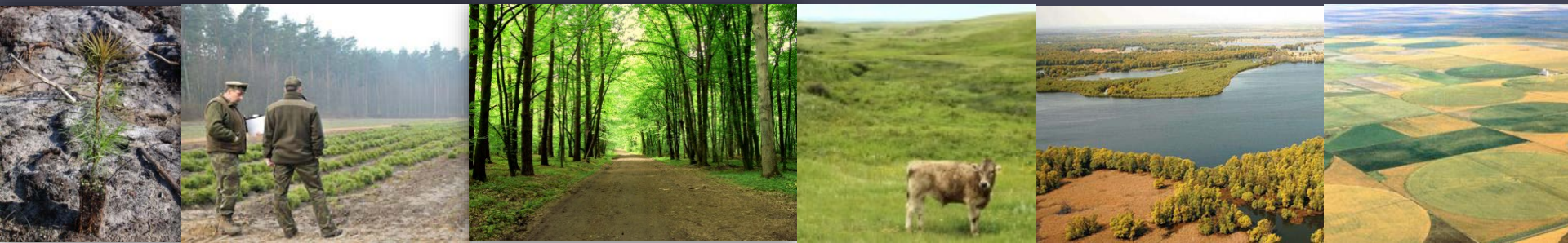


Overview of the common reporting format (CRF) in Land Use, Land Use Change and forestry sector



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Background of reporting 1

- Parties to the Convention must submit national reports on implementation of the Convention to the Conference of the Parties (COP).
- The required contents of national reports and the timetable for their submission are different for Annex I and non-Annex I Parties.
- GHG inventories for the UNFCCC are used to demonstrate compliance with agreements and action on climate change

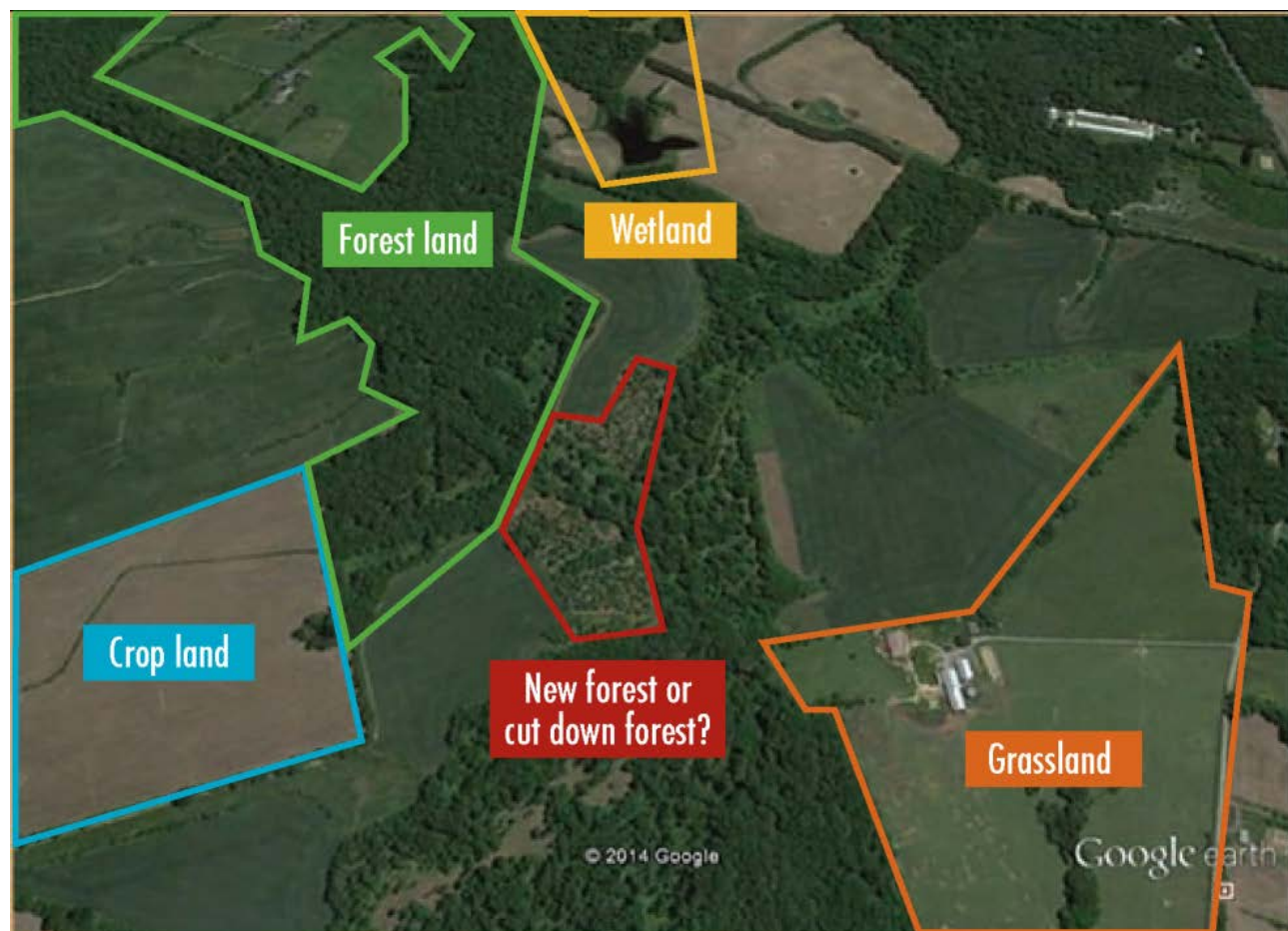


Background of reporting 2

- Emission Inventories are based on estimation methods as emissions cannot be measured
- To facilitate reporting and comparability of information in national GHG inventories, common reporting format (CRF) tables
- Reporting on land use under the UNFCCC is comprehensive, i.e. includes all categories of land and all pool

