
Environmental & Social Safeguards

FP128/6 – Ecuador Teak Project

Arbaro Fund – Sustainability Forestry Fund

MUFG Bank, Ltd.

2022-04-25



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ESS disclosure report form for subprojects

Environmental and social report(s) disclosure form

Accredited entity	MUFG Bank, Ltd.
Programme	
FP number and programme title	FP 128 Arbaro Fund – Sustainable Forestry Fund
Sector (public or private)	Private
Location (target country and, if any, specific areas)	Sub-Saharan Africa and Latin America
ESS category	I-1
Board decision and date	Decision B.25/04, 12 March 2020
Subproject	
Subproject title	Ecuador Teak Project
ESS category	Category B
Location	Ecuador
Environmental and Social Impact Assessment (ESIA) (if applicable)	
Date of disclosure on accredited entity's website	April 1, 2022
Language(s) understandable to affected peoples	English and Spanish
Link to disclosure	<p>Environmental and Social Impact Assessment:</p> <p>English: https://www.bk.mufg.jp/global/productsandservices/corpandivest/gcf/af/pdf/ETP_ESIA.pdf</p> <p>Spanish: https://www.bk.mufg.jp/global/productsandservices/corpandivest/gcf/af/pdf/ETP_ESIA_sp.pdf</p> <p>Biodiversity Baseline:</p> <p>English: https://www.bk.mufg.jp/global/productsandservices/corpandivest/gcf/af/pdf/ETP_Biodiversity_Baseline.pdf</p> <p>Spanish: https://www.bk.mufg.jp/global/productsandservices/corpandivest/gcf/af/pdf/ETP_Biodiversity_Baseline_sp.pdf</p>
Other link(s)	N/A
Remarks on compliance with GCF policies	This disclosure is intended to satisfy the requirement set out in para. 17 of the Information Disclosure Policy of the Green Climate Fund (GCF) in relation to para. 63 of the Environmental and Social Policy of the GCF.
Environmental and Social Management Plan (ESMP) (if applicable)	
Date of disclosure on accredited entity's website	April 1, 2022
Language(s) understandable to affected peoples	English and Spanish

Link to disclosure	<p>Environmental and Social Impact Assessment:</p> <p>English: https://www.bk.mufg.jp/global/productsandservices/corpandivest/gcf/af/pdf/ETP_ESIA.pdf</p> <p>Spanish: https://www.bk.mufg.jp/global/productsandservices/corpandivest/gcf/af/pdf/ETP_ESIA_sp.pdf</p> <p>Biodiversity Baseline:</p> <p>English: https://www.bk.mufg.jp/global/productsandservices/corpandivest/gcf/af/pdf/ETP_Biodiversity_Baseline.pdf</p> <p>Spanish: https://www.bk.mufg.jp/global/productsandservices/corpandivest/gcf/af/pdf/ETP_Biodiversity_Baseline_sp.pdf</p>
Other link(s)	N/A
Remarks on compliance with GCF policies	<p>This disclosure is intended to satisfy the requirement set out in para. 17 of the Information Disclosure Policy of the GCF in relation to para. 63 of the Environmental and Social Policy of the GCF.</p> <p>The ESMP is part of the ESIA.</p>
Environmental and Social Management System (ESMS) (if applicable)	
Date of disclosure on accredited entity's website	N/A
Language(s) understandable to affected peoples	N/A
Link to disclosure	N/A
Other link(s)	N/A
Remarks on compliance with GCF policies	N/A
Any other relevant ESS reports, e.g. IPP, IPPF, RAP, RPF, (if applicable)	
Description of report/disclosure	N/A
Date of disclosure on accredited entity's website	N/A
Language(s) understandable to affected peoples	N/A
Link to disclosure	N/A
Other link(s)	N/A
Remarks on compliance with GCF policies	N/A
Disclosure in location(s) convenient to affected peoples (or, if none or not yet identified, stakeholders)	
Date(s)	March 28, 2022
Place(s)	Forescan, Km. 1.5 <i>vía Samborondón SBC Office Center</i> Piso 3 Of. 34. S/D y calle vehicular SBC Office Center. Guayaquil, ECUADOR

Provision on disclosure at the subproject level	<p>Environmental and Social Management System:</p> <p>In relation to each Category A and Category B subproject of the Portfolio Companies, the Fund will disclose the Environmental and Social Impact Assessment and Environmental and Social Management Plan, and as appropriate, the Land Acquisition and Resettlement Action Plan, Livelihood Restoration Action Plan, Indigenous Peoples Plan and any other associated information required to be disclosed in accordance with the GCF and Fund disclosure requirements. The Fund will disclose the information 120 calendar days (for Category A subprojects) or 30 calendar days (for Category B subprojects) in advance of the approval of the subprojects, in English and the local language. The disclosure will be on the Fund website and in locations convenient to affected peoples, and the information will be provided to GCF. The Fund will take into account the comments and inputs received in the finalization of the documents.</p>
Date and place of accredited entity/ executing entity meeting	<p>May 25, 2022 at earliest in Frankfurt, Germany</p>

Note: This form was prepared by the accredited entity stated above. For reference, the ESS disclosure report form for the programme is attached.

