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# **FINANCIAMIENTO DE NUEVOS PROYECTOS Y PROGRAMAS DE REDUCCION DE EMISIONES CON EL MERCADO INTERNACIONAL DE CARBONO**

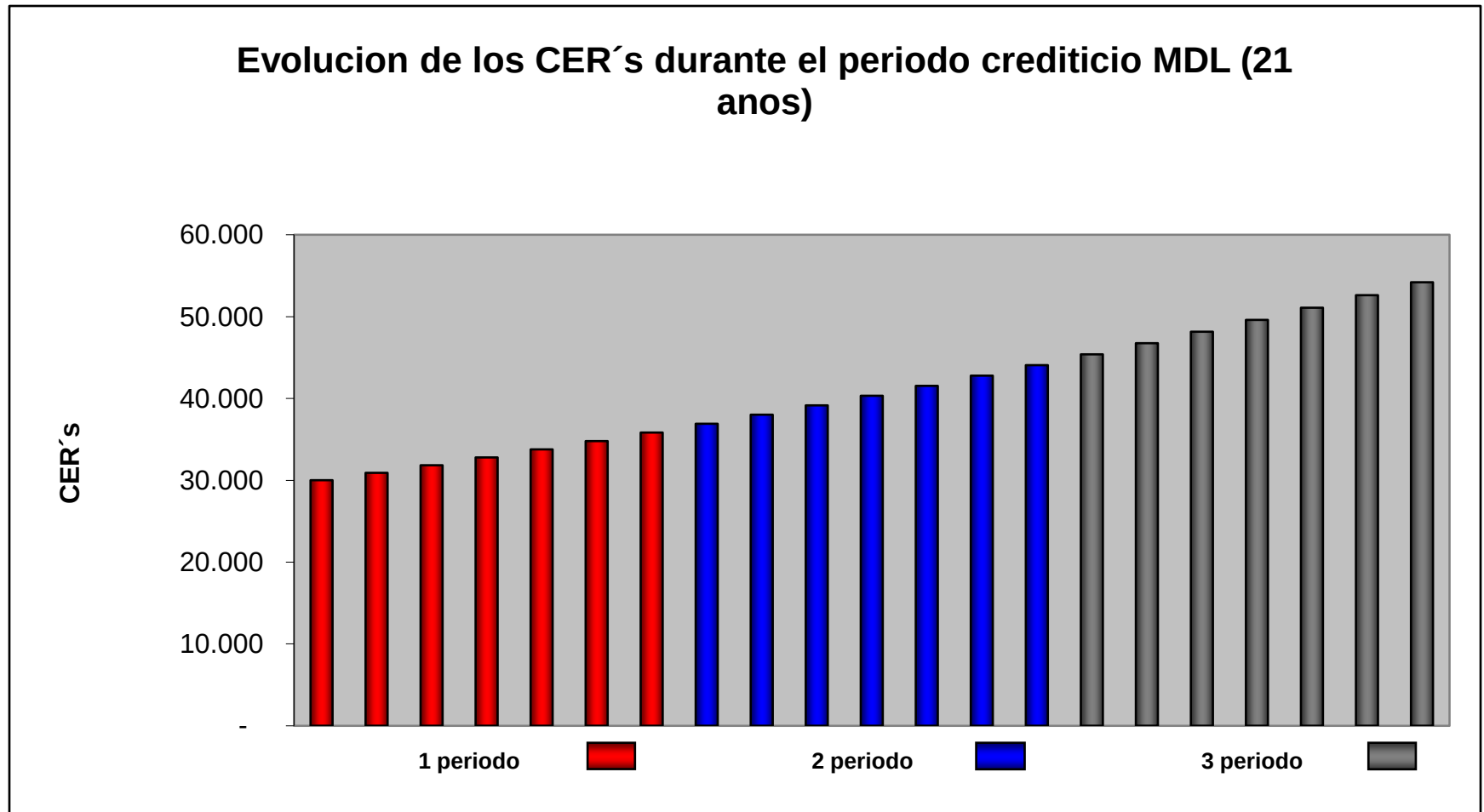
## ***DESARROLLO DEL MERCADO INTERNACIONAL DE CERTIFICADOS DE EMISIONES REDUCIDAS (CER) HACIA EL 2020***

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# Generación de CER por 21 años en un Proyecto MDL Colombiano de mitigación de metano



# Ingresos por venta de CERs en tres escenarios de precio, MDL Opción I. Inversión US\$850,000

| ANO   | CERS   | Escenario alto US\$20 | Escenario medio US\$15 | Escenario bajo US\$10 |
|-------|--------|-----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1     | 30.000 | 600.000               | 450.000                | 300.000               |
| 2     | 30.900 | 618.000               | 463.500                | 309.000               |
| 3     | 31.827 | 636.540               | 477.405                | 318.270               |
| 4     | 32.782 | 655.636               | 491.727                | 327.818               |
| 5     | 33.765 | 675.305               | 506.479                | 337.653               |
| 6     | 34.778 | 695.564               | 521.673                | 347.782               |
| 7     | 35.822 | 716.431               | 537.324                | 358.216               |
| 8     | 36.896 | 737.924               | 553.443                | 368.962               |
| 9     | 38.003 | 760.062               | 570.047                | 380.031               |
| 10    | 39.143 | 782.864               | 587.148                | 391.432               |
| 11    | 40.317 | 806.350               | 604.762                | 403.175               |
| 12    | 41.527 | 830.540               | 622.905                | 415.270               |
| 13    | 42.773 | 855.457               | 641.592                | 427.728               |
| 14    | 44.056 | 881.120               | 660.840                | 440.560               |
| 15    | 45.378 | 907.554               | 680.665                | 453.777               |
| 16    | 46.739 | 934.780               | 701.085                | 467.390               |
| 17    | 48.141 | 962.824               | 722.118                | 481.412               |
| 18    | 49.585 | 991.709               | 743.781                | 495.854               |
| 19    | 51.073 | 1.021.460             | 766.095                | 510.730               |
| 20    | 52.605 | 1.052.104             | 789.078                | 526.052               |
| 21    | 54.183 | 1.083.667             | 812.750                | 541.833               |
| Total |        | 17.205.891            | 12.904.419             | 8.602.946             |

Si solo la mitad del portafolio nacional se podría implementar, Colombia podría generar US\$80 millones por año, por dos décadas, a proyectos productivos limpios.

| EMISSIONS REDUCTIONS PROJECTS <sup>1</sup>                                   |               | SECTORAL DISTRIBUTION                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |        |            |            |     |        |     |           |     |               |     |           |    |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|------------|------------|-----|--------|-----|-----------|-----|---------------|-----|-----------|----|
| Total CDM projects in Colombia’s National Portfolio                          | 146           | <table><thead><tr><th>Sector</th><th>Percentage</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>Industrial</td><td>35%</td></tr><tr><td>Energy</td><td>27%</td></tr><tr><td>Waste CH4</td><td>18%</td></tr><tr><td>Reforestation</td><td>11%</td></tr><tr><td>Transport</td><td>9%</td></tr></tbody></table> | Sector | Percentage | Industrial | 35% | Energy | 27% | Waste CH4 | 18% | Reforestation | 11% | Transport | 9% |
| Sector                                                                       | Percentage    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |        |            |            |     |        |     |           |     |               |     |           |    |
| Industrial                                                                   | 35%           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |        |            |            |     |        |     |           |     |               |     |           |    |
| Energy                                                                       | 27%           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |        |            |            |     |        |     |           |     |               |     |           |    |
| Waste CH4                                                                    | 18%           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |        |            |            |     |        |     |           |     |               |     |           |    |
| Reforestation                                                                | 11%           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |        |            |            |     |        |     |           |     |               |     |           |    |
| Transport                                                                    | 9%            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |        |            |            |     |        |     |           |     |               |     |           |    |
| Annual potential reductions of the CDM portfolio, tons CO2e                  | 18,093,393    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |        |            |            |     |        |     |           |     |               |     |           |    |
| Projects with National Approval                                              | 54            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |        |            |            |     |        |     |           |     |               |     |           |    |
| UNFCCC Approved / Registered                                                 | 23            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |        |            |            |     |        |     |           |     |               |     |           |    |
| Projects that have generated and sold CERs                                   | 7             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |        |            |            |     |        |     |           |     |               |     |           |    |
| Number of Issued CERS                                                        | 754,879       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |        |            |            |     |        |     |           |     |               |     |           |    |
| Potential income, CER sales, national portfolio (primary price of US\$9/CER) | \$164,587,620 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |        |            |            |     |        |     |           |     |               |     |           |    |
| Incomes obtained from the sale of CERs during 2007 – 2009 (US\$)             | \$87,870,000  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |        |            |            |     |        |     |           |     |               |     |           |    |

If only one half of the portfolio's annual CER volume were to be successfully generated and sold at primary prices of US\$9/CER, US\$82 million dollars per year would flow to low emitting projects. No other financing source for low carbon development comes close. Better, these projects will generate CERs and incomes for CO<sub>2</sub> reduction for up to 21 years each. Better yet, these flows are not loans or donations, they are payments for the UN-certified environmental service of emission reduction.

