Exercise with the Simple Assessment of the Carbon Benefits Project Tool (Kakamega case, Kenya)

Digital Soil Organic Carbon Mapping: Towards the development of national soil organic carbon stock maps (GSP training workshop) (6 – 23 June 2017, ISRIC, Wageningen)



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Context

The Global Soil Partnership (GSP) and its Intergovernmental Technical Panel on Soils (ITPS) initiated a global effort to develop a Global Soil Organic Carbon map (GSOCMap) by the end of 2017, in support of the Sustainable Development Goal Indicator 15.3.1. The GSOCMap will be based on country-level soil datasets and nationally developed maps using harmonized specifications. As indicated by FAO (2017), "the comparability of SOC stocks between countries is important and should be considered in a bottom-up approach to enable scaling up from the national to the global level and to improve comparability between bottom-up and top-down approaches. Therefore, FAO (2017) recommends that MRV (measurement, reporting and verification) guidelines include guidance on how comparability (between countries and between bottom-up and top-down) can be achieved. Milne et al (2012) provided an overview of approaches for landscape-scale GHG (Green House Gas) quantification, covering both measurement and modelling and the reliance of one upon the other; the report covers ground-based measurement approaches for carbon stock changes in biomass and soils, methods for measuring GHG flux and the application of remote sensing techniques. Computational approaches for estimating carbon stock changes and GHG emissions are also reviewed, in addition to the use of more complex dynamic ecosystem models.

This introductory exercise for the 'GSOCMap training course 2017'¹ serves to illustrate some aspects that are important in assessments of (net) soil organic carbon stocks and changes. When managed wisely, and depending on the biophysical and socio-economic setting, soils have the potential to sequester large amounts of carbon thus contributing to climate change mitigation and adaptation, as well as to improved soil ecosystem functioning and soil health (Banwart *et al.* 2015; Batjes 1996; Levèvre *et al.* 2017; Milne *et al.* 2015; UNEP 2012).

The CBP (Carbon Benefits Project) project has developed a standardized system for GEF and other sustainable land management projects to measure, model, monitor and forecast carbon stock changes and GHG emissions. The system considers three sets of modelling tools as well as guidance on where to focus efforts when tracking carbon and greenhouse gas benefits².

The present exercise uses the Simple Assessment of the Carbon Benefits Project) tools (CBP-CSU 2009-2012). The Simple Assessment tool assesses the impact of a user-defined project on carbon stock and greenhouse gas emissions. It was developed for a quick assessment at any project stage, including proposals. It uses default datasets for world climate and soil classes, user-defined assumptions for land use changes and/or livestock production in the project area(s), and standard information on greenhouse gas emission rates (Batjes 2011; IPCC 2006; Ravindranath and Ostwald 2008). More detailed assessments based on the Detailed Assessment and Dynamic Modelling components of the CPB system will require project-specific field measurements and more detailed descriptions of land use changes and/or livestock production in the project area.

² <u>http://cbp-web1.nrel.colostate.edu/pdm/GuidanceHome</u>

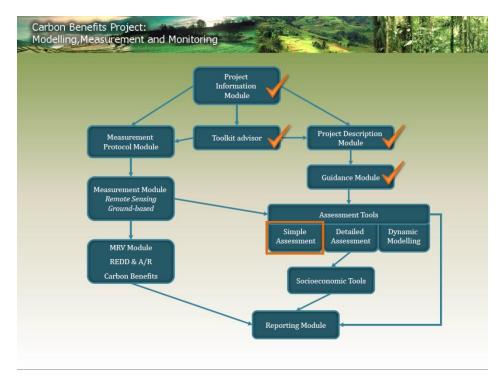


¹ http://www.fao.org/global-soil-partnership/resources/events/detail/en/c/878852/

Objective

To determine if project interventions (land management activities) provide a carbon/GHG (Greenhouse Gas) benefit relative to the baseline scenario ('business as usual'). For example, do the proposed land management interventions lead to an increase in carbon stocks in soils and biomass and/or a reduction in GHG emissions?³

The exercise will consider the following modules of the on-line GEF-CBP (Carbon Benefits Project) system.



The CBP-tools are hosted and maintained by Colorado State University and can be accessed via: <u>http://cbp-web1.nrel.colostate.edu/</u>.

Background information

The Simple Assessment uses pre-populated information on forest types, cropping, grassland and livestock systems and IPCC Tier 1 C stock and GHG emission factors, as well as default data sets for climate regions and soil classes.



³ This exercise is based on training materials developed by the CBP, in particular Eleanor Milne, Mark Easter and Keith Paustian, for the review workshop for the <u>GEF</u> of the tools developed by the Carbon Benefits project (Voi, Kenya, Sept. 2012).

To use the tool, you must have:

- Information on project areas and (land use) activities
- Information on land use/management before project started (Initial land use)
- A baseline scenario
- A project scenario
- Enough information to choose the most similar forest type, cropping, grassland or livestock system from a drop down list.

Some TIPS: Click on the help icon in the top right hand corner for further help. Double click in the white boxes in the tables to activate the dropdown menus. Give the system time to work (*connection may be slow at times*), if you think it is not doing anything check the connection status at the top of the page.

