





# CARBON STOCK SURVEY IN THE FRAMEWORK OF POVERTY ALLEVIATION IN MADAGASCAR: CHALLENGES AND RESULTS

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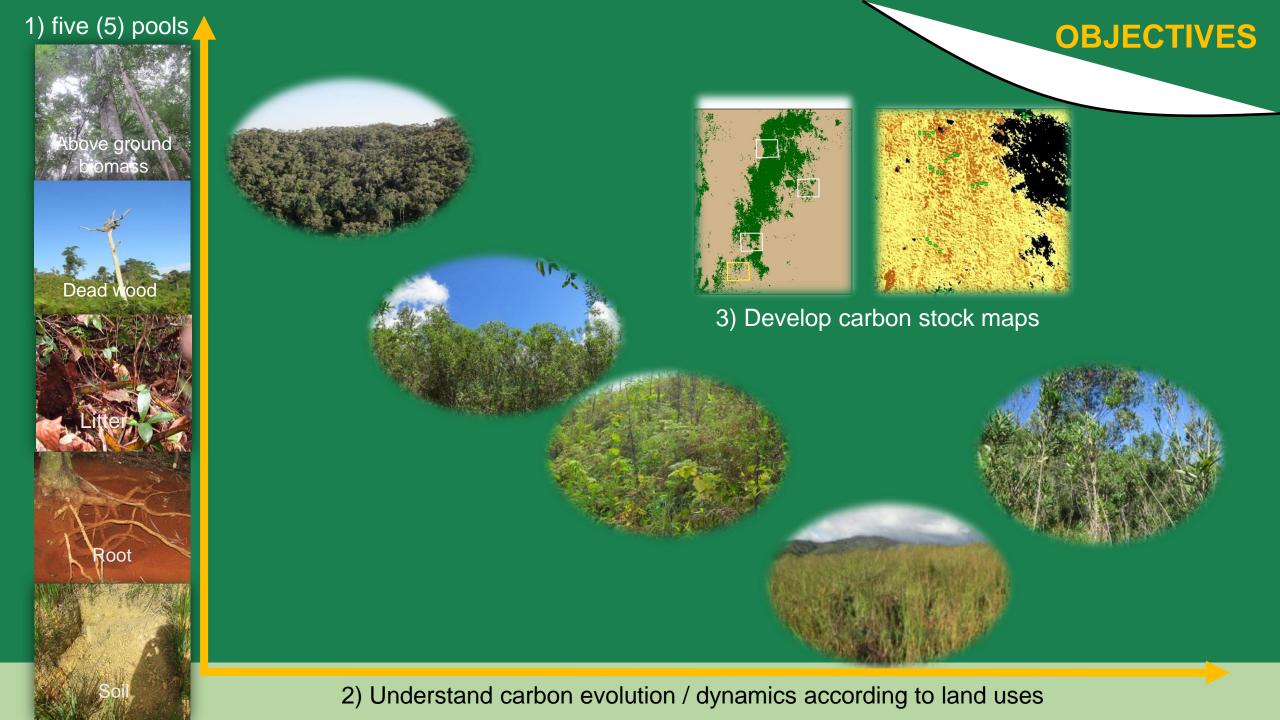














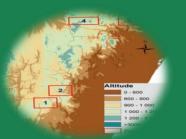
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**Local Authorities** 

