



# **UNCCD LDN Target Setting Programme**In Southern Africa





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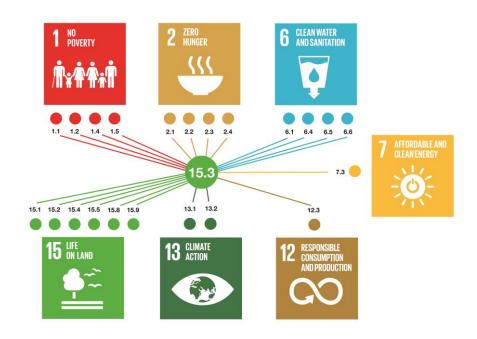




### Introduction



- Endorsed target 15.3. and LDN as strong vehicle for driving the implementation of the Convention
- Invited all country Parties to "formulate voluntary targets to achieve LDN" and to incorporate them in UNCCD NAPs







## **Building blocks for LDN Target**

## Setting

Leveraging LDN

2. Assessing LDN

Setting LDN targets & associated measures

4. Achieving LDN

#### **OUTCOMES**

- National Leverage Plan established
- Senior government and major international partners mobilized
- Multi-Stakeholder engagement secured

#### **OUTCOMES**

- LDN baseline established & mapped
- LDN drivers & trends identified
- LDN legal and institutional environment analyzed

#### **OUTCOMES**

- LDN targets established
- Measures identified
- Government high-level note developed

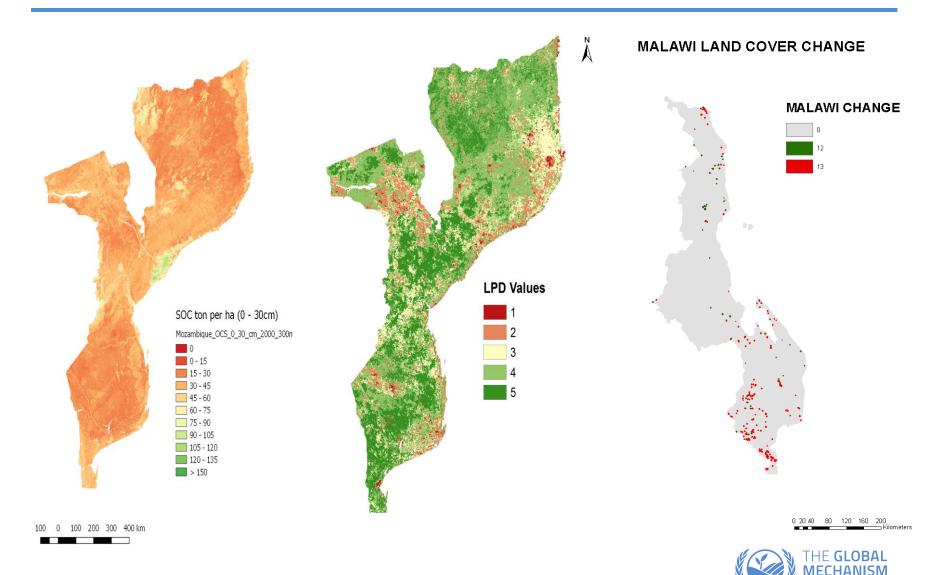
#### OUTCOMES

- LDN is included in selected national policies and commitments
- Transformative LDN projects and programmes mapped out





## **Indicators**



United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification



## **Target Setting**

## Targets to be ready by COPE13, Ordos, China, 6-16 Sept. 2017 Current initiatives & Plans:

- > Targets are set in synergy with all existing initiatives being implemented:
  - AFR100
  - Bon Challenge
  - Great Green Wall etc.
- ➤ Plus all current National Plans & Strategies in the different government departments

#### **Subnational Targets:**

- Can be set if data is available or
- If most acceptable estimations can be made
- Will apply to Provinces/regions/districts etc.
- Is important to help with planning/implementing local actions

Madagascar have confirmed their targets







## **THANK YOU!**





