



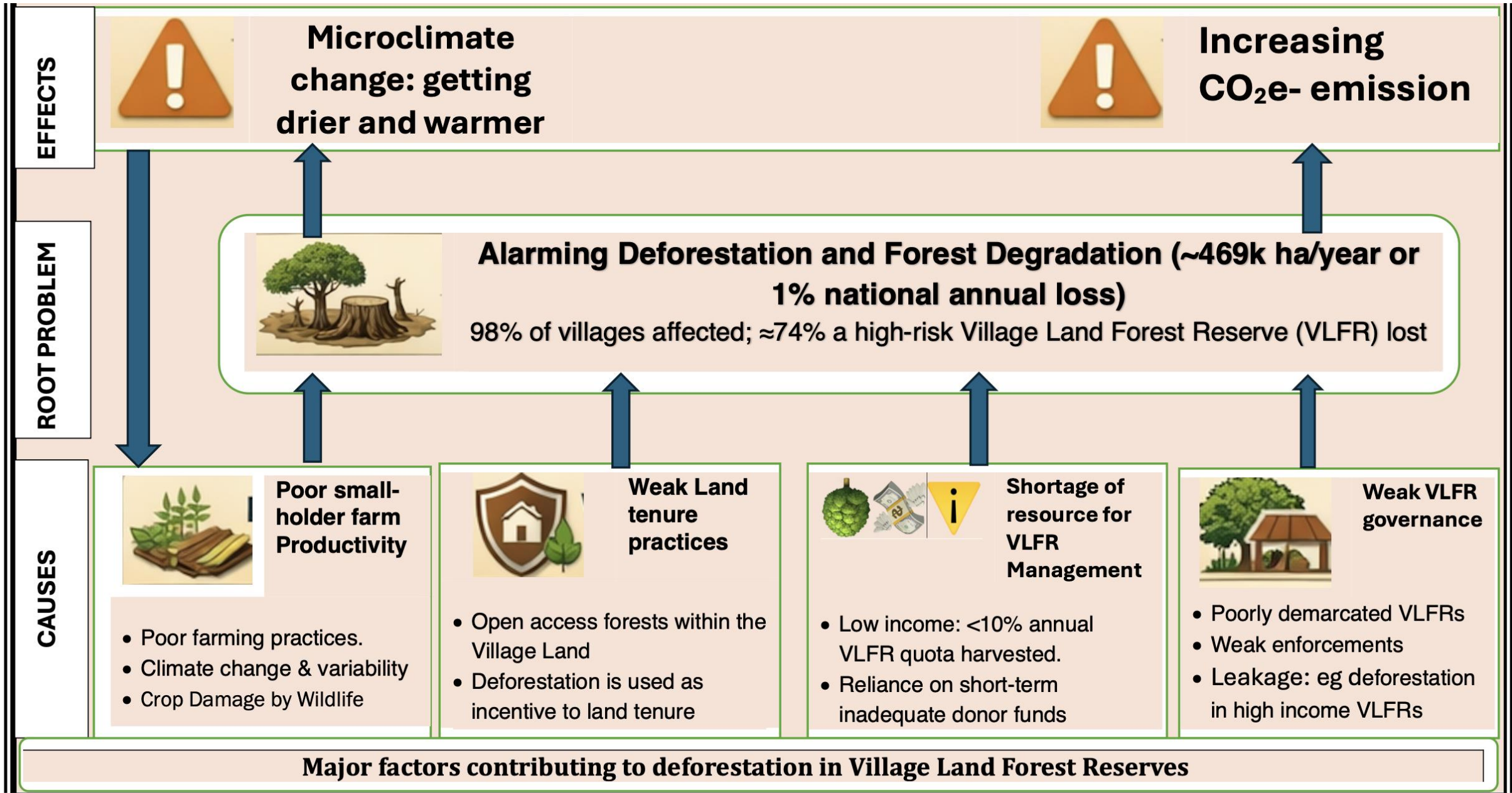
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VILLAGE CLIMATE SOLUTIONS LTD

