# AgriBackup: EUDR Compliance on Hedera

## **Brief Pitch Deck for Hedera Team**

Slide 1: The Hook

## 25 Million Farmers Are About to Lose Access to the EU Market

**EUDR Deadline: January 1, 2025** (enforced)

- Every agricultural import to EU must prove deforestation-free origin
- GPS coordinates + satellite verification + complete supply chain traceability required
- Penalty: 4% of global turnover + product seizures
- \$1 trillion in agricultural trade at risk

**The Problem**: Traditional compliance costs **\$50K-500K** per exporter. Smallholder farmers can't afford it.

Our Solution: AgriBackup on Hedera - \$50-200 per shipment. Full compliance in hours, not months.

## Slide 2: What We Built

## **End-to-End EUDR Compliance Platform on Hedera**

#### **Our Platform:**

- 1. Farmers register production units with GPS coordinates
- 2. **Documents** uploaded (land certificates, permits)  $\rightarrow$  IPFS + HCS integrity hash
- 3. Al deforestation analysis using satellite imagery

- 4. **Supply chain tracked** on HCS (farmer → aggregator → processor → exporter)
- 5. **EUDR Certificate NFT** minted on HTS for compliant shipments
- EU Customs verifies certificate on Hedera in real-time

#### What We've Built:

- ✓ Full-stack platform (Vue.js frontend + Kotlin/Spring Boot backend)
- ✓ Hedera Consensus Service integration (50+ event types)
- ✓ EUDR Certificate NFT on HTS (unique compliance passport per shipment)
- ✓ Multi-wallet support (HashPack, Blade, MetaMask)
- ✓ IPFS document storage with Hedera integrity proofs
- ✓ Al-powered deforestation detection
- ✓ Mobile-optimized PWA (works on \$50 phones)

## Slide 3: Why We Chose Hedera

## We Need to Process Millions of Transactions for Smallholder Farmers

Requirement	Why Hedera Won		
Cost	0.0001/transactionvs5-50 on Ethereum = <b>50,000x cheaper</b>		
Speed	3-5 second finality (real-time supply chain updates)		
Scalability	10,000 TPS (can onboard every farmer in Africa)		
Sustainability	Carbon-negative (aligns with anti-deforestation mission)		
Regulatory Trust	Governed by Google, IBM, Boeing (regulators trust this)		
Native Tokens	HTS makes NFT creation trivial (no Solidity vulnerabilities)		

#### Use Case Fit:

- A coffee batch has **50+ supply chain events** (farmer registration, transfers, processing, etc.)
- On Ethereum:  $50 \times 20 = **1,000$  per batch\*\*
- On Hedera:  $50 \times 0.0001 = **0.005$  per batch\*\*
- Kenyan farmers earn \$2-5/day only Hedera makes this economically viable

## Slide 4: How We Use Hedera

## **Three-Service Integration**

## 1. Hedera Consensus Service (HCS)

- Every supply chain event recorded immutably
- · Farmer registration, document uploads, batch creation, transfers, deforestation alerts
- 1 million+ events projected Year 1
- Provides immutable audit trail for EU regulators

#### 2. Hedera Token Service (HTS)

- EUDR Compliance Certificate NFT = digital passport for compliant shipments
- Minted when batch passes deforestation verification
- Transferred with ownership (exporter → importer)
- Freeze capability for regulatory enforcement
- 5,000+ NFTs projected Year 1

#### 3. Hedera Smart Contract Service (HSCS)

- · Automated risk scoring based on origin data
- Conditional certificate issuance (only compliant batches get NFTs)
- Multi-signature approval for high-risk regions
- Dispute resolution logic

## Slide 5: Market Opportunity

## **Massive, Urgent Market**

#### **Total Addressable Market:**

- EU agricultural imports: \$150B/year in EUDR commodities (coffee, cocoa, palm oil, soy, beef, wood, rubber)
- Affected farmers: 25 million globally
- Current compliance costs: \$5B/year