Land Use Categories

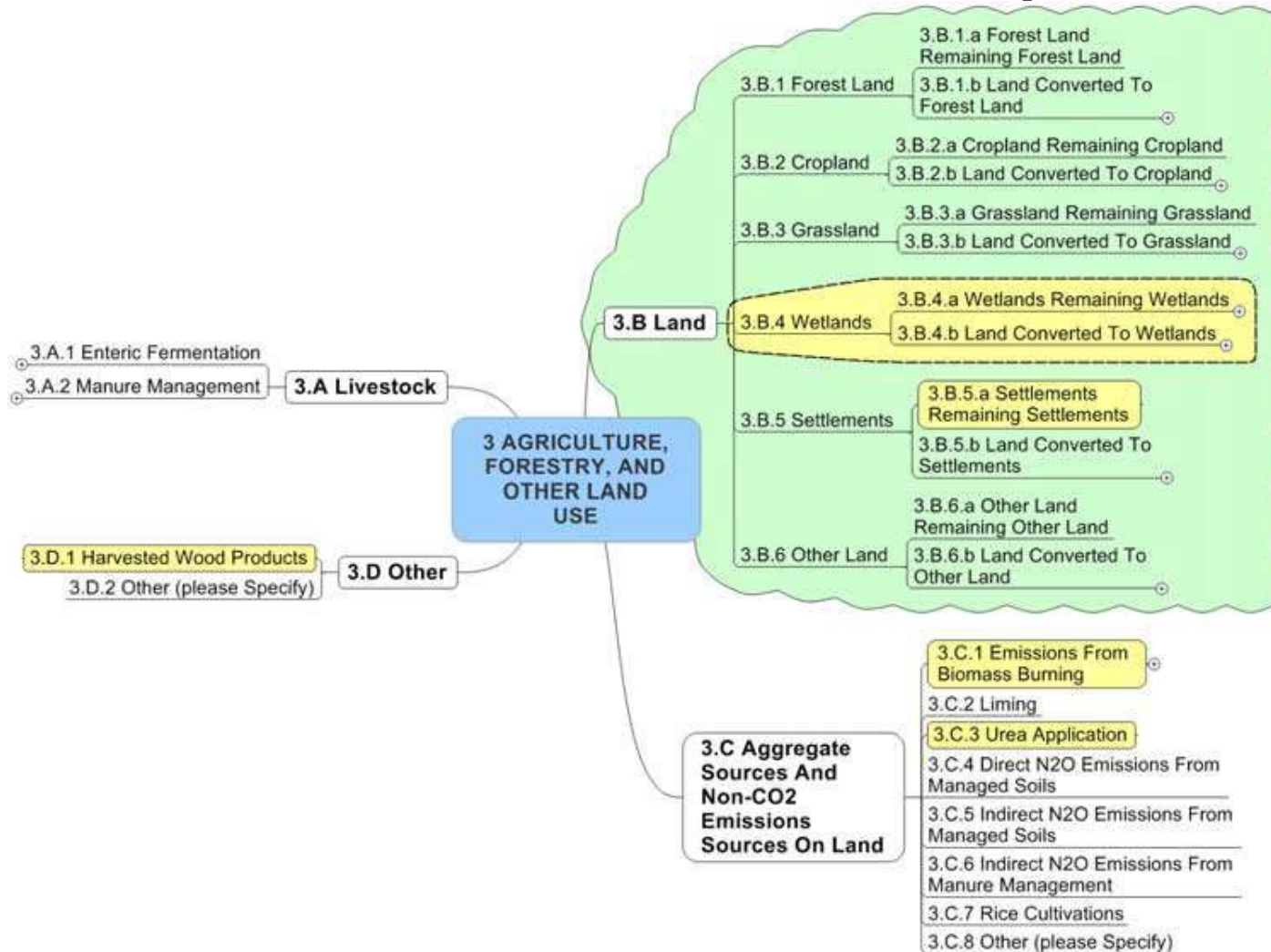
- Six main land-use categories proposed by the (IPCC) Volume 4 *2006 IPCC Guidelines*
- Forest land
- Cropland
- Grassland
- Wetlands
- Settlements
- Other lands



Selected categories as a key categories

- FF = Forest Land Remaining Forest Land LF = Land Converted to Forest Land
- GG = Grassland Remaining Grassland LG = Land Converted to Grassland
- CC = Cropland Remaining Cropland LC = Land Converted to Cropland
- WW = Wetlands Remaining Wetlands LW = Land Converted to Wetlands
- SS = Settlements Remaining Settlements LS = Land Converted to Settlements
- OO = Other Land Remaining Other Land LO = Land Converted to Other Land

Key Categories



Abbreviations used in CRF tables

- **NO** Not occurring **IE** Included elsewhere
- **NE** Not estimated **C** Confidential
- **NA** Not applicable
- **R** Reported
- **NR** Not reported
- **NO** Not occurring
- **IE** Included elsewhere

CRF Tables

Common Reporting Format tables - facilitate reporting and comparability of information in national GHG inventories, including for LULUCF and Agriculture, were developed and revised over the years.



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