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Performance Indicators

Performance indicators are for measuring progress against the five operational objectives of The Strategy, in line with decision 3/COP.8. The year 2008 (the first year of the Strategy) serves as the baseline year.

Developed country Parties are requested to report on the following ten performance indicators out of the eighteen consolidated performance indicators presented in ICCD/CRIC(8)/5/Add.1 and Add.2.

Reporting is guided by means of templates, one for each performance indicator. Within the templates, shaded areas contain information and explanatory texts and white areas are for reporting purposes and need to be filled in by developed country Parties with relevant quantitative data, selection of multiple choice boxes, or narrative information.

Operational Objective 1: Advocacy, awareness raising and education

CONS-O-1 for Outcome 1.1

Operational Objective 1: Advocacy, awareness raising and education

Performance indicator CONS-O-1 for Outcome 1.1

Number and size of information events organised on the subject of DLDD and/or DLDD synergies with climate change and biodiversity, and audience reached by media addressing DLDD and DLDD synergies.

Understanding of the indicator

At the national level, the indicator measures the performance of Convention-related communication strategies, in particular, whether DLDD issues and synergies are being communicated and if so, whether the communication is considered to be effective. Effectiveness is assessed through the appraisal of the media campaigns carried out; the assumption is that the stronger the media campaigns on DLDD issues and synergies, the higher the probability of passing the messages on to the target audience. The focus of the indicator is on information activities specifically dedicated to DLDD and/or DLDD synergies with climate change and biodiversity. Other reporting entities will complement the information provided by developed country Parties by reporting on Convention-related communication strategies at national, subregional, regional and global level.

Data needed

Information on events/media specifically addressing DLDD and/or DLDD synergies with climate change and biodiversity. Attendance lists of events (meetings, workshops, seminars), programmes/projects' documents, estimate of target audience for major media events (campaigns, radio and television programmes, etc.). Events organised and media produced by the UNCCD NFP or organised/produced by third parties not directly reporting to the Convention (TV channels, newspaper editors, etc.) shall be considered.

Data sources (indicative only)

International and national media (newspapers) advertising the events at national and local level, the Internet, the organisers of the events, programmes/projects' final reports.

Check the glossary for


Countries being both ‘affected’ and ‘developed’ only report on this indicator as ‘affected’

Media products have been grouped into: (a) Paper media products (articles, press releases, leaflets, flyers, brochures and comics, etc.); (b) radio and television programmes; (c) other ICT (websites, CDs, DVD, etc.).

Overall Target

By 2018, 30 per cent of the global population is informed about DLDD and DLDD synergies with climate change and biodiversity

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**Sources of information**
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

*No answer provided*

**Attachments:**
none

**Question marked as 'No answer'.**

**National contribution to the target**
On the basis of the information you have provided above, estimate the proportion (%) of the population in your country which is informed about DLDD and DLDD synergies with climate change and biodiversity at the time of reporting.

Estimated share of total country population =

*No answer provided*

**Question marked as 'No answer'.**

**Qualitative assessment**
Is the information you have provided on communication processes part of a national communication strategy addressing environmental issues?

*No answer provided*

**CONS-O-3 for Outcome 1.3**

*Operational Objective 1: Advocacy, awareness raising and education*
Performance indicator CONS-O-3 for Outcome 1.3
Number of civil society organisations (CSOs) and science and technology institutions (STIs) participating in the Convention processes.

Understanding of the indicator
At the national level, the indicator measures the level of participation of civil society organizations (CSOs) and science and technology institutions (STIs) in DLDD-related programmes and projects. The indicator will outline whether the active involvement of these stakeholders in country-based initiatives increases over time and whether DLDD-related programmes/projects are valid tools for the engagement of, and receiving contributions from, CSOs and STIs at the field level. Other reporting entities will complement the information provided by developed country Parties by reporting on the involvement of CSOs and STIs at national, subregional, regional and global level; in particular, the secretariat and the GM will report on the involvement of CSOs and STIs at the institutional level.

Data needed
The specification of the CSOs and STIs involved in the DLDD-related programmes/projects as reported in the PPSs.

Data sources (indicative only)
PPSs submitted to the UNCCD as part of the reporting exercise.

Check the glossary for 'STIs', 'CSOs', 'PPS', 'Convention processes'

Countries being both 'affected' and 'developed' only report on this indicator as 'affected'

Overall Target
A steady growth in the reported participation of CSOs and STIs in the Convention processes along the implementation period of The Strategy.

In the PPSs you have specified the number of CSOs and the number of STIs involved in each programme/project. Add these numbers and give the totals by year in the table below.

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Sources of information
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**National contribution to the target**
At the time of reporting, is your government undertaking concrete initiatives to increase the participation of CSOs and STIs in DLDD-related programmes and projects?

Yes

**Qualitative assessment**
Specify the reasons for the increasing and/or decreasing trend of the participation of CSOs and STIs to DLDD-related programmes/projects implemented in your country. (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance)

**Reasons for increasing**

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CONS-O-4 for Outcome 1.3

Operational Objective 1: Advocacy, awareness raising and education

Performance indicator CONS-O-4 for Outcome 1.3
Number and type of DLDD-related initiatives of civil society organisations (CSOs) and science and technology institutions (STIs) in the field of education.

Understanding of the indicator
The indicator measures the number and type of DLDD-related initiatives undertaken by CSOs and STIs in the education sector at the national level. The assumption is that the higher the number of DLDD-related education initiatives undertaken by these stakeholders, the stronger their interest in addressing DLDD problems. A distinction is made between activities carried out in the formal education sector and in the non-formal education sector. This indicator focuses on “education” because “awareness” and “advocacy” are already measured through indicators CONS-O-1 and CONS-O-2, respectively. Other reporting entities will complement the information provided by developed country Parties by reporting on the involvement of CSOs and STIs at national, subregional, regional and global level.

Data needed
Information on initiatives undertaken in the field of education that may be found in: written communications by CSOs and STIs to the NFP; contractual and/or programme/project-related documents; records of academic bodies and their curricula. Only initiatives in the field of education (formal and non-formal) directly relating to DLDD issues are to be considered.

Data sources (indicative only)
CSOs and STIs operating in the country.


Countries being both ‘affected’ and ‘developed’ only report on this indicator as ‘affected’

Overall target
A steady growth in the number of DLDD-related education initiatives undertaken by CSOs and STIs along the implementation period of The Strategy

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- Internal information provided by the Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR) and information available publicly on the ACIAR website at http://www.aciar.gov.au

Attachments:
none

National contribution to the target
At the time of reporting, is your government undertaking concrete initiatives to increase the delivery of DLDD-related initiatives in the education sector by CSOs and STIs?

No

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Qualitative assessment
Specify the reasons for the increasing and/or decreasing trend of DLDD-related education initiatives undertaken by CSOs and STIs. (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance)

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Operational Objective 2: Policy framework

Performance indicator CONS-O-6 for Outcome 2.4

Number of partnership agreements established within the framework of the Convention between developed country Parties/United Nations and IGOs and affected country Parties.

Understanding of the indicator
The indicator measures the existence of policy-enabling environments by quantifying the number of partnership agreements established between developed country Parties on one side and affected country Parties on the other, on a bilateral basis but always and only within the framework of UNCCD. Partnership agreements allow the mainstreaming of UNCCD objectives and SLM interventions into the development cooperation programmes and projects of developed country Parties; they also provide affected country Parties with a regular flow of resources according to written terms and conditions. The assumption is that the higher the number of partnerships agreements on which affected country Parties may count, the higher their chance of relying on diverse resources to tackle the objectives of the Convention. UN and IGOs will complement the information provided by developed country Parties by reporting on partnership agreements established with affected country Parties on a multilateral basis.

Data needed
Records of partnership agreements concluded in a written form.
Only partnership agreements directly relating to the UNCCD and concluded within the framework of the Convention are to be considered.
Only agreements under implementation at the time of reporting shall be considered.

Data sources (indicative only)
Relevant national ministries

Check the glossary for
‘partnership agreement’, ‘integrated investment framework’, ‘IFS’

A distinction shall be made between those agreements which relate to integrated investment frameworks and those which do not.

Overall target
By 2014, at least two UNCCD-related partnership agreements are active in each affected country Party.

Number of partnership agreements concluded by your country with affected country Parties and under implementation at the time of reporting

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List the affected country (ies) with whom your country has one or more partnership agreement(s) under implementation at the time of reporting (add as many rows as necessary)

- India
- Afghanistan
- Bangladesh
- Nepal
- Pakistan
- Bhutan
- Cambodia
- Indonesia
- Lao People's Democratic Republic
- China
- Tuvalu
- Timor-Leste
- Viet Nam
- Thailand

Sources of information
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- Internal information provided by the Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID) and the Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR)

Attachments:
none

National contribution to the target
At the time of reporting, has your country plans for concluding one or more partnership agreement(s) within the framework of the Convention with one or more affected country Party (ies)?

Yes

If yes, when?
2010-11

If yes and if known at the time of reporting, with which affected country (ies)? (add as many rows as necessary)
(if not known, leave the reply empty)

- Bangladesh
- Timor-Leste
- Indonesia

If any, has the conclusion of partnership agreement(s) been facilitated by Convention-related institutions or bodies?

Yes
If yes, by whom?(more than one box can be ticked)
- GM

Other (specify) (max 30 words)
- No answer provided

Identify the major difficulties experienced in the conclusion of partnership agreements with affected country Parties within the framework of the Convention, and of their relation to integrated investment frameworks (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance).

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<td>Other environment-related policy frameworks than the UNCCD are more suitable and/or conducive for establishing partnerships</td>
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<td>Linking the partnership to existing investment frameworks is too time-consuming</td>
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Other
- No answer provided

Performance indicator CONS-O-7 for Outcome 2.5

Operational Objective 2: Policy framework

Performance indicator CONS-O-7 for Outcome 2.5
Number of initiatives for synergistic planning/programming of the three Rio Conventions or mechanisms for joint implementation, at all levels.