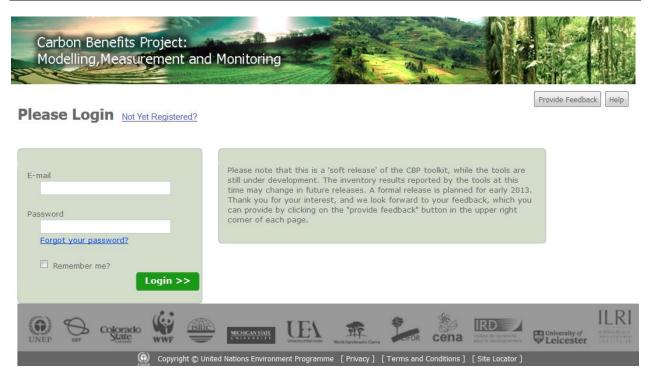
- 4. Make sure you click on the *save* buttons after entering data for each land use category.
- If you need to remind yourself of how much land is in each land use category go to: 'Project Description>Step 3> Describe project land use'
- 6. In the Simple and Detailed Assessments, data for the initial land use, baseline and project scenarios may be entered in any order. For example, you *don't* need to enter all of the initial land use data before going to the baseline or project scenarios. Similarly, you might complete Stage 1 within a land use category and come back to enter Stage 2 at another time.

Getting started

The CBP tool is best used with Firefox, Chrome, or Safari.

First you must register at: <u>http://cbp-web1.nrel.colostate.edu/</u>





Click the 'Not Yet Registered?' button and write down your Registration Information.

Project description

For this example exercise, we will focus on the Yala River Watershed in western Kenya. The goals of much sustainable land management (SLM projects) in this region are to: decrease soil erosion, reduce deforestation, improve food security and diversify the agricultural economy.

Our <u>hypothetical</u> example is a project which aims to do all of these things in an area of the Yala River Watershed, located near to Kakamega, through avoided deforestation, reforestation and the introduction of agroforestry.

As the project manager you are producing a report at the end of the project period (10 years). Though in this instance we are conducting the analysis at the end of the project period, it may also be done at the beginning of a project, as a projection of what would happen over the project period.

Before proceeding with the hands-on-exercise, you should familiarize yourself with the Kakamega area (see: <u>http://www.nrel.colostate.edu/projects/glide/kenya.html</u>). Use this information to determine the default IPCC climate region and IPCC soil class for the project area (see p. 37 in <u>IPCC report</u>).



You do not have to input this information here as the default IPCC climate and soil classes are automatically read from GIS files when using the Simple Assessment based on the coordinates that you will provide for the project area (*Tip*, see: Project Description > Step 2- Review Supporting Spatial Data > View).

Create a new Project. Give your project a name, for example, "SimpleAssessment_your_name" for ease of reference, and fill out all fields.

Please enter basic project information		Is this a GEF co-funded project?
		U Yes U No
Project Name*	Project Activities*	
SimpleAssessment_Niels	Avoided deforestation; Reforestation; Introduced agro-forestry	
Project ID Code*		
GSOC training		3 Non-GEF Funded Information
Project Status*		
Proposal T	Brief Summary of Project Goal*	Funding Agency Not applicable
Project Start Date*	To decrease soil erosion, reduce	Focal Area
Month: 06 Year: 2017	deforestation, improve food security and diversify the agricultural economy.	SLM
	Also, help conserve biodiversity.	Project Type
Project Duration*		SLM project
10 Years		
Project Country (Countries)*	Summary of any Carbon and Greenhouse Gas	
Hold CTRL, then click to select multiple countries	Benefit Goals (Optional)	
Jersey	Primary focus on sustainable land	
Johnston Atoli Jordan	management and farmer livelihood.	
Juan de Nova Island		
Kazakhstan		
Kenya		
Kenya		
Project Region*		
Kakamega area, Yala River watershed, western Kenya		
Communities/Countries/Provinces Involved*		
Rural communities around		
Kakamega.		
*Necessary fields to be filled out.		



Cancel

Update

After entering **Update** you will see a list of your current projects and reports. Go to the <u>Toolkit Advisor</u>, and choose the <u>Simple Assessment</u>.

Use Step 1 'Project Description' to define the project boundaries. These may be drawn manually onscreen, but for this exercise you will download files with the location of the various Project Areas.

First, however, we will briefly describe the project area which consists of Project Area Activity Groups or polygons. The largest polygon, named "Avoided Deforestation", is an area of relatively continuous forest; however cropland agriculture is encroaching on the border of this region. Without project intervention, some of this forest would likely be converted into annual cropland. Alternatively, the two smaller polygons, named "Reforestation," represent an area that has been largely deforested and is in degraded condition. Under the project, parts of this region will be reforested. Finally, a number (16) of so-called "point" locations represent households that will diversify their operations during the project by converting annual cropland into agroforestry and livestock (Note: A "point", in CBP terms, is defined as a spatial area associated with project activities generally less than ~10 ha in size; they are geo-referenced by their centre-point). All the points have been put into a single activity area group called "Introduced Agroforestry". Please note that the area of individual points may vary, but that this will not be reflected on the map.