# Por que no se implementan los proyectos de reducción de emisiones?

- Falta de fuentes financieras para la etapa de compra de equipos, construcción e implementación
- Fuentes financieras desconocen el valor de CERs y el comportamiento de los precios de mercado
- Fuentes financieras no disponen de sistemas de garantías para mitigar el riesgo del mercado de carbono



Filo de Agua Santa Ana: E.A.A.B.  
24.000 CER / Año vendidos precio Spot







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## Colombia's palm growers turn methane into gold

By Naomi Mapstone in Santa Marta

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Walter Ritzel is surveying a putrid, Olympic swimming pool-sized pond of rotting palm fruit debris at the Tequendama palm oil plant in Colombia's far north, with a look of almost paternal pride.

"We are going to turn this," he says, arcing his hand enthusiastically over the gently simmering brown foam, "into euros".



The gas that is giving this pond its fizz is methane, and Colombia's palm oil producers have found a way to turn it into almost €10m a year in extra revenues through carbon trading.

Banding together to create the first sectoral project under the United Nations' Clean Development Mechanism (CDM), they reckon

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# ACEITES MANUELITA Cogeneración con Biomasa y Metano 60.000 CER/Año





# SOMBRILLA MDL FEDEPALMA: Primer Proyecto Sectorial Registrado en el mundo: 752.000 CER/Año



# PROCUENCA MANIZALES: Primer Proyecto Forestal MDL Registrado por Colombia 1.7 millones de tCERs en 20 años, 4,800 Ha.





# SOMBRILLA MDL 3.000 Ha, Vichada

## Restauracion Natural Asistida, con MDL











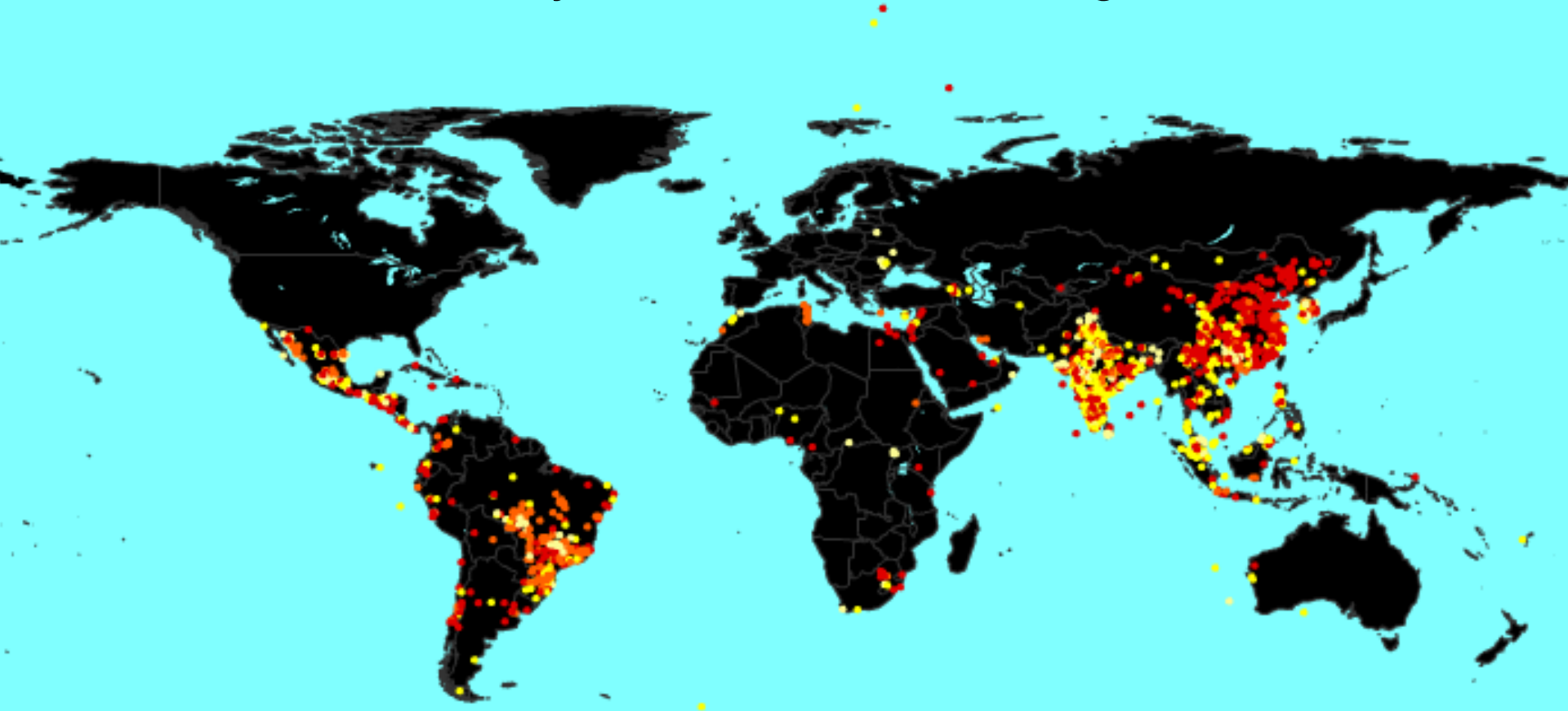
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# Estado Actual del MDL



CHINA, INDIA, BRASIL, MEXICO con fuertes inversiones MDL y expectativas de mercado CER hacia 2030 – y los defienden

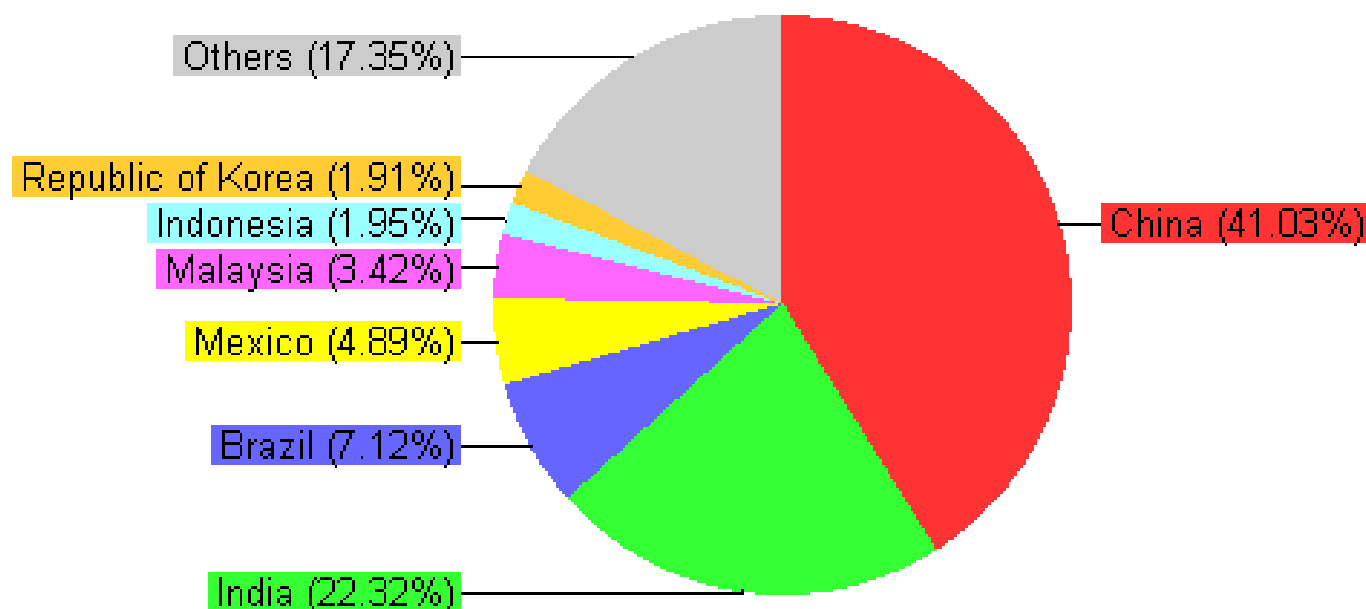
## 2510 Proyectos Oficialmente Registrados



