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Mexico has advanced significantly in recent years in the establishment of a national MRV reporting system, developing standardized tools, methods and a processing environment. One of the components of an operational REDD+ MRV system is the satellite based Activity Data reporting using relatively high-resolution sensors such as Landsat, SPOT or others depending on the capacity and funding available in each implementing country. Mexico has chosen to build a high temporal and high spatial resolution system called "Monitoring and Activity Data for Mexico" (MAD-Mex) with annual coverages processed to maps of 1:20000 scale nationally using 5m RapidEye data, which besides REDD can satisfy many national needs as well. The system delivers in an automated fashion national 1:100000 maps (historic and future Landsat data) and 1:20000 maps based on RapidEye and SPOT 6/7 data for the period 2011-2020. An additional focus in the development of MAD-Mex'shas been the transferability of the system as a whole or as components to other countries to ensure comparability and compatibility of methods, standards and products within the region.