Understanding of the indicator
The indicator measures the existence of synergistic processes through the number of instruments (i.e. joint planning/programming and/or operational mechanisms) in place in affected country Parties and/or at subregional/regional level which foster the introduction of or strengthen the mutually reinforcing measures among the three Rio Conventions and whose establishment has been supported (technically and/or financially) by developed country Parties either within the framework of UNCCD or of other initiatives. The assumption is that the higher the number of enabling instruments in place, the higher the possibility of achieving synergies in implementation. The information provided by developed country Parties will be complemented by the reporting of other entities on synergistic processes at the national, subregional, regional and global level.

Data needed
Planning/programming documents, information from partnership agreements and programmes/projects. Only operational mechanisms which have the achievement of joint implementation, synergies, convergence, and the introduction or strengthening of reinforcing measures among the Rio Conventions clearly stated in their objectives shall be considered under this indicator.

Data sources (indicative only)
Relevant national ministries, partnership agreements, programmes/projects reports.

Check the glossary for
“Joint planning/programming initiatives”, “Operational mechanisms for joint implementation or mutual reinforcement”, “Partnership agreements’
For an indicative list of activities by Parties to promote synergies among the Rio Conventions, refer to [UNEP/CBD](http://www.oecd.org/dataoecd/29/21/2754804.pdf)

**Overall target**

By 2014, each affected country Party has either one joint national plan in place or functional mechanism(s) to ensure synergies among the three Rio Conventions.

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**Number of enabling instruments established in affected country Parties with the technical and/or financial support of your country**

According to the information you have provided above, if you have supported the establishment of one or more enabling instrument(s), answer the questions below.

Specify the type of joint initiative(s) and/or of mechanism(s) supported (tick as many boxes as necessary)

- Joint planning/programming initiatives
  
  No answer provided

- Other (specify) (max 30 words)
  
  No answer provided

- Operational mechanisms for joint implementation or mutual reinforcement
  
  No answer provided

- Other (specify) (max 30 words)
  
  No answer provided

Specify the framework(s) within which the above support was provided (tick as many boxes as necessary)

- No answer provided

- Other (specify) (max 30 words)
  
  No answer provided
Specify the type of support provided (tick as many boxes as necessary)

- No answer provided

List the name(s) of the beneficiary affected country (ies) and/or UNCCD subregion(s)/region(s) (add as many rows as necessary)

- No answer provided

Are there instruments in place at the national level allowing a coordinated positioning of your country with respect to the three Rio conventions?

- No answer provided

Yes, but for only two of the Rio Conventions, namely:

- No answer provided

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- No answer provided

Attachments:

none

National contribution to the target

At the time of reporting, has your country plans for providing support to one or more affected country Party (ies) and/or UNCCD subregion(s)/region(s) for the establishment of instruments fostering synergies among the three Rio conventions?

- No answer provided

If yes, when?

- No answer provided

If yes and if known at the time of reporting, to which affected country (ies) and/or subregion(s)/region(s)? (add as many rows as necessary) (if not known leave the reply empty)

- No answer provided

Qualitative assessment

For those developed countries who have supported the establishment of synergistic planning/programming or mechanisms for joint implementation in affected countries and/or subregion(s)/region(s), identify the major difficulties experienced in the establishment process (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance).

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Lack of support and/or guidance by the Rio Conventions’ institutions

Other

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

No answer provided

*For those developed countries who have not supported the establishment of synergistic planning/programming or mechanisms for joint implementation in affected countries and/or subregion(s)/region(s), identify the reasons that prevented the delivery of this type of support. (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance)*

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**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**

No answer provided
Operational Objective 3: Science, technology and knowledge

Performance indicator CONS-O-8 for Outcomes 3.1 and 3.2

Number of affected country Parties, subregional and regional entities to have established and supported a national/subregional/regional monitoring system for DLDD.

Understanding of the indicator
The indicator measures the monitoring potential of affected countries, subregional and regional entities by quantifying the number of monitoring systems established and supported at their respective geographical levels. These monitoring systems may be specifically or partially (in the case of environmental monitoring systems) dedicated to UNCCD reporting. The indicator will inform on the extent to which it is realistic to expect more regular and coherent reporting by affected country Parties, subregional and regional entities during the implementation of The Strategy and beyond. Developed country Parties are requested to report on monitoring systems whose establishment they have supported (technically and/or financially) either within the framework of UNCCD or of other initiatives and within the timeframe of the reporting period. The information provided by developed country Parties will be complemented by the reporting of other entities on UNCCD-relevant monitoring systems established and supported at the subregional, regional and global level.

Data needed
Information on monitoring systems established within the national Ministries or other bodies/institutions in affected country Parties, UNCCD subregions/regions. Programmes/projects’ documents, fiches and summary sheets, programmes/projects’ interim or final reports. Only those monitoring systems storing all or most of the information needed for reporting to the UNCCD shall be considered.

Data sources (indicative only)
Relevant national ministries, programmes/projects documents or reports, other non-governmental initiatives.

Check the glossary for ‘monitoring system’, ‘vulnerability’ (‘vulnerability is referred to in the definition of ‘monitoring system’)

Overall target
By 2018, at least 60 per cent of affected country Parties, subregional and regional reporting entities have established and supported national monitoring systems for DLDD

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Question marked as 'No answer'.

According to the information you have provided above, if you have supported the establishment of one or more monitoring system(s), answer the questions below.

Specify the framework(s) within which the above support was provided (tick as many boxes as necessary)

- No answer provided

- Other (specify) (max 30 words)
  - No answer provided

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Specify the type of support provided

- No answer provided

Question marked as 'No answer'.

List the name(s) of the beneficiary affected country (ies) and/or subregion(s)/region(s) (add as many rows as necessary)

- No answer provided

Question marked as 'No answer'.

To the best of your knowledge, how many of the monitoring systems you originally supported are still functional and regularly updated?

- Number
  - No answer provided

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Has your country supported the establishment of one or more monitoring system(s), partially or totally dedicated to DLDD, before 2008?

- No answer provided

If yes, list the name(s) of the beneficiary affected country (ies) and/or subregion(s)/region(s) (add as many rows as necessary)

- No answer provided

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- No answer provided

Attachments:

- none

Question marked as 'No answer'.

National contribution to the target

At the time of reporting, has your country plans for providing support to one or more affected country Party (ies) and/or UNCCD regions/subregions for the establishment of monitoring systems dedicated to DLDD?
No answer provided

If yes, when?
No answer provided

If yes and if known at the time of reporting, to which affected country (ies) and/or subregions/regions? (add as many rows as necessary if not known leave the reply empty)
No answer provided

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Qualitative assessment
For those developed countries who have supported the establishment of a monitoring system partially or totally dedicated to DLDD, at national and/or subregional/regional level, identify the major difficulties experienced in the establishment process (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance).

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For those developed countries who have not supported the establishment of a monitoring system partially or totally dedicated to DLDD, at national and/or subregional/regional level, identify the reasons that prevented the delivery of this type of support. (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance)

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Other (specify) (max 30 words)
No answer provided

Performance indicator CONS-O-11 for Outcome 3.5

Operational Objective 3: Science, technology and knowledge

Performance indicator CONS-O-11 for Outcome 3.5
Type, number and users of DLDD-relevant knowledge-sharing systems at the global, regional, subregional and national levels
Understanding of the indicator
The indicator measures the presence at the national level of DLDD-related knowledge-sharing processes, through the quantification of the type and number of existing knowledge-sharing systems. Effectiveness of these systems is measured through quantification of their user-base. The indicator will inform to what extent scientific and traditional knowledge, including best practices, are available to and sufficiently shared with end-users. This information will be complemented by the reporting of other reporting entities on existing UNCCD-relevant knowledge-sharing systems at the subregional, regional and global level.

Data needed
Information from websites.
Only DLDD-relevant knowledge-sharing systems and networks shall be considered.

Data sources (indicative only)
Relevant organisations at the national level, relevant national ministries hosting knowledge-sharing systems and networks within their websites.

Check the glossary for
‘knowledge-sharing system’, ‘PRAIS’

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Performance indicator CONS-O-13 for Outcomes 4.1 and 4.2

Operational Objective 4: Capacity building

Number of countries, subregional and regional reporting entities engaged in building capacity to combat DLDD on the basis of NCSA or other methodologies and instruments

Understanding of the indicator
The indicator measures the presence of DLDD-related capacity-building processes implemented in affected country Parties and/or at subregional/regional level through the quantification of existing major capacity-building initiatives supported by developed country Parties. The indicator will inform to what extent affected country Parties, subregional and regional entities may be expected to meet their obligations foreseen by the Convention, including forthcoming ones (i.e. new reporting requirements, establishment of environmental monitoring systems, accessing new financing mechanisms). The information provided by developed country Parties will be complemented by the reporting of other entities on existing UNCCD-related capacity-building initiatives at the national, subregional, regional and global level.

Data needed
Information on DLDD-related capacity building initiatives.
Only major capacity-building plans/programmes/projects are to be considered.

Data sources (indicative only)
PPSs submitted to UNCCD as part of the reporting exercise
Programmes/projects' documents, fiches and summary sheets, interim or final reports of those programmes and projects identified through the PPSs as having DLDD-related capacity-building as a major objective.

Check the glossary for ‘NCSA’, ‘PPS’

Overall target
By 2014, at least 90 per cent of affected country Parties, sub-regional and regional reporting entities implementing DLDD specific capacity building plans, programmes or projects.

Number of DLDD-related capacity building initiatives supported
Identify, if any, relevant programmes and projects through the PPSs and check corresponding programmes/projects’ documents, fiches and summary sheets, and interim or final reports, to extract the information needed for completing the table below

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List the affected country (ies) and/or subregions/regions where the above quantified DLDD-related capacity building initiatives have been supported (add as many rows as necessary)

- China
- India
- Bangladesh
- Nepal
- Pakistan
- Afghanistan
- Bhutan
- Cambodia
- Lao People’s Democratic Republic
- Viet Nam
- Philippines
- Tuvalu
- Papua New Guinea
- Indonesia
- Iraq
- Timor-Leste

Sources of information

- Internal information provided by the Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID), the Department of Climate Change and Energy Efficiency (DCCEE) and the Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR)

Attachments:

- none

National contribution to the target

At the time of reporting, has your country plans for providing support to one or more affected country Party (ies) and/or UNCCD regions/subregions for the implementation of DLDD-specific capacity building plans, programmes or projects?

