



**DAY 4**

**EVALUATION STAGE UPDATE**

# REPUBLIC OF AZERBAIJAN

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# AZERBAIJAN UPDATES: Q2-Q3 2022

- **Update 1:** Starting updating information on SOD of assessment report
  - **Update 2:** Starting collection of statistical data through preparation of survey among local community
  - **Update 3:** Participation in the IPBES plenary in Bonn and discussion of the status of assessment and to get additional recommendations from MEP
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# MAIN PRIORITIES: Q4 2022–Q1 2023

**Update 1:** Finalisation of SOD of all ecosystems in the assessment report

- **Update 2:** Starting preparation of Final report
  - **Update 3:** Starting the preparation of key policy questions according to the results of the assessment and key findings
  - **Update 4:** Including ILK issues to the assessment report
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# KEY CHALLENGES & QUESTIONS

- **Challenge 1:** Gap of information and incorrect information
  - **Challenge 2:** Methodology
  - **Challenge 3** COVID 19 pandemic restrictions
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# BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA (BIH) EVALUATION STAGE UPDATE

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# BIH UPDATES: Q2-Q3 2022

- **Development of SOD** during 3 face-to-face CLA meetings which involved:
    - Harmonisation of chapter texts
    - Development of executive summaries
    - Presentation of SOD to the reviewers and Project advisory team members
    - Preparation and submission for external review
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# MAIN PRIORITIES: Q4 2022–Q1 2023

- **Update scenarios in CHPT 5:** findings from the Second stakeholder workshop
  - **Collection and analysis of comments from external review**
  - **Update of Assessment document** – external review + knowledge gaps, **development of SPM**
  - Mendeley database harmonisation with Assessment document
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> Author Meeting – Q1 2023
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# KEY CHALLENGES & QUESTIONS

- **Question / Challenge 1:** National Science-Policy platform establishment challenge
  - **Question / Challenge 2:** Knowledge gaps/Missing expertise
  - **Question / Challenge 3:** *pro bono* work resulting in authors giving up on contributing to the document
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# CAMBODIA EVALUATION STAGE UPDATE

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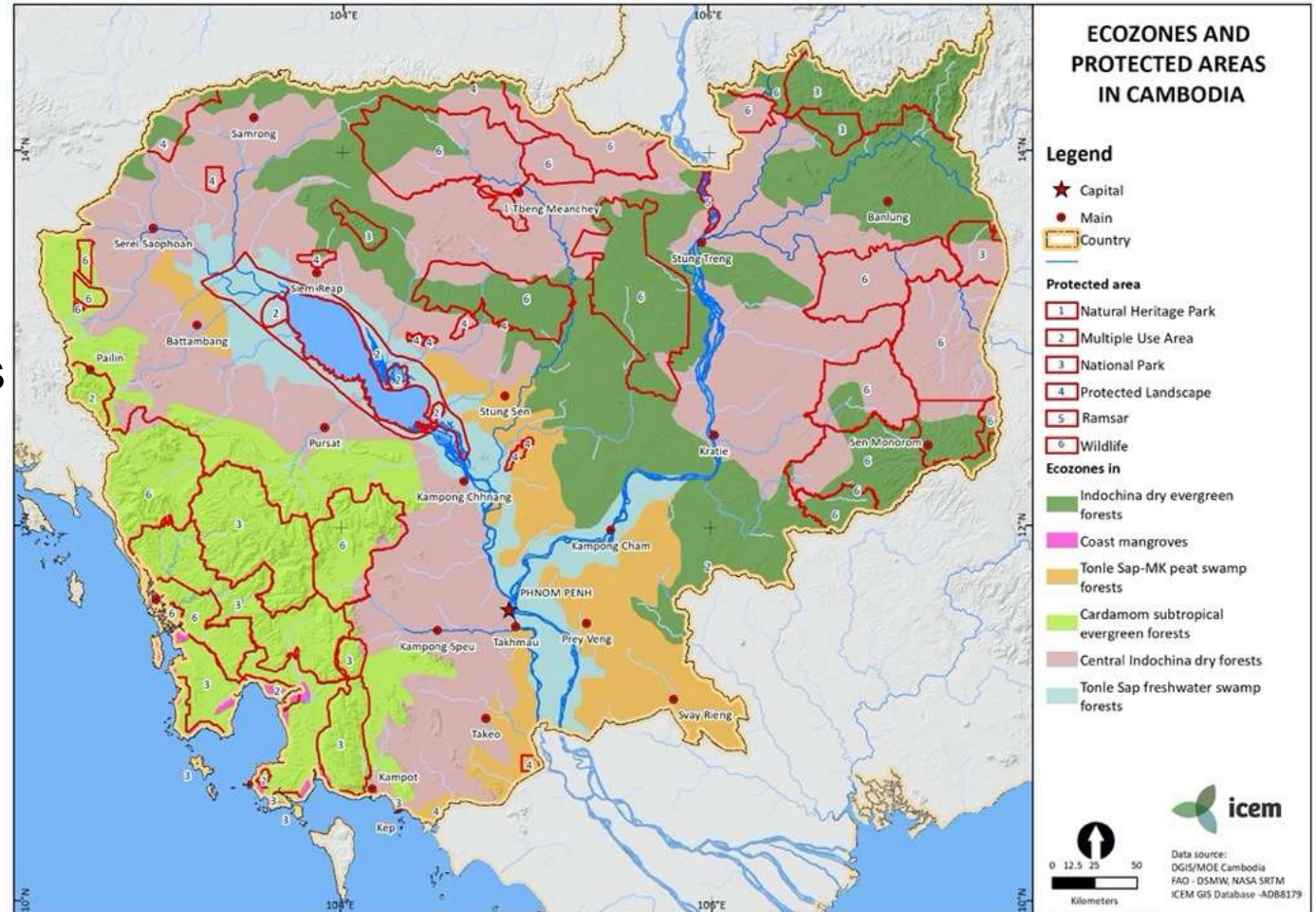
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# Geography Boundaries of Assessment: Landscape, Seascape and Wetland



