



**CDM proposed standardized baseline initial assessment form
(Version 01.0)**

(To be used by the UNFCCC secretariat in initially assessing the quality of a proposed standardized baseline.)

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| Title of proposed standardized baseline: | Proposal for a new standardised baseline for charcoal projects in the clean development mechanism | |
| Requirement | Y/N | Explanation |
| The form F-CDM-PSB has been duly completed. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | |
| The PSB was derived from a methodological approach contained in an approved methodology or tool or from the "Guidelines for the establishment of sector specific standardized baselines". | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | The PSB was derived from the "Guidelines for the establishment of sector specific standardized baselines". |
| <p>The DNA submitted all the information required for consideration of the proposed standardized baseline (e.g. studies referred to in the proposed standardized baseline documents).</p> <p>(a) It is transparently documented how the standardized baseline was derived, including a transparent and clear documentation of all underlying data, data sources, assumptions, calculation steps and outcomes.</p> <p>(b) It is clearly explained how the standardized baseline will be used with the relevant approved methodology(ies) or an approved tool.</p> <p>(c) The validity of the standardized baseline is clearly specified and in accordance with applicable requirements.</p> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <p>The submission includes a list of literatures in the references section and information from the key documents are extracted and included in the submission. The submission mentions that these documents listed under the references section will be available on request.</p> |
| In the case that an assessment report was submitted: the assessment report presents how the data was collected, processed and compiled to establish the proposed standardized baseline and includes an opinion on whether the data was collected and processed in accordance with relevant procedures or guidelines adopted by the Board. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | <p><i>Note: As per the paragraph 9 of 'Procedure for submission and consideration of standardized baselines - version 01.0', assessment report is omitted for the Party with fewer than 10 registered CDM project activities as of 31 December 2010 for the first three submissions.</i></p> <p><i>It was confirmed that as of 31 December 2010, the submitting DNA (Republic of Uganda) had fewer than 10 registered CDM project activities and this is the first submission from the DNA.</i></p> |

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| <p>Where the proposed standardized baseline is developed for a group of Parties, approval letters of all the DNAs (excluding the letter of the DNA submitting this proposed standardized baseline) have been submitted.</p> | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | <p>PSB is developed for only one Party (Republic of Uganda)</p> |
| <p>Date the initial assessment is sent to the focal point(s):</p> | <p>30/05/2012</p> | |

History of the document

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