GEF
Small Grants Programme
& Indigenous Peoples

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GEF SGP Background

• Total GEF investment in SGP since 1992 pilot phase over $250 million
• SGP provides direct access for national NGOs and CBOs, and indigenous peoples up to $50,000
• Projects approved by National Steering Committee with a non-governmental majority
• Over 9,800 projects funded since 1992
• Implemented by UNDP on behalf of the GEF partnership of agencies
**GEF SGP 2007 Evaluation**

**Key conclusions**

- “90 percent of all SGP project grants reviewed were rated by the evaluation in the satisfactory range... SGP project grants are on target to meet and exceed the benchmark of 75 percent of GEF Projects achieving satisfactory outcome rating that was agreed upon in the GEF-4 replenishment agreement”

- “…in all 22 country programmes SGP has contributed to the formulation and or implementation of policies. They do so by cultivating relationships with civil society organizations, local, provincial and national governments, academic institutions, other global organizations, and the private sector”
GEF SGP Biodiversity Portfolio

- Collaborative governance of protected areas
- Community conserved areas
- Agrobiodiversity
- Sustainable use of BD products
Partnerships with local communities

- $118 million invested by GEF in biodiversity leveraged:
  - $82 million cash co-financing
  - $87 million in-kind co-financing

Community in-kind contributions recorded in SGP global database
GEF SGP support to indigenous peoples

• Direct support to **indigenous peoples** approx 15% of SGP portfolio (>1,800 projects)
• 17% of projects in 2007 with **women’s organisations**
• Participatory video & other **innovative formats** for increased access for remote populations
Clustered SGP projects in Sian Ka’an WH site
BAHIA DE LA ASCENSION, RESERVA DE LA BIOSFERA SIAN KA’ AN, MEXICO.
Campos langosteras nace en los primeros años de la fundación de la cooperativa.

Cada pescador decide cuando pesca y la forma en que lo hace.
COMERCIALIZACION DE LANGOSTA VIVA
Captura de Langosta. Vigía Chico
Monitoreo y Cambio Climático

Gráfica de los años de captura de langosta.
- **Emily, Wilma**: Capturaron en el año 2001.
- **Dean**: Capturó en el año 2002.

**Temporada de Pesca**: 89/90 a 07/08

**Tonnelladas de Langosta (Peso Entero)**

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