- ◆ = CDM project, Large scale, one location
- ◆ = CDM project, Large scale, several locations
- ◆ = CDM project, Small scale, one location
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# Numero de Proyectos MDL Registrados

Registered project activities by host party. Total: 2,513

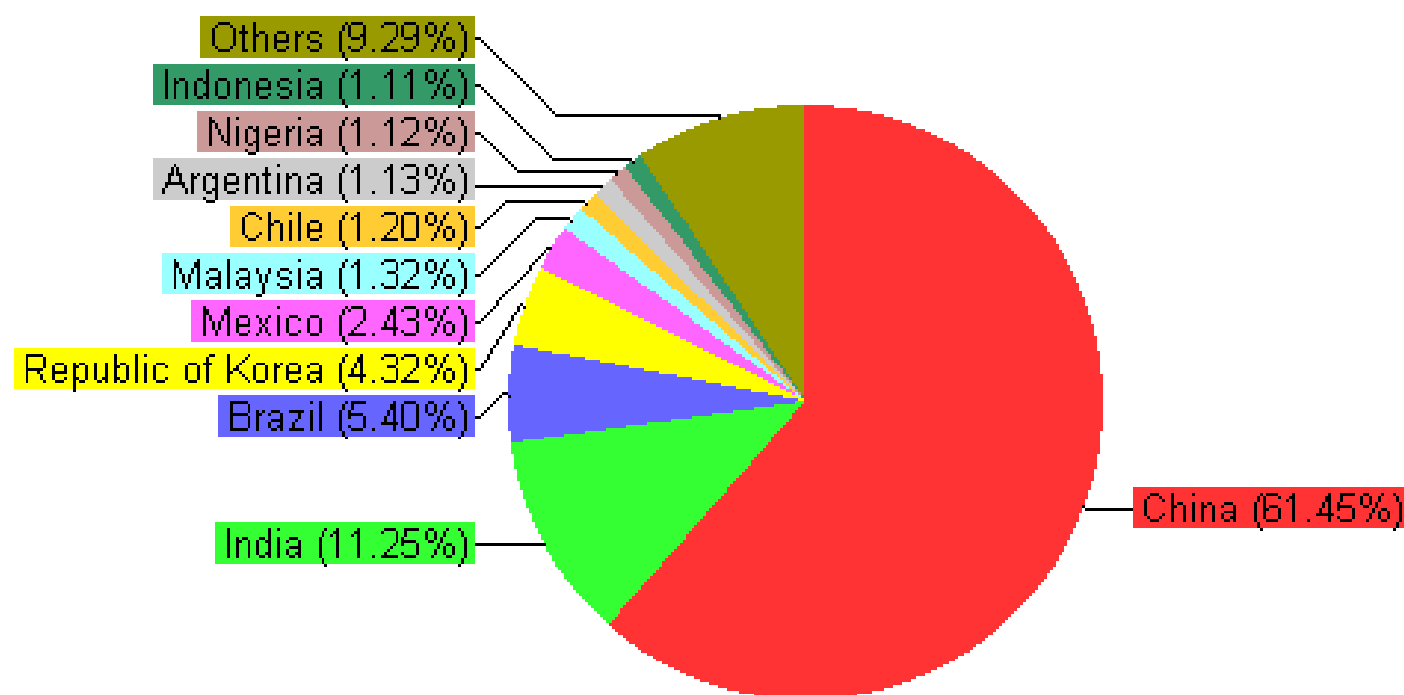


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# Flujo Anual de CER por Pais

Expected average annual CERs from registered projects by host party. Total: 394,786,362



# Consolidación Institucional – Mercado Europeo CERS

## European Exchange-Traded CER Volumes

### SELECT PERIOD

Feb-10

Jan-10

TOTAL 2009

Average 2009

Dec-09

Nov-09

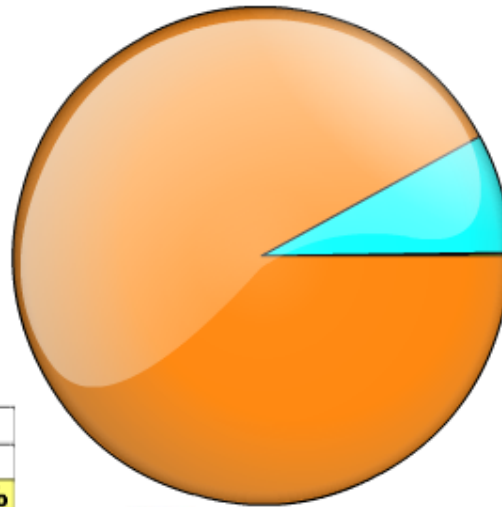
Oct-09

Sep-09

### Contract Breakdown

| PERIOD         | TOTAL VOLUME |       |
|----------------|--------------|-------|
| Feb-10         | 54,790,000   |       |
| Futures OTC    | 30,638,000   | 55.9% |
| Futures Screen | 13,801,000   | 25.2% |
| Spot           | 5,001,000    | 9.1%  |
| Options        | 5,350,000    | 9.8%  |

