

Tridom ABM

Exploring the impacts of biodiversity-offsetting schemes for mining operations in the Tridom Landscape, Congo Basin with Agent Based Modelling

ABSTRACT

To explore the potential of biodiversity offsetting schemes to mitigate the detrimental effects of mining projects in the TRIDOM, one of the keystone landscapes of the Congo Basin. We expect to produce a model that will be allow stakeholders to explore far reaching and potentially surprising outcomes of their decisions and management strategies.

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