Yes

If yes, when?

- 2012-13

If yes and if known at the time of reporting, to which affected country (ies)/subregion/region?(add as many rows as necessary)(if not known leave the reply empty)

- India
- China
- Afghanistan
- Bangladesh
- Pakistan
- Nepal
- Bhutan
For those developed countries who have supported DLDD-specific capacity building plans, programmes or projects, at national and/or subregional/regional level, identify the major difficulties experienced in the process (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance).

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Other (specify) (max 30 words)

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For those developed countries who have not supported DLDD-specific capacity building plans, programmes or projects, at national and/or subregional/regional level, identify the reasons that prevented the delivery of this type of support. (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance).

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Other (specify) (max 30 words)

No answer provided
Operational Objective 5: Financing and technology transfer

Performance indicator CONS-O-14 for Outcome 5.1

**Number of affected country Parties, subregional and regional entities whose investment frameworks, established within the IFS devised by the GM or within other integrated financing strategies, include the leverage of national, bilateral and multilateral resources for combating desertification and land degradation.**

**Understanding of the indicator**

The indicator measures the presence of integrated financing processes allowing the leverage of national, bilateral and multilateral resources for combating desertification and land degradation, through the quantification of investment frameworks financially and/or technically supported by developed country Parties in affected countries and/or in subregions/regions. Investment frameworks may be those developed within the IFS devised by the GM or other integrated financing strategies promoted by diverse international institutions. The information provided by developed country Parties will be complemented by the reporting of other reporting entities on the establishment of integrated investment frameworks at national, subregional and regional level.

**Data needed**

Investment frameworks documents.

Only investment frameworks prepared along the guidelines devised within integrated financing strategies shall be considered.

A distinction shall be made between integrated investment frameworks established within the IFS devised by the GM and those established within other integrated financing strategies.

**Data sources (indicative only)**

Relevant national ministries, programmes/projects documents

Check the glossary for


**Overall target**

By 2014, at least 50 per cent of affected country Parties, subregional and regional entities to have developed integrated investment frameworks.

### Number of integrated investment frameworks whose establishment in one or more affected country Party(ies) and/or UNCCD subregion(s)/region(s) has been supported by your country

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According to the information you have provided above, if you have supported the establishment of one or more integrated investment framework(s), answer the questions below.

Specify the framework(s) within which the above support was provided (tick as many boxes as necessary)
- UNCCD-related initiative
- Other

Other (specify) (max 30 words)
No answer provided

Specify the type of support provided
- Both technical and financial

List the name(s) of the beneficiary country (ies) and/or subregion(s)/region(s) (add as many rows as necessary)
- Cambodia
- Lao People's Democratic Republic
- China
- India
- Afghanistan
- Bangladesh
- Nepal
- Pakistan
- Bhutan
- Indonesia
- Tuvalu
- Timor-Leste

Has your country supported the development of one or more integrated investment framework(s), before 2008?
Yes

If yes, list the name(s) of the beneficiary country (ies) and/or subregion(s)/region(s) (add as many rows as necessary)
- Cambodia
- Lao People's Democratic Republic
- China

Sources of information
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- Internal information provided by the Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID) and the Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR)

Attachments:
none

National contribution to the target
At the time of reporting, has your country plans for providing support to one or more affected country Party (ies) and/or UNCCD regions/subregions for the development of integrated investment frameworks?
Yes
If yes, when?
2012-2013

If yes, and if known at the time of reporting, in which affected country (ies) and/or subregions/regions? (add as many rows as necessary) (if not known leave the reply empty)
- China
- Nepal
- Pakistan
- Bangladesh
- Bhutan
- Afghanistan
- Cambodia
- Lao People’s Democratic Republic
- Timor-Leste
- Indonesia
- Tuvalu
- India

Question marked as ‘No answer’.

Qualitative assessment

For those developed countries who have supported the development of one or more integrated investment framework(s) at national and/or subregional/regional level, identify the major difficulties experienced in the development process (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance).

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Other (specify) (max 30 words)
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For those developed countries who have not supported the development of an integrated investment framework at national and/or subregional/regional level, identify the reasons that prevented the delivery of this type of support. (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance)

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Performance indicator CONS-O-15 for Outcome 5.2
Operational Objective 5: Financing and technology transfer

Performance indicator CONS-O-15 for Outcome 5.2
Amount of financial resources made available by developed country Parties to combat DLDD.

Understanding of the indicator
The indicator measures the performance of the bilateral contribution process through quantification of the flow of financial resources from developed country Parties to affected country Parties for the implementation of the Convention, in compliance of the obligation foreseen by article 6 of the Convention, paragraph (b). The level of performance will indicate whether financial resources contributed by developed country Parties in the reporting period are substantial enough. Only developed country Parties report on this indicator.

Data needed
Total amounts committed and total amounts disbursed within DLDD-related programmes and projects supporting affected country Parties.

Data sources (indicative only)
SFAs submitted to UNCCD as part of the reporting exercise.
Programmes/projects accounts.

Only programmes/projects where the reporting developed country Party has made a financial contribution shall be considered.

Check the glossary for ‘SFA’, ‘currency’

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Attachments: none

Question marked as ‘No answer’.

Qualitative Assessment
From 2012 onwards, identify the reasons for the increasing or decreasing trend of financial resources made available to affected country Parties to combat DLDD (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance).

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Increased availability of national resources for development cooperation in general

Improved profile of UNCCD at the global level, including monitoring of performance

Increased prioritisation of UNCCD by developed country Parties

Other

*Other (specify) (max 30 words)*

*No answer provided*

**Reasons for decreasing**

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The CRIC has recommended that financial reporting be based on a standard financial reporting format to be used by affected country Parties and their development partners. It also indicated that emphasis in reports should be put on financial matters and also on an analysis of the impact of the activities undertaken (ICCD/CRIC(8)/5).

The purpose of the Standard Financial Annex (SFA) is to consolidate information on resources mobilised by affected country Parties and their development partners under the framework of relevant strategies and action programmes. It facilitates the aggregation of data on financial commitments, financial flows and resources available by all relevant funding sources for activities related to the implementation of the Convention. It also helps minimise double counting in financial statistics (ICCD/CRIC(8)/5/Add.4).

The SFA is to be used by each country Party and other reporting entities to list all financial commitments they have made during the reporting period in support of institutions, programmes, projects, as well as other relevant initiatives undertaken at national or international level for the implementation of the Convention.

More specifically, for each relevant financial commitment or allocation made in the reporting period, the SFA requires a minimum set of data grouped as follows:

**Identification**, i.e. data required to identify the reporting entity, the funding source and the activity financed;

**Basic data**, i.e. data specifying the amount and type of financial commitment made, as well as the recipient country, region, and/or organisation, and the funding period, if applicable;

**Classification**, i.e. categorisation of the funded activity according to the Rio Markers for desertification, and the UNCCD Relevant Activity Codes (RACs).

The compilation of the SFA is guided by means of a template, which responds to the recommendations of CRIC 7, and builds on the GM methodological guide for financial reporting presented to CRIC 6 as part of the report of the intergovernmental Ad Hoc Working Group to improve the procedures for communication of information.

Within the template, shaded areas contain information and explanatory texts, while white areas are for reporting purposes and need to be filled in by the reporting entities with relevant data or narrative information.

Decision 13/COP.9, paragraph 8, invites country Parties and other reporting entities to refer to common terminology and definitions. Therefore, these guidelines should be read in conjunction with the comprehensive glossary presented in a separate document.

### Financial Commitment #1

**Reporting Entity**
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- **Australia - Federal Institutions**

**Other**

No answer provided

**Funding Organisation**
Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organisation that has made the financial commitment

- **Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research**

**Other**

No answer provided
Name of activity funded
Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organisation or initiative funded with this financial commitment.
Improving the utilisation of water and soil resources for tree crop production in coastal areas of Vietnam and New South Wales

Identification code
Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known).
SMCN/2003/035

Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)
Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate “Global” if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus.
- Viet Nam

Recipient Organisation(s)
Enter the full name and acronym of the organisation(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to.
No answer provided

Other
- Southern Cross University, Australia
- Department of Agriculture and Rural Development, Vietnam
- National Institute for Soils and Fertilisers, Vietnam
- Vietnam Academy of Agricultural Sciences

Executing Agency(ies)
Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organisation(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity.
- Southern Cross University, Australia
- Department of Agriculture and Rural Development, Vietnam
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Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)
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(e.g. 15/01/2011)
01/01/2007

Currency/Amount committed
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666198 Australian Dollar

Type of funding
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Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
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31/07/2011

**Duration (no. of months)**
Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

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**Rio Marker for desertification**
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

2

**Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)**
Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- **2.2.1 Capacity-Building**
- **3.1.2 Forestry**

**Sources of information**
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- **Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research - internal information and information available publicly on the ACIAR website (http://www.aciar.gov.au)**

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Currency/Amount committed
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2164421 Australian Dollar

Type of funding
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Grant

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01/07/2004

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
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30/06/2011

Duration (no. of months)
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Rio Marker for desertification
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Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)
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• 2.2.1 Capacity-Building
• 3.2.6 Land Conservation

Sources of information
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Attachments:
none
Financial Commitment #3

Reporting Entity
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- Australia - Federal Institutions

Other
No answer provided

Funding Organisation
Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organisation that has made the financial commitment

- Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

Other
No answer provided

Name of activity funded
Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organisation or initiative funded with this financial commitment

Lao Agricultural Research Fund (LARF) Pilot

Identification code
Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

ASEM/2006/060

Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)
Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate “Global” if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- Lao People’s Democratic Republic

Recipient Organisation(s)
Enter the full name and acronym of the organisation(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

No answer provided

Other

- Uniquest, Australia
- National Agriculture and Forestry Research Institute, Laos

