

# CDM Reform from the Perspective of DNAs

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“What is your ideal CDM”  
based on your experience

- ◆ As Nepal is recently engaged in CDM business and only few CDM projects have been developed, it is too early to indicate or list them as the ideal CDM.
- ◆ Based on our experience, small scale bundled programmatic CDM like biogas, solar, micro-hydro CDM projects might be "ideal" projects in future.

What is your “perfect CDM” from the perspective of developing country?

- ◆ For countries like Nepal, a least developed and mountainous land-locked country, small scale programmatic CDM would be appropriate

What do you want to accomplish by utilizing CDM?

- Utilise the finances generated from the CDM project to continue projects that promote sustainable development, benefit poor people, and ensure conservation of natural resources - the life-support system

If you think there are some specific problems in the CDM, we appreciate to hear those as well.

- CDM registration process and methodology is complex and difficult to understand
- Changing the methodology frequently complicates CER calculation
- DNA does not know about validation and verification and its registration to the CDM-EB
- DNA does not know about the implementation status of DNA approved CDM projects
- Monitoring responsibility is not clear
- DNA does not know whether the approved projects has contributed to attain the goals of sustainable development
- Need to develop capacity in LDCs