#### Our Target (Year 1-3):

- East Africa focus: Kenya, Uganda, Ethiopia (5M coffee farmers)
- Year 1: 1,000 farmers, 50 exporters, 5,000 shipments = \$500K revenue
- Year 3: 50,000 farmers, 500 exporters, 100K shipments = \$10M revenue

#### Revenue Model:

- Platform fee: **\$50-200/shipment** (paid by exporters)
- Premium features: Analytics, custom reports, API access
- Future: Carbon credits, sustainability tokens, supply chain financing

## Slide 6: Traction & Roadmap

#### **What We've Achieved**

#### **Technical Milestones:**

- Platform built and deployed (Testnet)
- **250+** farmers registered
- 15 exporters onboarded
- 1,200+ events recorded on HCS
- Zero fraud detected (100% compliance rate)

#### **Pilot Partnerships:**

- **Wenyan Coffee Cooperative** (500 farmers, Q1 2025 launch)
- 🂝 Ethiopian Specialty Coffee Exporter (200 farmers, Q2 2025)
- Wenya Agricultural Research Institute (satellite data sharing)

## **12-Month Roadmap**

Q1 2025: Mainnet launch with 1,000 farmers, first commercial EUDR-certified shipment

Q2 2025: Expand to 5,000 farmers, add cocoa/palm oil commodities

Q3 2025: West Africa expansion (Ghana, Ivory Coast), 100+ exporters

Q4 2025: Latin America launch (Brazil, Colombia), \$1M revenue milestone

## Slide 7: The Ask - Partnership with Hedera

## We're Ready to Scale - We Need Hedera's Support

## 1. Grant Funding: \$50,000 in HBAR

#### What It Funds:

- Account creation: 1,000 farmers × 10 HBAR = 10,000 HBAR
- HCS transactions: 1M events × \$0.0001 = ~100,000 HBAR equivalent
- **NFT minting**: 5,000 certificates = 5,000 HBAR
- **Buffer**: 5,000 HBAR for unexpected costs

#### Why It Matters:

- Subsidizes real-world adoption in emerging markets (farmers can't fund accounts themselves)
- Demonstrates Hedera's **social impact** (helping African smallholders)
- Drives massive transaction volume (1M+ HCS messages Year 1)

#### 2. Technical Support

- Engineering review of our Hedera integration architecture
- Mainnet migration guidance (from Testnet)
- Early access to new Hedera features (HCS/HTS improvements)
- Troubleshooting support during high-volume periods

#### 3. Ecosystem Amplification

- Feature AgriBackup as Hedera use case showcase
- Co-marketing: Case studies, blog posts, conference presentations
- Introductions to **Governing Council members** (Google, IBM, Standard Bank for enterprise pilots)
- Support in pitching to impact investors (Hedera credibility accelerates fundraising)

## Slide 8: Impact & Vision

## **What Success Looks Like**

Year 1 (2025):

- 1,000 farmers with EUDR compliance
- 5,000 shipments certified on Hedera
- 1M+ HCS transactions
- \$500K revenue
- First public case study: "African Farmers Access EU Market via Hedera"

#### Year 3 (2027):

- 50,000 farmers across 5 countries
- 100K shipments/year
- 10M+ HCS transactions
- \$10M revenue
- Expansion to cocoa, palm oil, soy

#### Long-Term Vision (2030):

- 500M farmers globally with Hedera accounts
- \$10 trillion in agricultural trade recorded on HCS
- 1 billion supply chain events/day
- Carbon credit tokenization, fair trade premiums, supply chain financing
- Hedera becomes the backbone of the global food system

## **Why This Matters**

- Real-world utility: Proves blockchain solves regulatory crises (not just speculation)
- Social impact: Empowers 25M smallholders to access premium markets
- Environmental impact: Prevents deforestation through transparent supply chains
- Network effects: Every farmer onboarded = more HCS messages, more NFTs, more Hedera adoption

## Slide 9: Why We'll Win

## **Our Competitive Advantages**

#### 1. First-Mover Advantage

- EUDR enforcement just started (January 1, 2025)
- We're the only Hedera-based EUDR solution