### Exchange Breakdown

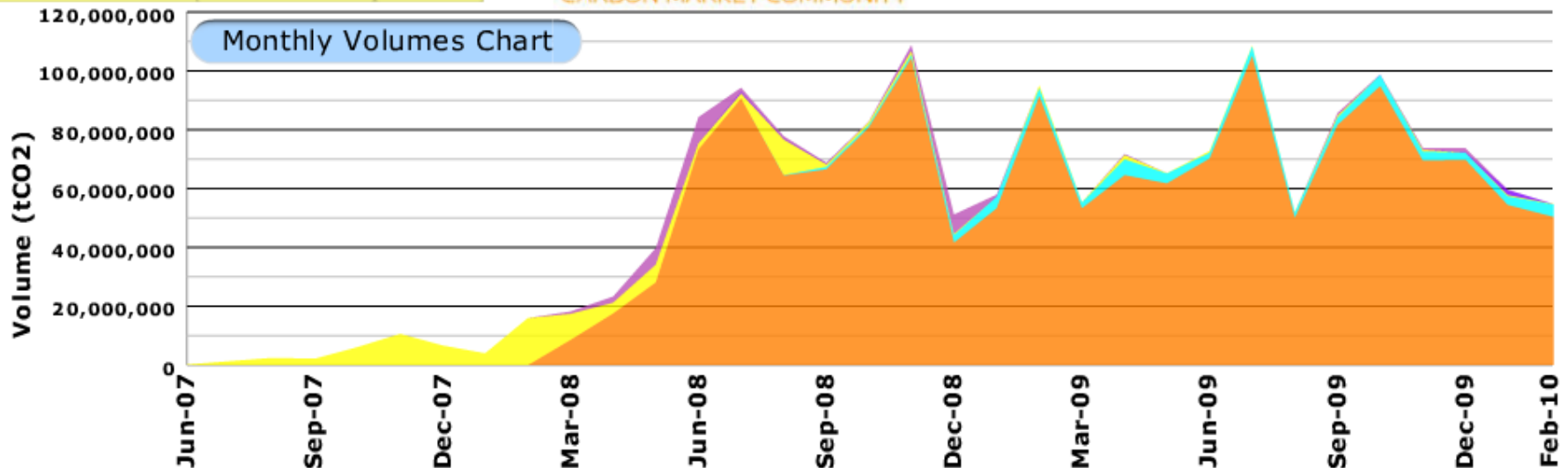


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|                          |                   |
|--------------------------|-------------------|
| <b>ECX/ICE</b>           | <b>50,412,000</b> |
| Futures Screen           | 13,761,000        |
| Futures Cleared          | 30,553,000        |
| Options                  | 5,350,000         |
| Spot Screen              | 583,000           |
| Spot Cleared             | 165,000           |
| <b>Bluenext</b>          | <b>4,253,000</b>  |
| Spot Screen              | 1,953,000         |
| Spot Cleared             | 2,300,000         |
| Futures                  | 0                 |
| <b>Nord Pool</b>         | <b>95,000</b>     |
| Forwards Screen          | 10,000            |
| Forwards Cleared         | 85,000            |
| <b>EEX</b>               | <b>5,000</b>      |
| Futures Screen           | 5,000             |
| Futures Cleared          | 0                 |
| <b>Climex</b>            | <b>0</b>          |
| Spot Exchange            | 0                 |
| Spot OTC                 | 0                 |
| <b>NYMEX Green Exch.</b> | <b>25,000</b>     |
| Futures                  | 25,000            |
| Options                  | 0                 |

### Monthly Volumes Chart



Exchange Websites: [www.ecx.eu](http://www.ecx.eu) [www.nordpool.com](http://www.nordpool.com) [www.bluenext.fr](http://www.bluenext.fr) [www.eex.de](http://www.eex.de) [www.greenfutures.com](http://www.greenfutures.com) [www.climex.com](http://www.climex.com)

**Table 1: Transaction Volumes and Values, Global Carbon Market, 2008 and 2009**

| Markets                        | Volume (MtCO <sub>2</sub> e) |              | Value (US\$ million) |                |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------|----------------------|----------------|
|                                | 2008                         | 2009         | 2008                 | 2009           |
| Voluntary OTC                  | 57                           | 51           | 420                  | 326            |
| CCX                            | 69                           | 41           | 307                  | 50             |
| Other exchanges                | 0.2                          | 2            | 2                    | 12             |
| <b>Total Voluntary Markets</b> | <b>127</b>                   | <b>94</b>    | <b>728</b>           | <b>387</b>     |
| EU ETS                         | 3,093                        | 6,326        | 100,526              | 118,474        |
| Primary CDM                    | 404                          | 211          | 6,511                | 2,678          |
| Secondary CDM                  | 1,072                        | 1,055        | 26,277               | 17,543         |
| Joint Implementation           | 25                           | 26           | 367                  | 354            |
| Kyoto [AAU]                    | 23                           | 155          | 276                  | 2,003          |
| New South Wales                | 31                           | 34           | 183                  | 117            |
| RGGI                           | 62                           | 813          | 241                  | 2,667          |
| Alberta's SGER                 | 3                            | 5            | 34                   | 61             |
| <b>Total Regulated Markets</b> | <b>4,713</b>                 | <b>8,625</b> | <b>134,415</b>       | <b>143,897</b> |
| <b>Total Global Markets</b>    | <b>4,840</b>                 | <b>8,719</b> | <b>135,143</b>       | <b>144,284</b> |

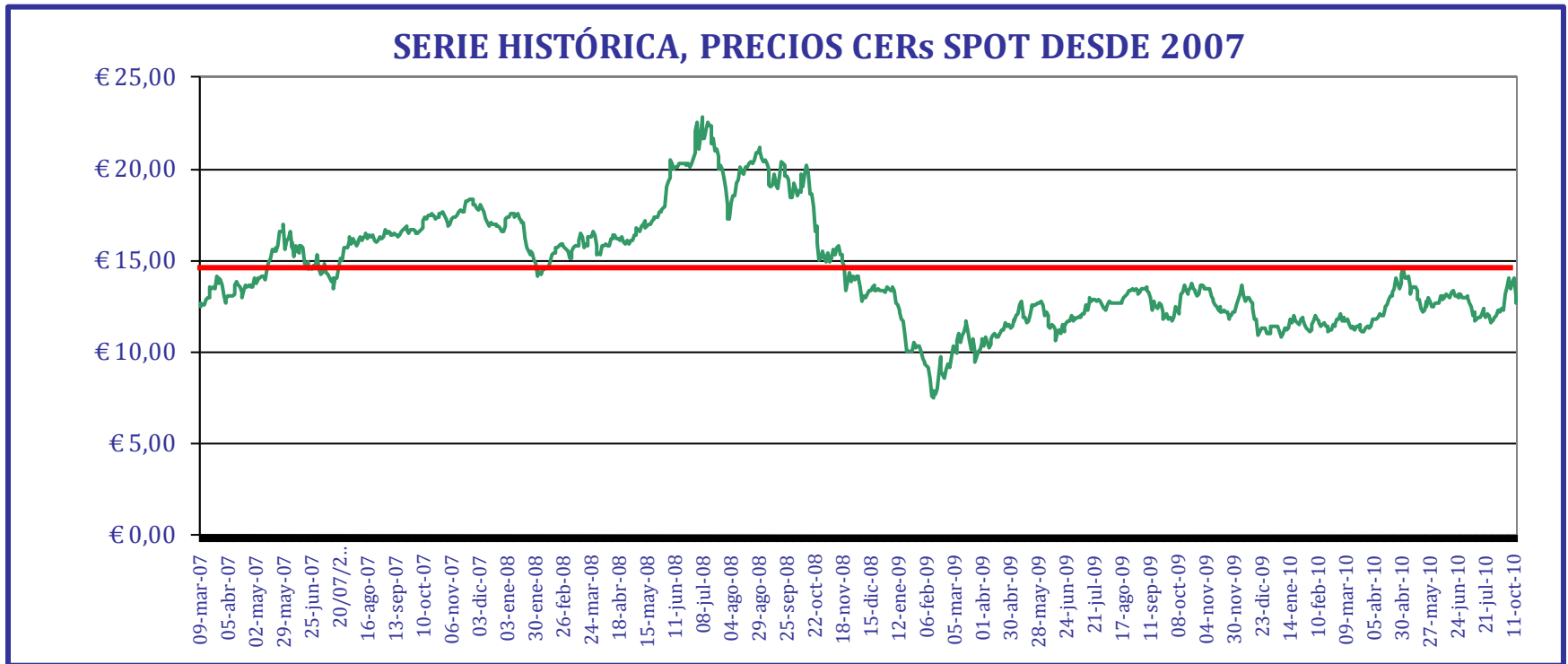
Source: Ecosystem Marketplace, Bloomberg New Energy Finance, World Bank.

Note: Figures may not add up due to rounding.



