

## QUALITY REPORT

# Cordillera Azul National Park REDD Project

VCS-985 · VCS · Peru

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# 5.7

Overall Score  
out of 10

■ Integrity (35%)	5.6
■ Transparency (25%)	6.5
■ Claim Safety (25%)	5.0
■ Documentation (15%)	6.0

Weights: Integrity 35% · Transparency 25% · Claim Safety 25% · Documentation 15%

## Assessment Summary

Project shows several credibility strengths (VVB-confirmed additionality, a 10% buffer deposit, documented monitoring) but also material findings and contradictions in key parameters (leakage deduction, reversal handling) that reduce confidence. Overall quality is moderate but not high; improvements and closure of corrective actions are needed to raise scores.

## Project Details

Registry	Verra (VCS)
Registry ID	VCS-985
Sector	redd
Country	Peru
Vintage	2013
Project Methodology	VM0007 1.3
Crediting Period	2008 — 2028
VVB	Aster Global Environmental Solutions Inc.
Monitoring Period	2018 — 2020
Confidence	Medium
Documents Reviewed	118 documents reviewed
Scored	2026-04-23

## Red Flags

- Reversal event (deforestation infraction) reported during the monitoring period and addressed in the report
- Contradictory leakage treatments: earlier documents indicate a 20% deduction while a later validation report/monitoring report claims a 0% leakage deduction

## Score Breakdown

### Integrity — 5.6 / 10

+ additionality confirmed by the VVB (monitoring report, 2022-07-11)

- reported reversal event and multiple corrective action requests (monitoring report material findings and corrective actions)

Additionality is confirmed by the independent verifier in the monitoring report (VVB: Aster Global) and the project uses the VM0007 methodology with a baseline last reassessed in 2020, which supports baseline validity. However, a reversal (deforestation infraction) was reported during the monitoring period and the record contains several corrective action requests and material findings (multiple CARs and CLs), which reduce confidence in robustness and permanence. Contradictory leakage treatments (0% vs 20%) further weaken integrity because they affect net credited removals.

### Transparency — 6.5 / 10

+ VVB named (Aster Global) and monitoring period provided (monitoring report, 2018–2020); many source documents available (validation, PDD, monitoring, issuance)

~ uncertain: key numeric fields (total emissions claimed/verified, FNRB value) not stated in extracted record

The verification and monitoring documentation is available and the VVB is identified; monitoring period is specified (2018-08-08 to 2020-12-31) and the monitoring report is recent (2022). Many documents were used (50) and extraction confidence is high, which supports transparency. Nonetheless, several key quantitative fields are missing from the extracted record (total emissions claimed/verified, FNRB, grid emission factors), limiting external auditability.

### Claim Safety — 5.0 / 10

+ 10% AFOLU buffer pool deposit reported (monitoring report)

- inconsistent leakage treatment across documents (PDD shows 20% leakage deduction; later validation/monitoring reports show 0%)

There is a 10% AFOLU pooled buffer reported, which mitigates some reversal risk, but an actual reversal event was detected in this period and the project required corrective actions. Leakage justification is listed as quantified in the latest monitoring report, but older project documents and the PDD report a 20% leakage deduction; the inconsistency raises over-crediting risk. CCP/CORSIA double-claim risk cannot be fully assessed because CORSIA eligibility is not stated.

### Documentation — 6.0 / 10

+ extensive document set used (n\_docs\_used = 50; evidence includes validation, PDD, monitoring, issuance) and high extraction confidence

- multiple CARs and corrective actions remain in the record, indicating outstanding issues to resolve

Documentation coverage is broad (validation report, PDD, monitoring report, issuance) and extraction confidence is high, with a large number of underlying documents. The monitoring report is from 2022 and baseline reassessment occurred in 2020, which is relatively recent. However, the verification record includes several CARs and a list of corrective actions that must be closed; presence of outstanding CARs reduces the documentation score.

## Risk Indicators

● <b>Additionality</b>	VVB-confirmed
● <b>Permanence</b>	buffer present, reversal reported
● <b>Leakage</b>	inconsistent treatment
● <b>Baseline</b>	project-specific baseline
● <b>Safeguards</b>	FPIC and grievance present
● <b>Double-claim</b>	CORSIA/CCP status unclear

## What Would Improve This Score

→ Resolve all outstanding corrective actions/CARs and publish the verifier's closure statements

→ Fully reconcile and publicly document leakage treatment history (explain 20% → 0% change) and publish verified emissions claimed and verified totals

