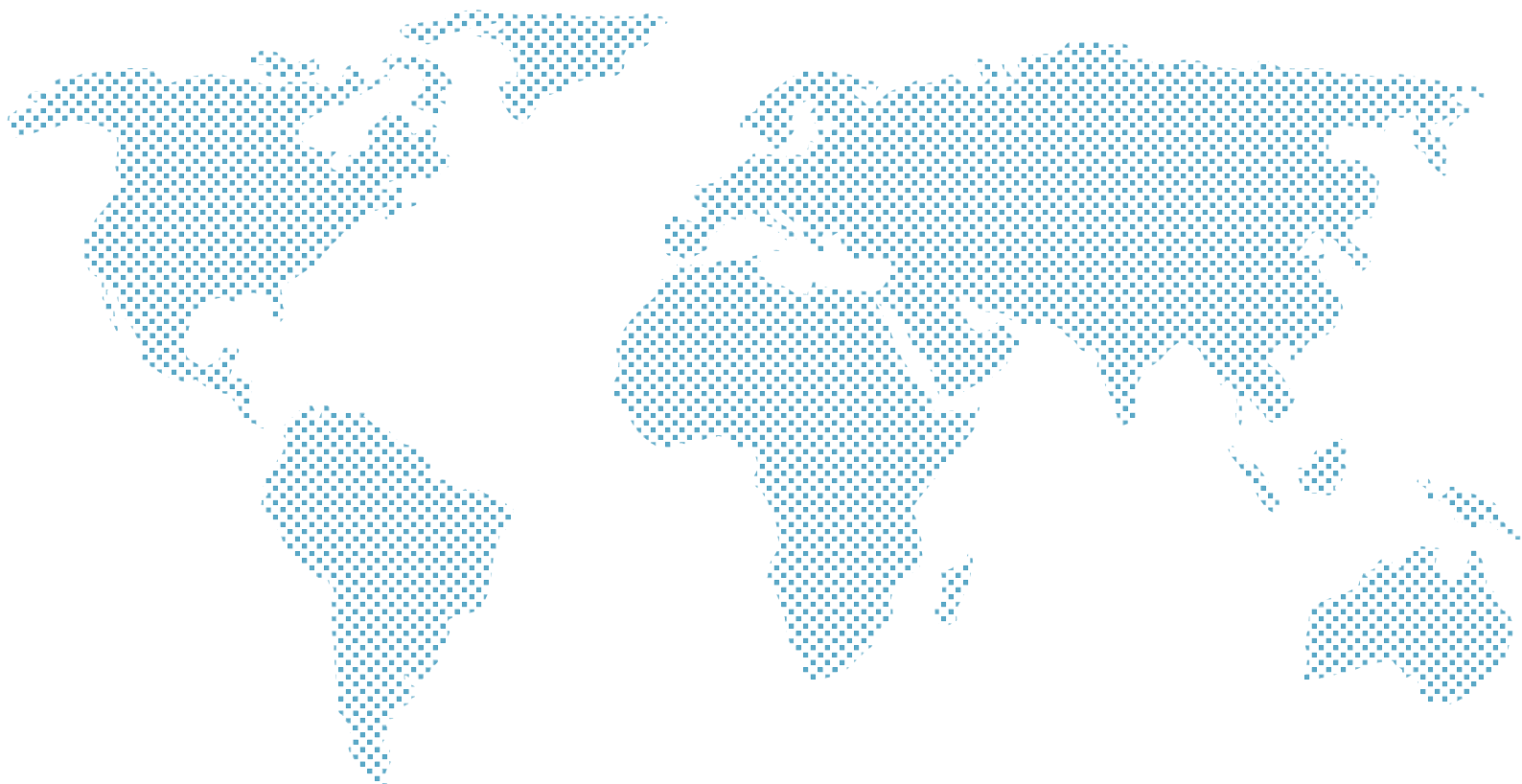




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# SMALL GRANTS PROGRAMME

Least Developed Countries (LDCs)



**RESULTS FACTSHEET: 2016-2017**

# RESULTS METHODOLOGY

Results are presented for reporting year, July 1, 2016- June 30, 2017, based on reporting by 37 SGP LDC Programmes. A conservative methodological approach is used for results calculations using only GEF funded projects that were completed during the reporting year. 349 GEF funded projects were completed and results for these are presented in this factsheet.

