

GEF Work Program December 2019



Third Work Program in the GEF-7 Replenishment Cycle



Engagement of new stakeholders and Alliances



By the Numbers
December 2019 Work Program



5

Programs

48

Full Sized
Projects

4

Multi-Trust
Fund Projects



87

Recipient
Countries

25

LDCs

24

SIDS



\$588.5 M

GEF

\$5.60 B

Co-Financing

\$4.30 B

Investment
Mobilized



1:9.5

Co-Financing Ratio
Work Program

1:7.9

Co-Financing Ratio
To Date

1:7.4

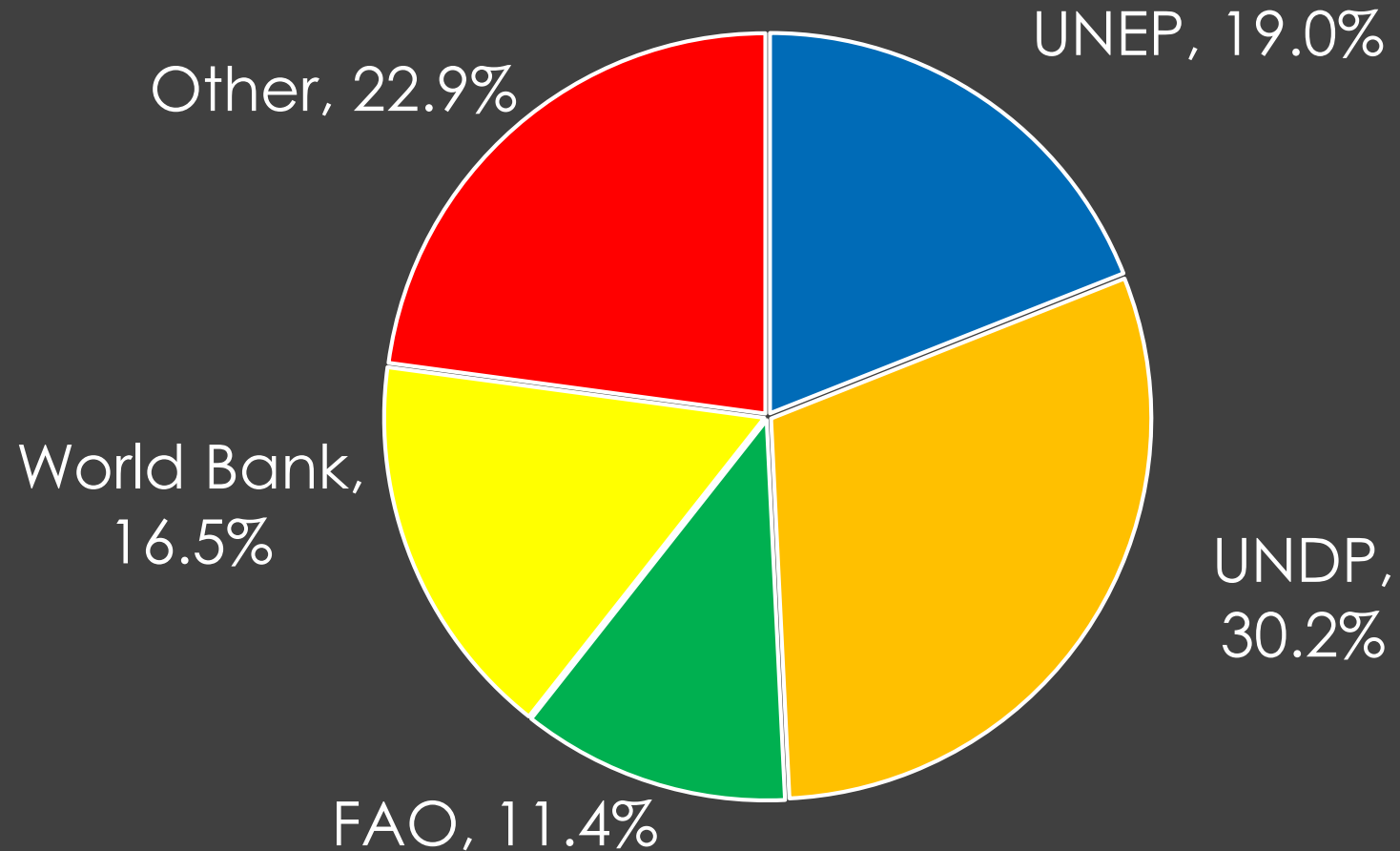
Investment
Mobilized Ratio
Work Program

1:5.6

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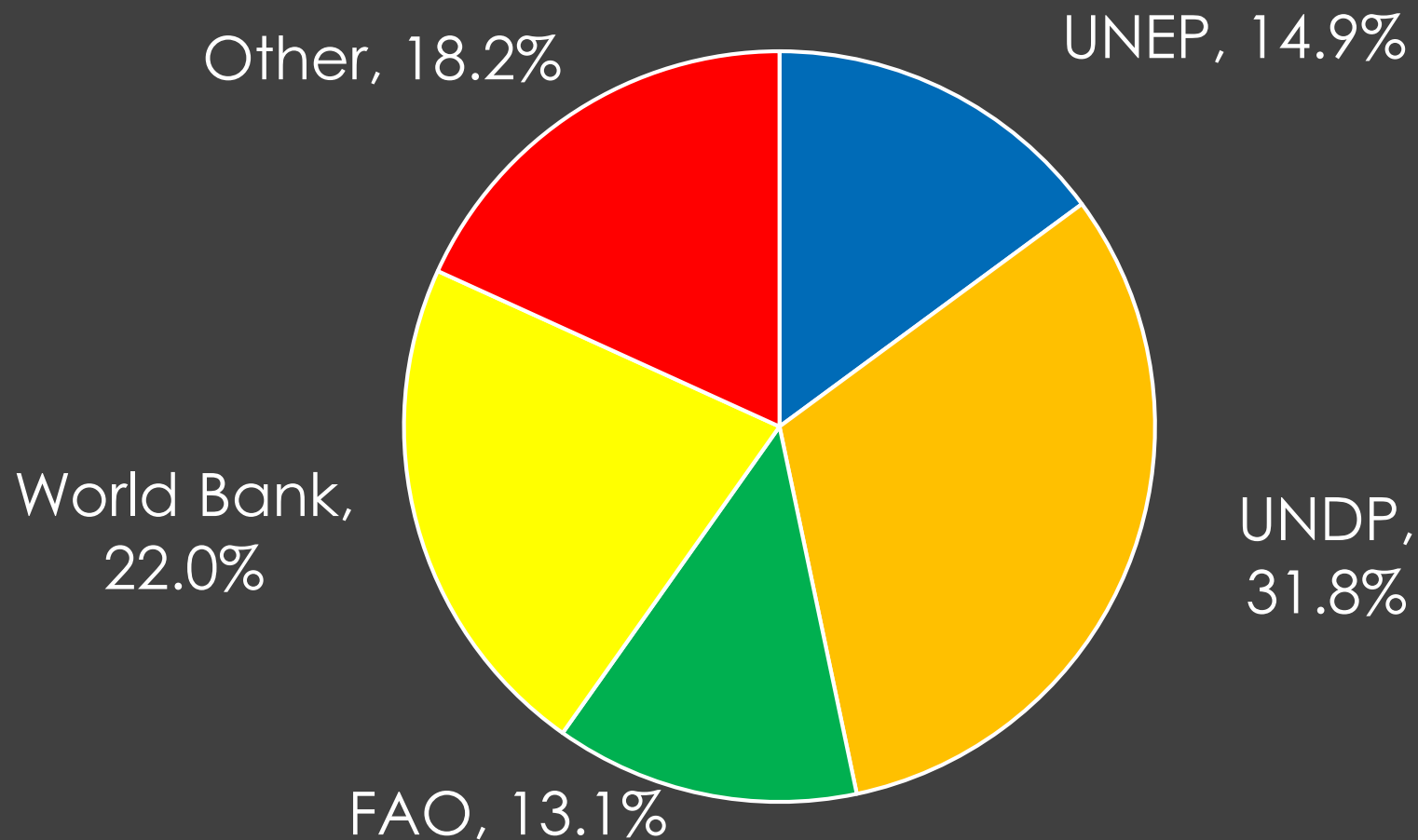
Resources Requested in December 2019 Work Program – By GEF Agency