## Documents Reviewed

- PP\_ISS\_REP\_985\_08AUG2012\_07AUG2014.PDF
- PP\_ISS\_REG\_985\_08AUG2008\_047AUG2012.pdf
- PD\_Appendix\_3\_PNCAZ\_NonPermanenceRiskReport.pdf
- PRR\_985\_V1\_Aster Global Responses.docx
- PP\_ISS\_REP\_985\_08AUG2014\_07AUG2015.pdf
- PP\_ISS\_REP\_985\_08AUG2016\_07AUG2018.pdf
- VCS-Issuance-Representation-Single-Representor-v4.1 22062021.pdf
- PP\_ISS\_REP\_985\_8AUG2015\_7AUG2016.pdf
- CCB\_MON\_REP\_SUM\_ESP\_985\_8AUG2015\_7AUG2016.pdf
- CCB\_MON\_REP\_ENG\_985\_8AUG2015\_7AUG2016.pdf
- MONIT\_REP\_985\_08AUG2016\_07AUG2018.pdf
- MONIT\_REP\_985\_8AUG2015\_7AUG2016.pdf
- MONIT\_REP\_985\_08AUG2012\_07AUG2014.pdf
- CIMA-2020-Monitoring Report Summary\_02.07.2021.pdf
- MONIT\_REP\_985\_08AUG2008\_07AUG2012.pdf
- 2012ClimateMonitoringReport.pdf
- MONIT\_REP\_985\_08AUG2014\_07AUG2015.pdf
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- CCB\_MONIT\_REP\_ENG\_985\_08AUG2016\_07AUG2018.pdf
- CIMA-2020-Monitoring Report\_23.09.2021\_clean.pdf
- PNCAZ\_2020\_ProjectArea.kml
- PD\_Appendix\_1\_20120816\_CV\_LRO\_english.doc
- PD\_Appendix\_1\_CV\_Jorge\_Aliaga.doc
- PD\_Appendix\_1\_CV\_Jorge\_Martinez.doc
- PD\_Appendix\_1\_Debra\_Moskovits.doc
- PD\_Appendix\_1\_Shoch\_CV.doc
- PD\_Appendix\_3\_PNCAZ\_Non-Permanence\_Risk\_Report.doc
- PD\_Appendix\_2\_Table\_of\_Important\_Species.xls
- PD\_Appendix\_6\_CIMA\_GIS\_Dataset.xls
- PD\_Appendix\_8\_PNCAZ\_inventory\_analysis\_revNov2012.xls
- 3.b. PNCAZ inventory analysis revNov2012.xls
- PD\_Appendix\_3\_Shoch\_CV.pdf
- PD\_Appendix\_4\_metodologia\_(R).docx
- Extension Request\_CIMA\_0985\_Approval 24 Oct.pdf
- CCB\_VALID\_STA\_985\_19FEB2013.pdf
- VCS-Non-Permanence-Risk-Report-CIMA-PNCAZ-REDD-proj\_v4.1\_rev23Jun2022.docx
- PD\_Appendix\_1\_CV\_Debra\_Moskovits.pdf
- PD\_Appendix\_9\_PNCAZ\_analysis\_revNov2012.pdf
- 985\_PRR\_ISS5\_28JAN20109.pdf
- PD\_Appendix\_9\_PNCAZ\_analysis\_revNov2012.xlsx
- CCB\_PROJ\_DESC\_985\_20DEC2012.pdf
- CCB\_VERIF\_STA\_985\_08AUG2008\_07AUG2012.pdf
- PD\_Appendix\_1\_CV\_Tatiana\_Pequeño.docx
- PD\_Appendix\_4\_metodologia\_(R).pdf
- AFOLU\_PROJ\_ELEM\_985\_8AUG2015\_7AUG2016.pdf
- PD\_Appendix\_1\_CV\_Patricia\_Fernandez\_Davila.pdf
- IV4\_985\_28AUG2018.pdf

- PD\_Appendix\_2\_Table\_of\_Important\_Species.pdf
- 3.a. MonitoringWorkbook2021\_02\_09.xlsx
- PD\_Appendix\_10\_SecondaryStakeholderCommunicationPlan.pdf
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- Cordillera+Azul+CCB+verif+statement+14.pdf
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- PD\_Appendix\_4\_ptos\_validacion2003.pdf
- PD\_Appendix\_3\_WGlanalysis.xlsx
- PP\_REG\_REP\_985\_19FEB2013.pdf
- PD\_Appendix\_5\_Masked\_Area\_Justifications.pdf
- PD\_Appendix\_1\_CV\_Patricia\_Fernandez-Davila.docx
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- PD\_Appendix\_1\_CV\_Cinthia\_Mongylardi.pdf
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- 3.c. PNCAZ forest biomass inventory 2009 revNov2012.docx
- AFOLU\_PROJ\_ELEM\_985\_08AUG2016\_07AUG2018.pdf
- PD\_Appendix\_7\_Planned\_Road\_Legal\_Publication.pdf
- PD\_Appendix\_3\_Magerkurth2012Resume.pdf
- PD\_Appendix\_8\_PNCAZ\_validation\_Chave\_eq.pdf
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- PD\_Appendix\_10\_SecondaryStakeholderCommunicationPlan.docx
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- PD\_Appendix\_6\_CIMA\_GIS\_Dataset.pdf
- R\_I\_PRR\_985\_05MAY2014.pdf
- COMMUNICATION AGREEMENT EXECUTED.pdf
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