Executing Agency(ies)
Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organisation(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- Uniquest, Australia
- National Agriculture and Forestry Research Institute, Laos

Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)
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01/01/2007

Currency/Amount committed
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Type of funding
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Grant

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Duration (no. of months)
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- 3.1.1 Agriculture
- 2.2.1 Capacity-Building

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Financial Commitment #4

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- **Australia - Federal Institutions**

**Other**

- No answer provided

**Funding Organisation**
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- **Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research**

**Other**

- No answer provided

**Name of activity funded**
Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organisation or initiative funded with this financial commitment

- Water allocation in the Krishna River Basin to improve water productivity in agriculture

**Identification code**
Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

- **LWR/2003/026**

**Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**
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- **India**

**Recipient Organisation(s)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the organisation(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

- No answer provided

**Other**

- University of Melbourne, Australia
- International Water Management Institute, India
- Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University, India

**Executing Agency(ies)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organisation(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- University of Melbourne, Australia
- International Water Management Institute, India
- Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University, India

**Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)

- **01/07/2004**

**Currency/Amount committed**
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1393617 Australian Dollar

Type of funding
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Grant

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
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01/07/2004

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
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30/06/2009

Duration (no. of months)
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- 2.2.1 Capacity-Building
- 3.2.7 Water Conservation

Sources of information
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Financial Commitment #5

**Reporting Entity**
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- Australia - Federal Institutions

*Other*  
No answer provided

**Funding Organisation**
Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organisation that has made the financial commitment
- Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

*Other*  
No answer provided

**Name of activity funded**
Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organisation or initiative funded with this financial commitment
- Improving the efficiency of land use change policy in China

**Identification code**
Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)
- ADP/2007/055

**Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**
Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate “Global” if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus
- China

**Recipient Organisation(s)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the organisation(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to
No answer provided

*Other*  
- Victorian Department of Sustainability and Environment, Australia
- Australian National University, Australia
- China National Forestry Economics and Development Research Centre, China
- Peking University, China
- Sichuan Forestry Department, China

**Executing Agency(ies)**
Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organisation(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity
- Victorian Department of Sustainability and Environment, Australia
- Australian National University, Australia
- China National Forestry Economics and Development Research Centre, China
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- Sichuan Forestry Department, China

**Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
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Currency/Amount committed
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409128 Australian Dollar

Type of funding
Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding, sectoral support, debt swap, equity, etc.)

Grant

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)

01/04/2008

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilised by the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

30/11/2010

Duration (no. of months)
Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

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Rio Marker for desertification
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2

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)
Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- 2.2.1 Capacity-Building
- 3.2.6 Land Conservation

Sources of information
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- Internal information from the Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research and information available publicly on the ACIAR website (http://www.aciar.gov.au)

Attachments:

none
Financial Commitment #6

**Reporting Entity**
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- Australia - Federal Institutions

**Other**

- No answer provided

**Funding Organisation**
Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organisation that has made the financial commitment

- Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

**Other**

- No answer provided

**Name of activity funded**
Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organisation or initiative funded with this financial commitment

- Scoping study on western China desertification

**Identification code**
Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

- ADP/2007/090

**Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**
Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place.

- China

**Recipient Organisation(s)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the organisation(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

- No answer provided

**Other**

- Australian National University, Australia

**Executing Agency(ies)**
Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organisation(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- Australian National University, Australia

**Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)

- 01/09/2008

**Currency/Amount committed**
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- 53974 Australian Dollar
**Type of funding**
Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding, sectoral support, debt swap, equity, etc.)

**Grant**

**Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
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01/09/2008

**Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
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30/11/2008

**Duration (no. of months)**
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**Rio Marker for desertification**
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2

**Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)**
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- 2.2.1 Capacity-Building
- 3.2.6 Land Conservation

**Sources of information**
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**Attachments:**
none
Financial Commitment #7

**Reporting Entity**
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- Australia - Federal Institutions

**Other**
No answer provided

**Funding Organisation**
Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organisation that has made the financial commitment

- Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

**Other**
No answer provided

**Name of activity funded**
Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organisation or initiative funded with this financial commitment

- More effective water use by rainfed wheat in China and Australia

**Identification code**
Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

CIM/2005/111

**Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**
Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate “Global” if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- China

**Recipient Organisation(s)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the organisation(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

- No answer provided

**Other**
- CSIRO Plant Industry, Australia
  - Ningxia Academy of Agriculture and Forestry Sciences, China
  - Northwest Agriculture and Forestry University, China

**Executing Agency(ies)**
Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organisation(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- CSIRO Plant Industry, Australia
  - Ningxia Academy of Agriculture and Forestry Sciences, China
  - Northwest Agriculture and Forestry University, China

**Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)

01/06/2008

**Currency/Amount committed**
Currency: Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total
871,689 Australian Dollar

**Type of funding**
Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding, sectoral support, debt swap, equity, etc.)

Grant

**Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)

01/06/2008

**Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilised by the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

30/06/2013

**Duration (no. of months)**
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**Rio Marker for desertification**
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2

**Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)**
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- 2.2.1 Capacity-Building
- 3.1.1 Agriculture

**Sources of information**
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**Attachments:**
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**Reporting Entity**
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- **Australia - Federal Institutions**

**Other**
No answer provided

**Funding Organisation**
Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organisation that has made the financial commitment

- **Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research**

**Other**
No answer provided

**Name of activity funded**
Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organisation or initiative funded with this financial commitment

- Early warning and drought preparedness for improved management of crop production in Papua New Guinea

**Identification code**
Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

- ASEM/2006/129

**Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**
Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place.
Indicate “Global” if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Papua New Guinea**

**Recipient Organisation(s)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the organisation(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

- No answer provided

**Other**
- Bureau of Meteorology, Australia
- Queensland Environmental Protection Agency, Australia
- National Agricultural Research Institute, Papua New Guinea
- PNG National Weather Service, Papua New Guinea

**Executing Agency(ies)**
Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organisation(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- Bureau of Meteorology, Australia
- Queensland Environmental Protection Agency, Australia
- National Agricultural Research Institute, Papua New Guinea
- PNG National Weather Service, Papua New Guinea

**Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
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- 01/04/2008
Currency/Amount committed
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154710 Australian Dollar

Type of funding
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01/04/2008

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
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31/08/2010

Duration (no. of months)
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Rio Marker for desertification
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Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)
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- 2.2.1 Capacity-Building
- 4.1.1 Adaptation to climate change

Sources of information
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840299 Australian Dollar

Type of funding
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Grant

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)
01/01/2007

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilised by the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable
31/12/2010

Duration (no. of months)
Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)
48

Rio Marker for desertification
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2

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)
Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.
- 2.2.1 Capacity-Building
- 3.2.6 Land Conservation
- 3.2.7 Water Conservation

Sources of information
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Attachments:
none
Financial Commitment #10

**Reporting Entity**
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- Australia - Federal Institutions

**Other**

- No answer provided

**Funding Organisation**
Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organisation that has made the financial commitment

- Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

**Other**

- No answer provided

**Name of activity funded**
Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organisation or initiative funded with this financial commitment

Cambodian Agricultural Research Fund

**Identification code**
Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

ASEM/2003/007

**Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**
Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate “Global” if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- Cambodia

**Recipient Organisation(s)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the organisation(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

- No answer provided

**Other**

- American Friends Service Committee, Cambodia
- Cambodia Agricultural Research and Development Institute, Cambodia
- Centre for Livestock and Agriculture Development, Cambodia
- Department of Agronomy and Agricultural Land Improvement, Cambodia
- Department of Animal Health and Production, Cambodia
- Kampong Cham National School of Agriculture, Cambodia
- Maraheshi Vedic University, Cambodia
- Prek Leap National School of Agriculture, Cambodia

**Executing Agency(ies)**
Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organisation(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- American Friends Service Committee, Cambodia
- Cambodia Agricultural Research and Development Institute, Cambodia
- Centre for Livestock and Agriculture Development, Cambodia
- Department of Agronomy and Agricultural Land Improvement, Cambodia
- Department of Animal Health and Production, Cambodia
Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)
01/03/2002

Currency/Amount committed
Currency: Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals
1279628 Australian Dollar

Type of funding
Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding, sectoral support, debt swap, equity, etc.)
Grant

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)
01/03/2002

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilised by the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable
30/06/2011

Duration (no. of months)
Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)
112

Rio Marker for desertification
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)
1

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)
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- 2.2.1 Capacity-Building
- 3.1.1 Agriculture

Sources of information
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Financial Commitment #11

Reporting Entity
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- Australia - Federal Institutions

Other
No answer provided

Funding Organisation
Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organisation that has made the financial commitment

- Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

Other
No answer provided

Name of activity funded
Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organisation or initiative funded with this financial commitment

Enhancing institutional performance in watershed management in Andhra Pradesh, India

Identification code
Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

LWR/2006/158

Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)
Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate “Global” if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- India

Recipient Organisation(s)
Enter the full name and acronym of the organisation(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

No answer provided

Other
- Edith Cowan University
- International Water Management Institute, India
- La Trobe University, Australia
- Department of Rural Development, India
- Indian Institute of Management, India

Executing Agency(ies)
Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organisation(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- Edith Cowan University
- International Water Management Institute, India
- La Trobe University, Australia
- Department of Rural Development, India
- Indian Institute of Management, India

Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)
Currency/Amount committed
Currency: Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals

815920 Australian Dollar

Type of funding
Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding, sectoral support, debt swap, equity, etc.)

Grant

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)

01/10/2008

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilised by the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

30/09/2012

Duration (no. of months)
Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

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Rio Marker for desertification
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2

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)
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- 2.2.1 Capacity-Building
- 3.2.7 Water Conservation

Sources of information
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- Internal information from the Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research and information available publicly on the ACIAR website (http://www.aciar.gov.au)

Attachments:
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Financial Commitment #12

Reporting Entity
Enter the name of the country or organisation submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex
- Australia - Federal Institutions

Other
No answer provided

Funding Organisation
Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organisation that has made the financial commitment
- Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

Other
No answer provided

Name of activity funded
Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organisation or initiative funded with this financial commitment
Impacts of climate change and watershed development on whole-of-basin agricultural water security in the Krishna and Murray-Darling Basins

Identification code
Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)
LWR/2007/113

Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)
Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate “Global” if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus
- India

Recipient Organisation(s)
Enter the full name and acronym of the organisation(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to
No answer provided

Other
- University of Melbourne, Australia
- Indian Institute of Tropical Meteorology, India
- International Water Management Institute, India
- The Energy and Resources Institute, India

Executing Agency(ies)
Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organisation(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity
- University of Melbourne, Australia
- Indian Institute of Tropical Meteorology, India
- International Water Management Institute, India
- The Energy and Resources Institute, India

Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)
01/04/2010
Currency/Amount committed
Currency: Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals

1298988 Australian Dollar

Type of funding
Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding, sectoral support, debt swap, equity, etc.)