*Includes fees



Distribution of Total GEF-7 Resources Inclusive of December 2019

*Includes fees



Distribution of GEF Financing by Focal Area



NGI \$35.1 M

International Waters \$58.4 M

Chemicals and Waste \$49.6 M

Land Degradation \$63.6 M

Climate Change \$197.2 M

Biodiversity \$184.5 M

Distribution of GEF Financing by programs and projects



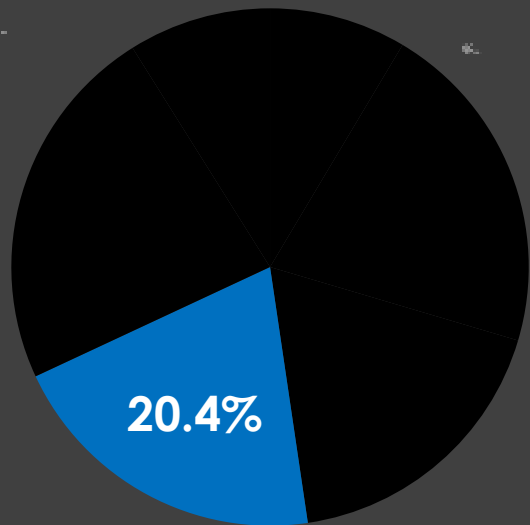
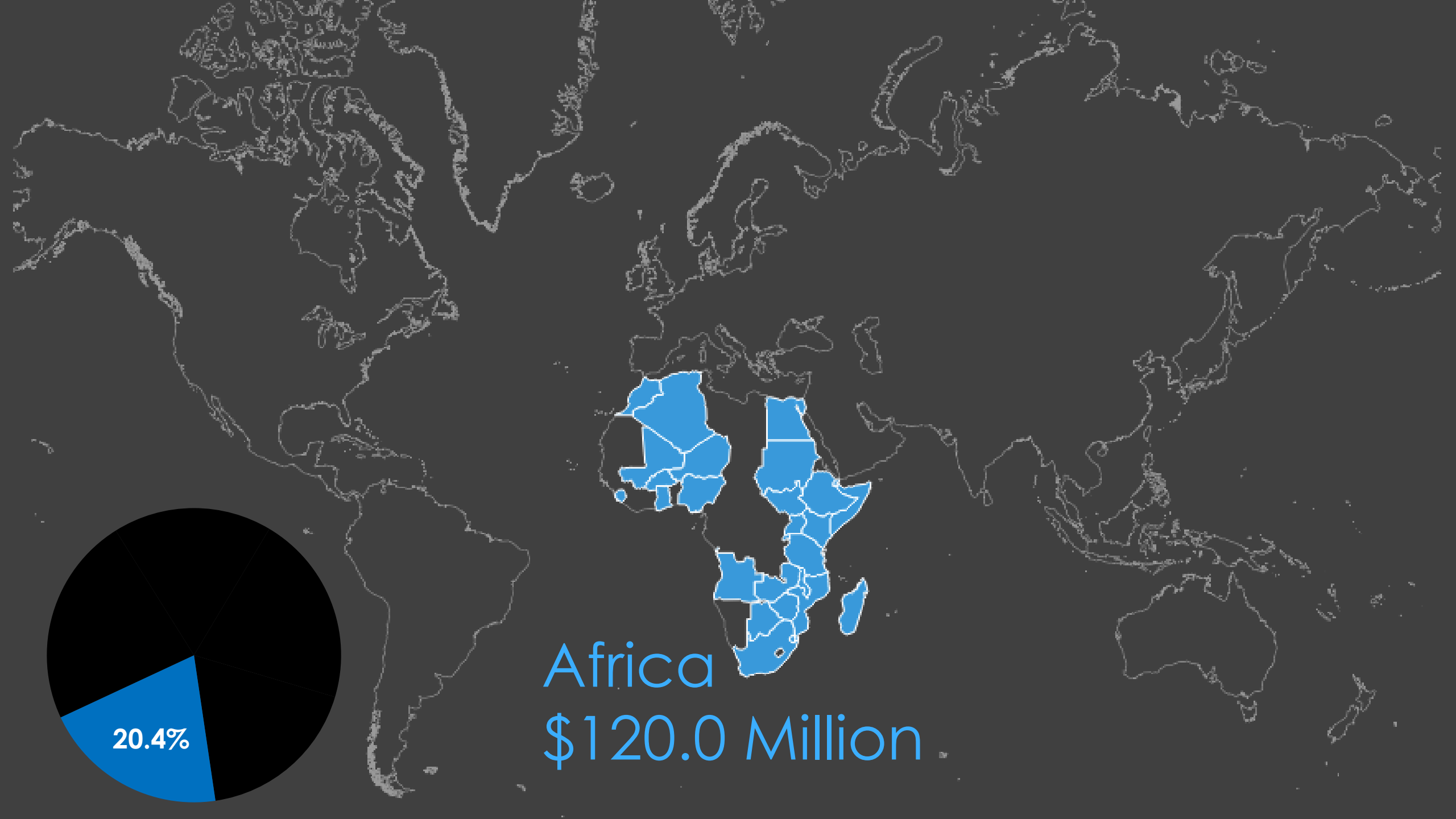
NGI Projects \$35.1 M

