Lessons from locally controlled forestry at the global level
The scale of it

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Locally controlled forestry

Community forestry
- Collective natural forests
- Collective woodlots and agroforestry

Indigenous people’s forestry
- Indigenous forest territories
- Indigenous farmland

Smallholder forestry
- Plantations / woodlots
- Agroforestry or trees on farm
The importance of it
The foundations of it

1. Policy reform

Secure local forest rights

2. Business incubation

Enabling environment

3. Technical extension

Business capacity

4. Organisation

Technical know-how

Strong organisations
The incubation of it

Business incubator

- Land & legality
- Finance / insurance
- Business support
- Marketing
- Technical advice
- Social organisation
- R&D

Forest farm producer groups

Advisory board

Market
The upscaling of it

Alliances spread success

Federations represent

Cooperatives add value

Producer groups sell
Thanks!