



**Proposed standardized baseline initial assessment form
(Version 02.0)**

INFORMATION TO BE COMPLETED BY THE SECRETARIAT

Title of proposed standardized baseline:	Standardized baseline: Grid emission factor for the West African power pool	
Date (DD/MM/YYYY) when the initial assessment is completed:	11/01/2016	
Notes for completing below:		
<p><i>Please assess the completeness of the submitted proposed standardized baseline according to the "Procedure: Development, revision and clarification and update of standardized baseline" (CDM-EB63-A28-PROC).</i></p> <p><i>If all the assessment of the criteria from No. 1 to No. 3 is "Yes" while all the assessment of the criteria No. 4 and No. 5 is "Yes" or "Not applicable", the submission is evaluated as "complete". Otherwise, the submission is evaluated as "incomplete".</i></p>		
Criteria	Assessment	Note
1. The CDM-PSB-FORM has been duly completed.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
2. The proposed standardized baseline is derived from one of the following approaches: (a) The "Guidelines for the establishment of sector specific standardized baselines"; (b) A methodological approach contained in an approved baseline and monitoring methodology; (c) A methodological approach contained in an approved tool; or (d) The "Guideline: Establishment of standardized baselines for afforestation and reforestation project activities under the CDM".	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Version 4.0.0 of the "Tool to calculate the emission factor for an electricity system"
3. The DNA submitted all the information required for consideration of the proposed standardized baseline (e.g. studies referred to in the proposed updated standardized baseline documents).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

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<p>(a) It documents how the proposed standardized baseline is derived, including documentation of all underlying data, data sources, assumptions, calculation steps and outcomes.</p>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<p>The attached data file provided the data used for the development of the proposed standardized baseline along with data sources and calculation steps, and the PSB form provided information on how to derive the standardized baseline for West African power pool.</p>
<p>(b) It explains how the proposed standardized baseline will be used with the relevant approved methodology(ies) or an approved tool.</p>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<p>The submission uses the approach provided under “Tool to calculate the emission factor for an electricity system” ver.4.0.0.</p>
<p>(c) The validity of the proposed standardized baseline is specified in accordance with applicable requirements.</p>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<p>This standardized baseline is valid for three years from the date of its adoption by the CDM Executive Board.</p>
<p>4. 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 a positive opinion on whether the data was collected and processed in accordance with relevant procedures or guidelines adopted by the Board.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not applicable	<p>The proposed standardized baseline is developed for a group of Parties, each of which had 10 or fewer registered CDM project activities as of 31 December 2010, so an assessment report can be omitted.</p> <p>In this case the assessment report will be prepared by the secretariat.</p>
<p>5. 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable	<p>The letters of authorization (LoAs) from nine countries were submitted.</p>

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Document information

<i>Version</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Description</i>
02.0	1 December 2013	<p>The document title has changed from “CDM proposed standardized baselines initial assessment form” (F-CDM-PSB-IA) to “Proposed standardized baseline initial assessment form” (CDM-PSBA-FORM).</p> <p>Revision to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reflect updated requirements in the “Procedure: Development, revision, clarification and update of standardized baselines” • Include an editorial improvement.
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