Stand-alone Projects
\$262.5 M

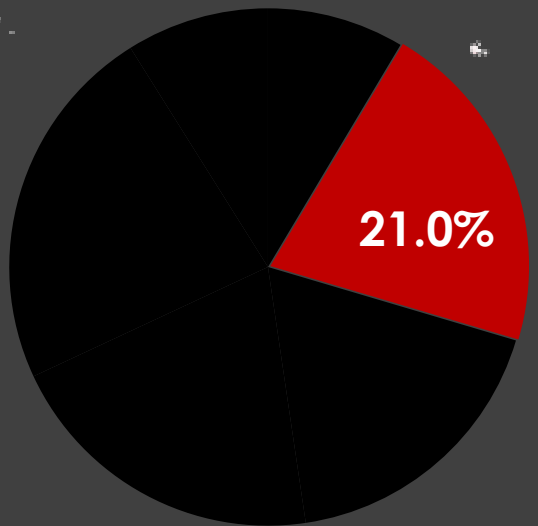
Other Programs \$56.9 M

Impact Programs \$234.0 M

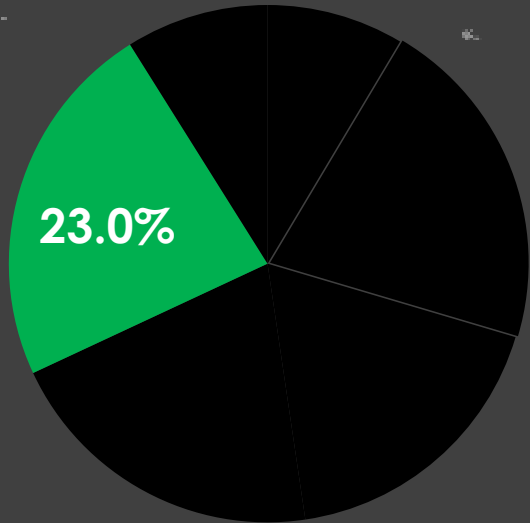
Distribution of GEF Project
Financing by Region
December 2019 Work Program