Uploading the Example Project Activity Areas

For this exercise, you must first download files for the various project activity areas. Data for the larger three polygons are provided in GIS-format (zipped), while the so-called "point" data are provided separately as a text file. The files can be accessed from:

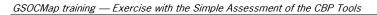
http://www.isric.org/documents/document-type/training-material-gsoc-mapping-cbp-tools

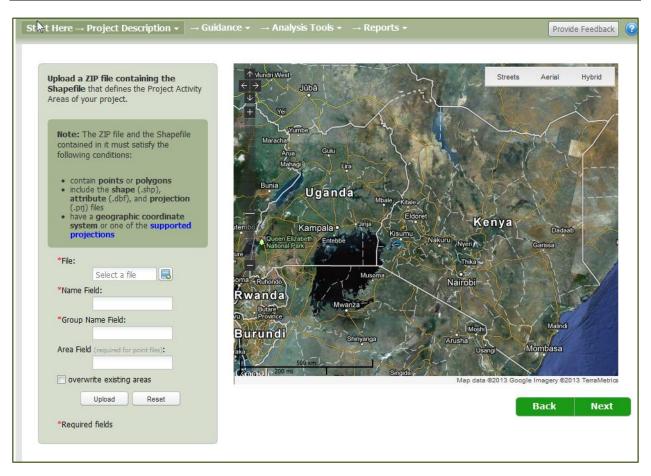
Click on the URL to download the files to your local hard drive; record where you store the files!

The next step is to upload these to the CBP server to define the project activity areas for your project. To do so, click on the "Start Here – Project Description" link on the toolbar.

First, select the option "Upload your own GIS Files". You should now see a page that looks like the image below:







Clicking on the small file upload icon next to the "File:" field will bring up a windows file manager window. Locate the file named *SimpleAssessment_ProjectAreaPolygons.zip* which you just downloaded and click on the "Open" button at the bottom-right corner of the window.

Next, fill in the "Name Field:" and "Group Name Field:" text fields on the screen:

- In the "Name" Field, type SLNAME. There is a dbase (.dbf) file included in the .zip file, and this tells the CBP system that there is a field in that .dbf file named "SLNAME" which contains the names (or numbers) of the different project activity areas.
- In the "Group Name Field", type GROUP. This informs the CBP system that there is a field in the above dBase (* .dbf) file named "GROUP" which contains the names of the project activity area groups (PAAG).
- You can leave the "Area Field" blank since there are no points used in this GIS file (these are provided in a separate file, see below).
- Click the "overwrite existing areas" check box.
- Finally, click the "Upload" button to upload the file. The map will be updated and display three polygons.



Upload a ZIP file containing the Shapefile that defines the Project Activity Areas of your project.	$ \begin{array}{c} \uparrow \\ \leftarrow \rightarrow \\ \downarrow \end{array} $		Streets Aerial	Hybrid
Note: The ZIP file and the Shapefile contained in it must satisfy the following conditions:	+			
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Next, upload the locations of the so-called "Points". The point coordinates are stored in a comma delimited text file, called *SimpleAssessment_ProjectAreaPoints.txt*. This file has a fixed format: Point number, descriptive name for PAAG, latitude (DD), Longitude (DD), and the area (ha). For this example, the file contains:

- 1, PAAG3-Introduced Agroforestry, 0.283436, 34.779686, 9
- 2, PAAG3-Introduced Agroforestry, 0.284025, 34.784740, 7
- 3, PAAG3-Introduced Agroforestry, 0.281670, 34.787341, 10
- 4, PAAG3-Introduced Agroforestry, 0.282023, 34.7916275, 8
- 5, PAAG3-Introduced Agroforestry, 0.283319, 34.796409, 5
- 6, PAAG3-Introduced Agroforestry, 0.282848, 34.804157, 1
- 7, PAAG3-Introduced Agroforestry, 0.278608, 34.793347, 8
- 8, PAAG3-Introduced Agroforestry, 0.275311, 34.791581, 6
- 9, PAAG3-Introduced Agroforestry, 0.283466, 34.779486, 8
- 10, PAAG3-Introduced Agroforestry, 0.285025, 34.784760, 6 11, PAAG3-Introduced Agroforestry, 0.281640, 34.787951, 9
- 12, PAAG3-Introduced Agroforestry, 0.282523, 34.7917275, 2
- 13, PAAG3-Introduced Agroforestry, 0.283419, 34.7917275, 2
- 14, PAAG3-Introduced Agroforestry, 0.282348, 34.808157, 1
- 15, PAAG3-Introduced Agroforestry, 0.278908, 34.7275347, 8
- 16, PAAG3-Introduced Agroforestry, 0.271311, 34.791181, 4



Click on the "OK" button.

Upload or enter the coordinates of points that define the Project Activity Areas of your project.	$ \begin{array}{c} \uparrow \\ \leftarrow \rightarrow \\ \downarrow \\ + \end{array} $		Streets	Aerial Hybri
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All your project activity areas are now ready for you to continue with the exercise. Please keep in mind that this project is an example for demonstration purposes; the polygons were digitized somewhat arbitrarily and rather coarsely.