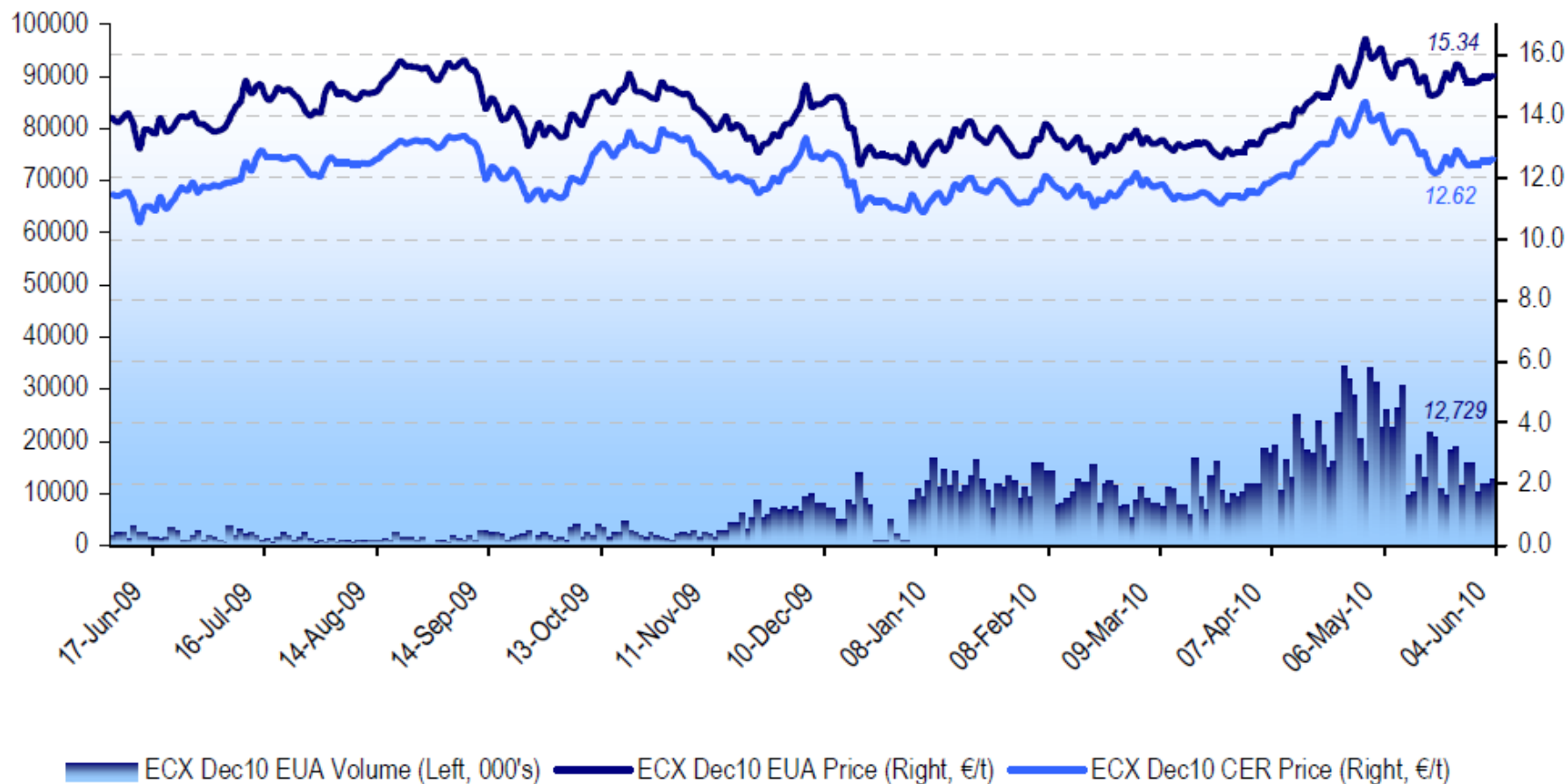
# Precios Spot CER Durante Kyoto I / ETS II ( Feb. 2007- 2010)

fuelle: Reuters Carbon



|          | euro           | dollar   |
|----------|----------------|----------|
| Promedio | <b>€ 14,40</b> | \$ 20,01 |
| Max      | <b>€ 22,85</b> | \$ 31,98 |
| Min      | <b>€ 7,48</b>  | \$ 10,48 |

# Precios CER Históricamente se transan entre 85-89% de precios EUA



# Precios Actuales

| <b>Primary CDM</b>                   | <b>€</b>    |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|
| Post PIN, Pre PDD, HC Approval       | 7.00-9.25   |
| At Validation                        | 9.25-10.50  |
| Registered & Non-Guaranteed          | 10.50-11.00 |
| Guaranteed                           | 11.50-12.00 |
| Post 2012                            | 75-90% sCER |
| <b>Exchange Prices</b>               | <b>€</b>    |
| Spot CER                             | 12.10       |
| Spot EUA                             | 14.16       |
| ECX DEC 10 CER                       | 12.09       |
| ECX DEC 10 EUA                       | 14.24       |
| ECX DEC 12 EUA                       | 15.04       |
| Spot EUA - CER Spread                | 2.06        |
| <b>Voluntary Emission Reductions</b> | <b>€</b>    |
| VERs - High Quality                  | 1.00 - 3.50 |
| VERs - Low Quality                   | 0.5 - 1.00  |

Source: ECX, BNX and CF Partners at 08/11/2010





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# MIRANDO HACIA EL FUTURO DESDE AMERICA LATINA : EL MERCADO DE CER - M.D.L. AL AÑO 2020

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# Variables Principales del Mercado de CER a 2020

1. Nivel de metas vinculantes de reducción de los países industrializados hasta el 2020 (Unión Europea, Japón)
2. Nivel de costos marginales de reducción internos en los países demandantes
3. Nivel de crecimiento económico en países industrializados
4. Nivel de oferta de CER de los países en desarrollo
5. Política de importación de créditos vs acción domestica en mercados demandantes de CER (UE: 50% del esfuerzo)
6. Política de exclusión por tipo de CER (HFC)

# COPENHAGEN ACCORDS

## Quantified economy-wide emissions targets for 2020

| Annex I Parties             | <i>Quantified economy-wide emissions targets for 2020</i>                                                                                |           |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
|                             | Emissions reduction in 2020                                                                                                              | Base year |
| Australia                   | 5% up to 25%                                                                                                                             | 2000      |
| Canada                      | 17%, to be aligned with the final economy-wide emissions target of the US enacted legislation.                                           | 2005      |
| Croatia                     | 5%                                                                                                                                       | 1990      |
| European Union <sup>1</sup> | 20% if no international agreement ; 30% if other developed countries make similar commitments                                            | 1990      |
| Japan                       | 25% reduction, premised on a fair and effective international framework in which all major economies participate with ambitious targets. | 1990      |
| Kazakhstan                  | 15%                                                                                                                                      | 1992      |
| New Zealand                 | Between 10 per cent and 20 per cent below 1990 levels by 2020, if there is a comprehensive global agreement.                             | 1990      |
| Norway                      | 30-40%                                                                                                                                   | 1990      |
| Russian Federation          | 15-25%                                                                                                                                   | 1990      |
| United States of America    | In the range of 17%, recognizing that the final target will be subject to enacted legislation. <sup>1</sup>                              | 2005      |



<http://unfccc.int/home/items/5264.php>

# Tendencias en la demanda por CER hacia el año 2020

- USA afuera del mercado. Senado USA no pudo consolidar legislación y mercado para controlar CO<sub>2</sub>e. Elecciones dieron mayoría a partidos anti-mercado de carbono. Demanda por CER de USA seguirá latente por muchos años.....California se posiciona.....
- Mercado Japonés vigente, son grandes compradores, prometiendo legislación para implementar un sistema de mercados para controlar CO<sub>2</sub> hacia el 2020.
- LA UNION EUROPEA : LA GRAN FUENTE DE DEMANDA POR CER DESPUES DE 2012



# UNFCCC seguirá administrando MDL y generando CERs hacia el futuro

- Con o sin acuerdos sobre nuevas metas nacionales de reducción en UNFCCC,
- UNFCCC seguirá administrando el MDL
- Seguirá desarrollando metodologías
- Seguirá emitiendo CERs



Christiana Figueres, Presidente de la Conferencia de las Partes UNFCCC

# FUENTES DE DEMANDA POR CER

Gobiernos y Empresas Reguladas del ANEXO B

Union  
Europea  
ETS y  
Gobiernos

Japón  
Empresas  
y  
Gobierno

Mercado USA –  
*Lejos todavía.....*  
*Tal vez California*

Mercado  
Canada

## CERs EMITIDOS

- Cumplimiento Sin Riesgo en Todo Anexo B
- Transables en Mercados Secundarios
- Transables entre Países Anexo B
- Ahorrables Hacia el Futuro, Cambian a EUA 1a1
- Calidad Ambiental Certificada ONU

Australia  
Gobierno.  
Empresas  
Reguladas?