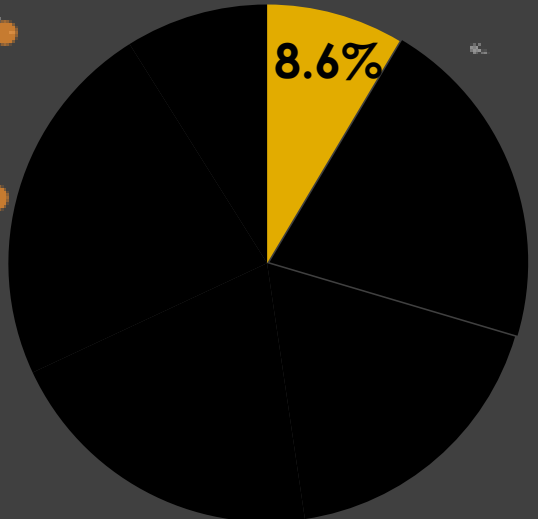
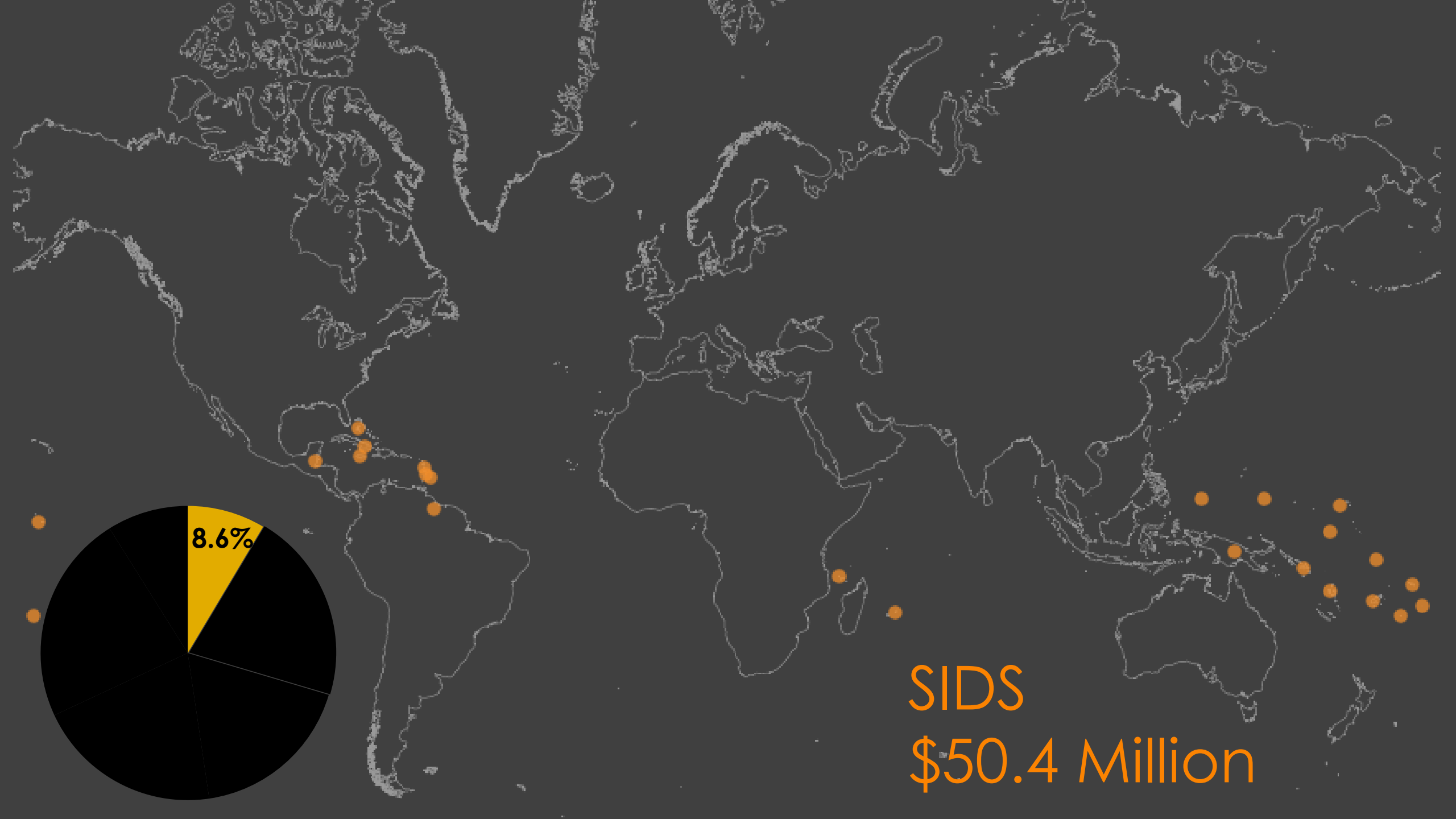
Africa
\$120.0 Million



Latin America
\$123.7 Million

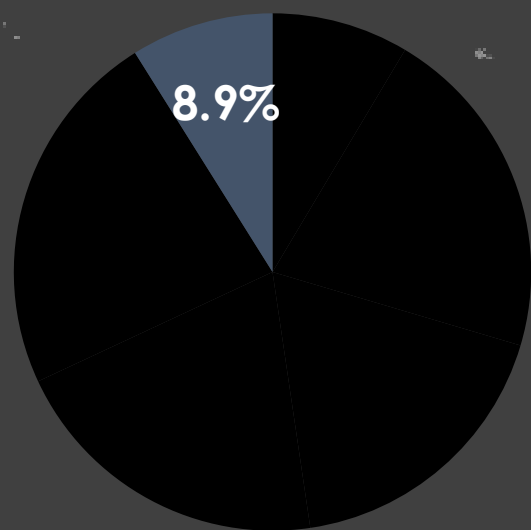


Asia
\$135.5 Million



SIDS
\$50.4 Million

ECA
\$52.5 Million





Global
\$106.4 Million

Impact Programs

Program will focus on:

- Integrated urban planning
- Sustainable and integrated investments
- Innovative financing and business models for private sector engagement
- Advocacy, KM, and capacity building across cities globally

Sustainable Cities Impact Program

- 9 Countries and 24 Cities
- Global Platform for Cities IP
- \$160 Million total with \$1.7 Billion in co-financing
- Contributions to 5 of the 10 core indicators



