Setting the Scene:
Saint Lucia's Needs Assessment

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Outline

• Saint Lucia BUR and NC Status
• TNC Needs Assessment Results
• Current Needs as Assessed by CCMRVH
• Current Challenges
Major Gaps Identified in TNC
Gaps in Major Mitigation Sectors

• National Energy Balances by sector and sub-sector are not regularly produced
• No comprehensive data on energy end-use
• No long-term projections for grid transmission and distribution efficiency
• No comprehensive data on vehicle fuel efficiency and vehicle demand
• Livestock projections are only based on historical growth numbers
• LULUCF sector needs much work as this sector assessment was not comprehensive
Capacity Needs

- Increase capacity of government agencies integral to information to better support future GHG inventories and mitigation assessments
- Assign a strong central institution with a clear and long term mandate for
- Sustain engagement of all relevant stakeholders
- Equip government staff with more knowledge of inventory processes and procedures
- Develop a national measuring, reporting and verification system.
Needs Assessment from CCMRVH
CCMRV Hub Needs Assessment

• Conducted: July 2019
• Micheal Gillenwater and Vintura Silva
• Met with: Staff of the Department of Sustainable Development, and GHG and Mitigation Actions Working Groups
Major Needs

• Linking the current Common Data Storage Facility of the National Environmental Information System to serve as the central “hub” for BUR and NC Data

• There is currently no system in place for tracking NDCs while there is a dedicated NDC team (interministerial grouping)
Needs Cont'd

• Data as it relates to MRV is collected on a project by project basis (usually BUR and NCs)
• Capacity building in the use of 2006 IPCC Guidelines (previous inventories used 1996)
• Sustainable energy management system
• No system to track climate finance coming into the country
Current Challenges

• Stakeholder fatigue from several ongoing processes - NDC Revision, NAP Annual M&E, PPCR-DVRP M&E, among other major CC Initiatives

• NEIS needs data sheets to be in a particular format which has presented some issues for the data providers and Inventory experts.

• No data manager from NEIS has been provided for at this time project ends in June 2020.
THANK YOU