# Escenarios Principales del Mercado a 2020

## A. No hay nuevo Acuerdo UNFCCC

- UNFCCC no logra acuerdo general Post-Kyoto.
- USA, Canadá, no se comprometen a metas.
- Unión Europea, Japón desarrollan metas autónomas “a solas”.
  - U.E.: 1990-20%
  - Japón: 1990 – 20%
- Unión Europea no permite importar CERs de HFC23.
- Unión Europea solo permite importar CERs de proyectos Registrados antes de Dic 2012, y de países mas pobres.

## B. Sí hay nuevo Acuerdo UNFCCC

- UNFCCC Sí logra acuerdo general Post-Kyoto.
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# Demanda de la Unión Europea 2012-2020

- Sector Regulado
- Gobiernos



# Legislación de la Unión Europea (ETS – III) regula las metas al 2020 y la cantidad de CERS que empresas pueden importar de países en desarrollo

EU DIRECTIVE Establishing a Scheme for Greenhouse Gas  
Emission Allowance Trading Within The Community **Council**  
**Directive 61/EC**

Cap 4, Art. 11<sup>a</sup>, pg 25, Num 8

*“Measures shall ensure that the overall use of  
CERs allowed does not exceed 50 % of the  
Community-wide reductions below the 2005  
levels of the existing sectors under the  
Community scheme over the period from 2008  
to 2020”.*

# Cuota de Importación de Certificados 2013-2020 U.E.

Table 5: Phase III credit import quota – existing and new sectors and gases (MtCO<sub>2</sub>e)

|                             | 2013  | 2014  | 2015  | 2016  | 2017  | 2018  | 2019  | 2020  | Phase III total |
|-----------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----------------|
| <i>2005 emissions</i>       | 2,306 | 2,306 | 2,306 | 2,306 | 2,306 | 2,306 | 2,306 | 2,306 | 18,448          |
| <i>Annual phase III cap</i> | 1,974 | 1,937 | 1,901 | 1,865 | 1,829 | 1,792 | 1,756 | 1,720 | 14,774          |
| <i>Reduction effort</i>     | 332   | 369   | 405   | 441   | 477   | 514   | 550   | 586   | 3,674           |
| <i>Import quota</i>         | 166   | 184.5 | 202.5 | 220.5 | 238.5 | 257   | 275   | 293   | 1,837           |

Source: European Commission; IDEAcarbon

# Total Cuota de Importación de Certificados, U.E., incluyendo nuevo sector de aviación

*Table 6: Phases II and III credit import quota – existing and new sectors and gases (MtCO<sub>2</sub>e)*

|                                            |       |
|--------------------------------------------|-------|
| Phase II import quota                      | 233   |
| Phase III import quota - all sectors       | 1,837 |
| Aviation import quota                      | 47.3  |
| Phase II and III total credit import quota | 2,117 |

*Source: European Commission; IDEAcarbon*

# Demanda Annual Potencial de CER 2013 - 2020

En verde: Regulación consolidada

En Amarillo: Regulación pendiente de proceso legislativo

| País                                   | Nivel de Compromiso                                                              | Demanda<br>CERS / año |
|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| EU ETS III<br>Sector Regulado          | 20%                                                                              | 162- 293 Mn           |
| Gobiernos Unión<br>Europea             | Responde por emisiones de<br>sectores no regulados (agr,<br>bosques, transporte) | 100                   |
| Japón Gobierno y<br>empresas reguladas | 25%                                                                              | 225 Mn                |
| Australia                              | Entre 5 y 25%, dependiendo en<br>voluntad de India y China                       | 20 – 100 Mn           |
| Canada                                 | Igual que USA (4% frente a 1990)                                                 | 50 Mn                 |
| EEUU                                   | 4% frente a 1990                                                                 | 200-400<br>Mn?        |



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The United Nations emissions market will break into two distinct classes as early as this year, setting up some credits for discounts of as much as 50 percent by 2016, according to analysis by Bloomberg New Energy Finance.

UN Certified Emission Reduction credits valid under the next phase of the European Union carbon market may rise to about 24 euros (\$33.40) a metric ton by 2016 from 12.92 euros today, according to a forecast by Aimie Parpia, an analyst in London at Bloomberg New Energy Finance, which provides research and data on the carbon markets. Credits banned by the bloc may be valued at about half that much at 12 euros a ton, she predicted.

The European Commission, regulator of the EU market, is expecting to publish a so-called "impact assessment" regarding offset restrictions by November. The commission is seeking to limit the use of credits from projects deemed improperly regulated or yielding excessive profits

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|         |          |                 |
|---------|----------|-----------------|
| DOW     | 11403.70 | +188.61 (1.68%) |
| S&P 500 | 1217.00  | +19.04 (1.59%)  |
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## SocGen sees EU CO2 permits 22-60 euros a tonne in 2020

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(Reuters) - The price of carbon permits under the EU's Emissions Trading Scheme (EU ETS) could range between 22 to 60 euros (\$40-\$84) a tonne in 2020, analysts at Societe Generale said on Monday.

The EU ETS caps emissions from factories and power plants in the 27-nation bloc using a quota of carbon permits called EU Allowances (EUAs).

Prices in the scheme's second phase (2013-2020) will depend on a global climate deal being signed which spurs the EU to move to a steeper 30 percent emissions reduction goal and limits on Kyoto offsets from 2013, SocGen analysts said in a research note.

The EU Commission is still mulling whether to move to a 30 percent emissions reduction target from 1990 levels by 2020 from its current 20 percent goal, which would tighten EUA supply from 2012 and thereby raise prices.

It has said the decision would depend on other countries committing to

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## United Nations Carbon Credit Prices May Rise by 42% by 2012, Barclays Says

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Prices of United Nations Certified Emission Reduction credits will increase by as much as 42 percent by 2012 as new rules reduce supplies, [Barclays Plc](#) said.

CERs under the UN's Clean Development Mechanism program may rise to about 18 euros a metric ton in two years, and to as much as 25 euros in the third phase of the European Union's carbon-trading plan starting 2013, [Trevor Sikorski](#), a London-based analyst at Barclays Capital, said yesterday. UN CERs for December fell 1.6 percent to 12.69 euros a ton yesterday on London's European Climate Exchange.

The issuance of as many as 30 million tons of CERs under the UN's Clean Development Mechanism may be delayed to next year, cutting this year's supplies by about 30 percent, [Sikorski](#) said in an interview at the Carbon Asia Forum 2010 conference in Singapore.

Prices of CERs may average 14.5 euros a ton in the first half of 2011, and 16 euros in the second half, according to a Barclays report on Oct. 21. CDM offsets are currently used for compliance in the European carbon market, the world's biggest.

The UN and the European Union said they may issue new rules on the methodology of

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## EU carbon price likely to hit Eur37/mt under EU 30% CO2 target

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The price of carbon allowances under the EU Emissions Trading System could more than double to Eur37/metric ton of CO2 equivalent by 2020 if the EU raised its target to cut its emissions by 30% from 1990 levels by then from the existing 20% target, Deutsche Bank analyst Mark Lewis said Wednesday.

He told a Platts EU emissions markets conference in Brussels that the carbon price was expected to rise to Eur30/mt by 2020 if the EU maintains its emissions reduction target at 20%.

Lewis said the impact of a deeper 30% emissions cut on the supply of EU carbon allowances is known, because the European Commission had made clear that the EU ETS cap by 2020 would drop from approximately 1.74 billion mt/yr to 1.34 billion mt/yr under the deeper cut cut.

He said any analysis of the required carbon abatement under the EU ETS had also to take into account the effects of the EU's legally binding targets to boost renewable energy to 20% of final energy use by 2020 and to increase energy efficiency by 20% by 2020.

"The more effective the targets on renewables and energy efficiency, the less abatement will have to be achieved by the EU ETS," said Lewis, Deutsche Bank's managing director of commodities research.