## PORTFOLIO, 1 JULY 2016 – 30 JUNE 2017

NEW PROJECTS **387**

COMPLETED PROJECTS **349**

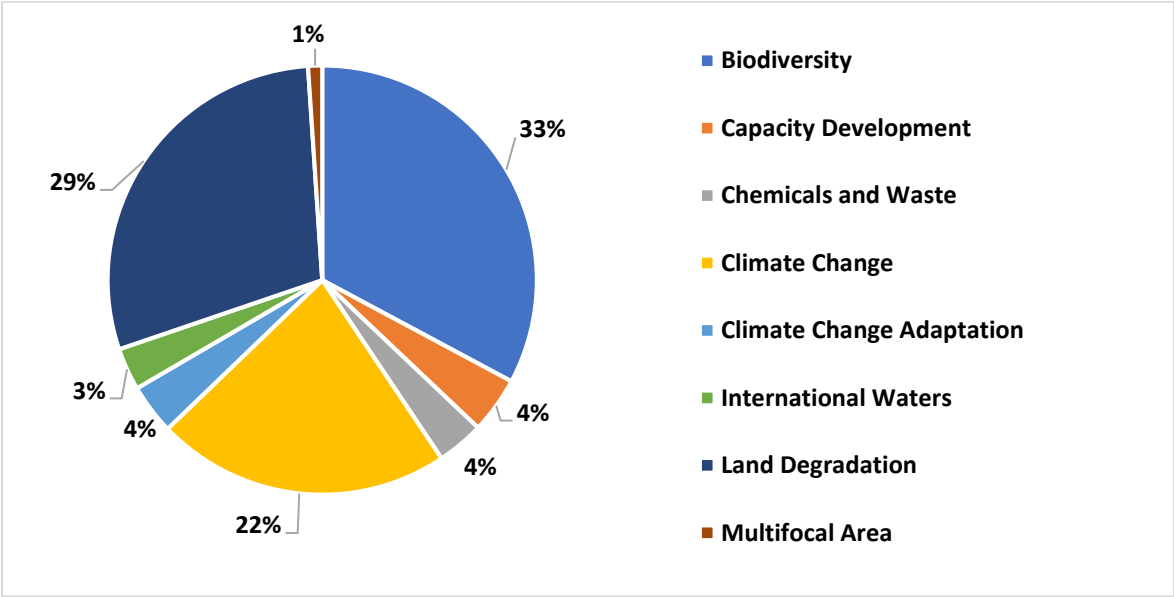
ONGOING PROJECTS **801**

## FUNDING, ACTIVE PORTFOLIO OF GRANT PROJECTS FUNDED BY GEF

PROJECT FUNDING **USD 22.2 millions**

PROJECT LEVEL COFINANCING **USD 19 millions**

## FOCAL AREA DISTRIBUTION OF SGP LDC ACTIVE PORTFOLIO



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## **DEVELOPMENT RESULTS**

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### **BIODIVERSITY**

|   |                  |
|---|------------------|
| Biodiversity: Projects completed - OP5 & OP6                        | <b>98</b>        |
| Number of Protected areas (PAs)                                     | <b>29</b>        |
| Hectares of PAs   | <b>1,050,863</b> |
| Number of ICCAs   | <b>55</b>        |
| Hectares of ICCAs   | <b>38,844</b>    |
| Sustainably produced biodiversity/agrobiodiversity products         | <b>117</b>       |
| Significant species with maintained or improved conservation status | <b>91</b>        |
| Target landscapes/seascapes under sustainable use                   | <b>65</b>        |
| Hectares of target landscapes/seascapes under sustainable use       | <b>1,028,228</b> |

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### **CLIMATE CHANGE**

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|--|---------------|
| Climate Change Mitigation: Projects completed- OP5 & OP6                           | <b>91</b>     |
| Countries addressing barriers to deployment of low-GHG technologies                | <b>10</b>     |
| Hectares with restoration and enhancement of carbon stocks initiated               | <b>3,437</b>  |
| Typologies of energy access solutions with scaling up/ replication                 | <b>25</b>     |
| Households achieving energy access co-benefits (ecosystem effects, income, health) | <b>12,626</b> |

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### **LAND DEGRADATION**

|  |                |
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| Land degradation: Projects completed -OP5 &OP6                                       | <b>315</b>     |
| Community members with improved agricultural, land and water management practices    | <b>121,393</b> |
| Hectares brought under improved agricultural, land and water management practices    | <b>26,895</b>  |
| Farmer leaders with successful demonstrations of agro-ecological practices           | <b>2,219</b>   |
| Farmer organizations/networks disseminating climate smart agro- ecological practices | <b>387</b>     |

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## **INTERNATIONAL WATERS**

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|---|--------------|
| International Waters: Projects completed - OP5 & OP6                      | <b>19</b>    |
| Tons of land-based pollution reduced/ prevented from entering waterbodies | <b>220</b>   |
| Hectares of marine/coastal areas/fishing grounds sustainably managed      | <b>3,163</b> |

