



EM Global Carbon Survey Radical Transparency for the Voluntary Carbon Markets

North American Carbon World 2021

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### The New EM Global Carbon Hub

### 60 Minutes Q&A and Open Discussion Throughout

- 1. Welcome & Introductions
- 2. Buyers Report Key Findings, Regional Euro & North America
- 3. Q&A
- 4. Speakers Roundtable <u>How much does a carbon offset cost?</u>
- 5. Overview of the EM Global Carbon Hub
- 6. Q&A and General Discussion

### EM Global Carbon Survey: Who & What's Covered

Market Role	Contract Structure	Prices & Volumes
Project Developers	Spot	Core Carbon Principles
Investors	Forward	Additional Attributes
Intermediaries (e.g.	Futures	Buyers / Demand
Retailers, Brokers)	Options	Insetting

### Global

**Africa** Asia Europe LatAm & Carib **North America** Oceania

Speaker: Donofrio

### **Transaction Mechanism**

**Over the Counter (OTC) Online Platform** Retail **Point of Sale** Exchange

Ecosystem Marketplace

**Sentiments** 

**Perceptions Motivations Market Confidence** Forecasting

## Buyers of Voluntary Carbon Offsets, a Regional Analysis

This third and final installment of Ecosystem Marketplace's State of the Voluntary Carbon Markets (SOVCM) 2020 report offers insights into key trends and developments related to European & North American buyers of voluntary carbon offsets, based upon aggregated and anonymized EM Global Carbon Survey Respondent 2019 calendar year data and interviews.

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## Buyers of Voluntary Carbon Offsets, a Regional Analysis

### EM Data on Buyers of Carbon Offsets

EM has long tracked the buyers of carbon offsets directly from a global network of hundreds of market participants reporting tens of thousands of current, historical, and future offset transactions through the EM Global Carbon Survey. This uniquely positions EM to be able to determine how demand-side preferences are reflected in prices, volumes, and the variety of core carbon and additional attributes that includes project location, project category & type, vintage, seller type, seller location, primary vs secondary market, buyer type, buyer location, contract delivery structure (e.g., spot, futures), standard, co-benefits, among others.

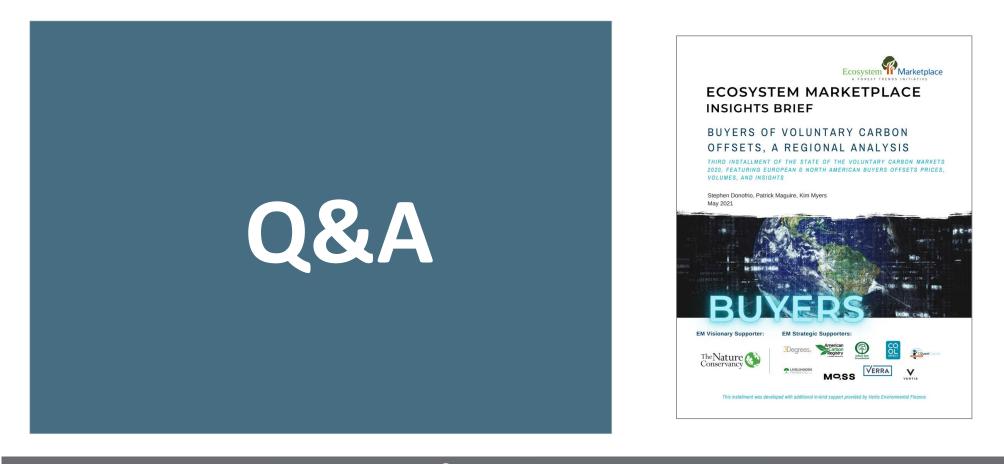
Important updates for the 2021 EM survey: New questions have been added to enable greater transparency of transactions, particularly for end buyers of carbon offsets, to also track use of offsets to meet specific voluntary commitments (e.g., net zero, carbon neutrality), the buyer's organization name, among other metrics.

Contact us at carbonsurvey@ecosystemmarketplace.com if you have specific data requests.

## In 2019, 63% of Buyers of Voluntary Carbon Offsets were European

	Volume	Price	Value	
Europe	23,493,210	\$3.32	\$78.1M	Table 1. European &
North America	12,184,861	\$3.29	\$40.1M	North American Buyers' Share of
Rest of World	1,652,234	\$4.78	\$7.9M	2019 Voluntary Offset Purchases

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## Speakers Roundtable

# How much does a carbon offset cost?

## 2021 EM Global Carbon Survey Upgrades and New Processes

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## Upgrades to the EM Global Carbon Survey: Why?

Accommodate a growing market and number of EM Respondents

Increase efficiencies to manage reporting burden

<u>Flexible</u> reporting cycle for daily, monthly, quarterly, annual, bi-annual.

Automation and API database linking

Tailoring questions for specific respondents based on market role, project types, markets engaged with (e.g. CORSIA), other

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### **Timeline for 2021**

### • Deadline

- May 31st Deadline for Inclusion in 1st 2021 State of the Voluntary Carbon Markets report installments
- Additional deadlines to be announced, however, reporting frequency is determined by each respondent.

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### **Timeline for 2021**

- When will the 2021 EM Global Carbon Survey be launched and what time period does it cover?
  - The 2021 survey when first launched in April will cover Calendar Year 2020 and YTD 2021.
  - Throughout the year, organizations will be prompted to update their organization's EM Global Carbon Survey profile with new transactions and deliveries.
  - Respondents will be able to access and update previous responses.

### **Completeness and Confidentiality**

- I can't answer everything, are partial responses OK?
  - Yes, organizations can respond with as little or as much information as is available and possible.
- Due to confidentiality issues, I cannot share individual transaction details, is aggregate data OK?
  - EM understands the importance of keeping individual respondent data confidential and will furnish it in an anonymized & aggregated format.
  - Respondents are encouraged to provide information on individual transactions, however in some cases this is not possible, so respondents do have the option to roll up individual transactions.

### **Functionalities of the new online survey platform:**

- Save before submitting?
  - Yes, you'll be able to access and save throughout.
- We have multiple people at my organization that will be completing various pieces of the survey, can we all access the same online survey profile?
  - Yes, this is possible however we encourage respondents to be cautious so as to not overwrite each other if logged in at the same time.





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