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Activity data	Section 4.1.1	Chapter 3d	Criterion 14	No guidance	Footnote 1	Sections 3.12.16-19	Sections 3.12.16-19	Sections 3.12.16-19	Decision 4/CP.15, para. 1
Authority	Annex A	No guidance	Criterion 36	Para. 6.d, 22d	Footnote 1	Section 3.6	Section 3.6	Section 3.6	Decision 10/CP.19
C pools & GHGs	Section 4.5	Chapter 2	Criterion 4	Scorecard 2a (ix)	Footnote 1	Sections 3.10.1-4	Sections 3.10.1-6	Sections 3.10.1-4	Decisions 12/CP.17, 13/CP.19
Carbon Rights & Transfer	Annex A	Chapter 3b	Criterion 28	Para. 15	Footnote 1	Section 3.6	Section 3.6	Section 3.6	Decision 1/CP.16, Annex I, para. 2c
Consistency of Methods	Section 4.1.1	Chapter 4	Section 3.3	Scorecard 2a (i), (vi), 2b (iv)	Footnote 1	Section 3.12.5	Section 3.12.5	Section 3.12.5	Decisions 11/CP.19, 13/CP.19, Annex I, para. 2a, 14/CP.19
Crediting & Vintage	Sections 2.3, 3.7	Chapters 5, 6	Criteria 11, 13	Scorecard 2a (xiii), para. 9	Footnote 1	Sections 3.3.2, 3.4	Sections 3.3, 3.4, 3.12	Sections 3.3, 3.4, 3.12	No decisions
Discounts	Sections 7.1.1, 7.2.1, 8	Chapters 8d, 11.3	Criterion 21, Section 3.7	No guidance	Footnote 1	Sections 3.15, 3.16, 3.17	Sections 3.15, 3.16, 3.17	Sections 3.15, 3.16, 3.17	No decisions
Emission Factors	Sections 4.1.2, 4.1.3	Chapter 3d.2	Criterion 14	No guidance	Footnote 1	Sections 3.12.20-28	Sections 3.12.20-28	Sections 3.12.20-28	Decision 4/CP.15, para. 1
Environmental Integrity	Section 13.1	Chapter 3g	Criterion 23	Para. 15	Footnote 1	Section 3.7	Section 3.7	Section 3.7	Decision 1/CP.16, Appendix I, para 1d
Forest Definition	Section 3.4	Chapter 1.2	Criterion 12	Scorecard 2a (i)	Footnote 1	Section 3.9.3	Section 3.9.3	Section 3.9.3	Decisions 12/CP.17, Annex (d), 13/CP.19, Annex (g)
GHG Reporting	Section 2.2	Chapter 8	Criterion 14	Scorecard 2a (xi)	Footnote 1	Section 3.14	Section 3.14	Section 3.13	Decision 14/CP.19
Grievance Redress	Section 12.5.2	Chapter 10c	Criterion 26	Para 18 (c) (iii)	Footnote 1	Section 3.8.2	Section 3.8.5	Section 3.8.5	No guidance