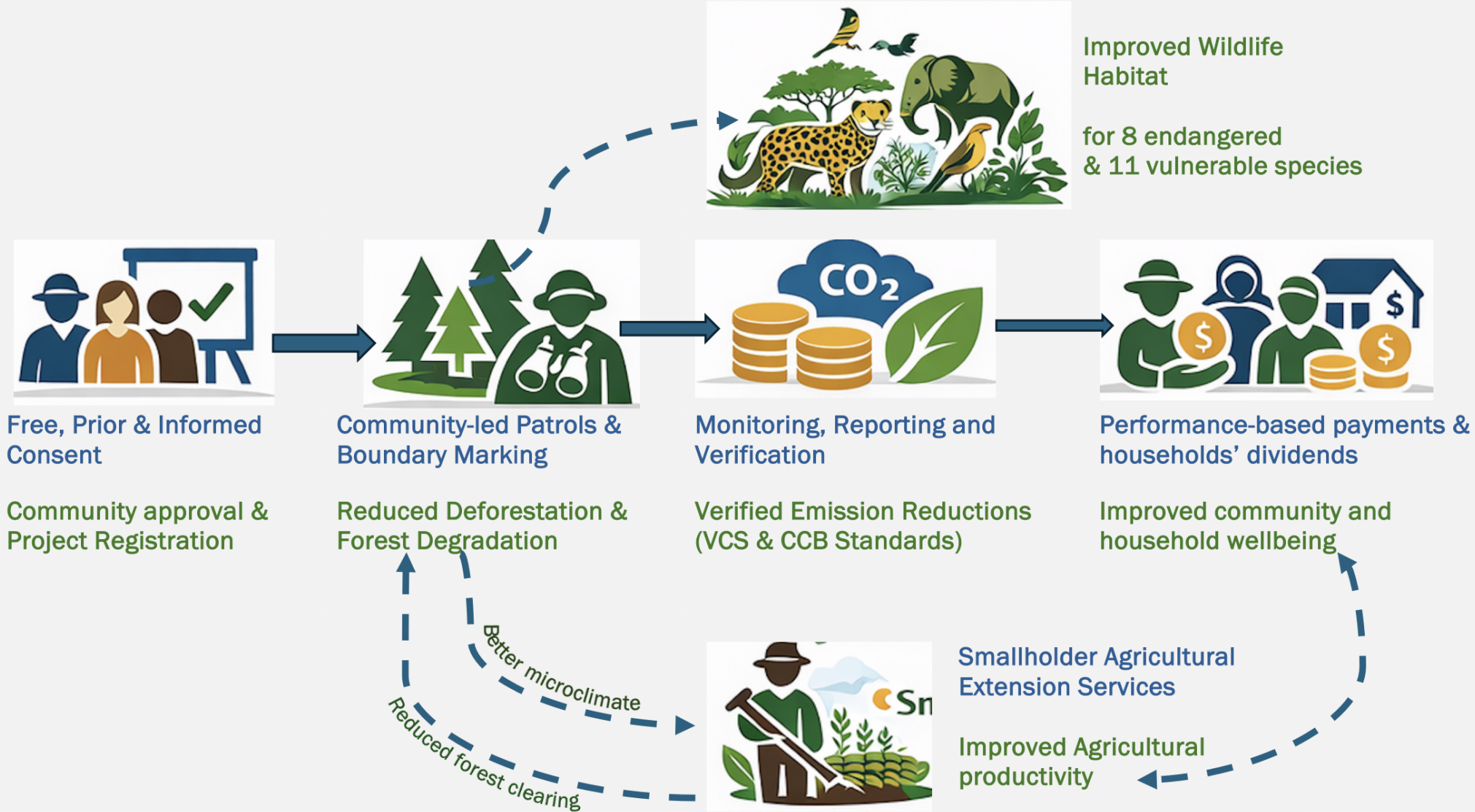
Village Climate Solutions Project (VCSP)

*REDD+: Delivering high-integrity
(VM0048 aligned) Mitigation
Outcomes under VCS and CCB
standards*

The issue: Without integrated solutions aligning community income, tenure security, & forest protection, Deforestation continues threatening livelihoods, biodiversity & climate.



VCSL Model for Climate, Community & Biodiversity Outcomes



Empowering Villages to Protect Forests, Improved Agricultural productivity, Enhance Wildlife Habitat & Earn Carbon Revenue

Village Climate Solutions Project: "Our forests, our life, our planet"

Where we work?