Click on the "Next" button to continue with the tutorial to define the project land use areas.

Note that the project covers three Project Activity Area Groups (PAAG) that cover 3702 ha:

- 1) A large polygon, 'Project Activity Area Group 1', named "Avoided Deforestation" (3017 ha). [Tip: For more complex projects, it may be easier to use a mnemonic name for the Group Name rather that "Project Activity Area Group 1"].
- 2) Two smaller polygons for PAAG2, named "Reforestation" (590 ha)



3) Some point locations, of varying size, named "Introduced Agroforestry" (here 16 locations, totalling 95 ha), corresponding with PAAG3.

Next, the area (number of hectares) for each land use category (forestland, grassland, annual cropland, etc.) for each Project Activity Area needs to be entered under Step 3 in the Project Description, for the initial, baseline and project scenarios.

Project description module

Project Description > <u>Step 3 - Define Project Land Use Areas</u>

Hover cursor over 'Project Description' in the main menu and then select 'Describe Project Land Use' under Step 3.

- 1. In Step 1, enter the length of the reporting period for the project (10 year). Note: Set up to default to the project period entered in the project information page, however you can change it to whatever time period is appropriate for you greenhouse gas assessments).
- 2. In step 2, select the Project Activity Area corresponding with "Avoided Deforestation."
- 3. In Step 3, enter the land areas in the table as described for this project and click "Save": In this project activity area, the whole area (3017 ha for this example) was in forest at the beginning of the project (Initial Land Use). In the baseline scenario, at the end of the report period (10 years), we estimate 600 ha would have been converted to annual cropland while the remainder would remain in forest. In the project scenario, none of the forest land is converted to annual cropland the whole remain as forestland at the end of the 10 year period.



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Select Project Activity A	rea/Group		
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Tip: When all figures are entered correctly, the row 'Total Area (ha)' will become green. Save regularly!

- 3. Go back to Step 1, enter project period, and select the Project Activity Area "Reforestation."
- 4. In Step 3, enter the land areas in the table as described for this project and click 'Save'. In this area, 590 ha were in grassland at the beginning of the project. In the baseline scenario, we estimate 590 ha would have remained in grassland at the end of 10 years, while in the project scenario all 590 ha is converted to forestland by the end of 10 years.



-	years for this phase of your project. It c	an range from 1 year to the entire time p	eriod of your project, or longer.
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PAAG2-Reforestation	[590 ha]	•	⊖ <u>Show Project Activity</u> (opens in <u>new</u> window
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- 5. Go back to Step 1, enter project period, and select the Project Activity Group "Introduced Agroforestry."
- 6. In Step 3, enter the land areas in the table as described for this project and click 'Save': In this Project Activity Group, 95 ha were in annual cropland at the beginning of the project. In the baseline scenario, 95 ha remain in cropland. In the project scenario, the annual cropland is converted to agroforestry and 275 head of livestock are also added (note that livestock are added as number of animals, not hectares, if you hover over the word 'livestock' a note appears to tell you this).



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Grassland	0	0	0
Settlements	0	0	0
Wetlands	0	0	0
Annual Cropland	95	95	0
Perennial Cropland	0	0	95
Agroforestry	0	0	275
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7. You have now entered land areas for all Project Activity Areas Groups, so you may proceed to the <u>Simple</u> <u>Assessment</u>.

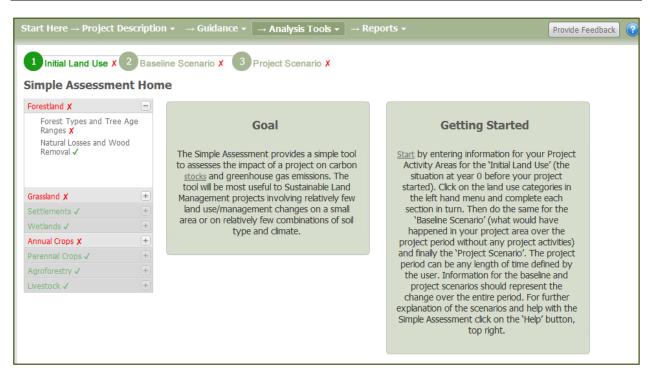
Initial land use

Analysis Tools> Simple Assessment> Initial Land Use

Hover over 'Analysis Tools' in the top menu, click on 'Simple Assessment Home Page' and click on initial land use'.

This brings you to an explanatory screen; notice the red crosses that indicate that no specifics have been entered for this scenario.





From the menu of land use categories on the left hand side choose "Forestland".

- 1. Select Forest Types and Tree Age Ranges.
- 2. In step 1, select Project Activity Group "Avoided Deforestation".
- 3. In step 2, select Forest Type "Tropical mountain systems natural vegetation" and add to the table below.
- 4. In step 3, select Tree Age Range "> 20 years" and type in the Area associated with this Forest Type and Tree Age Range (in this case 3017 ha).



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Click *Save* and then *Next* to go to the Natural Losses and Wood Removal page.