Countries Included in the Sustainable Cities Impact Program

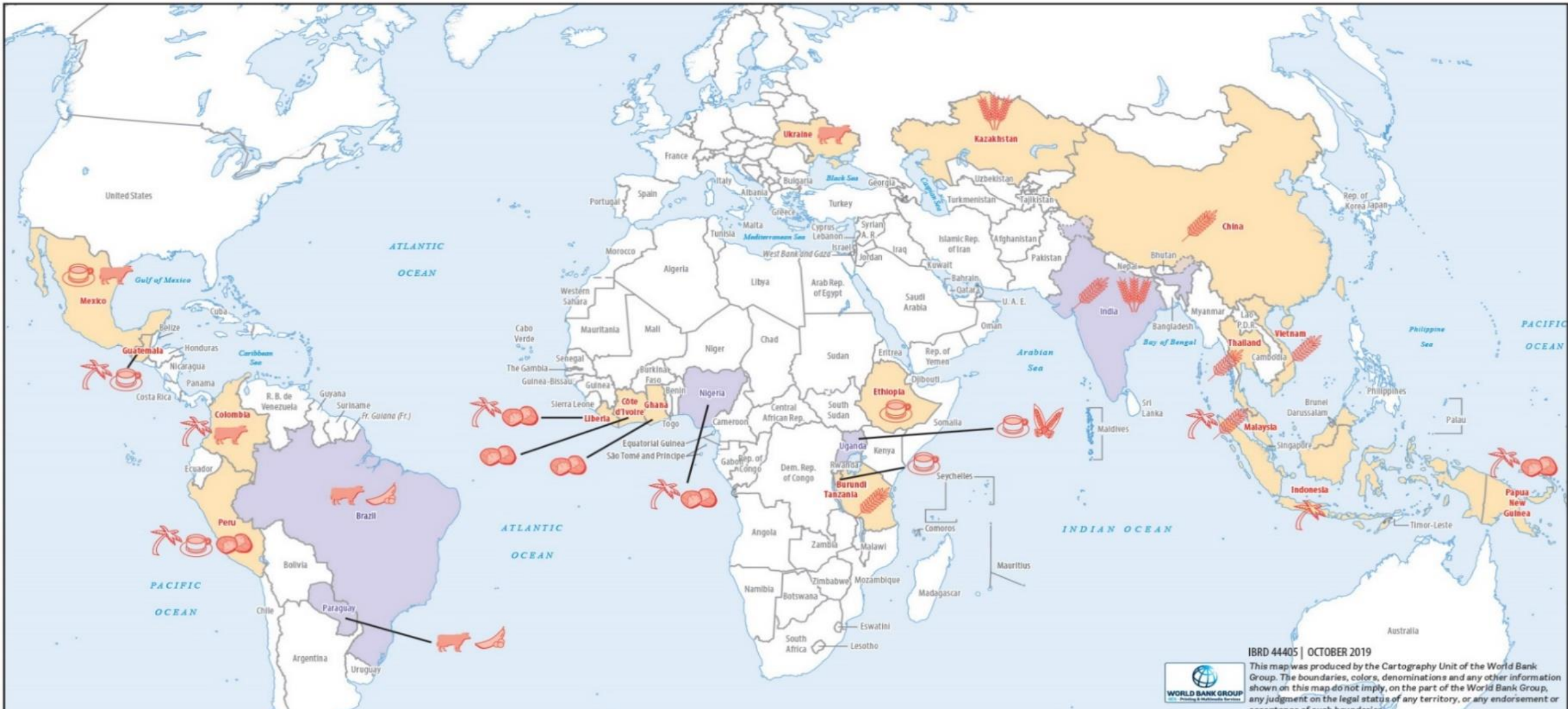
Food, Land Use and Restoration Impact Program

Addendum

Countries and Commodities included in the FOLUR Impact Program Addendum

PROJECT COUNTRIES
INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARIES

CROPS:



Island Chemicals and Waste Program

Addendum

ISLANDS

Chemicals and Waste Program

- 3 additional countries are eligible
- Strengthening of the Global support project

Increased outcomes on chemicals of concern removed, as well as contributing to the marine plastics goal

Other Major Programs

Africa Mini-grids Program

Global Cleantech Innovation Program

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Support African countries to increase energy access through renewable energy mini-grids

11 countries will benefit and main Global Environmental Benefit will be the reduction of GHG emissions

Global Cleantech Innovation Program

Support countries in developing clean technology entrepreneurship and access to business and investment support