Grant

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)

01/04/2010

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilised by the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

30/06/2014

Duration (no. of months)
Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

51

Rio Marker for desertification
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

2

 Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)
Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- 4.1.1 Adaptation to climate change
- 3.1.1 Agriculture
- 2.2.1 Capacity-Building

Sources of information
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- Internal information from the Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research and information available publicly on the ACIAR website (http://www.aciar.gov.au)

Attachments:
none
**Financial Commitment #13**

**Reporting Entity**
Enter the name of the country or organisation submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Australia - Federal Institutions**

**Other**
No answer provided

**Funding Organisation**
Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organisation that has made the financial commitment

- **Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research**

**Other**
No answer provided

**Name of activity funded**
Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organisation or initiative funded with this financial commitment

- Optimising canal and groundwater management to assist water user associations in maximising crop production and managing salinisation

**Identification code**
Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

- LWR/2005/144

**Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**
Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate “Global” if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- **Pakistan**

**Recipient Organisation(s)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the organisation(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

No answer provided

**Other**
- Charles Sturt University, Australia
- Punjab Irrigation and Drainage Authority, Pakistan
- University of Agriculture Faisalabad, Pakistan

**Executing Agency(ies)**
Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organisation(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- Charles Sturt University, Australia
- Punjab Irrigation and Drainage Authority, Pakistan
- University of Agriculture Faisalabad, Pakistan

**Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)

01/01/2008

**Currency/Amount committed**
Currency: Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals

1000000 Australian Dollar

Type of funding
Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding, sectoral support, debt swap, equity, etc.)

Grant

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)

01/01/2008

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilised by the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

31/12/2012

Duration (no. of months)
Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

60

Rio Marker for desertification
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

2

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)
Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- 2.2.1 Capacity-Building
- 3.2.7 Water Conservation

Sources of information
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- Internal information from the Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research and information available publicly on the ACIAR website (http://www.aciar.gov.au)

Attachments:
none
Financial Commitment #14

**Reporting Entity**
Enter the name of the country or organisation submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Australia - Federal Institutions**

**Other**

No answer provided

**Funding Organisation**
Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organisation that has made the financial commitment

- **Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research**

**Other**

No answer provided

**Name of activity funded**
Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organisation or initiative funded with this financial commitment

Developing multi-scale climate change adaptation strategies for farming communities in Cambodia, Lao PDR, Bangladesh and India

**Identification code**
Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

LWR/2008/019

**Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**
Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate “Global” if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- India
- Bangladesh
- Cambodia
- Lao People’s Democratic Republic

**Recipient Organisation(s)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the organisation(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

No answer provided

**Other**

- International Rice Research Institute, Bangladesh
- CSIRO Climate Adaptation Flagship, Australia
- Acharya N.G. Ranga Agricultural University, India
- Bangladesh Agricultural Research Council, Bangladesh

**Executing Agency(ies)**
Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organisation(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- International Rice Research Institute, Bangladesh
- CSIRO Climate Adaptation Flagship, Australia
- Acharya N.G. Ranga Agricultural University, India
- Bangladesh Agricultural Research Council, Bangladesh

**Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
01/04/2010

**Currency/Amount committed**
Currency: Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals

5251165 Australian Dollar

**Type of funding**
Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding, sectoral support, debt swap, equity, etc.)

Grant

**Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)

01/04/2010

**Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilised by the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

30/06/2014

**Duration (no. of months)**
Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

51

**Rio Marker for desertification**
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

2

**Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)**
Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- 2.2.1 Capacity-Building
- 4.1.1 Adaptation to climate change

**Sources of information**
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- Internal information from the Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research and information available publicly on the ACIAR website (http://www.aciar.gov.au)

**Attachments:**
none
Financial Commitment #15

**Reporting Entity**
Enter the name of the country or organisation submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- Australia - Federal Institutions

**Other**
No answer provided

**Funding Organisation**
Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organisation that has made the financial commitment

- Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

**Other**
No answer provided

**Name of activity funded**
Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organisation or initiative funded with this financial commitment

- Improving the management of water and nitrogen fertiliser for agricultural profitability, water quality and reduced nitrous oxide emissions in China and Australia

**Identification code**
Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

- LWR/2003/039

**Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**
Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate “Global” if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- China

**Recipient Organisation(s)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the organisation(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

- No answer provided

**Other**
- Cardno Acil Pty Ltd., China Office, Australia
- University of Melbourne, Australia
- China Agricultural University, China
- Chinese Academy of Agricultural Sciences, China
- Chinese Academy of Sciences, China
- Shanxi Academy of Agricultural Sciences, China

**Executing Agency(ies)**
Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organisation(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- Cardno Acil Pty Ltd., China Office, Australia
- University of Melbourne, Australia
- China Agricultural University, China
- Chinese Academy of Agricultural Sciences, China
- Chinese Academy of Sciences, China
- Shanxi Academy of Agricultural Sciences, China
Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)
01/04/2005

Currency/Amount committed
Currency: Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals
1627826 Australian Dollar

Type of funding
Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding, sectoral support, debt swap, equity, etc.)
Grant

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)
01/04/2005

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilised by the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable
30/06/2010

Duration (no. of months)
Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)
63

Rio Marker for desertification
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)
2

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)
Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.
- 2.2.1 Capacity-Building
- 3.2.6 Land Conservation
- 3.2.7 Water Conservation

Sources of information
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.
- Internal information from the Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research and information available publicly on the ACIAR website (http://www.aciar.gov.au)

Attachments:
none
Financial Commitment #16

**Reporting Entity**
Enter the name of the country or organisation submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- Australia - Federal Institutions

**Other**

- No answer provided

**Funding Organisation**
Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organisation that has made the financial commitment

- Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

**Other**

- No answer provided

**Name of activity funded**
Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organisation or initiative funded with this financial commitment

- Improving farmer livelihoods through efficient use of resources in crop-livestock farming systems in western China

**Identification code**
Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

- LWR/2007/191

**Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**
Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place.

- China

**Recipient Organisation(s)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the organisation(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

- No answer provided

**Other**

- CSIRO Sustainable Ecosystems, Australia
- University of Queensland, Australia
- University of Adelaide, Australia
- University of Western Sydney, Australia
- Agriculture and Animal Husbandry Bureau, Huanxian County, China
- Agriculture and Animal Husbandry Bureau, Quingyang City, China
- Agriculture and Animal Husbandry Bureau, Xifeng District, China
- Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, China
- Lanzhou University, China

**Executing Agency(ies)**
Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organisation(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- CSIRO Sustainable Ecosystems, Australia
- University of Queensland, Australia
- University of Adelaide, Australia
- University of Western Sydney, Australia
Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)

01/04/2008

Currency/Amount committed
Currency: Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals

1115771 Australian Dollar

Type of funding
Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding, sectoral support, debt swap, equity, etc.)

Grant

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)

01/04/2008

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilised by the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

31/03/2012

Duration (no. of months)
Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

48

Rio Marker for desertification
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

2

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)
Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- 2.2.1 Capacity-Building
- 3.1.1 Agriculture
- 3.1.3 Livestock Systems

Sources of information
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online,
you may also upload relevant documents.

- Internal information from the Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research and information available publicly on the ACIAR website (http://www.aciar.gov.au)

Attachments:

none
Reporting Entity
Enter the name of the country or organisation submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex
- Australia - Federal Institutions
Other
No answer provided

Funding Organisation
Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organisation that has made the financial commitment
- Australian Agency for International Development
Other
No answer provided

Name of activity funded
Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organisation or initiative funded with this financial commitment
South Asia Water Initiative

Identification code
Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)
INI485

Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)
Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate “Global” if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus
- Afghanistan
- India
- Bangladesh
- Nepal
- Pakistan
- Bhutan
- China

Recipient Organisation(s)
Enter the full name and acronym of the organisation(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to
- Afghanistan - Central Government Institutions
- Bangladesh - Central Government Institutions
- Bhutan - Central Government Institutions
- China - Central Government Institutions
- India - Federal Institutions
- Nepal - Central Government Institutions
- Pakistan - Central Government Institutions
Other
No answer provided

Executing Agency(ies)
Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organisation(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity
**Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)

2008

**Currency/Amount committed**
Currency: Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals

2876000 US Dollar

**Type of funding**
Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding, sectoral support, debt swap, equity, etc.)

Grant

**Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)

2008

**Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilised by the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

2013

**Duration (no. of months)**
Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

60

**Rio Marker for desertification**
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

2

**Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)**
Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- 2.2.1 Capacity-Building
- 2.2.11 Services and Infrastructure
- 3.2.7 Water Conservation
- 2.2.5 Integrated Financing Strategies

**Sources of information**
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.
• Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID) design documents

Attachments:
none
Financial Commitment #18

**Reporting Entity**
Enter the name of the country or organisation submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex
- Austria - Federal Institutions

**Funding Organisation**
Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organisation that has made the financial commitment
- Australian Agency for International Development

**Name of activity funded**
Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organisation or initiative funded with this financial commitment
- AusAID-CSIRO Research Alliance for Development

**Identification code**
Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)
- INI354

**Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**
Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate "Global" if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus
- Southern Asia
- Indonesia

**Recipient Organisation(s)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the organisation(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to
- No answer provided

**Executing Agency(ies)**
Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organisation(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity
- CSIRO Plant Industry, Australia
- Ningxia Academy of Agriculture and Forestry Sciences, China
- Northwest Agriculture and Forestry University, China

**Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)
- 01/05/2008
Currency: Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals

8000000 Australian Dollar

Type of funding
Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding, sectoral support, debt swap, equity, etc.)