- 5. In step 1, select "Avoided Deforestation".
- 6. In step 2, enter per cent per year of aboveground biomass affected by natural losses (0 for each category)
- 7. In step 3, enter volumes of wood removed by timber harvest (1200 m3/yr) and fuel wood gathering (700 m3/yr).
- 8. In step 4, enter deforestation rate for Area Cleared without Burning (50 ha/yr) and Area Cleared with Burning (10 ha/yr).
- 9. Click *Save* and then *Finished*.



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Grassland-Select grassland from the menu on the left hand side

- 1. Select Grassland Systems
- 2. In Step 1, select Project Activity Area "Reforestation"
- 3. In Step 2, select "Rangeland" and Add to table below
- 4. In Step 3, describe the grassland system as follows
 - a. Condition: Moderately Degraded Grassland
 - b. Improvements: Unimproved
 - c. Amount of N Fertilizer (kg / ha): 0
 - d. Per cent (%) of nitrogen in fertilizer: 0
 - e. Burn frequency: never burned
 - f. Area (ha): 590
- 5. Click *Save* and then *Next*.

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As no silvipasture systems were considered in this Project Activity Area, you do not need to complete the sections on Silvipasture.

- 4. In Step 3, describe the selected annual cropping system (Maize/sorghum/millet intercropped with legume) as follows:
 - a. Improved: Check (hover over the word improved for a definition)
 - b. Tillage System: Full
 - c. Amount of N Fertilizer (kg/ha): 5
 - d. % of nitrogen in fertilizer: 16
 - e. Residue management: Collected
 - f. Area (ha): 95
- 5. Click Save and then Finished

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You have now described the initial land use in all of the areas where the project is working.



Baseline scenario

Click on:



Analysis Tools > Simple Assessment> Baseline Scenario

Forestland

- 1. Select Forest Types and Tree Age Ranges
- 2. In Step 1, select the Project Activity area "Avoided Deforestation"
- 3. In Step 2, select the Forest Type and Tree Age Range "Tropical mountain systems natural vegetation" and *Add to table below*
- 4. In Step 3, select the Tree Age Range (> 20 years) and enter the Area (2417 ha)
- 5. Click *Save* and then *Next* to go to *Natural Losses and Wood Removal*.

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Agroforestry ✓	+	Add to table below		
Livestock 🗸	+	Add to table below		
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		Total Area Allocated (ha): 2417/2417		
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- 6. In Step 1, select "Avoided Deforestation"
- 7. In Step 2, enter per cent per year of aboveground biomass affected by natural losses (O for each category)
- 8. In Step 3, enter volumes of wood removed by timber harvest (1100 m3/yr) and fuel wood gathering (1100 m3/yr)
- 9. In Step 4, enter deforestation rate for Area Cleared without Burning (0 ha/yr) and Area Cleared with Burning (55 ha/yr)
- 10. Click *Save* and then *Finished*

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	3	Enter volume of wood remo	ved by timber harvest, fuel	wood gath	ering, pruni	ing or any c	other manmade p	process.	
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Forest Type	Tree Age Range	Area (ha)*	Area Cleared without Burning (ha/yr)	Area Cleared with Burning (ha/yr)	Reforestation / Afforestation Area (ha/yr)
Tropical mountain systems natural vegetation	> 20 years	2417	0	55	0

Grassland

- 1. Select Grassland Systems
- 2. In Step 1, select Project Activity Area "Reforestation"
- 3. In Step 2, select "Rangeland" and add to table below
- 4. In Step *3*, describe the grassland system as follows
 - a. Condition: Moderately Degraded Grassland
 - b. Improvements: Unimproved
 - c. Amount of N Fertilizer (kg / ha): 0
 - d. % of nitrogen in fertilizer: 0
 - e. Burn Frequency: never burned
 - f. Area (ha): 590

Click Save and then Next.



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Because no silvipasture systems were selected in this Project Activity Group Area, the sections on Silvipasture do not need to be entered.

Next go to Annual Crops.

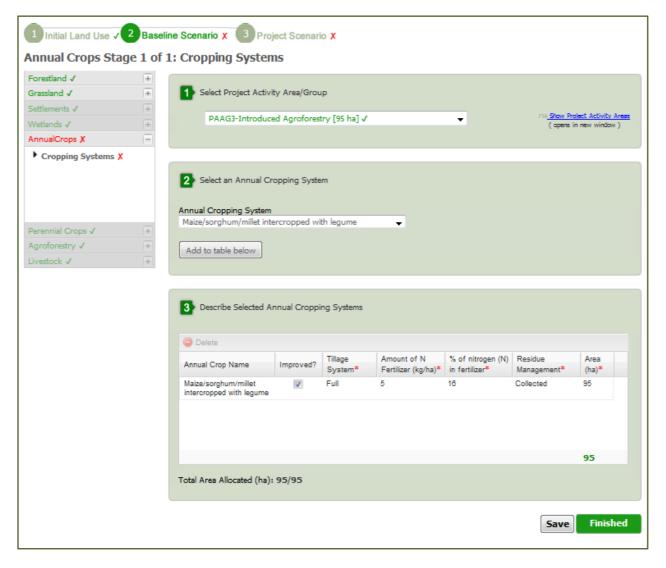
Annual Crops

As indicated earlier, *Project Activity Data can be entered in any sequence*. Here, you will start with "Introduced Agroforestry".