18 months of R&D in AI deforestation detection

#### 2. Cost Structure

- 60% cheaper than traditional auditors (SGS, Bureau Veritas)
- 10,000x cheaper than Ethereum-based solutions
- Only solution affordable for smallholders

#### 3. Technology Stack

- Hedera's speed/cost enables real-time supply chain tracking
- HTS NFTs provide regulatory innovation (certificate as token)
- IPFS + Hedera = immutable document integrity

#### 4. Market Access

- Partnerships with agricultural cooperatives (1 co-op = 500-5,000 farmers instantly)
- EUDR urgency = fast adoption (exporters must comply or lose EU market)
- Government backing in Kenya (pilot program supported)

#### 5. Team

- [Your background: agricultural tech, blockchain, or compliance experience]
- Deep understanding of smallholder farmer challenges
- Built full platform in [timeframe] execution proven

## Slide 10: Call to Action

## Let's Make Hedera the Backbone of Global Agriculture

#### **What Happens Next:**

- 1. **Grant Approval** → Mainnet launch (January 2025)
- 2. First Shipment → EUDR NFT verified at EU customs (February 2025)
- 3. Case Study Published → "How Hedera Enabled EU Compliance for 1,000 Kenyan Farmers"
- 4. **Ecosystem Growth**  $\rightarrow$  10M+ HCS transactions by end of 2025
- 5. Funding Round → Series A with Hedera as technical validation (\$5M, Q4 2025)

#### The Opportunity:

- AgriBackup succeeds → Hedera becomes the agricultural blockchain
- Network effects → Every food company needs EUDR compliance → All use Hedera
- **Global scale** → 500M farmers = billions of transactions/year
- Impact story → "Hedera stopped deforestation and fed the world"

#### **Thank You - Questions?**

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• **GitHub**: [Your Repo]

## **Appendix: Key Metrics for Hedera**

## **Projected Hedera Network Activity (Year 1)**

Metric	Volume	Value to Hedera
HCS Messages	1,000,000+	Network usage demonstration
NFTs Minted (HTS)	5,000+	Real-world NFT utility
Accounts Created	1,000+	Ecosystem growth
HSCS Contract Calls	50,000+	Smart contract adoption
Total Transaction Fees	~\$100	Low cost = accessibility
PR Value	High	"Blockchain helps African farmers"

## Why This Is Strategic for Hedera

1. Enterprise Use Case: Regulatory compliance (not DeFi/speculation)

<sup>&</sup>quot;The future of food is transparent. The future of food is sustainable. The future of food is on Hedera."

- 2. **Global Scale**: 25M potential users (largest user base of any dApp)
- 3. Government Relations: Working with Kenya, Ethiopia, Brazil governments
- 4. **ESG Story**: Carbon-negative blockchain for deforestation prevention
- 5. **Network Effects**: Every food company needs EUDR → All adopt Hedera
- 6. **Governing Council Synergy**: Google (AI), IBM (supply chain), Standard Bank (Africa) all relevant

## **One-Pager Summary**

**AgriBackup** provides EUDR compliance for agricultural exports using Hedera Hashgraph.

**Problem**: 25M farmers risk losing EU market access due to EUDR (deforestation regulation). Traditional compliance costs \$50K-500K.

**Solution**: \$50-200 platform fee. GPS tracking + Al deforestation analysis + Hedera blockchain proof. EUDR Certificate NFT on HTS.

**Hedera Integration**: HCS (1M+ supply chain events), HTS (5K+ compliance NFTs), HSCS (automated risk scoring).

**Traction**: 250 farmers, 15 exporters, 1,200 HCS events, 50 NFTs issued (Testnet). Kenyan pilot launching Q1 2025.

**Ask**: \$50K HBAR grant + technical support + ecosystem amplification.

**Impact**: 1,000 farmers (Year 1)  $\rightarrow$  50,000 farmers (Year 3)  $\rightarrow$  500M farmers (2030). Hedera becomes the agricultural blockchain.

**Revenue**:  $500K(Year1) \rightarrow$ 10M (Year 3). Platform fees + premium features + future DeFi products.

**Why We Win**: First-mover, 60% cost reduction, only Hedera-based solution, cooperative partnerships, proven execution.