10 countries will benefit and main Global Environmental Benefit will be the reduction of GHG emissions


Blended Finance

First 3 NGI-funded projects in GEF-7

Other Major Projects

Inclusive Conservation Initiative

Blue Nature Alliance for Marine
Conservation

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- Indigenous Peoples control more than 25% of world's land
 - These lands contain disproportionate levels of biodiversity and store carbon
 - Resources to support the IPs in their stewardship efforts are lacking

Inclusive Conservation

- First exclusively designed project to support IPLCs directly
- Provide grants and support to IPLCs for the stewardship of their land
- Build capacity of IPLCs to ensure sustainability of stewardship efforts

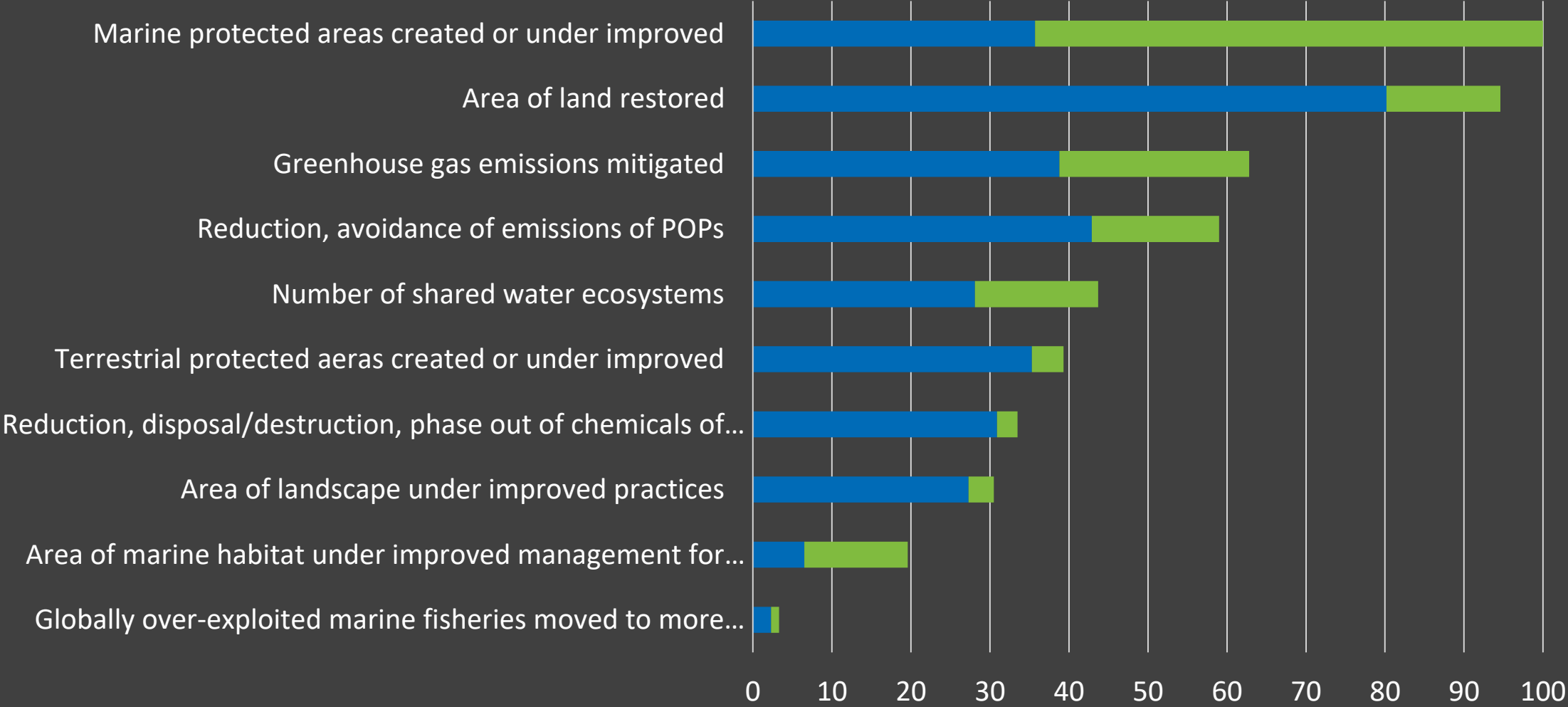
- Oceans are key to life on earth
- They regulate climate, produce oxygen, contain diverse ecosystems, and provide food
- Ocean conservation has lagged way behind terrestrial efforts