# Scope, Geographical area, rationale

Geographical Area:  
Terrestrial,  
freshwater, coastal  
and marine  
biodiversity,  
ecosystem functions  
and ecosystem  
services



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# CAMBODIA UPDATES: Q2-Q3 2022

- **Update 1:** Drafted chapters 1, 2, 3, and 4 of NEA report, while Chapters 5 and 6 are being prepared by relevant authors and co-authors
- **Update 2:** Consultation with relevant stakeholders on drafted chapters for additional inputs. The remaining chapters like 5 (scenario building) are being developed based on limited data from Chapter 2, 3 and 4, and available sources in Cambodia and region.
- **Update 3:** Consultation workshop on ILK to collect ILK practices from IP and local communities in the provinces.



# MAIN PRIORITIES: Q4 2022–Q1 2023

- **Update 1:** Incorporate the comments and suggestions from concerned stakeholders for drafted chapters. Integrate ILK practices gained from ILK workshops, and Pollination into the relevant chapters
- **Update 2:** Draft the chapter 5 (scenario building), and complete chapter 6 (policy and institution)
- **Update 3:** Organize stakeholder consultation to gather inputs for NEA report draft. Develop communication materials like the policy brief, leaflets, etc for mainstreaming biodiversity and ecosystem service into national and sectorial policies





# KEY CHALLENGES & QUESTIONS



Limited experts and specialists to fit with the chapter requirements; such as economics, biology, taxonomy, modelling (scenario), etc. with comprehensive skill on BES;



Data availability and access to sources have been limited



Scenario development for NEA report due to limited data



Past years of COVID-19 outbreak have refrained team for physical meetings and consultations



Lack of fund to collect the key primary data for Ecosystem Services that are not available



# **GRENADA** **EVALUATION STAGE UPDATE**

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# **GRENADA UPDATES: Q2-Q3 2022**

- **Update 1:** 5 First Order Draft chapters edited
  - **Update 2:** Second Order Draft stakeholder feedback workshop held and SOD review in progress (first four chapters)
  - **Update 3:** Additional funding received through UNEP's GEF-IWECO project for workshop on communication of environment information and development of citizen's guide.
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# MAIN PRIORITIES: Q4 2022–Q1 2023

- **Update 1:** Incorporate stakeholder feedback from SOD workshop and review
  - **Update 2:** Collate chapters, edit, ensure coherence, and incorporate maps
  - **Update 3:** Conduct communication workshop, develop citizen's guide along with summary for policy makers
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# KEY CHALLENGES & QUESTIONS

- **Question / Challenge 1:** Finalising maps
  - **Question / Challenge 2:** Delayed submissions
  - **Question / Challenge 3:** Shifting roles / responsiveness of authors
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