1. Has land health been evaluated to plan LDN achievement by 2030?

2. Have target areas for LDN interventions been identified?

3. Conduct land health evaluation using best available data and expert input

4. Identify target areas for avoiding, reducing, or reversing land degradation

5. Have potential SLM options been identified?

6. Use existing database resources (e.g. WOCAT), local expertise, traditional knowledge, etc. to identify potential SLM options

7. Do you know if tracking SOC is necessary to verify LDN achievement with the potential SLM options being considered?

8. Follow Decision Tree 4 to identify potential SLM options where tracking SOC is necessary to verify LDN achievement

9. Is either of the following true for potential SLM options: 1) tracking SOC is necessary to verify LDN achievement or 2) tracking SOC change is important for other reasons (e.g. carbon crediting)?

10. Investment in SOC monitoring is not a priority. Select potential SLM options, implement SLM intervention, and monitor based on other LDN metrics, unless resources are available for SOC monitoring

11. Investment in SOC monitoring is recommended. To select a potential SLM option, is it also necessary to compare their potential impacts on SOC?

12. Select potential SLM option and implement SLM interventions. Monitor SOC using Decision Tree 2

13. Investment in comparative SOC assessment of potential SLM options is recommended using Decision Tree 3. Use results to select potential SLM option and implement SLM intervention. Monitor SOC using Decision Tree 2

14. Use SOC monitoring of SLM intervention to support assessment of LDN achievement in 2030

Ultimate goal