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<b>HFLD</b>	Section 5.2	No guidance	Criterion 13	Scorecard 2a (ii)	Footnote 1	No guidance	No guidance	No guidance	Decision 4/CP.15, para. 7
<b>Institutional Arrangements</b>	Section 12	Chapter 3e	ER-PD template	No guidance	Footnote 1	Section 3.1.3	Section 3.1.3	Section 3.1.3	Decisions 1/CP.16, para. 78, 10/CP.19
<b>IPCC guidance &amp; guidelines</b>	Section 4	Chapter 8c	Criterion 5	Scorecard 2a (xi), 2b (i)	Footnote 1	Section 3.1.1	Sections 3.1.1, 3.16.7	Sections 3.1.1, 3.15.7	Decision 4/CP.15, para. 1c
<b>Leakage or displacement</b>	Section 7.2	Chapter 7	Criterion 17	Scorecard 3a (vii)	Footnote 1	Section 3.15	Section 3.16	Section 3.15	Decisions 1/CP.16, 71c and Annex I
<b>Monitoring</b>	Section 6	Chapter 8b	Criterion 15	Para. 22(a) (vi)	Footnote 1	Section 3.14	Section 3.14	Section 3.13	Decision 11/CP.19
<b>NDC</b>	Section 3.1.2	No guidance	No guidance	Para. 14	Footnote 1	No guidance	No guidance	No guidance	No guidance
<b>Nesting</b>	Section 3.1	Chapter 15	Criterion 37.2-3	No guidance	Footnote 1	Section 1	Section 1	Section 1	No guidance
<b>Non-carbon benefits</b>	Section 12.5	Attachment 3	Criterion 34	Para. 26, Scorecard 3, 3b	Footnote 1	No guidance	No guidance	No guidance	Decision 1/CP.16, Appendix I, para 2e
<b>Non-permanence</b>	Section 7.1	Chapter 11	Criterion 18	Scorecard 3a (vi)	Footnote 1	Section 3.17	Section 3.17	Section 3.16	Decision 1/CP.16, Appendix I, para 2f
<b>Publicly accessible information</b>	Section 15.2	Chapter 3i	Criteria 6, 24.2, 28, 30.1, 35.2	Para. 6 (a)	Footnote 1	Section 3.2.2	Section 3.2.2	Section 3.2.2	Decision 9/CP.19, para. 11
<b>REDD+ activities</b>	Section 3.2	Chapter 2	Criterion 3	Scorecard 2a (ii)	Footnote 1	Section 3.9	Section 3.9	Section 3.9	Decision 1/CP.16, para. 70
<b>REDD+ strategy or action plan</b>	Section 12.5	Chapter 3a	Criterion 1	Para. 14, 16, Scorecard 1 (i)	Footnote 1	Section 3.1.2	Section 3.1.2	Section 3.1.2	Decision 1/CP.16, para. 71a
<b>Reference level(s)</b>	Section 5	Chapter 4	Criterion 11	Scorecard 2a	Footnote 1	Sections 3.4, 3.5	Section 3.12	Section 3.12	Decisions 1/CP.16, para.

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									71b, 12/CP.17, 13/CP.19
<b>Registry</b>	Section 15.1	Chapter 13	Criterion 38	Para. 15	Footnote 1	No guidance	Section 3.7	Section 3.7	Decision 9/CP.19, para. 11
<b>Safeguards</b>	Section 12.1	Chapter 10	Criteria 24, 25	Para. 6 (a) (iv), 14, Section 3.9	Footnote 1	Section 3.8	Section 3.8	Section 3.8	Decision 12/CP.17, Appendix I sub
<b>Scale or geographical coverage</b>	Section 3.1	Chapter 2	Criterion 2	Para. 16	Footnote 1	Section 3.5	Section 3.5	Section 3.5	Decision 1/CP.16, para 71b, 12/CP.17, para. 11, 11/CP.19, para. 2
<b>Uncertainty assessment</b>	Section 8	Chapter 3f	Criterion 7	Scorecard 2a (xv), 2b (vii)	Footnote 1	Section 3.15	Section 3.15	Section 3.14	Decision 4/CP.15, para. 1d(ii), 12/CP.17, annex, 13/CP.19, annex, 14/CP.19, annex
<b>Use of proceeds</b>	Section 12.4	Chapter 10b	Criterion 30	Para. 14	Footnote 1	No guidance	Section 3.8.7	No guidance	No guidance
<b>Verification</b>	Section 14.2	Chapter 9	No guidance	Para. 20	Footnote 1	Section 4.2	Section 4.2	Section 4.2	Decisions 13/CP.19, 14/CP.19

Footnote 1: The host government and the government of Japan establish a Joint Committee to approve methodologies and agree on rules of implementation.