Grant

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)

01/05/2008

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilised by the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

30/06/2013

Duration (no. of months)
Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

61

Rio Marker for desertification
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

2

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)
Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- 2.2.1 Capacity-Building
- 2.2.5 Integrated Financing Strategies
- 3.2.7 Water Conservation
- 4.1.1 Adaptation to climate change

Sources of information
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID) design documents

Attachments: none
Financial Commitment #19

Reporting Entity
Enter the name of the country or organisation submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex
• Australia - Federal Institutions

Other
No answer provided

Funding Organisation
Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organisation that has made the financial commitment
• Australian Agency for International Development

Other
No answer provided

Name of activity funded
Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organisation or initiative funded with this financial commitment
Hysawa Fund

Identification code
Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)
INJ037

Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)
Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate “Global” if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus
• Bangladesh

Recipient Organisation(s)
Enter the full name and acronym of the organisation(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to
No answer provided

Other
• Local government institutions
• Local NGO engaged by each local government institution

Executing Agency(ies)
Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organisation(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity
• Local government institutions
• Local NGO engaged by each local government institution

Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)
01/01/2010

Currency/Amount committed
Currency: Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals
Type of funding
Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding, sectoral support, debt swap, equity, etc.)

Grant

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)
01/01/2010

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilised by the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable
30/06/2011

Duration (no. of months)
Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)
18

Rio Marker for desertification
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)
2

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)
Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- 2.2.1 Capacity-Building
- 2.2.5 Integrated Financing Strategies
- 2.2.11 Services and Infrastructure

Sources of information
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- Information from the Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID)

Attachments:
none
Financial Commitment #20

**Reporting Entity**
Enter the name of the country or organisation submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- Australia - Federal Institutions

**Other**

**No answer provided**

**Funding Organisation**
Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organisation that has made the financial commitment

- Australian Agency for International Development

**Other**

**No answer provided**

**Name of activity funded**
Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organisation or initiative funded with this financial commitment

- China Environment Program

**Identification code**
Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

- ING522

**Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**
Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate “Global” if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- China

**Recipient Organisation(s)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the organisation(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

**No answer provided**

**Other**

- Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR)
- Murray Darling Basin Commission
- CSIRO
- Chinese government agencies

**Executing Agency(ies)**
Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organisation(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR)
- Murray Darling Basin Commission
- CSIRO
- Chinese government agencies

**Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)

- 2006
Currency/Amount committed
Currency: Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals
25000000 Australian Dollar

Type of funding
Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding, sectoral support, debt swap, equity, etc.)
Grant

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)
2006

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilised by the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable
2010

Duration (no. of months)
Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)
48

Rio Marker for desertification
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)
2

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)
Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.
- 2.2.1 Capacity-Building
- 3.2.7 Water Conservation
- 2.2.6 Governance and Legislation

Sources of information
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.
- Information from the Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID)

Attachments:
none
Financial Commitment #21

**Reporting Entity**
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- Australia - Federal Institutions

**Other**

- No answer provided

**Funding Organisation**
Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organisation that has made the financial commitment

- Australian Agency for International Development

**Other**

- No answer provided

**Name of activity funded**
Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organisation or initiative funded with this financial commitment

- East Timor Rural Water Supply and Sanitation Program

**Identification code**
Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

- ING002

**Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**
Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate “Global” if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- Timor-Leste

**Recipient Organisation(s)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the organisation(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

- No answer provided

**Other**

- IDSS PTY LTD

**Executing Agency(ies)**
Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organisation(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- IDSS PTY LTD

**Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)

- 01/05/2010

**Currency/Amount committed**
Currency: Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals

- 380000 Australian Dollar
Type of funding
Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding, sectoral support, debt swap, equity, etc.)
Grant

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)
01/05/2010

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilised by the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable
30/06/2011

Duration (no. of months)
Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)
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Rio Marker for desertification
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Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)
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- 2.2.1 Capacity-Building
- 2.2.11 Services and Infrastructure

Sources of information
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.
- Information from the Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID)

Attachments:
one
Financial Commitment #22

**Reporting Entity**
Enter the name of the country or organisation submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- **Australia - Federal Institutions**

**Other**
No answer provided

**Funding Organisation**
Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organisation that has made the financial commitment

- **Australian Agency for International Development**

**Other**
No answer provided

**Name of activity funded**
Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organisation or initiative funded with this financial commitment

- Water Supply Management initiative

**Identification code**
Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

No answer provided

**Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**
Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place.
Indicate “Global” if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- Tuvalu

**Recipient Organisation(s)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the organisation(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

- Tuvalu - Central Government Institutions

**Other**
No answer provided

**Executing Agency(ies)**
Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organisation(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- Rotomould (Pacific) Ltd

**Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organisation
(e.g. 15/01/2011)

- 31/12/2008

**Currency/Amount committed**
Currency: Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals

- 600000 Australian Dollar
Type of funding
Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding, sectoral support, debt swap, equity, etc.)

Grant

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)

31/12/2008

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilised by the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

30/06/2010

Duration (no. of months)
Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

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Rio Marker for desertification
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1

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)
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- 2.2.11 Services and Infrastructure

Sources of information
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- Information from the Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID)

Attachments:
none
Financial Commitment #23

**Reporting Entity**
Enter the name of the country or organisation submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex
- Australia - Federal Institutions

**Other**
No answer provided

**Funding Organisation**
Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organisation that has made the financial commitment
- Australian Agency for International Development

**Other**
No answer provided

**Name of activity funded**
Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organisation or initiative funded with this financial commitment
- Climate Field Schools Program

Question marked as 'No answer'.

**Identification code**
Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)
- No answer provided

**Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**
Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate “Global” if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus
- Indonesia

**Recipient Organisation(s)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the organisation(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to
- No answer provided

**Other**
- Indonesia’s Bureau of Meteorology and Climate

**Executing Agency(ies)**
Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organisation(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity
- Indonesia’s Bureau of Meteorology and Climate

**Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)
- 24/02/2010

**Currency/Amount committed**
Currency: Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals
- 250000 Australian Dollar
Type of funding
Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding, sectoral support, debt swap, equity, etc.)

Grant

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)

06/04/2010

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilised by the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

30/06/2011

Duration (no. of months)
Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

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Rio Marker for desertification
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1

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)
Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- 2.1.4 Education
- 2.2.5 Integrated Financing Strategies
- 4.1.1 Adaptation to climate change
- 2.2.12 Social Development

Sources of information
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- Information from the Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID)

Attachments:

none
Financial Commitment #24

**Reporting Entity**
Enter the name of the country or organisation submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex
- Australia - Federal Institutions

**Other**
- No answer provided

**Funding Organisation**
Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organisation that has made the financial commitment
- Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

**Other**
- No answer provided

**Name of activity funded**
Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organisation or initiative funded with this financial commitment
- Development of conservation cropping systems in the drylands of northern Iraq

**Identification code**
Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)
- CIM/2004/024

**Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)**
Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate “Global” if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus
- Iraq

**Recipient Organisation(s)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the organisation(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to
- No answer provided

**Other**
- ICARDA
- University of Western Australia
- University of Adelaide, Australia
- Iraq State Board of Agricultural Research
- Mosul University, Iraq
- Iraq Directorate of Agriculture
- Dept of Agriculture and Food, Western Australia

**Executing Agency(ies)**
Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organisation(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity
- ICARDA
- University of Western Australia
- University of Adelaide, Australia
- Iraq State Board of Agricultural Research
- Mosul University, Iraq
- Iraq Directorate of Agriculture
Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)
01/07/2008

Currency/Amount committed
Currency: Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total amount of money committed as a numeric field, showing the entire figure (e.g. enter 1500000 to indicate 1.5 million). Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals
4710425 Australian Dollar

Type of funding
Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding, sectoral support, debt swap, equity, etc.)
Grant

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
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01/07/2008

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
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30/06/2011

Duration (no. of months)
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36

Rio Marker for desertification
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2

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)
Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.
• 2.2.1 Capacity-Building
• 3.1.1 Agriculture

Sources of information
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.
• Information from the Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID) and the Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR)

Attachments:
none
Financial Commitment #25

Reporting Entity
Enter the name of the country or organisation submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- Australia - Federal Institutions

Other
No answer provided

Funding Organisation
Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organisation that has made the financial commitment

- Australian Agency for International Development

Other
No answer provided

Name of activity funded
Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organisation or initiative funded with this financial commitment

Global Environment Facility

Identification code
Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

No answer provided

Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)
Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate “Global” if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- World

Other
No answer provided

Recipient Organisation(s)
Enter the full name and acronym of the organisation(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

No answer provided

Other
No answer provided

Executing Agency(ies)
Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organisation(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

No answer provided

Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)

2010

Currency/Amount committed
Currency: Indicate the currency denomination of the financial commitment (e.g. EUR, USD, YN, etc.). Enter the total
105000000 Australian Dollar

**Type of funding**
Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding, sectoral support, debt swap, equity, etc.)

Grant

**Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)

2010

**Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilised by the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

2014

**Duration (no. of months)**
Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

48

**Rio Marker for desertification**
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

3

**Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)**
Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- 2.2.1 Capacity-Building
- 2.2.5 Integrated Financing Strategies
- 2.2.8 Partnership Building

**Sources of information**
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID) information

**Attachments:**
none
Financial Commitment #26

Reporting Entity
Enter the name of the country or organisation submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

- Australia - Federal Institutions

Other
No answer provided

Funding Organisation
Enter the full name and acronym (if applicable) of the organisation that has made the financial commitment

- Australia - Federal Institutions

Other
No answer provided

Name of activity funded
Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organisation or initiative funded with this financial commitment

International Forest Carbon Initiative

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Identification code
Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

No answer provided

Recipient Country(ies) or (sub) region(s)
Enter the name of the country(ies), subregion(s) or region(s) in which the activity is taking place or is due to take place. Indicate “Global” if the activity is of global scale or has no specific geographical focus

- Indonesia
- Papua New Guinea
- Cambodia
- Kenya
- United Republic of Tanzania

Recipient Organisation(s)
Enter the full name and acronym of the organisation(s) to which the funds have been or will be transferred to

- Australia - Federal Institutions

Other
- Department of Climate Change and Energy Efficiency, Australia
- Clinton Climate Initiative

Executing Agency(ies)
Enter the full name an acronym of the Agency(ies) or Organisation(s) that is/are in charge of the execution of the activity

- Department of Energy Efficiency and Climate Change, Australia
- Clinton Climate Initiative

Commitment date (dd/mm/yyyy)
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**Currency/Amount committed**
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273000000 Australian Dollar

**Type of funding**
Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding, sectoral support, debt swap, equity, etc.)