Local population



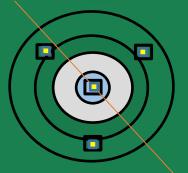
## **ACTIVITIES**



#### **Data collection**

Determination of zones with other workpackage

Methodological test Develop design sampling





Determination of sites/target trees

Field data collection





# **Analysis**

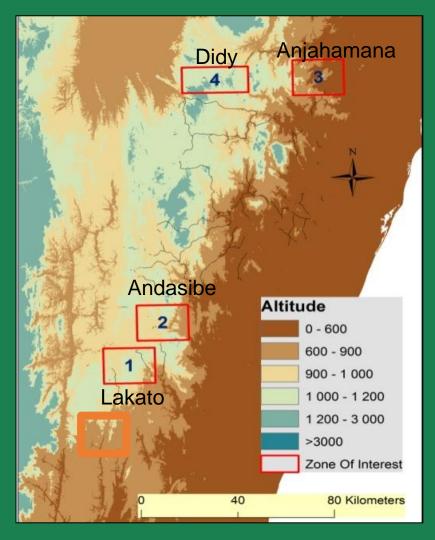
**In Laboratory** 

Data processing/writing





# **RESULTS**



Map1: Corridor Ankeniheny-Zahamena (CAZ) with 4 Zones of interest

#### Corridor ANKENIHENY ZAHAMENA 4 zones of interest (ZOI)

**ZOI1: Lakato** (only Carbon WP surveyed)

ZOI2: Andasibe

