



Agenda

Hands-on training workshop for vulnerability and adaptation assessment

Organized by the Consultative Group of Experts on National Communications
from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention (CGE)

Marrakech, Morocco
28 September – 2 October 2015

Monday, 28 September 2015

08:00 - 09:00 **Registration**

Session 1: Introduction

- 09:00 - 9:30 **Opening session**
- Opening address – Mr. Stephen M. King'uyu, CGE Rapporteur
 - Welcome remarks – Mr. Dominique Revet, UNFCCC Secretariat
 - Keynote address – Mr. Abdelfetah Sahibi, Ministère de l'Environnement, Maroc

09:30 - 10:00 **Coffee break**

- 10:00 - 12:30
- Self-introduction by participants
 - Presentation of workshop objectives, expectations and agenda for the workshop – Mr. Dominique Revet, UNFCCC Secretariat

Country presentations:

- Experiences and challenges in conducting V&A assessment (10 minutes each):
- *Climate Change Scenarios* (South Africa)
 - *Agriculture* (Liberia)
 - *Coastal zones* (Côte d'Ivoire)

Discussion

12:30 - 14:00 **Lunch break**

14:00 - 14:15 **Security Briefing - UNDP**

Session 2: Vulnerability and Adaptation Framework (Moderated Mr. Stephen M. King'uyu, CGE Rapporteur)

- 14:15 - 16:15 **Vulnerability and Adaptation component of a future comprehensive national system (Mr. Joel Smith, Resource person)**
- Introduction to V&A
 - Planning the V&A assessment
 - Selecting the V&A framework

16:15 - 16:30 **Coffee break**

- 16:30 - 18:00 **Vulnerability and Adaptation Framework (Mr. Joel Smith, Resource person)**
- Practical consideration in framework selection
 - Group exercise

Tuesday, 29 September 2015

Session 3: Scenarios (Moderated by Mr. Rodrigue Abourou Otego, CGE Member)

- 09:00 - 10:30 **Baseline socioeconomic scenario (Ms. Sonia Quiroga Gomez, Resource person)**
- Overview
 - Recommended steps for developing socioeconomic scenarios

10:30 - 10:45 **Coffee break**



- 10:45 - 12:30 **Baseline socioeconomic scenario** (Ms. Sonia Quiroga Gomez, Resource person)
- Examples of steps for developing socioeconomic scenarios
- Group exercise

12:30 - 14:00 **Lunch break & DSA Payment**

- 14:00 - 15:30 **Climate change scenario** (Mr. Joel Smith Resource person)
- Overview and types of climate change scenarios
- Methods, tools and data requirements covering overview on common models and outputs available; examples of those outputs and possible approaches for customizing them to suit user demand
- Group exercise

15:30 - 15:45 **Coffee break**

- 15:45 - 18:00 **Climate change scenario** (Mr. Joel Smith, Resource person) - cont.
- Methods, tools and data requirements covering overview on common models and outputs available; examples of those outputs and possible approaches for customizing them to suit user demand and global to regional downscaling
- Group exercise

Wednesday, 30 September 2015

Session 4: Coastal resources* (Moderated by Mr. Nicolas Leclercq, CGE Member) **and agriculture***
(Mr. Stephen M. King'uyu, CGE Rapporteur)

* The sessions on agriculture and coastal resources will convene in parallel; the participants will, depending on their interest, choose one sector in which to participate

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| 09:00 - 10:30 | Agriculture
(Ms. Sonia Quiroga Gomez, Resource person)
- Overview on drivers, potential impacts and adaptation | Coastal resources
(Mr. Rashed Chowdhury, Resource person)
- Overview on drivers, potential impacts and adaptation |
| 10:30 - 10:45 | Coffee break | |
| 10:45 - 12:30 | - Methods, tools and data requirements covering agricultural impact assessment tools and methods | - Methods, tools and data requirements covering an overview on coastal zone assessment methods and models |
| 12:30 - 14:00 | Lunch break | |
| 14:00 - 15:30 | - Cont: methods, tools and data requirements - examples and demonstration of agricultural impact modeling software; adaptation planning in the agriculture sector | - Cont: methods, tools and data requirements - examples and demonstrations of methods and models; adaptation planning in the coastal sector |
| 15:30 - 15:45 | Coffee break | |
| 15:45 - 18:00 | - Cont: methods, tools and data requirements - examples and practical hands-on demonstration of methods and models for adaptation planning in the agriculture sector
- Group exercise | - Cont: methods, tools and data requirements - examples and practical hands-on demonstration of methods and models for adaptation planning in the coastal sector
- Group exercise |



Thursday, 1 October 2015

Session 5: Water resources (Moderated by Ms. Ana Maria Danila, CGE Member)

8:30 - 10:30 **Water resources** (Ms. Sandhya Rao, Resource person)
- Overview on drivers, potential impacts and adaptation

10:30 - 10:45 *Coffee break*

10:45 - 12:30 - Methods, tools and data requirements covering an overview on the IWRM methods and models

12:30 - 14:00 *Lunch break*

14:00 - 15:30 - Cont: methods, tools and data requirements - examples and demonstration including practical exercises in using the water sector tools

15:30 - 15:45 *Coffee break*

15:45 - 18:00 **Session 6: Human health** (Moderated by Mr. Rodrigue Abourou Otego, CGE Member)
Human health (Ms. Dianne Katscherian, Resource person)
- Overview on drivers, potential impacts and adaptation

Friday, 2 October 2015

Session 6: Cont: Human health (Moderated by Mr. Rodrigue Abourou Otego, CGE Member)

8:30 - 10:00 **Human health** (Ms. Dianne Katscherian, Resource person)
- Methods, tools and data requirements covering an overview of comparative health risk assessment, disease-specific models and qualitative assessment

10:00 - 10:15 *Coffee break*

10:15 - 12:30 - Cont: methods, tools and data requirements - examples and practical hands-on demonstration of methods and tools; adaptation planning in the Health Sector

12:30 - 14:00 *Lunch break*

14:00 - 15:00 **Session 7: Integration and Communication**
(Moderated by Ana Danila, CGE Member)

Integration (Presented by Mr. Stephen M. King'uyu, CGE Rapporteur)
- Cross-sectoral integration
- Multi-sectoral integration

15:00 - 15:30 - Interactive facilitated discussion to exchange views among participants, and invite resource persons to share experiences

15:30 - 15:45 *Coffee break*

15:45 - 16:45 **Communication** (Presented by Mr. Rodrigue Abourou Otego, CGE Member)
- Presentation of methods and results

Session 7: Wrap-up (Moderated by Mr. Dominique Revet, UNFCCC Secretariat)

16:45 - 17:15 **Feedback from participants**