But in practice, the renewables and energy efficiency targets, although legally binding, lack enforcement mechanisms, and this means they may not be met in full, he added.

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# Carbon trading to rival crude markets: CCX head

Author: Pauline McCallion

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## Carbon trading set to become the biggest commodity market in the world

Carbon trading could soon become the biggest commodity market in the world, Chicago Climate Exchange (CCX) founder Richard Sandor told the Energy Risk USA conference in Houston yesterday.

Emissions are already the largest commodity type traded in Europe, Sandor said, with open interest of around 910,000 contracts compared with the second largest, Brent crude oil, which settled above 800,000 contracts (at 817,977 contracts) for the first time in January this year.

Pointing out that global open interest in emissions is second only to West Texas Intermediate crude oil, Sandor added:

"After only a couple of years, emissions trading has become the largest market in

Europe; soon it will be the largest in the world . . . These markets will expand. They are currently inefficient, but they are realistic and have great social objectives."



<http://www.risk.net/energy-risk/news/1650830/carbon-trading-rival-crude-markets-ccx-head>





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### PRECIOS ACTUALES

|          |        |           |
|----------|--------|-----------|
| CER-SPOT | €12,03 | US\$15,64 |
| EUA-SPOT | €14,05 | US\$18,26 |

A 30/jul/2010

### PRECIOS HISTÓRICOS CERs

|          |         |           |
|----------|---------|-----------|
| Promedio | € 14,43 | US\$18,76 |
| Máximo   | € 22,85 | US\$29,70 |
| Mínimo   | € 7,48  | US\$9,7   |

9/Mar/2007 a 30/jul/2010

### RELACIÓN HISTÓRICA

|             |        |
|-------------|--------|
| CERs / EUAs | 89,1 % |
|-------------|--------|

13/Mar/2009 a 30/jul/2010

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## DIRECTOR DE MERCADOS DE DEUTSCHE BANK DISCUTE PRECIOS DE CERs AL 2020



El Sr. Mark Lewis es el Director de Investigaciones de Mercados de Carbono del Deutsche Bank (DB) en París. En la entrevista realizada por el CAEMA el pasado 23 de abril de 2010, el Sr. Lewis compartió sus análisis sobre el mercado de CER a largo plazo. Elaboró sobre los cambios regulatorios esperados en la Unión Europea (UE) y como deben afectar demanda, oferta y precios de CER. El artículo que le sigue a la entrevista en este boletín presenta los pronósticos de precios del 2010 a 2020 en el mercado europeo de los grandes Fondos de Carbono y los principales analistas europeos. Estos pronósticos sirven para estimar ingresos por venta de CER al futuro, estructurar flujos de caja de proyectos MDL, y negociar ventas de CER.

### ESCENARIOS DE MERCADO DE CARBONO CON Y SIN EEUU

"No creo que el Senado de EEUU pase la ley para controlar emisiones de CO2 este año. Por eso, cabe la probabilidad de un acuerdo mundial de nuevas metas bajo el UNFCCC en Cancún. De todas maneras, habrá buen mercado por CER de 2010 a 2020. Empezando con la Unión Europea, que ya estableció sus metas de reducción al 2020 por Directiva de la Unión, los bloques económicos regionales desarrollarán sus propias iniciativas y reglas del juego, y el mercado de cada bloque tendrá que ser analizado independientemente. Tengo claro que tendremos importantes mercados y buenos precios para CERs porque los países industrializados necesitan importarlos en grandes cantidades para controlar sus costos de cumplimiento y mantener la competitividad de sus empresas. La oferta de CER es el hilo que interconecta al mercado global de carbono."

### LA UNIÓN EUROPEA APUNTA A UN AUMENTO UNILATERAL DE SU META DE REDUCCIÓN DE EMISIONES 2013-2020

"La recesión económica creó tal reducción de emisiones en las economías de la UE, que ahora será más fácil para el bloque cambiar su meta de reducción para el periodo 2013-2020 de 20% a 30%. La Comisión Económica Europea (CEE) está discutiendo seriamente el aumento con el fin de mantener la posición de liderazgo mundial de la UE ante el frente climático, lo cual es muy importante para Bruselas. Uno de los resultados de Copenhague fue que la UE salió con la sensación de que ya no era el poder político más importante en el tema del clima, a pesar de que es uno de los mayores poderes económicos. Europa quiere volver a ser el mayor poder político en la arena de cambio climático, y una manera de hacerlo, es cambiar su meta de reducciones a un 30% para el año 2020."

## POLL - EU carbon emissions, EUA price forecasts to 2020

LONDON, June 14 (Reuters) - Analysts have increased their price forecasts for carbon permits under the EU's Emissions Trading Scheme for this year and beyond on expectations of a tighter cap on emissions from 2012 and higher emissions from companies as they recover from recession.

On Friday, some Western European countries gave strong backing to deeper cuts in emissions to 30 percent below 1990 levels by 2020 from the current EU goal of 20 percent. A more ambitious emissions reduction goal would require much tighter limits on companies' emissions output from 2012.

Nine emissions analysts polled by Reuters said they expect 2010 EUA prices to average 16 euros (\$19.50) a tonne this year, up from 15.4 euros a month ago. They also raised forecasts for subsequent years of the EU ETS.

Benchmark EU Allowances (EUAs) for delivery in December were trading at around 15.85 euros a tonne on the EEX on Monday.

Nine analysts polled by Reuters estimated 2009 emissions have fallen to around 1.9 billion tonnes, meaning participants will have received a collective surplus of up to 170 million tonnes in EU permits.

The analysts predict Phase 2 (2008-2012) emissions to average 2.06 billion tonnes, resulting in an annual surplus of 50 million tonnes.

They also said the linear annual reduction in the scheme's emissions cap through Phase 3 (2013-2020) will see a shortage of around 250 million tonnes per year, and as a result EUA prices will double to average 30.6 euros per tonne.

Following is a table showing analysts' forecasts for total carbon dioxide emissions per year by companies participating in the EU scheme and averaged across the scheme's second and third phases. The table also contains surplus or shortage (long/short) estimates for EUAs, and notes whether each analyst has taken into account emissions from aviation, to be included in the scheme from 2012, or from Norway, which is not a member of the EU but has an emissions trading programme linked to the bloc's scheme.

| EUA PRICE ESTIMATES | 2010 | 2011 | 2012  | P2   | P3    |
|---------------------|------|------|-------|------|-------|
| BarCap              | 15.1 | 20   | 28    | 19.8 | 35    |
| CCER2 Commodities   | 18.5 | 24   | 30-32 | 21.8 | N/A   |
| Dalwa               | 13.3 | 13.9 | 14.4  | 15.5 | 20    |
| Deutsche Bank (1)   | 17   | +CC  | +CC   | 20   | 40-42 |
| Nomisma Energia     | 15   | 17.9 | 19.8  | 17.7 | 24    |
| Point Carbon        | 17   | 21   | 26    | 19.9 | 33    |
| Sagacarbon          | 17.5 | 20   | 25    | 19.6 | N/A   |
| SocGen/orbeo        | 15.9 | 21   | 23    | 19.1 | 30.8  |
| UniCredit           | 14.6 | 18   | 21    | 17.9 | N/A   |
| AVERAGE             | 16   | 19.5 | 23.5  | 19   | 30.6  |

\* Average emissions and allocation figures take a simple average of all the data, ignoring the inclusion/exclusion of Norway (NO)

(1) Deutsche Bank said EUA prices are likely to trend up into the 18-20 euro range by the end of 2010. Its analysts see an average Phase 2 price of around 20 euros based on the market's current dynamics, but said EUAs have a fundamental value of 30 euros this year, rising at cost of carry rate (+CC) of 4 percent annually to 48 euros in 2020.

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## Global voluntary carbon market tumbled in 2009

WASHINGTON, June 14 (Reuters) - The global voluntary carbon market tumbled last year both in value and in volume, according to a report released on Monday, as the recession and uncertainty about whether the United States would regulate greenhouse gases hurt demand.

