

The implementation of SEApeat Project in Lao PDR

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Previous Activities

Action Plan

2008
capacity
building

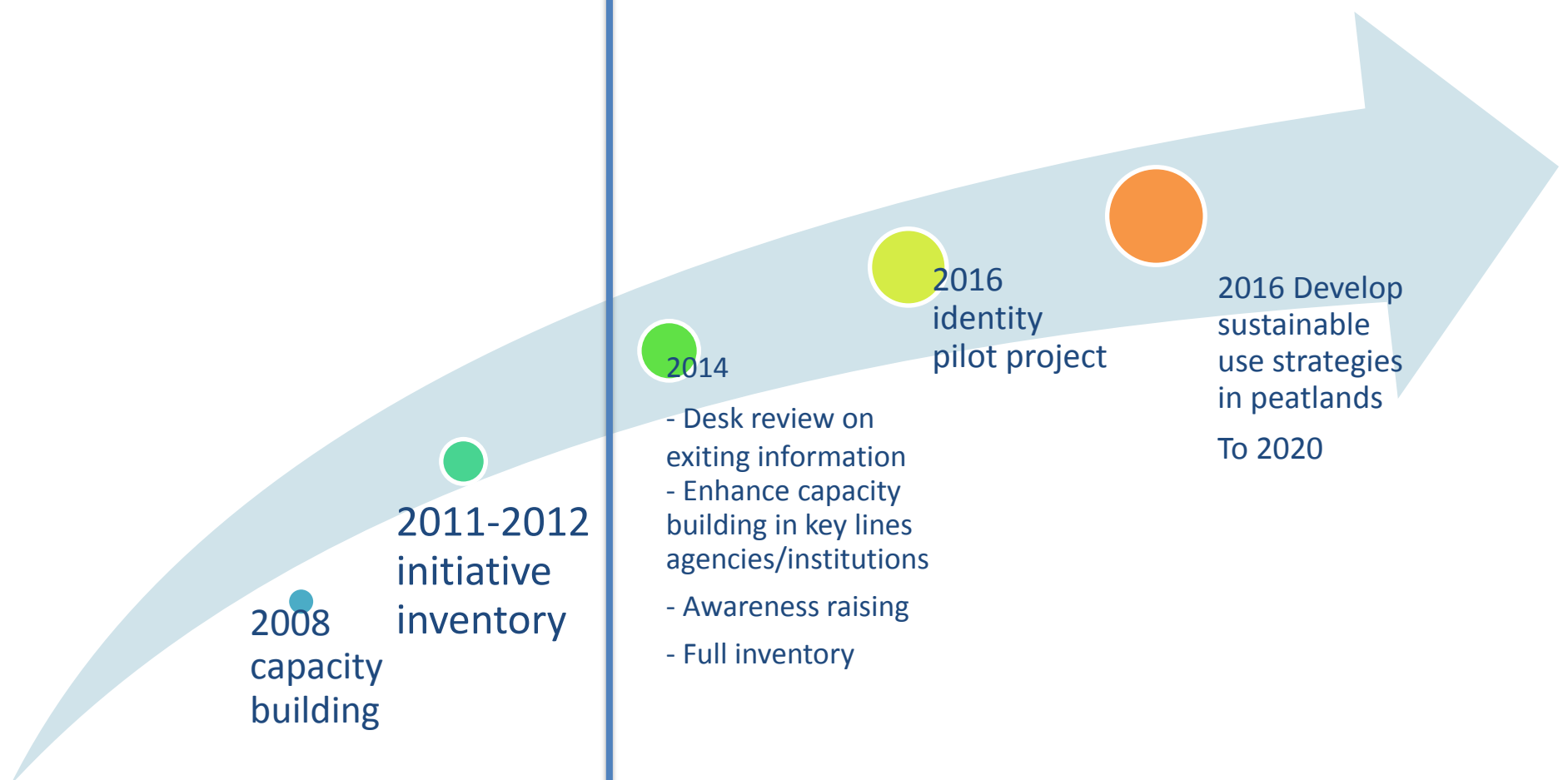
2011-2012
initiative
inventory

2014

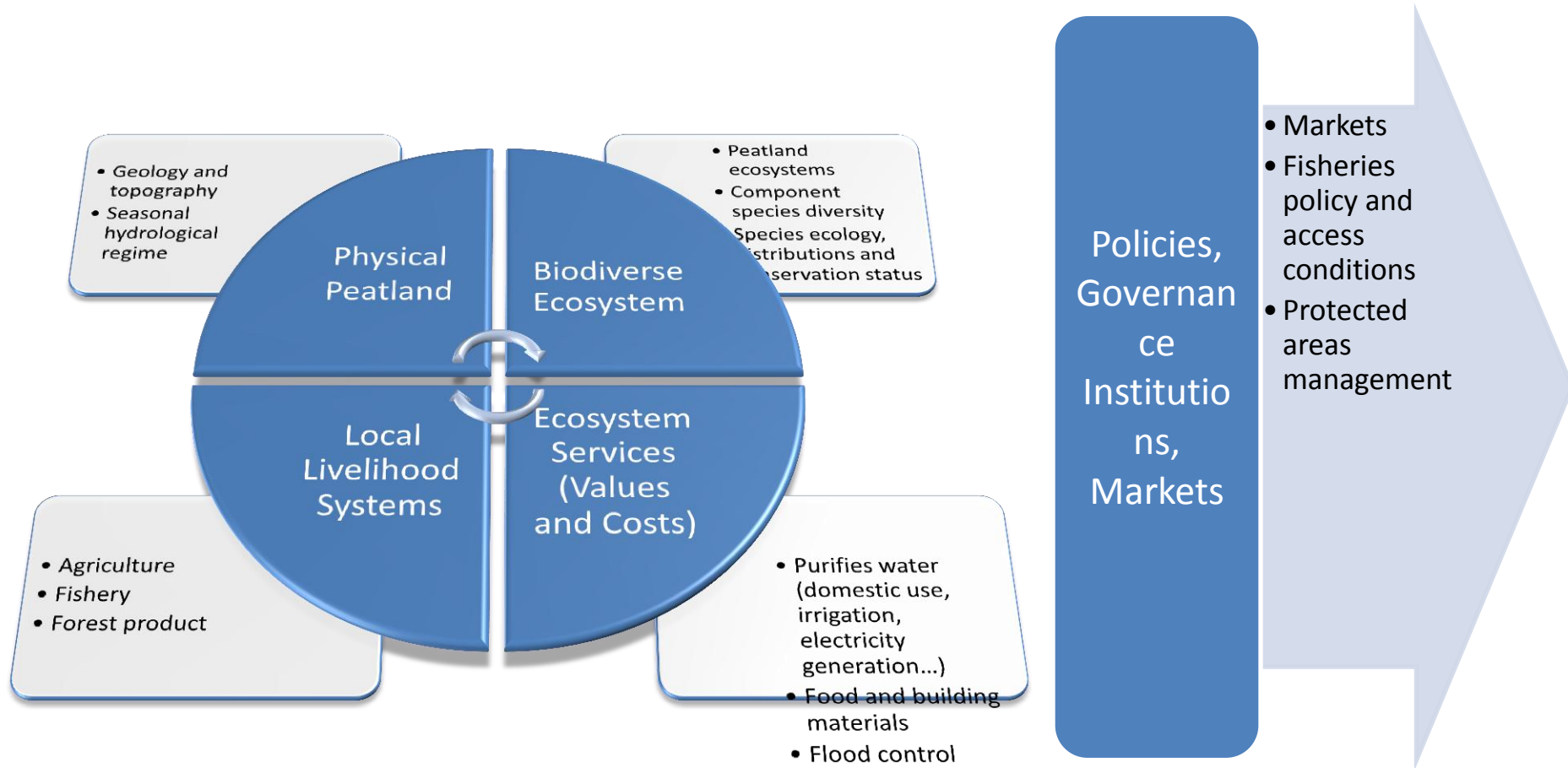
- Desk review on exiting information
- Enhance capacity building in key lines agencies/institutions
- Awareness raising
- Full inventory

2016
identity
pilot project

2016 Develop
sustainable
use strategies
in peatlands
To 2020



Interlinked aspects of a Peatland Landscape



Threats to peatlands throughout the region include

1. Land use change;
2. Watershed changes;
3. Urban development and infrastructure;
4. Water pollution and water quality issues;
5. Hydrological change;
6. Climate change;
7. Climate change adaptation measure; and
8. Overexploitation of peatland resources

Potential Project

5 years

Component 1: project focus on the key investments of constructing fish passages, repairing and restoring stream or lake banks, replanting stream or lake bank, and replanting flooded forests.

Component 2: livelihood investment-developing peatland products for villagers to produce and sell, developing fish processing facilities that can serve a village cluster, training villages on agriculture techniques, and establishing a fund to finance new livelihoods and changes in existing livelihoods;

- Component 3: Regional knowledge base of best practices in peatlands management in the AMS;
- Component 4: project management and institutional development –establishing and operating a PMU; conducting monitoring and evaluations; completing a training needs analysis, designing training programs;

Thank you for your attention