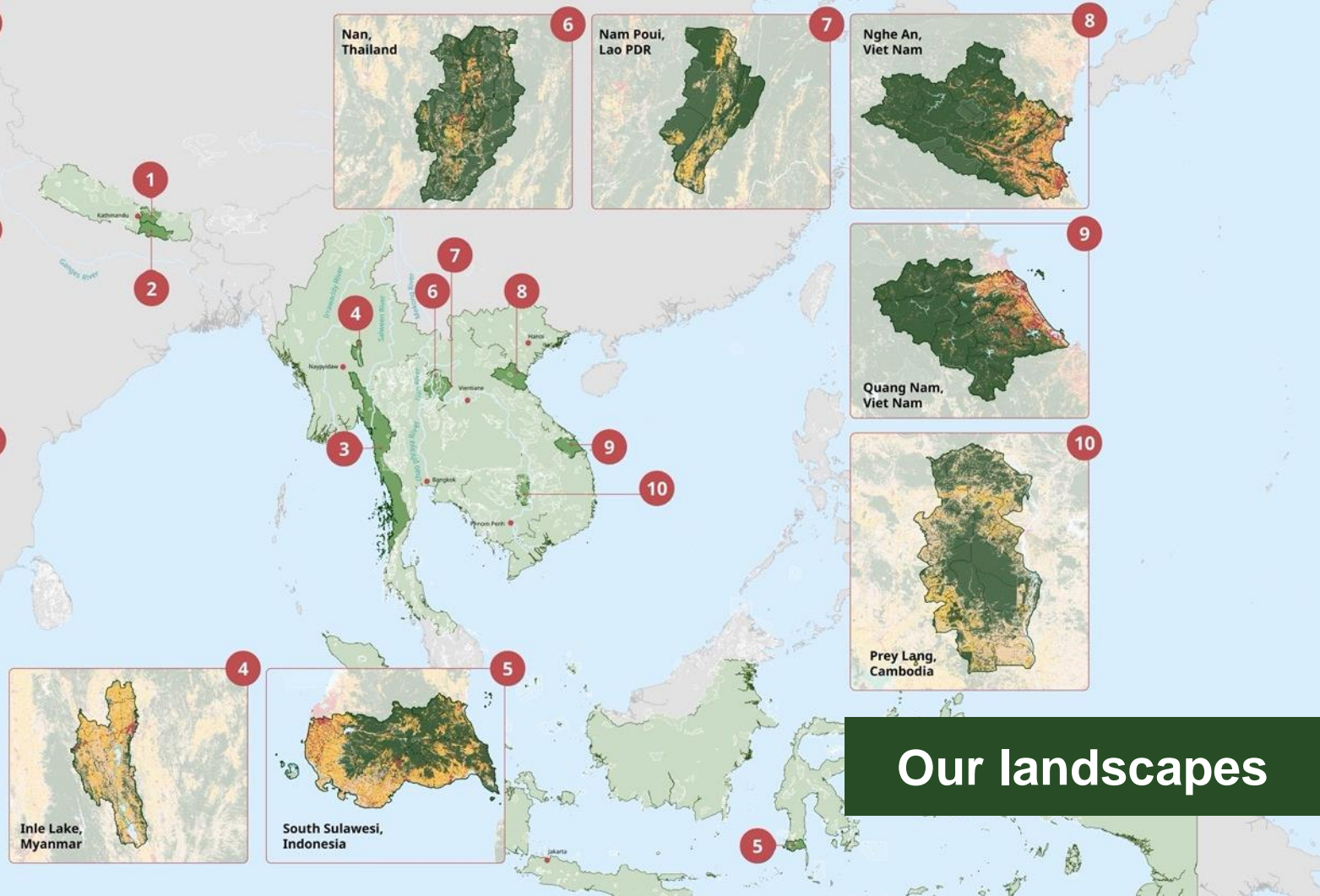
A world where resilient communities with respected rights thrive in forest landscapes that they manage sustainably and equitably.

Our mission

Strengthen capacities, rights and governance to ensure that local people can maintain and benefit equitably from sustainable forest landscapes in the Asia-Pacific region.

How we work in forest landscapes





Our landscapes



Community forestry

In 2023

community forestry
area under direct
RECOFTC support in
seven countries is

579,086

hectares

By 2028

we project that the
community forest
area will increase to

650,000

hectares



Thailand

Community forestry area

14,096 ha

Community forest (families)

**32,277
households**



Community engagement

In 2023

88,750

households are
members of the
community forestry
user group.