Lindi & Morogoro
Regions

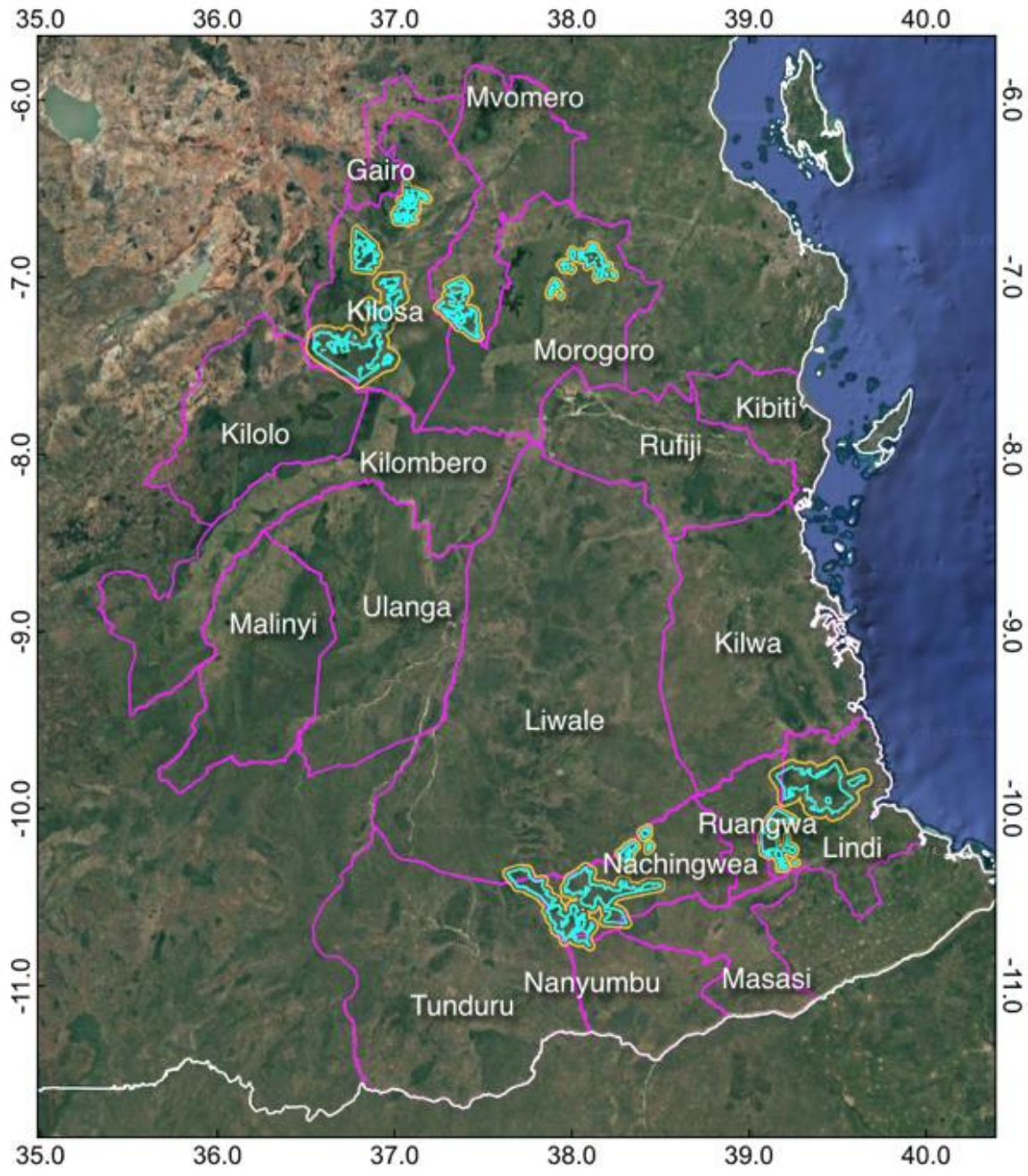
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Local Authority
Forest Reserves

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Communities;

Village Land
Forest Reserves



-  Leakage Belt
-  Project Area
-  Tanzania
-  District in Reference Region

Google Satellite

Datum: WGS84
Proj: Lat/Lon

Projected Climate, Community, Biodiversity impact (40 years)

Climate

- ❖ Avoided Deforestation: 108,197 ha
- ❖ Emission reduction: 21 m tCO₂e-
- ❖ Better Microclimate
- ❖ Improved Agricultural productivity

Biodiversity

- ❖ 614,000 ha of forest under protection.
- ❖ 14 High conservation value (HCV) habitats under protection.
- ❖ Saving 8 endangered.
- ❖ Saving 11 vulnerable species.

Community

❖ Performance based payments

Grounded on opportunity cost ((\$4.10 per credit) ≈ \$3.1 million per year

Additional income stream: 86% net benefit

❖ Community expenditure

Household dividends

Priority projects: Improved health, education & water infrastructure

❖ **Beneficiaries:** 145,609 people, 76,232 female

❖ **Other benefits:** Community employment, and provision of Forestry and farm extension,

Cumulative Climate, Community, Biodiversity impact by June 2025

Climate

- ❖ 9,073 ha avoided deforestation
- ❖ 1.2 m tCO₂e- Cumulative
- ❖ 0.2 m tCO₂e- buffer
- ❖ 1 m tCO₂e- treadable

Biodiversity

- ❖ ≈80.7% avoided deforestation in 14 HCV

Community

- ❖ \$0.45 m community Income:
 - 13% Community Projects
 - 40% household Dividends
 - 47% Community employment
- ❖ 4,218 people trained; 1,072 women
- ❖ 523 people Employed; 62 women
- ❖ Education: 3,581 students; 1,826 girls



**VCSP: Natural Forests for our
biodiversity, communities and the
planet**

