

Corazón Verde del Chaco REDD+ Project (Paraguay)

PES & Nature-Based Solutions · Good practice · Paraguay

Quality score: 60/100

Evidence strength: Descriptive / self-reported

Summary

Paraguay's largest REDD+ project: 32,000 ha of Gran Chaco dry forest protected under VCS+CCB Gold (Verra). Est. 5.6 Mt CO₂e avoided over 10 years. Habitat for jaguar, giant anteater, tapir, armadillo and 3,000+ plant species.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Carbon — sequestration / storage, evidenced	2/3
Biodiversity — conservation / improvement, evidenced	3/3
Water & soil — retention, infiltration, erosion control	1/3
Fire resilience — risk reduction, evidenced	1/3
Governance, certification & transferability	2/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

[C-NAPSE web research](#) — accessed 2026-06-21

[Quadriz B.V. / Ostrya Conservation / Atenil S.A.](#) — accessed 2026-06-21

[Quadriz – First VCS & CCB verification completed \(2023\)](#) — accessed 2026-06-21

[Ecologi – Protecting forests in Paraguay](#) — accessed 2026-06-21

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