By 2028

number of
households is
projected to be
at about

100,000



Capacity building

20,787
people


benefited from capacity
building activities conducted
by RECOFTC in **2023 alone**



60% are women

An aerial photograph showing a vast, dense green forest covering a hillside. In the upper portion of the image, a small village is visible, with numerous houses having reddish-brown or blue roofs. The forest is thick and lush, with various shades of green indicating different types of trees and vegetation. The text 'Forest Landscape Restoration' is overlaid in white, bold, sans-serif font in the center of the image.

Forest Landscape Restoration

An aerial photograph of a dense, dark green coniferous forest. A single tree in the lower-left quadrant is highlighted in a bright yellow color, standing out from the surrounding greenery.

What are the opportunities?

- Economic incentives for forest restoration
- Policies and legal frameworks for advancing FLR – Good Governance
- Infrastructure and facilities
- Capacity development
- Community empowerment
- Environmental benefits
- Moving beyond carbon

What are the risks?



- Land use conflicts
- Human rights dispute
- Inequitable distribution of benefits
- Dependency on external entities
- Displacement and loss of local livelihoods
- Biodiversity and ecosystem risks
- Integrity



Capacity gaps and limited resources to approach FLR in a strategic manner

1. Lack of data to facilitate communication between and within different government agencies and the private sector.
2. Gaps in the capacity of government offices and rural communities to attract sustainable investments, including for adopting a landscape approach to scale FLR / restoration.

RECOFTC (2018) Issue Paper
AWG-SF led FLR FORUM

Regional projects

Community-based
Fire Management in Asia

Regional Model Forest Network-Asia

Enhancing Access to Benefits
while Lowering Emission
for Lao PDR (EnABLE)

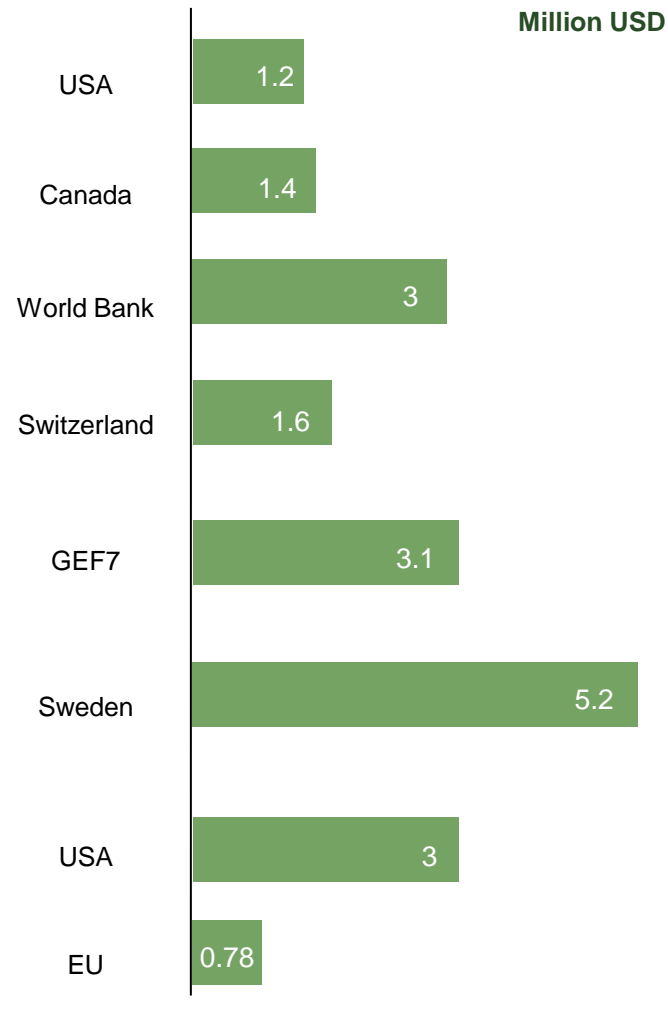
Transformative
land investment

Integrated Forest Landscape
Management for Strengthening
the North-eastern and
Eastern Forest Corridors

Strengthening Science-Policy
Interface and Universities' Research
Capacities for Forest Landscape
Governance in Southeast Asia
(Explore Phase II)

Viet Nam Sustainable
Forest Management

Our Tonle Sap Cambodia



RMFN- Asia





Thailand projects

Trees4All	IUCN	\$249,700
Strengthening Biodiversity Management in CFs	Darwin Initiative	\$242,790
Wildfire Prevention - World Bank Policy Recommendations for Northern Thailand	World Bank	\$88,810
CF NET Phase II	Yuvabadhana Foundation	\$138,724
Wyss - Nan Living Landscape	Wyss Foundation	\$99,000



Trees4All

99 farmers involved

Now

Target

12,200

trees planted

20,000

total target
number of trees

1,633,245

donation received
in ThB

2,000,000

target donation in
ThB

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