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Arbaro Fund – Sustainable Forestry Fund

MUFG Bank, Ltd.

2019-09-09 (Except Amharic)

2019-11-06 (Amharic)



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Environmental and social safeguards report form pursuant to para. 17 of the IDP

Basic project or programme information	
Project or programme title	Arbaro Fund
Existence of subproject(s) to be identified after GCF Board approval	Yes
Sector (public or private)	Private
Accredited entity	MUFG Bank, Ltd.
Environmental and social safeguards (ESS) category	Category I-1
Location – specific location(s) of project or target country or location(s) of programme	Sub-Saharan Africa and Latin America. Specific countries have not been determined until a specific fund investment project appears.
Environmental and Social Impact Assessment (ESIA) (if applicable)	
Date of disclosure on accredited entity's website	N/A
Language(s) of disclosure	N/A
Explanation on language	N/A
Link to disclosure	N/A
Other link(s)	N/A
Remarks	N/A
Environmental and Social Management Plan (ESMP) (if applicable)	
Date of disclosure on accredited entity's website	N/A
Language(s) of disclosure	N/A
Explanation on language	N/A
Link to disclosure	N/A
Other link(s)	N/A
Remarks	N/A
Environmental and Social Management (ESMS) (if applicable)	
Date of disclosure on accredited entity's website	Monday, September 9, 2019 (Except Amharic) Wednesday, November 6, 2019 (Amharic)
Language(s) of disclosure	English, Amharic, Portuguese, and Spanish
Explanation on language	The program will target countries with English, Amharic, Portuguese, or Spanish as official languages.
Link to disclosure	English: Environmental and Social Management System https://www.bk.mufg.jp/global/productsandservices/corpaninvest/gcf/af/pdf/V2_ESMS.pdf

	<p>Amharic: የአካባቢ እና ማህበራዊ አስተዳደር ሥርዓት (Environmental and Social Management System Amharic translation) https://www.bk.mufg.jp/global/productsandservices/corpaninvest/gcf/af/pdf/ESMS_Amharic.pdf</p> <p>Portuguese: SISTEMA DE GESTÃO AMBIENTAL E SOCIAL (Environmental and Social Management System Portuguese translation) https://www.bk.mufg.jp/global/productsandservices/corpaninvest/gcf/af/pdf/V2_ESMS_Portuguese.pdf</p> <p>Spanish: SISTEMA DE GESTION AMBIENTAL Y SOCIAL (Environmental and Social Management System Spanish translation) https://www.bk.mufg.jp/global/productsandservices/corpaninvest/gcf/af/pdf/V2_ESMS_Spanish.pdf</p>
Other link(s)	<p>Arbaro Fund webpage https://www.bk.mufg.jp/global/productsandservices/corpaninvest/gcf/af/index.html</p>
Remarks	An ESMS consistent with the requirements for a Category I-1 programme is contained in the 'Environmental and Social Management System (ESMS)'.
Any other relevant ESS reports, e.g. Resettlement Action Plan (RAP), Resettlement Policy Framework (RPF), Indigenous Peoples Plan (IPP), IPP Framework (if applicable)	
Description of the report	N/A
Description of report/disclosure on accredited entity's website	N/A
Language(s) of disclosure	N/A
Explanation on language	N/A
Link to disclosure	N/A
Other link(s)	N/A
Remarks	N/A
Disclosure in locations convenient to affected peoples (stakeholders)	
Date	Monday, September 9, 2019 (For Mozambique) Wednesday, November 6, 2019 (For Ethiopia, Ghana, and Paraguay)
Place	<p>Arbaro Fund c/o Professor Almeida A. Siteo Center for Agriculture and Natural Resource Studies (CEAGRE) Faculty of Agronomy and Forestry Eduardo Mondlane University Main Campus 3453 Julius Nyerere Ave. Maputo Mozambique</p> <p>Arbaro Fund c/o Kibebework Getachew, Directorate Director Ethiopian Forest and Climate Change Commission (EFCCC) Forest Ecosystem Service Valuation Carbon Measuring (MRV)</p>

	<p>Around 4 killo, about 200 meters away from Tourist Hotel and neighbor to Danu bone treatment center Addis Ababa Ethiopia</p> <p>Arbaro Fund c/o Miro Forestry (Ghana) Limited The Grey House Pan Africa, Hwidiem Post Office Box 3 Asante Akyem, Agogo The Republic of Ghana</p> <p>Arbaro Fund c/o UNIQUE WOOD Paraguay S.A. Teniente Rivarola 840 Fernando de la Mora Asunción Paraguay</p>
Date of Board meeting in which the FP is intended to be considered	
Date of accredited entity's Board meeting	Tuesday, March 10, 2020
Date of GCF's Board meeting	Tuesday, March 10, 2020

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