The value of deals in the global voluntary carbon markets dropped 47 percent to \$387 million in 2009, said the report by Ecosystem Marketplace and Bloomberg New Energy Finance.

The voluntary carbon market operates outside mandatory emissions reductions schemes such as the European Union's. Many companies in voluntary carbon markets, such as the Chicago Climate Exchange (CCX), to prepare themselves for mandatory markets that might affect them in the future.

In such markets companies pledge to cut emissions of planet-warming gases. Those that reduce emissions can sell credits representing the cuts to companies who do not. Almost half the voluntary market was transacted through the CCX last year.

The average price of carbon credits in the over-the-counter market slipped about 12 percent from \$7.30 per tonne to \$6.50 per tonne, said the fourth annual report.

Volumes declined 26 percent in response to the global financial crisis as companies cut spending in corporate social responsibility and as government climate plans stalled in the United States and Australia.

The U.S. House of Representatives narrowly passed a climate bill in the middle of the year but legislation stalled in the Senate during the second half, which helped push down demand.

"The year came in like a lion but went out like a lamb," Katherine Hamilton, a managing director at Ecosystem Marketplace, said at the report's launch.

The most popular type of offset — or certified reduction in greenhouse gases that can be bought by a company — was originated by burning methane, a powerful greenhouse gas, at farms or abandoned coal mines. Forestry projects, either planting trees or managing forests, were also popular.

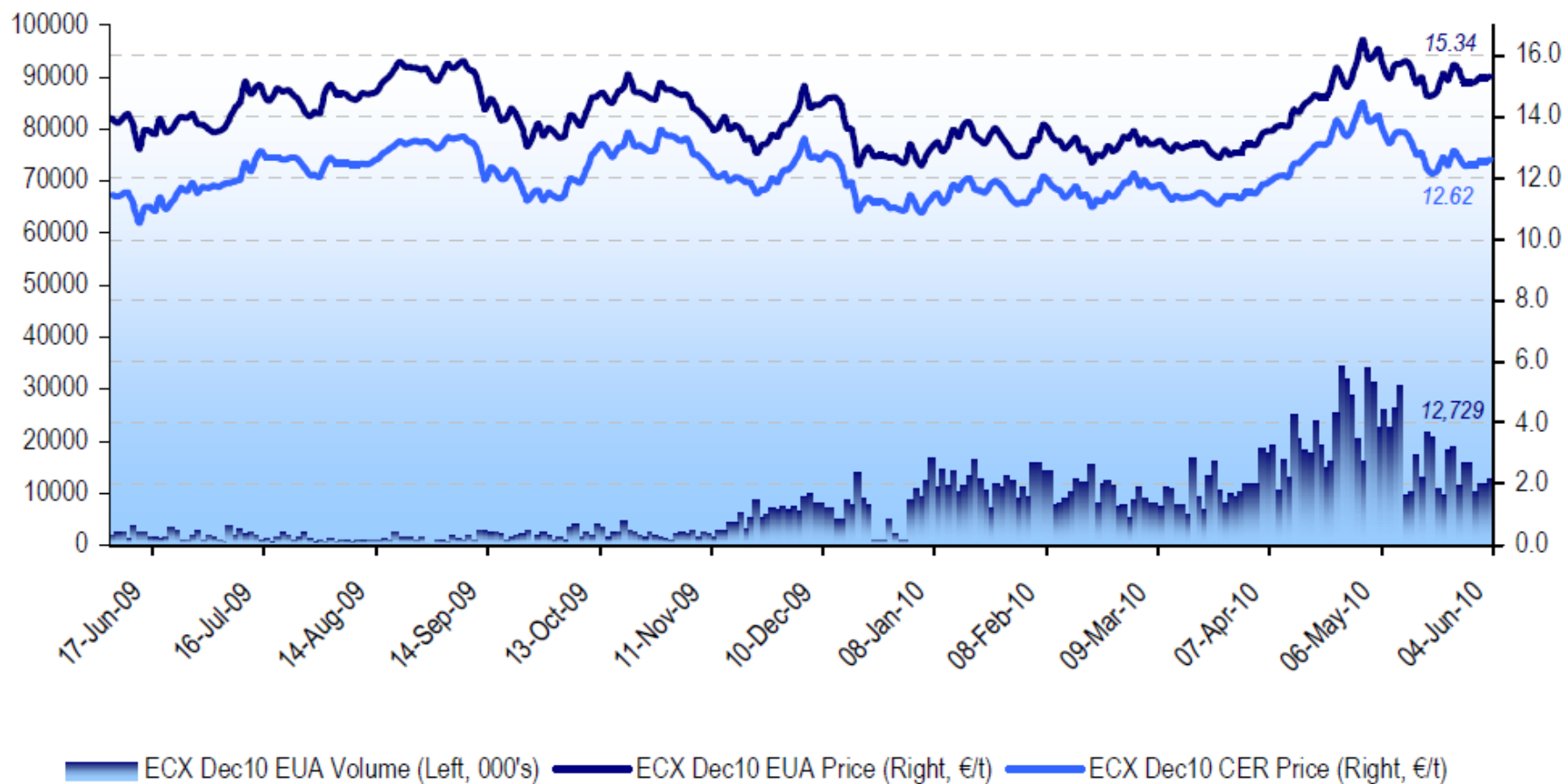
The report was based on information collected from more than 200 suppliers of offsets. It did not measure how well the voluntary deals actually cut emissions.

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# Precios CER Históricamente se transan entre el 85% y 89% de precios EUA



# Estimación precios CER a 2020, EU ETS P-III (Euros), basado en relación histórica EUA – CER Para estructurar Flujos de Caja

| PRONOSTICOS DEL MERCADO DE KYOTO<br>PRECIOS EUA, CER a 2020                                                                     |          |          |          |           |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|
|                                                                                                                                 | 2010     | 2011     | 2012 P3  | 2013-2020 |
| <b>Pronosticos Promedio EUA</b>                                                                                                 |          |          |          |           |
| <b>Modelos Experos Europeos</b>                                                                                                 | \$ 16.00 | \$ 19.50 | \$ 23.50 | \$ 30.60  |
| <b>Secondary CER (85% EUA)</b>                                                                                                  | \$ 13.60 | \$ 16.50 | \$ 20.00 | \$ 26.00  |
| <b>Primary CER</b>                                                                                                              |          |          |          |           |
| CER Post PIN, Pre PDD                                                                                                           | \$ 7.87  | \$ 9.55  | \$ 11.57 | \$ 15.04  |
| At Validation                                                                                                                   | \$ 10.40 | \$ 12.61 | \$ 15.29 | \$ 19.88  |
| Registered                                                                                                                      | \$ 11.80 | \$ 14.32 | \$ 17.36 | \$ 22.56  |
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# ESCENARIOS DE PRECIOS CER DEL CAEMA

Escenarios recomendados 2007-2012 para valorar flujos de CER en la contribución financiera del MDL a proyectos energéticos

Proyectos MDL pueden generar flujos de CER anualmente por hasta 21 años

| ESCENARIO | PRECIOS CER |
|-----------|-------------|
| ALTO      | US\$ 20     |
| MEDIO     | US\$ 15     |
| BAJO      | US\$ 10     |



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# Conclusiones

- Si no hay acuerdo UNFCCC, la Unión Europea y Japón son el mercado hacia el 2020 y el 2028
- El mercado de CERs hacia el 2020 es solido, con excelentes perspectivas de precio, pero:
- Solo Proyectos MDL que se registran antes de dic 2012 tendrán acceso al mercado europeo.
- Proyectos MDL que se registran después, no tendrán acceso al mercado (en ausencia de un acuerdo bilateral con la UE).
- Colombia tiene muchos excelentes proyectos MDL en el portafolio nacional, pero solo 7 se han implementado.
- Implementación de la mitad del portafolio podrá generar ingresos de US\$82 millones anuales hacia proyectos limpios, durante dos décadas.
- Causa principal: faltan fuentes financieras para la etapa de implementación.
- Como podemos posicionar a BANCOLDEX y la Banca Colombiana para poder financiar estos proyectos?

# Mil Gracias.

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