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## **CHEMICALS AND WASTE**

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|   |                |
|---|----------------|
| Chemicals and Waste (including Mercury): Projects completed - OP5 & OP6           | <b>12</b>      |
| Kilograms of pesticides reduced/prevented   | <b>5,400</b>   |
| Kilograms of solid waste prevented/reduced (such as plastics, agricultural waste) | <b>154,800</b> |
| Kilograms of e-waste collected/recycled   | <b>287,600</b> |
| National networks on chemicals and waste management established/ strengthened     | <b>7</b>       |

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## **CAPACITY DEVELOPMENT**

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| Capacity development (stand-alone grant projects)- OP5 & OP6 | <b>21</b>    |
| CSOs with capacities developed/ improved                     | <b>306</b>   |
| CBOs with capacities developed/improved                      | <b>193</b>   |
| People with capacities developed/improved                    | <b>3,307</b> |

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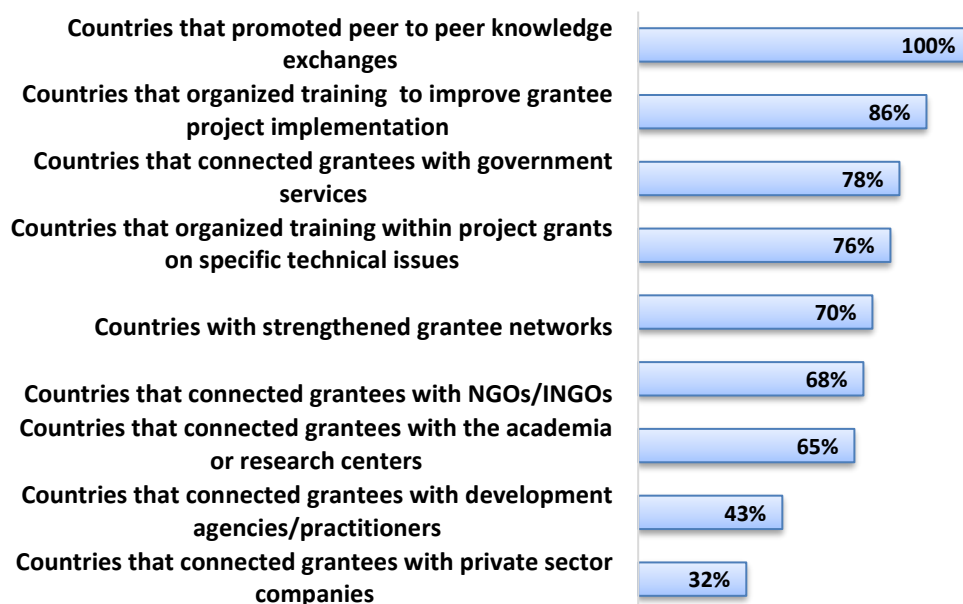
## **GRANTMAKER PLUS**

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| Countries conducting CSO-Government Dialogue activities                 | <b>14</b>    |
| Number of CSO- Government Dialogue platforms initiated                  | <b>46</b>    |
| CSO/CBO representatives involved in the dialogues                       | <b>1,100</b> |
| Countries facilitating South- South Exchanges                           | <b>9</b>     |
| Number of South- South exchanges between communities, CSOs and partners | <b>16</b>    |

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## Capacity Development Strategies used by SGP LDC Programmes



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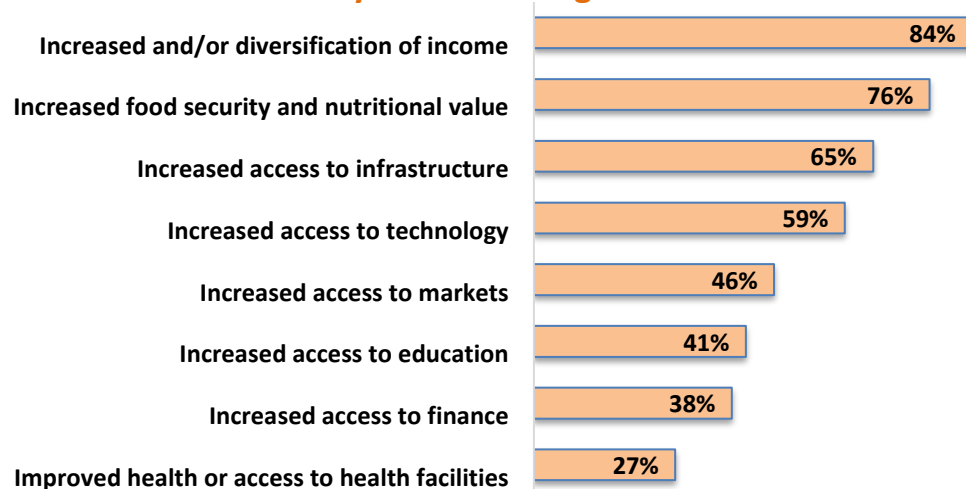
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| Gender mainstreaming: Projects completed - OP5 & OP6   | <b>322</b> |
| Countries that incorporated gender considerations in project design                                      | <b>84%</b> |
| Countries that partner with women's organization   | <b>43%</b> |
| Countries conducting gender analysis/assessment at country/project level                                 | <b>41%</b> |
| Countries conducting gender mainstreaming training for grantees  | <b>54%</b> |
| Countries producing 'how to' guidance on gender mainstreaming in community projects                      | <b>16%</b> |
| Countries using NSC gender check list for approval of projects   | <b>73%</b> |
| Countries having project targets on gender issues  | <b>51%</b> |
| Countries supporting networking/creation of women organizations at national level                        | <b>27%</b> |
| Countries connecting women group projects at the national level with regional/global networks            | <b>35%</b> |
| Countries with gender mainstreaming strategy/ gender action plan for country programme                   | <b>30%</b> |
| Projects completed led by women (e.g. female project coordinator/ led by woman cooperative/ women group) | <b>63</b>  |