1. In Step 1, select Project Activity Area "Introduced Agroforestry"



- 2. In Step 2, select the annual cropping system "Maize/sorghum/millet intercropped with legume" and then *Add to table below*
- 3. In Step 3, describe the selected annual cropping system as follows:
 - a. Improved: Check
 - b. Tillage System: Full
 - c. Amount of N Fertilizer (kg/ha): 5
 - d. %of nitrogen in fertilizer: 16
 - e. Residue management: Collected
 - f. Area (ha): 95
- 4. Click Save



- 5. Go back to step 1, select Project Activity Area "Avoided Deforestation"
- 6. In Step 2, select the annual cropping system "Maize/sorghum/millet intercropped with legume" and then Add to table below
- 7. In Step 3, describe the selected annual cropping system as follows:



- a. Improved: Check
- b. Tillage System: Full
- c. Amount of N Fertilizer (kg/ha): 5
- d. % of nitrogen in fertilizer: 16
- e. Residue management: Collected
- f. Area (ha): 600
- 8. Click *Save* and then *Finished*

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Congratulations, you have now described the Baseline Scenario in all of the areas where the project is working!





Project scenario



Analysis Tools > Simple Assessment > RightScenario

Forestland

- 1. Select Forest Types and Tree Age Ranges
- 2. In step 1, select Project Area Activity Group "Avoided Deforestation"
- In step 2, select *Forest Type* "Tropical mountain systems natural vegetation" and add to table below. In step 3, select *Tree Age Range >* 20 years" and type in the Area associated with this Forest Type and Tree Age Range (3017 ha).

Click Save and then Next to go to Natural Losses and Wood Removal.



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- 5. In step 1, select Project Activity Group "Avoided Deforestation" if not already selected.
- 6. In step 2, enter per cent per year of aboveground biomass affected by natural losses (0 for each category)
- 7. In step 3, enter volumes of wood removed by timber harvest (1000 m3/yr) and fuel wood gathering (900 m3/yr).
- 8. In step 4 (you may have to scroll down to see this), enter deforestation rate for Area Cleared without Burning (50 ha/yr) and Area Cleared with Burning (0 ha/yr).
- 9. Click Save and then Finished (no screen shown here).
- 10. Go back to *Forest Types and Tree Age Ranges* and in step 1, select *Project Activity Group* "Reforestation"
- 11. In step 2, select each of the following Forest Types and Add to table below: Tropical Mountain Systems Plantation other.
- 12. In step 3, select Tree Age Range " <= 20 years" for all forest types and assign total area.
- 13. Click Save



Enter Next and go to Natural Losses and Wood Removal.

- 14. In step 2, enter per cent per year of aboveground biomass affected by natural losses (0 for each category)
- 15. In step 3, enter volumes of wood removed for all forest types by timber harvest (0 for all types) and fuel wood gathering (0 for all types).
- 16. In step 4, enter "deforestation rate" for Area Cleared without Burning (0 ha/yr) and Area Cleared with Burning (0 ha/yr).
- 17. Click Save and then Finished.

System Agroforestry

- 1. Select Agroforestry Systems
- 2. In step 1, select Project Activity Area "Introduced Agroforestry"
- 3. In step 2, name the agroforestry system "Maize-legume with Mango, Avocado and Banana/Plantain" (you will have to type this in) and assign the area (95 ha).
- 4. Click Save and then Next to go to Annual Crops (screen not shown)
- 5. In step 1, select Project Activity Area "Introduced Agroforestry"
- 6. In step 2, select the agroforestry system you created on the previous page
- 7. In step 3, select the cropping system that best represents the crops in your agroforestry system: "Maize/sorghum/millet intercropped with legume"
- 8. In Step 4, describe the selected annual cropping system as follows:
 - a. Improved: Check
 - b. Tillage System: Reduced
 - c. Amount of N Fertilizer (kg/ha): 50
 - d. % of nitrogen in fertilizer: 16
 - e. Residue management: Grazed
- 9. Click *Save* and then *Next* to go to *Tree Age Ranges*.
- 10. In step 2, select the agroforestry system
- 11. In step 3, select the following tree types represented in the agroforestry system and Add to table below: Mango, Avocado, and Banana/Plantain
- 12. In step 3, select *Tree Age Range* "<= 5 years" for all three "tree" types and assign number of trees for each tree type: Mango (560), Avocado (260), Banana/Plantain (760)
- 13. Click Save and then Next to go to Natural Losses and Wood Removal.
- 14. In step 2, enter per cent per year of aboveground biomass affected by natural losses (0 for each category for all tree types)
- 15. In step 3, enter volumes of wood removed for all forest types by timber harvest (0 m3 yr-1 for all types) and fuel wood gathering: Mango (10 m3 yr-1), Avocado (10 m3 yr-1), Banana/Plantain (0 m3 yr-1)
- 16. In step 4, enter the annual clearing and/or establishment rate if applicable (0 for each category here)
- 16. Click Save and then *Finished*.