ZOI3: Anjahamana

ZOI4: Didy



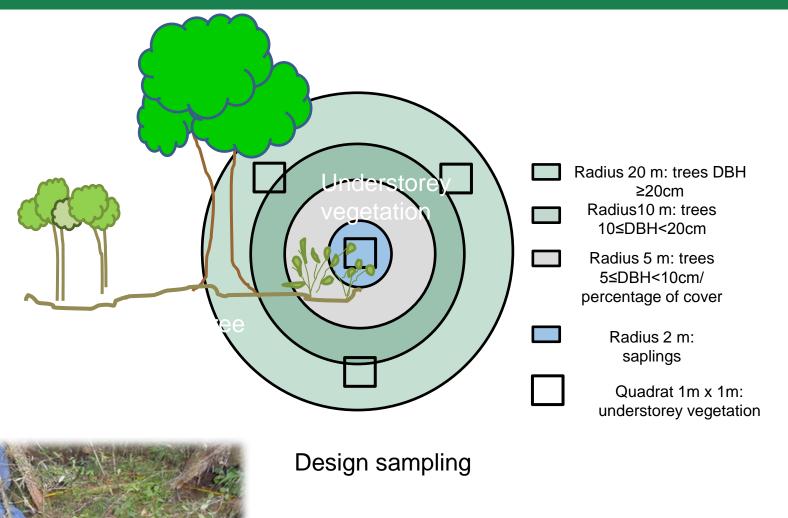
Deforestation in Lakato

In total: 132 surveyed sites by Carbon WP



# Pool 1: Aboveground biomass

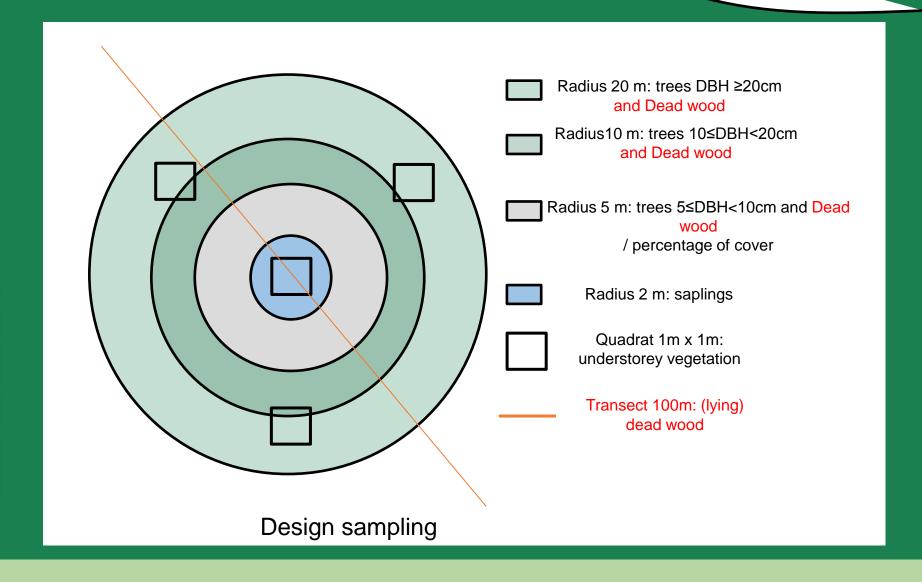




# Pool 2: Dead wood









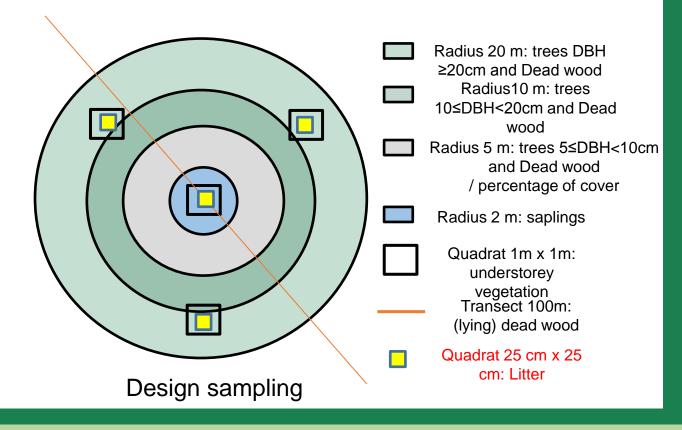
#### **METHODOLOGY**

#### Pool 3: Litter

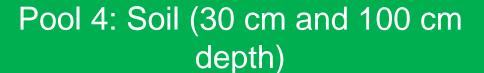






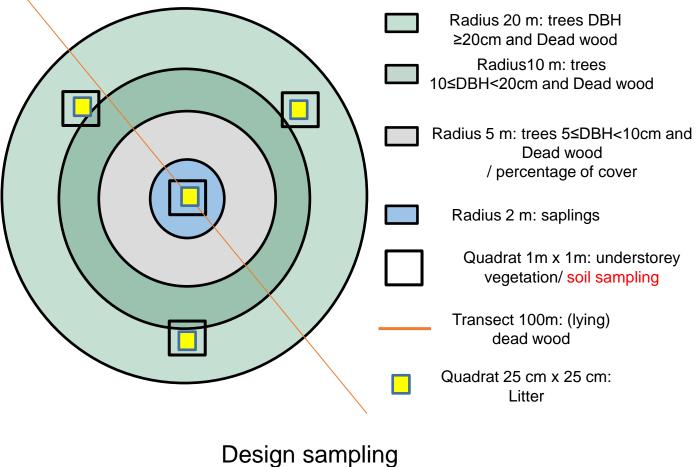






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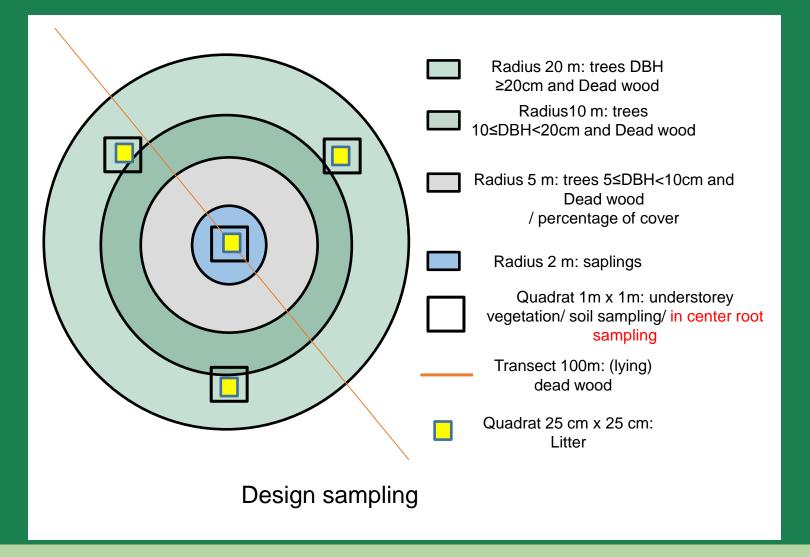




