

Name	Integration of Climate Change Risk and Resilience into Forestry Management in Samoa
Capability Area: Impacts/Adaptations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Understanding Climate Impacts and Informing Adaptation</li> <li>- Climate Adaptation</li> <li>- Training and Capacity Building, Education, Outreach</li> </ul>
Sectors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Community Planning and Development</li> <li>- Agriculture and Fisheries</li> </ul>
Status	- Ongoing
Focus Area	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Coastal Inundation/Sea Level Rise, Extreme Weather, and Community Resilience</li> <li>- Marine and Terrestrial Ecosystems</li> </ul>
Regions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- South Pacific</li> <li>- Samoa</li> </ul>
Description	The objective of the project is to increase the resilience and adaptive capacity of Samoa's forest areas and the communities dependent on them for livelihoods to the threat of climate change through targeted adaptation interventions in (i) lowland agro-forestry and (ii) upland native forest sub-sectors.
Lead Agencies	UNDP, Samoa Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries
Partnering Agencies	The information for this activity was provided by the Adaptation Partnership from their Pacific chapter review of planned and existing adaptation activities. These reviews provide an inventory of regional and country-level adaptation activities and a summary of key adaptation priorities, based on documents like the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change's National Adaptation Programs of Action and National Communications. They also identify gaps and opportunities for scaling up and enhancing collaboration. For more information see: <a href="http://www.adaptationpartnership.org/images/stories/documents/asia-pacific-regional-and-country-profiles.pdf">http://www.adaptationpartnership.org/images/stories/documents/asia-pacific-regional-and-country-profiles.pdf</a>
Required Resources	LDCF; co-financing, Budget: US\$ 4,850,000
Projected Timelines	2011-2014