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Livestock

- 1. Select Livestock Data
- 2. In step 1, select Project Activity Area "Introduced Agroforestry"
- 3. In step 2, enter the population and months per year livestock are in the Project Activity Area: Dairy Cattle (75 head, 12 months per year), Goats (200 head, 12 months per year)
- 4. Click Save and then Next to go to Manure Management

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	Buffalo	0	0	
	Swine	0	0	
	Goats	200	12	E
	Camels	0	0	
	Horses	0	0	
	Mules and Asses	0	0	
	Sheep	0	0	
	Poultry	0	0	
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- 5. In step 2, Manure Management, select livestock category "Goats"
- 6. In step 3, enter per cent in each manure management system: 100% in Pasture/Range/Paddock
- 7. Click Save
- 8. Go back to step 2 and select livestock category "Dairy Cattle"
- 9. In step 3, enter per cent in each manure management system: 100% in Dry Lot
- 10. Click Save and then Finished.



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				100	
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All fields should now have been filled for your project. This shown by green ticks for 1 - Initial Land Use, 2 – Base line Scenario, and 3- Project Scenario. Typically, you will get the following screen:

Run Cal	culations?
2	The data entry for your scenarios appears to be complete. Would you like to run the greenhouse gas balance calculations now? It will take approximately 1 minutes. You will need to leave this browser page open while the calculations run.
	Before you can generate reports or work with the cost benefit analysis or DPSIR, these calculations will have to be run.
	Yes No



Create report

You can now run the calculations for the Simple Assessment and create a range of reports for the project area.

After some minutes the following screen will appear:



For this exercise, we will skip the DPSIR and cost-benefit-analysis; see CBP page for additional information.

Type OK, and then 'Finished' which will bring you to the main CBP screen.

Go to Reports and create a summary report (PDF) for your project.

Open (save first!) the summary report and look at the results for the hypothetical Kakagema case as derived from an IPCC Tier 1 type inventory using the Simple Assessment.

Below are some excerpts including information on soil carbon changes. A detailed description of the reports may be found through the help page.

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Look at the Appendix for supplemental information.

Generate a graph for the greenhouse balance of your project, defined as "Project scenario" minus "Baseline scenario" (Note smaller blue zones for Total enteric methane (7400); Total manure nitrous oxide (3372) and Total soil nitrous oxide (8360), expressed as tonnes CO_{2e} (see next page).



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Table 3.1 Simple Summary Report following UNFCCC Common Reporting Guidelines.

Greenhouse Gas Source and Sink Categories	Bas	eline Scen missions	ario (2017 and Remov	- 2027) vals	Pro	ject Scena missions	ario (2017 - 2 and Remov	2027) als	с	arbon Ben	efits
	co,	СН	N ₂ O	GHGs	co,	СН	N ₂ O	GHGs			
	tonnes CO ₂ equivalent				tonnes C	0 ₂ equivaler	nt	Total tCO_e	tCO ₂ e / ha	tCO_e / ha / yr	
Agriculture									2		
A. Enteric Methane		0				7400			7400	2	0.2
B. Manure Management		0	0			218	3372		3590	0.97	0.1
C. Rice Cultivation		0				0			0	0	0
D. Agricultural Soils	0	0	5		0	0	8365		8360	2.3	0.23
E. Prescribed Burning of Savannas		0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
F. Field Burning of Agricultural Residues		0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
G. Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Land Use Change and Forestry											
A. Forest and other Woody Biomass	-11790				-166448				-154659	-42	-4.2
B. Forest and Grassland Conversion	177747	10751	3769	0	0	0	0	0	-192267	-52	-5.2
C. Abandonment of Managed Lands	0				0				0	0	0
D. CO2 Emissions and Removals from Soil	17255				-4835				-22090	-6	-0.6
E. Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	183212	10751	3774	0	-171284	7618	11737	0	-349666	-94	-9.4

Notes:

GWP are 100-year time horizon based on estimates from the IPCC Second Assessment Report.

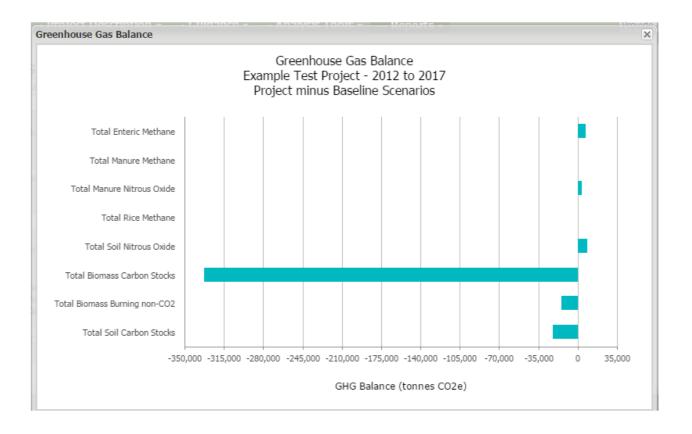
Signs for uptake are (-) and for emissions (+).