#### Pool 5: Root







#### DIRET MEASUREMENT IN FOREST





**Excavation of root** 



Measuring roots







#### **CHALLENGES**







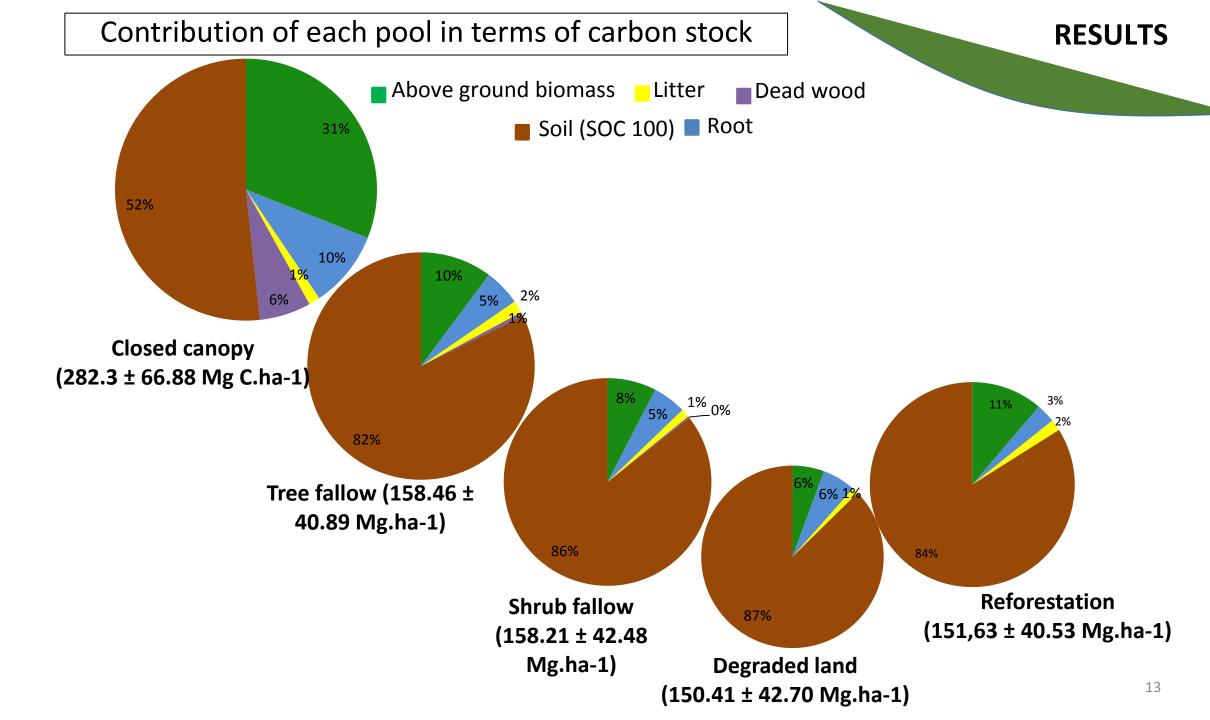










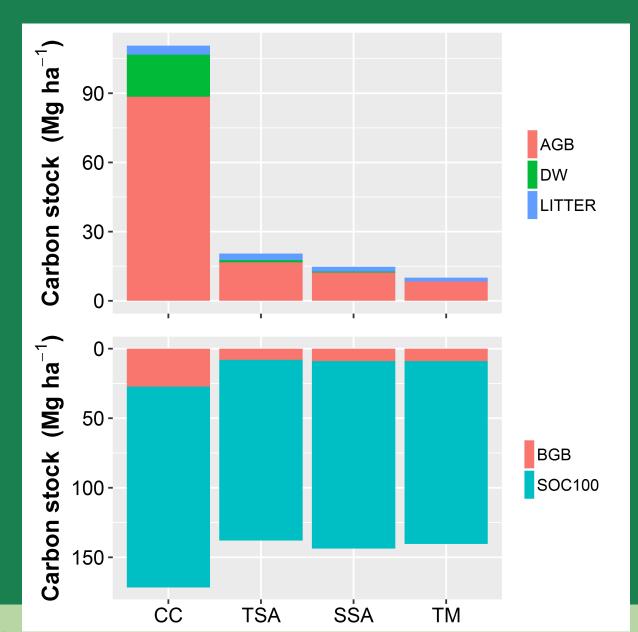


## Carbon stock dynamics according to land use change

#### **RESULTS**



Hidden carbon pools

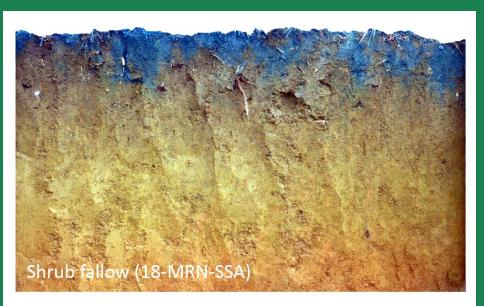


#### **RESULTS**

Forest: infiltration (eg along roots) is high so overland flow is low



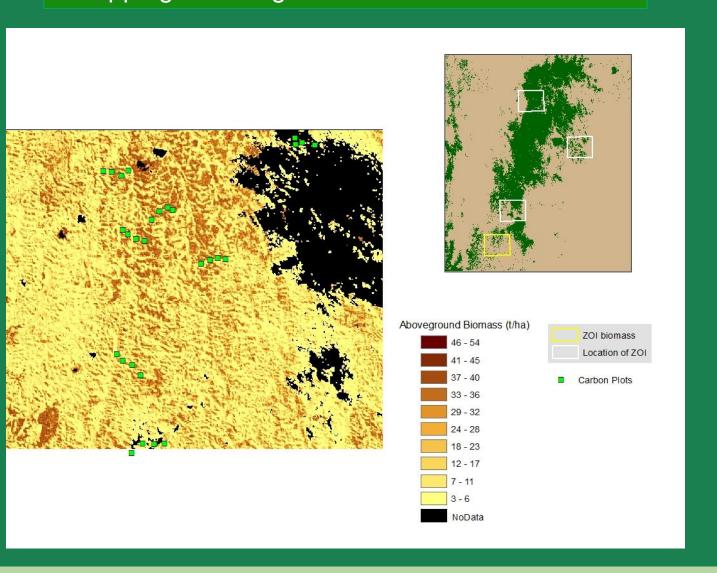
Shrub fallow: infiltration is low so overland flow is high

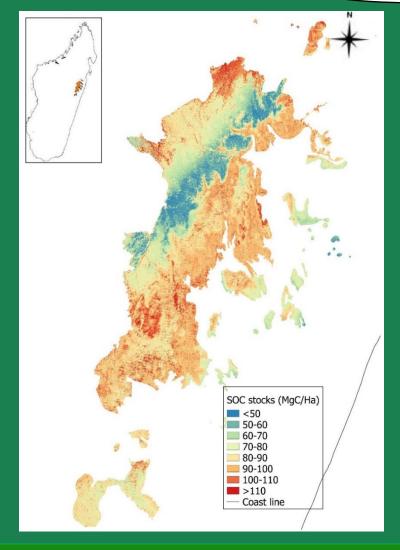




# **RESULTS**

## Mapping: Above-ground biomass carbon stock









# Participation in conferences

#### **National**

Malagasy Academy

**National Library** 

Presentation: Soil and climate change (IFM)

#### International

















#### Posters



## Scientific card dispatched during CoP 21





Scientific papers in international journals



# Blogs

Site P4GES: p4ges.org



Awarded Blog during the World Congress Forest 2015, Durban, https://forests2015.wordpress.com/2015/08/ 02/carbon-stock-in-rainforests-a-buriedpotential/

#### The #Forests2015 Blog

Social reporting from the XIV World Forestry

Home By Congress theme: -Blog Competition Conference new









Carbon stock in rainforests: a buried potential



Integrating local communities in rainforest carbon quantification

Food security, an important part of human well being, is a major concern for most if not all developing country. Madagascar's rainforests are constantly and severely threatened by local communities which have, most of time, no other choice than using natural resources for a living.

« Carbon storage » as an ecosystemical service is a non destructive way to valorize the forests. However defining the valuable carbon stock is tricky and even the scientific community must face strong difficulties to give a precise



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