No answer provided

**Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)

2008

**Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilised by the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

2013

**Duration (no. of months)**
Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

No answer provided

**Rio Marker for desertification**
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

1

**Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)**
Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- 2.2.1 Capacity-Building
- 3.2.1 Air and Climate Protection
- 2.2.2 Community Development
- 2.2.3 Drivers and Incentives
- 2.2.5 Integrated Financing Strategies
- 2.2.6 Governance and Legislation
- 3.1.2 Forestry
- 3.2.2 Biodiversity Conservation
- 3.2.3 Forest/Scrub Management

**Sources of information**
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No answer provided

**Type of funding**
Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment (e.g. grant, concessional loan, basket funding, sectoral support, debt swap, equity, etc.)

No answer provided

**Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011)

17/02/2009

Question marked as 'No answer'.

**Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilised by the recipient organisation (e.g. 15/01/2011), if applicable

No answer provided

Question marked as 'No answer'.

**Duration (no. of months)**
Indicate the period covered by this funding, if applicable, expressed in number of months (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

No answer provided

**Rio Marker for desertification**
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to the funded activity by ticking only one of the boxes below (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

2

**Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)**
Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the funded activity (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions). Add as many rows as necessary.

- 1.1.2 Soil Observations

**Sources of information**
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.


Attachments:

none
E. Programme and Project Sheet

Programme and Project Sheets (PPS) are used to provide more detailed information on programmes or projects undertaken or completed in the reporting period. This includes programmes and projects in the pipeline, as well as final proposals submitted for funding to internal or external funding sources. All country Parties and other reporting entities involved in the financing, coordination or implementation of relevant programmes and projects are requested to prepare a PPS for each of them, and to attach them to their official report to the UNCCD.

The compilation of the PPS is guided by means of a template. These templates are intended to collect a minimum set of qualitative and quantitative data to facilitate the analysis of funding and investment flows, and the production of better financial statistics related to UNCCD implementation (ICCD/CRIC(8)/5/Add.4), with a view to enabling the CRIC to undertake an objective review of progress in the implementation of the Convention and The Strategy. The PPS also facilitate the computation of certain performance and impact indicators.

A distinctive feature of the PPS is that it allows country Parties and other reporting entities to specify which strategic and operational objectives of The Strategy are targeted by each programme or project. In addition, it allows for individual programme or project components to be categorised using the Rio Markers for desertification and Relevant Activity Codes (RACs).

Furthermore, the PPS can be used to indicate whether the objectives of other Rio Conventions (i.e. the UN Convention on Biological Diversity, CBD – and the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change, UNFCCC) are also addressed by the programme or project. This is done through the use of the biodiversity and climate change Rio Markers, respectively.

The PPS offers an opportunity to increase the visibility of relevant programmes and projects, thereby creating the conditions for a better sharing of experiences and lessons, as well as the transfer of knowledge in general. It also favours collaboration and networking by facilitating the identification of potential synergies.

Lastly, the PPS also allows country Parties and other reporting entities to provide a narrative description of the expected or achieved results. This information will facilitate the qualitative assessment of progress in the implementation of The Strategy, including on returns on investment. The CRIC will use the analysis of financial information originating from the PPS to assess results, performance and impacts.

To minimise the reporting burden and avoid discrepancies in the information annexed to the reports of different entities, it is recommended that project partners identify the most suitable ways to coordinate among themselves the preparation of PPS to ensure that consistent data are reported for the same projects. It would also be advisable to compile just one PPS for large “umbrella” programmes, instead of separate PPS for each small project stemming from them.

In the PPS template, shaded areas contain information and explanatory texts, while white areas are for reporting purposes and need to be filled in by country Parties and other reporting entities with relevant data or narrative information.

Programme/Project #1

Title
Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable

Improving the utilisation of water and soil resources for tree crop production in coastal areas of Vietnam and New South Wales

Organisation(s)
Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organisation

• Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

Other

No answer provided
Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project
Indicate the role of the reporting organisation in the Programme /Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organisations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)
Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organisations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organisations, research institutions and-or Science & Technology Institutions (STIs) involved in the Programme/Project. Note: This information should be taken into account in the computation of performance indicator no. CONS-O-3.

- Southern Cross University, Australia
- Department of Agriculture and Rural Development, Vietnam
- National Institute for Soils and Fertilisers, Vietnam
- Vietnam Academy of Agricultural Sciences, Vietnam

Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)
Enter the name of the Country(ies), Subregion(s) and/or Region(s) benefiting from the Programme/Project. Indicate “Global” in the absence of a specific geographical focus

- Viet Nam

Target Area size/administrative unit
Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals). Also indicate the administrative unit targeted in the Programme/Project area, if known.

Area Size

No answer provided

Administrative Unit

No answer provided

Target Group
Enter the different stakeholders, such as individuals, groups, or organisations, positively affected through their involvement in the implementation of the Project/Programme

- Research agencies
- Smallholder farmers

Beneficiaries
Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

No answer provided

Identification code
Enter the Programme/Project identification code (ID) or number, given by the relevant extending agency (if applicable)

SMCN/2003/035

Status
Indicate the status of the Programme/Project at the time of completing this form.

Ongoing

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known (e.g. 15/01/2011)
Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known (e.g. 15/01/2011)
31/07/2011

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Programme/Project co-financing

Source
Provide the full name and acronym of all co-financing organisations
No answer provided

Other
No answer provided

Currency, Amount
For each co-financing, indicate the currency denomination used (e.g. EUR, USD, YEN, etc.)
Indicate the amount of funding provided by each co-financing organisation (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)
No answer provided

UN Conventions' Rio Markers
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker to the Programme/Project (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

UNCCD
2

UNFCCC adaptation
0

UNFCCC mitigation
0

CBD
0

Strategic objectives
Indicate which strategic objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project
• 1
• 2

Operational objectives
Indicate which operational objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project
• 1
• 4
• 5

Programme/Project Objectives
Indicate the objectives pursued by the Programme/Project, as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in document. The OECD list of purpose is also available at the following link:
http://www.oecd.org/document/21/0,3343,en_2649_34447_1914325_1_1_1_1,00.html
• 31282 Forestry research
• 31220 Forestry development
Programme/Project Components

Indicate the specific Programme/Project components, if known, as specified in the related documentation. Note: This information should be taken into account in the computation of performance indicator no. CONS-O-18.

No answer provided

Currency, Amount

Indicate the currency denomination (e.g. EUR, USD, YEN, etc.)

Indicate the amount allocated to each Programme/Project component (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

No answer provided

Rio Marker for desertification

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to each Programme/Project component (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

No answer provided

Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the Programme/Project components (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

No answer provided

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).

- In central Vietnam’s coastal provinces, agricultural development is hampered by lack of water combined with sandy soils that are infertile and difficult to irrigate. The project aims to improve smallholders' incomes by improving the profitability of cashew nut production.
- The project will: i. demonstrate the potential for small-scale on-farm water storages; ii. evaluate using waste materials as soil amendments to improve water & nutrient use efficiency; iii. promote adoption of management strategies to enable high irrigation efficiency & improved long term soil fertility

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- Internal information from the Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR) and information available publicly on ACIAR’s website (http://www.aciar.gov.au)

Attachments:

none
# Programme/Project #2

## Title
Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable

**Sustaining and growing landcare systems in the Philippines and Australia**

## Organisation(s)
Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organisation

- **Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research**

## Other
*No answer provided*

## Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project
Indicate the role of the reporting organisation in the Programme /Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

**Donor (ODA)**

## Civil Society Organisations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)
Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organisations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organisations, research institutions and-or Science & Technology Institutions (STIs) involved in the Programme/Project. Note: This information should be taken into account in the computation of performance indicator no. CONS-O-3.

- University of Queensland, Australia
- World Agroforestry Centre, Philippines
- Department of Innovation, Industry, Science and Research, Australia
- Catholic Relief Services, Philippines
- Landcare Foundation of the Philippines Inc, Philippines
- SEAMEO Regional Centre for Graduate Study and Research in Agriculture, Philippines
- University of the Philippines at Los Banos, Philippines

## Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)
Enter the name of the Country(ies), Subregion(s) and/or Region(s) benefiting from the Programme/Project. Indicate “Global” in the absence of a specific geographical focus

- Philippines

*Question marked as 'No answer'.*

## Target Area size/administrative unit
Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals). Also indicate the administrative unit targeted in the {Programme/Project area, if known.}

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## Target Group
Enter the different stakeholders, such as individuals, groups, or organisations, positively affected through their involvement in the implementation of the Project/Programme

- Research agencies
- Smallholder farmers

*Question marked as 'No answer'.*
**Beneficiaries**
Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

*No answer provided*

**Identification code**
Enter the Programme/Project identification code (ID) or number, given by the relevant extending agency (if applicable)

ASEM/2002/051

**Status**
Indicate the status of the Programme/Project at the time of completing this form.

*Ongoing*

**Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known (e.g. 15/01/2011)

*01/07/2004*

**Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known (e.g. 15/01/2011)

*30/06/2011*

*Question marked as ‘No answer’.*

**Programme/Project co-financing**

*Source*

*Provide the full name and acronym of all co-financing organisations*

*No answer provided*

*Other*

*No answer provided*

*Currency, Amount*

*For each co-financing, indicate the currency denomination used (e.g. EUR, USD, YEN, etc.)*

*Indicate the amount of funding provided by each co-financing organisation (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)*

*No answer provided*

**UN Conventions’ Rio Markers**
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker to the Programme/Project (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**UNCCD**

2

**UNFCCC adaptation**

0

**UNFCCC mitigation**

0

**CBD**

0

**Strategic objectives**
Indicate which strategic objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

*• 2*
Operational objectives
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- 1
- 4
- 5

Programme/Project Objectives
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- 31130 Agricultural land resources

Question marked as ‘No answer’.

