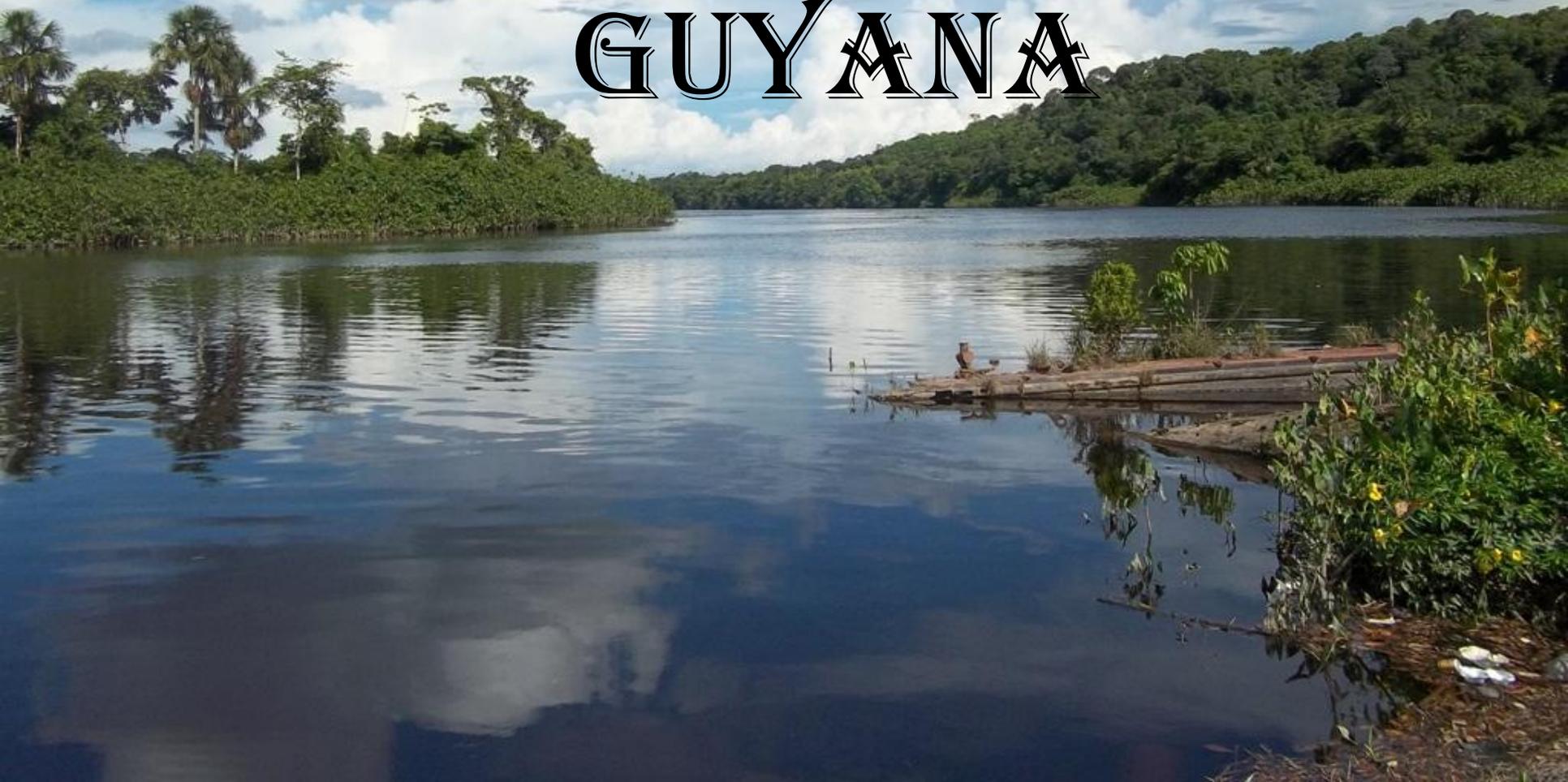




# BUILDING CONFIDENCE IN BTR GUYANA





**What were the most significant institutional/coordination challenges encountered in preparing the BTR, and how were they addressed?**

- ▣ **Small staff complement within the Department of Environmental and climate change (DECC) to coordinate capacity/activity.**
- ▣ **Private sector and their awareness of their roles within the process.**



**Which specific chapters or reporting areas (e.g., GHG inventory, tracking progress towards NDC, climate change impacts and adaptation, support needed and received) posed the greatest technical difficulties?**

- ▣ **Guyana encountered challenges within Greenhouse Gas Emission (GHG) chapter, National Determined Reporting(NDC.**





**What data collection, management systems, or tools proved most effective or challenging?**

- ▣ **Guyana found common reporting tables (CRT) of GHG most challenging because was submitted after BTR.**

■ **How did your country approach the integration of new reporting requirements under the ETF compared to previous reporting (e.g., BURs/NCs)?**

▣ **Followed requirements as set out in template:**

▣ **-Multisectoral approach**

▣ **-Guidance from International Experts**



# What strategies were used to ensure the quality and consistency of the reported information?

- ▣ Guyana followed guidance set out in IPCC 2006 guidelines and 2019 refinement.
- ▣ QC+QA procedures





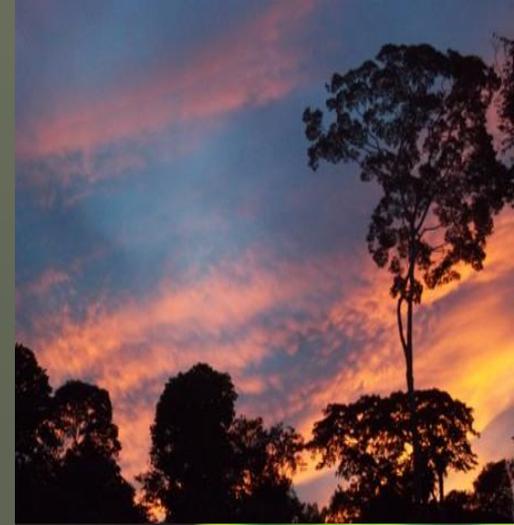
**How did you prepare for the submission process itself (e.g., familiarization with and use of the BTR reporting tools)?**

- ▣ **Compilation was a collaborative effort among agency specialist, coordinated by the Department of Environmental and Change (DECC)**
- ▣ **-Sector Experts were integrally involved and consulted from the outset, beginning with the template.**
- ▣ **-Multiple working sessions were involved**

# **What is one key piece of advice you would give to countries currently preparing their first BTR?**

## **Key piece of advice**

- ▣ **Guyana from early on was cognizant of its limitation in terms of human and technical capabilities, hence;**
- ▣ **- utilized the flexibility option offered through BTR process, whereby we complied and submitted Biennial Transparency Report (BTR), while still working on outstanding section that required more inputs.**



THANK YOU