|   |     |
|---|-----|
| Indigenous people: Projects completed -OP5 & OP6  | 37  |
| Indigenous leaders with higher capacities for organizing IP projects and strong representation in policy advocacy | 573 |
| Youth: Projects completed -OP5 & OP6  | 98  |
| Youth organizations participating in SGP projects   | 62  |
| Disabled persons organizations participating in SGP projects  | 7   |

## UPSCALING, REPLICATION AND POLICY INFLUENCE

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|---|-----------|
| Completed projects upscaled and replicated              | 42 (12%)  |
| Completed projects with policy influence                | 27 (8%)   |
| Completed projects improving livelihoods of communities | 270 (77%) |

### Strategies employed to improve Livelihoods by SGP LDC Programmes



*\* Percentages based on 37 SGP LDC programmes that reported this year*

## Use of market based initiatives to support sustainability of projects (% of SGP LDCs Portfolio)

|                                |     |
|--------------------------------|-----|
| Green products                 | 38% |
| Ecotourism                     | 38% |
| Payment for ecosystem services | 11% |
| Microcredit schemes            | 27% |
| Revolving funds                | 38% |

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## **Contributions to Agenda 2030 and Sustainable Development Goals (% of SGP LDCs Portfolio)**

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|  |            |
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| SDG 1: End poverty in all its forms everywhere   | <b>54%</b> |
| SDG 2: End hunger, achieve food security and improved nutrition and promote sustainable agriculture  | <b>54%</b> |
| SDG 3: Ensure healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages   | <b>32%</b> |
| SDG 4: Ensure inclusive and equitable quality education and promote lifelong learning opportunities for all  | <b>11%</b> |
| SDG 5: Achieve gender equality and empower all women and girls   | <b>68%</b> |
| SDG 6: Ensure availability and sustainable management of water and sanitation for all  | <b>32%</b> |
| SDG 7: Ensure access to affordable, reliable, sustainable and modern energy for all  | <b>49%</b> |
| SDG 8: Promote sustained, inclusive and sustainable economic growth, full and productive employment and decent work for all  | <b>24%</b> |
| SDG 9: Build resilient infrastructure, promote inclusive and sustainable industrialization and foster innovation   | <b>8%</b>  |
| SDG 10: Reduce inequality within and among countries   | <b>11%</b> |
| SDG 11: Make cities and human settlements inclusive, safe, resilient and sustainable   | <b>3%</b>  |
| SDG 12: Ensure sustainable consumption and production patterns   | <b>19%</b> |
| SDG 13: Take urgent action to combat climate change and its impacts  | <b>59%</b> |
| SDG 14: Conserve and sustainably use the oceans, seas and marine resources for sustainable development   | <b>19%</b> |
| SDG 15: Protect, restore and promote sustainable use of terrestrial ecosystems, sustainably manage forests, combat desertification, and halt and reverse land degradation and halt biodiversity loss | <b>62%</b> |
| SDG 16: Promote peaceful and inclusive societies for sustainable development, provide access to justice for all and build effective, accountable and inclusive institutions at all levels            | <b>3%</b>  |
| SDG 17: Strengthen the means of implementation and revitalize the global partnership for sustainable development   | <b>22%</b> |

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## **OTHER EFFECTIVENESS MEASURES**

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|  |            |
|--|------------|
| Knowledge products organized and shared across countries | <b>37</b>  |
| Countries with Gender Focal Points                       | <b>35</b>  |
| Countries with Youth Focal Points                        | <b>34</b>  |
| Countries with Indigenous People Focal Points            | <b>13</b>  |
| Number of monitoring visits to projects                  | <b>513</b> |

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