



**Approved baseline and monitoring methodology /
methodological tool clarification response form
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Fast track or Regular track:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fast track <input type="checkbox"/> Regular track
Summary of the request for clarification	
<p>Original text from Stakeholder:</p> <p>In the website (https://cdm.unfccc.int/DOE/scopes.html#11), the AMS III R belongs to scope 15 Agriculture, but in the Standard Applicability of Sectoral scopes (version 01.1), the AMS III R belongs to scope 13 Waste handling and disposal. Could you please check which scope dose AMS III R belong to?</p> <p>Since the qualification of CCSC has scope 13 but does not have scope 15, we wonder whether CCSC can audit the rural householding biogas projects?</p>	
Clarification by the secretariat or Panel / WG	
<p>The secretariat would like to thank the stakeholder for submission of the query. The secretariat clarifies that the reclassified sectoral scopes of the methodologies that were approved before 11 March 2016 are contained in the appendix of the "Standard: Applicability of sectoral scope", version 1. Further, as per paragraph 14 of the above-mentioned standard, DOEs shall be accredited to the mandatory sectoral scope 13 (waste) and conditional sectoral scope 1 (energy industries) to assess a project or a programme of activity applying the methodology AMS-III.R.</p>	
Version(s) of the approved methodology / methodological tool to which the clarification is applicable:	
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01.0	4 July 2013	<p>Initial publication. This document supersedes and replaces the following documents:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Recommendation Form for Small Scale Methodologies (F-CDM-SSCwg) (Version 01.1)• Recommendation Form for Small Scale A/R Methodologies and Procedures (F-CDM-SSC-AR) (Version 01.1)
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