Blue Nature Alliance

- Support the conservation of over 1.25 billion hectares of marine areas
- New opportunities with many countries now make this ambitious goal possible
- GEF \$ matched with real investment mobilized from private philanthropy

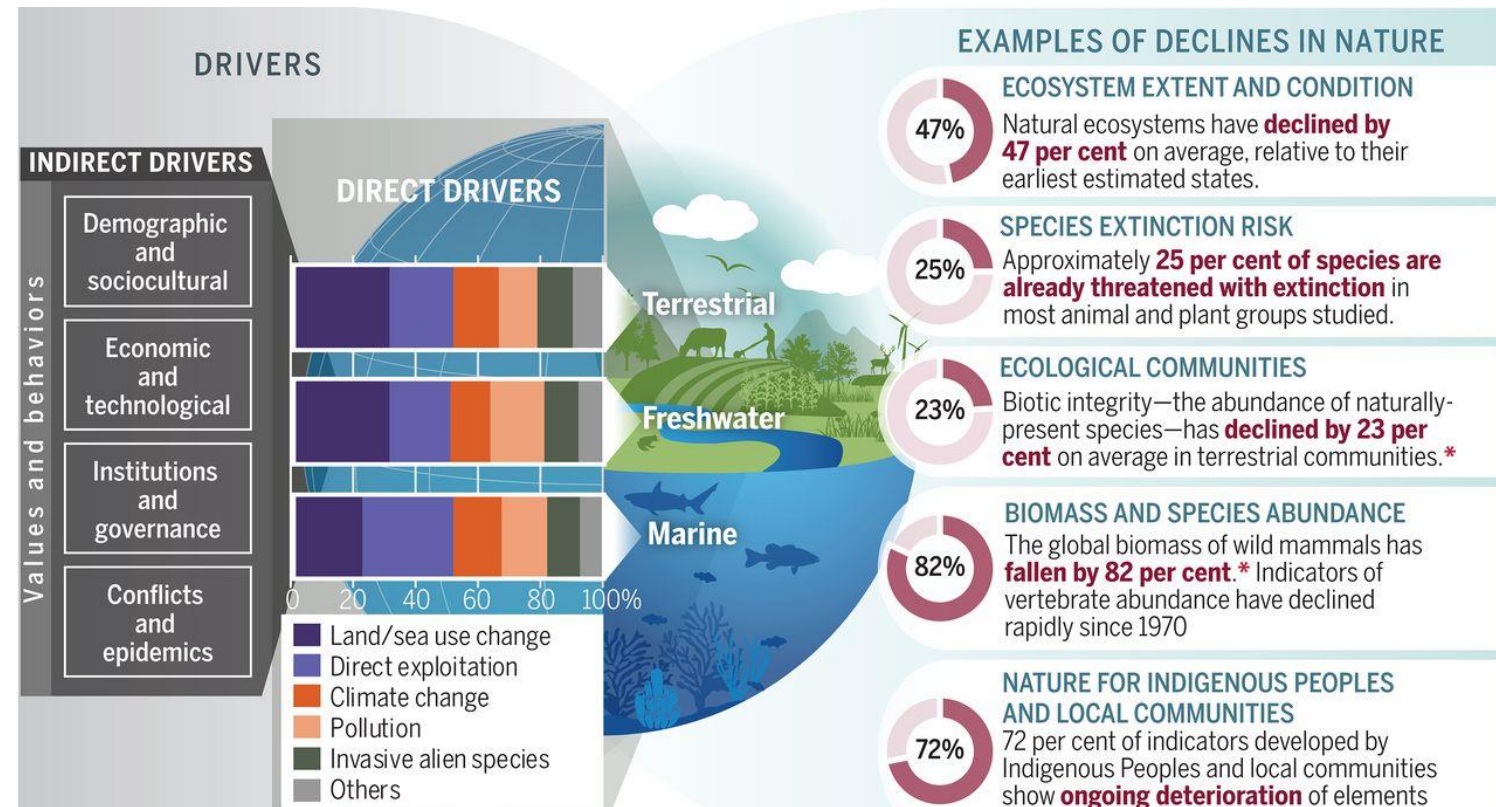
Expected Results To Date and for the December 2019 Work Program, against GEF-7 targets

■ To Date ■ December WP



Human-driven decline of life on Earth points to the need for transformative change

Diaz et al., *Science*
12 December 2019





White Bellbird (*Procnias albus*)

A New Call from Nature

