



CDM: Recommendation Form for Small Scale Methodologies (version 01)
(To be used for presenting questions/proposals/amendments to the simplified methodologies for small-scale CDM project activity categories)

<i>Date of SSC WG meeting:</i>	11–14 October 2011, SSC WG 34
<i>Title/Subject (give a small title or specify the subject of your submission, maximum 200 characters):</i>	Clarification on monitoring requirements for stove efficiency for a project activity utilizing Kitchen Performance Test
<i>Indicative methodology to which your submission relates (refer the items of Appendix B of the Simplified Modalities and Procedures), if applicable.</i>	AMS-II.G “Energy efficiency measures in thermal applications of non-renewable biomass”
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Summary of the query:

Please use the space below to summarize the query related to SSC methodologies/categories SSC Modalities and Procedures provide recommendation/analysis of the SSC WG.

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The Project Participants are developing an efficient wood stove project and plan to use the Kitchen Performance Test (KPT) to determine the annual quantity of woody biomass used during the project activity, $B_{y,new}$ (i.e. paragraph 6, Option 1).

The monitoring plan for this project will ensure that the fuel consumption during the period of the project activity is monitored at least annually using the KPT, as required by paragraph 17. The KPT measures woody biomass use during the project activity directly, and includes the effect of any changes in the thermal efficiency of the appliances during the project activity.

Paragraph 15 states that:

Monitoring shall consist of checking the efficiency of all appliances or a representative sample thereof, at least once every two years (biennial) to ensure that they are still operating at the specified efficiency () or replaced by an equivalent in service appliance. Where replacements are made, monitoring shall also ensure that the efficiency of the new appliances is similar to the appliances being replaced.

As the thermal efficiency of the appliances will not be used to determine the quantity of woody biomass used in the project activity, the Project Participants are seeking to determine if paragraph 15 still applies if paragraph 6, Option 1 is chosen?

Recommendation by the SSC WG:

Please use the space below to provide amendments/change (in your expert view, if necessary).

Please refer to paragraph 27 of the meeting report of the SSC WG 34
http://cdm.unfccc.int/Panels/ssc_wg.

Answer to authors of query by the SSC WG:

Please use the space below to provide answer to the authors of the above query.

The small-scale working group of the CDM Executive Board would like to thank the author for the submission.

The SSC WG agreed to clarify that for project activities using Kitchen Performance Test protocol as per paragraph 6 option 1 of AMS-II.G version 3, the requirement in paragraph 15 of the methodology, i.e. checking the efficiency of all appliances or a representative sample thereof, at least once every two years (biennially) is not applicable, whereas the requirement specified in paragraph 17 of the methodology is applicable, i.e. monitoring shall ensure that fuel consumption during the crediting period of the project activity is monitored annually. This clarification will be taken into account for recommendation of revision of AMS-II.G in future.

Signed by the Chair, Ms. Fatou Gaye

Date: 14/10/2011

Signed by the Vice-Chair, Mr. Peer Stiansen

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