Other GHGs include NOx, CO, VOC, SO2.

Values not identified as 'stocks' are emissions.

A. Forest and other Woody Biomass includes biomass growth and losses from timber harvest and fuelwood gathering.

B. Forest and Grassland Conversion includes emissions from deforestation and shifting cultivation.





Next steps

You have now completed the exercise with the Simple Assessment.

At a later stage, you may now do various things. For example, you may proceed to the Detailed Assessment using a Tutorial developed by the CBP team; the tutorial may be downloaded from the CPB site (via the Help button, Tutorials).

Alternatively, you may wish to run a Simple Assessment for a project area of your choice for which you will have to provide (create) the necessary activity data and delineate the project areas using the inbuilt on-line drawing tools.

You may also explore the on-line CBP system at your leisure. For example, you may wish to have a closer look at Part 2 of the Guidance module which will link you to a number of useful guidelines.

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Start Here \rightarrow Project Description \ast \rightarrow Guidance \ast \rightarrow Analysis Tools \ast \rightarrow Reports \ast	Provide Feedback
Guidance Part 1 – Strategy for tracking carbon and greenhouse gas benefits	Next
Asks general questions about the project to help you determine where to focus efforts when tracking carbon and greenh Questions are split into 4 areas which you should click on and work though in turn. Background information and links to us resources are provided. It is strongly recommended that you read the background information for each area before comp	eful tables and other
Guidance Part 2 – Measuring and monitoring	Next
Provides guidance on measuring and monitoring carbon stock changes and greenhouse gas emissions, including sampling r techniques where appropriate.	regimes and laboratory
Guidance Part 3 – Analysis tools	Next
Provides guidance on the most appropriate tool to use to estimate your project's carbon and greenhouse gas balance: a si detailed assessment or a dynamic model.	imple assessment, a
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Please provide feedback

You are now familiar with the principles of the Simple Assessment and some other functionalities of the CBP tool. The CBP team at CSU looks would like to receive your feedback, which you can provide by clicking on the "provide feedback" button in the upper right corner of each page:

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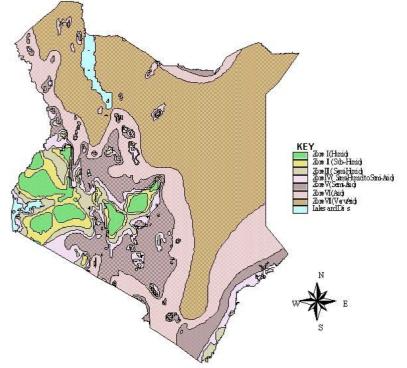
Appendix – What do the projections tell us?

As the project manager, you should assess what the Simple Assessment projections are telling in terms of projected changes in soil carbon stocks for the Kakamega project area.

You may consider the following questions:

- Q: As project manager, will you be able to sequester soil carbon and reduce GHG emissions with the proposed project (i.e., based on the broad assumptions entered in the modelling tool)?
- Q: Reflect about the uncertainty of the projections, model and global datasets used?
- Q: How much SOC-C can be sequestered per ha to 30 cm depth according to the tool? Is this a plausible figure in your opinion? [Tip: See additional information at end of this document, Appendix]
- Q: Can the proposed crops actually grow in the area taking into account the biophysical conditions? How could you assess this?

Supplemental material



1) Agro-climatic zones of Kenya (Sombroek *et al.* 1982).



2) Indicative rates of soil organic carbon sequestration (Batjes 2004).

Table 2. Indicative rates of carbon sequestration $(t ha^{-1} yr^{-1})$ by agro-climatic zone upon introduction of improved management within croplands in Kenya.

ACZ ^a	C sequest. rate ^b
I–II	0.30-0.50
III-IV	0.15-0.30
V-VI	0.05 - 0.15
VII	0 - 0.05

^aKey to agro-climatic zones is given in Table 1. ^bIndicative rates based on data from Bruce *et al.* (1999b), Sampson and Scholes (2000) and Lal (2002).

3) Mean organic carbon content for Acrisols

Table 2	Mean organic carbon	contents for four der	pth intervals by	FAO-UNESCO soil units/kg m ⁻²	

Soil unit	0-30 cm			0–50 cm		0-100 cm			0–200 cm			
	Mean	cv	n	Mean	CV	n	Mean	CV	n	Mean	CV	n
Acrisols	5.1	83	309	6.7	84	302	9.4	82	269	10.4	113	56
Ferric	3.7	65	122	4.8	59	120	6.7	49	104	6.8	49	23
Gleyic	6.2	97	19	7.9	96	18	9.0	60	16	11.5		1
Humic	10.6	54	71	14.1	57	70	20.3	57	63	29.3	64	15
Orthic	3.7	52	63	5.0	46	60	7.1	43	55	7.3	40	12
Plinthic	5.1	64	34	6.8	63	34	9.2	59	31	6.5	82	5

Source: (Batjes 1996)

4) Molecular weights

C= 12 g/mol, 0 = 16 g/mol

 $1 \text{ g C} = 3.664 \text{ g CO}_2$