Programme/Project Components

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- No answer provided

Currency, Amount
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Indicate the amount allocated to each Programme/Project component (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

- No answer provided

Rio Marker for desertification
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to each Programme/Project component (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

- No answer provided

Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)
Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the Programme/Project components (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

- No answer provided

Expected or achieved results
Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).

- Landcare has been successfully adapted at three sites in Mindanao in part through ACIAR project ASEM/1998/052. The sustainability of this success has not been properly examined and is not fully understood.
- Research in the Philippines aims to assess and enhance the sustainability of the approach at the three sites and test the approach at new sites with differing needs, such as Bohol to complement the LWR2 (2001/003) project on watershed management.
- An Australian component will evaluate the effectiveness of Landcare and farmer group participatory approaches to improving the viability and sustainability of peri-urban horticulture.

Sources of information
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Title
Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable

Lao Agricultural Research Fund (LARF) Pilot

Organisation(s)
Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organisation

- Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

Other
No answer provided

Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project
Indicate the role of the reporting organisation in the Programme /Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

- Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organisations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)
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- Uniquest, Australia
- National Agriculture and Forestry Research Institute, Laos

Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)
Enter the name of the Country(ies), Subregion(s) and/or Region(s) benefiting from the Programme/Project. Indicate “Global” in the absence of a specific geographical focus

- Lao People’s Democratic Republic

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Target Area size/administrative unit
Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals). Also indicate the administrative unit targeted in the (Programme/Project area, if known.

Area Size
No answer provided

Administrative Unit
No answer provided

Target Group
Enter the different stakeholders, such as individuals, groups, or organisations, positively affected through their involvement in the implementation of the Project/Programme

- Research agencies
- Smallholder farmers

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Beneficiaries
Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

No answer provided
Identification code
Enter the Programme/Project identification code (ID) or number, given by the relevant extending agency (if applicable)
ASEM/2006/060

Status
Indicate the status of the Programme/Project at the time of completing this form.

Ongoing

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known (e.g. 15/01/2011)

01/01/2007

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known (e.g. 15/01/2011)

30/06/2013

Question marked as ‘No answer’.

Programme/Project co-financing
Source
Provide the full name and acronym of all co-financing organisations
No answer provided
Other
No answer provided

Currency, Amount
For each co-financing, indicate the currency denomination used (e.g. EUR, USD, YEN, etc.)
Indicate the amount of funding provided by each co-financing organisation (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)
No answer provided

UN Conventions’ Rio Markers
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker to the Programme/Project (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

UNCCD
1

UNFCCC adaptation
0

UNFCCC mitigation
0

CBD
0

Strategic objectives
Indicate which strategic objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

• 1

Operational objectives
Indicate which operational objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

• 2
Programme/Project Objectives
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- 31182 Agricultural research

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Currency, Amount
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No answer provided

Rio Marker for desertification
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to each Programme/Project component (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)
No answer provided

Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)
Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the Programme/Project components (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)
No answer provided

Expected or achieved results
Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).
- Modernising the country is a government priority outlined in the Vision 2020 Statement, including advances in agriculture. Strengthening research in agriculture is an important component of this planned advance. Most funding for agricultural is external and directed to large projects.
- There remains a funding gap for smaller projects, particularly for recently graduated agricultural scientists and those returning from study overseas. The LARF will fill this gap by funding small research grants aimed at building and maintaining career momentum for scientists.

Sources of information
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.
- Internal information from the Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR) and information available publicly on ACIAR’s website (http://www.aciar.gov.au)

Attachments:
none
**Title**
Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable

*Water allocation in the Krishna River Basin to improve water productivity in agriculture*

**Organisation(s)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organisation

- Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

**Other**

*No answer provided*

**Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project**
Indicate the role of the reporting organisation in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

*Donor (ODA)*

**Civil Society Organisations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)**
Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organisations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organisations, research institutions and-or Science & Technology Institutions (STIs) involved in the Programme/Project. Note: This information should be taken into account in the computation of performance indicator no. CONS-O-3.

- University of Melbourne, Australia
- International Water Management Institute, India
- Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University, India

**Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)**
Enter the name of the Country(ies), Subregion(s) and/or Region(s) benefiting from the Programme/Project. Indicate “Global” in the absence of a specific geographical focus

- India

**Question marked as ‘No answer’**.

**Target Area size/administrative unit**
Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals). Also indicate the administrative unit targeted in the (Programme/Project area, if known.

*Area Size*

*No answer provided*

*Administrative Unit*

*No answer provided*

**Target Group**
Enter the different stakeholders, such as individuals, groups, or organisations, positively affected through their involvement in the implementation of the Project/Programme

- Research agencies
- Smallholder farmers

**Question marked as ‘No answer’**.

**Beneficiaries**
Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

*No answer provided*
Identification code
Enter the Programme/Project identification code (ID) or number, given by the relevant extending agency (if applicable)
LWR/2003/026

Status
Indicate the status of the Programme/Project at the time of completing this form.
Completed

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known (e.g. 15/01/2011)
01/07/2004

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known (e.g. 15/01/2011)
30/06/2009

Question marked as ‘No answer’.

Programme/Project co-financing
Source
Provide the full name and acronym of all co-financing organisations
No answer provided
Other
No answer provided

Currency, Amount
For each co-financing, indicate the currency denomination used (e.g. EUR, USD, YEN, etc.)
Indicate the amount of funding provided by each co-financing organisation (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)
No answer provided

UN Conventions’ Rio Markers
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker to the Programme/Project (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

UNCCD
2

UNFCCC adaptation
1

UNFCCC mitigation
0

CBD
0

Strategic objectives
Indicate which strategic objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project
• 2

Operational objectives
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• 4
Programme/Project Objectives
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- 14015 Water resources protection
- 14040 River development

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Expected or achieved results
Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).

- Water allocations in the basin have been based on the rulings of the 1969 Krishna Water Disputes Tribunal. Since that time the Basin's water use has focused on crop irrigation in the semi-arid central region, diverting water from the Krishna Delta 'Rice Bowl'.
- River flows to the ocean have ceased, a situation that mirrors what has occurred in Australia's Murray Darling Basin. This similarity, along with questions of water consumption for agriculture as opposed to use for environmental flows, have been addressed in Australia.
- This project aimed to provide technical and economic information and decision support to the Central Water Commission and Ministry of Water Resources - as advisory agents to the Krishna Basin Tribunal - to help improve water productivity for agriculture in the three riparian states of the Krishna Basin.

Sources of information
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- Internal information from the Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR) and information available publicly on ACIAR's website (http://www.aciar.gov.au)

Attachments:
none
Programme/Project #5

Title
Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable

Improving the efficiency of land use change policy in China

Organisation(s)
Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organisation

• Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

Other
No answer provided

Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project
Indicate the role of the reporting organisation in the Programme /Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organisations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)
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• Victorian Department of Sustainability and Environment, Australia
• Australian National University, Australia
• China National Forestry Economics and Development Research Centre, China
• Peking University, China
• Sichuan Forestry Department, China

Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)
Enter the name of the Country(ies), Subregion(s) and/or Region(s) benefiting from the Programme/Project. Indicate “Global” in the absence of a specific geographical focus

• China

Question marked as ‘No answer’.

Target Area size/administrative unit
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Area Size
No answer provided

Administrative Unit
No answer provided

Target Group
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• Research agencies
• Smallholder farmers

Question marked as ‘No answer’.

Beneficiaries
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No answer provided

Identification code
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ADP/2007/055

Status
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Ongoing

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
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01/04/2008

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
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30/11/2010

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Programme/Project co-financing

Source
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No answer provided

Other
No answer provided

Currency, Amount
For each co-financing, indicate the currency denomination used (e.g. EUR, USD, YEN, etc.)
Indicate the amount of funding provided by each co-financing organisation (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)
No answer provided

UN Conventions’ Rio Markers
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker to the Programme/Project (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

UNCCD
2

UNFCCC adaptation
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UNFCCC mitigation
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CBD
0

Strategic objectives
Indicate which strategic objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

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- 31130 Agricultural land resources

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- No answer provided

Rio Marker for desertification

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- No answer provided

Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)

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- No answer provided

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).

- Previous ACIAR projects have led to an improved understanding of Chinese agricultural and forestry policies, and also facilitated the development of institutional and technical capacity.
- This project is using this base to investigate the potential of policy alternatives that will improve the cost-effectiveness of the various land-use change policies that the Chinese Government currently finances.
- Researchers will comprehensively analyse whether the introduction of market-based instruments would improve the cost-effectiveness of these key land-use change programs. Specifically, they will explore the feasibility of a bidding scheme for conservation contracts in allocating government funds.

Sources of information

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Attachments:

none
**Title**
Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable

Scoping study on western China desertification

**Organisation(s)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organisation

- Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

**Other**

No answer provided

**Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project**
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- Donor (ODA)

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- Australian National University, Australia

**Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)**
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- China

Question marked as ‘No answer’.

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- Research agencies
- Smallholder farmers

Question marked as ‘No answer’.

**Beneficiaries**
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No answer provided

**Identification code**
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ADP/2007/090

**Status**
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**Completed**

**Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
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01/09/2008

**Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
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30/11/2008

**Programme/Project co-financing**

**Source**
*Provide the full name and acronym of all co-financing organisations*

No answer provided

**Other**

No answer provided

**Currency, Amount**
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No answer provided

**UN Conventions’ Rio Markers**
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker to the Programme/Project (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**UNCCD**

2

**UNFCCC adaptation**

0

**UNFCCC mitigation**

0

**CBD**

0

**Strategic objectives**
Indicate which strategic objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

- 2

**Operational objectives**
Indicate which operational objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

- 1
- 4
- 5
Programme/Project Objectives
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http://www.oecd.org/document/21/0,3343,en_2649_34447_1914325_1_1_1_1,00.html
- 31130 Agricultural land resources
- 31182 Agricultural research

Programme/Project Components

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- No answer provided

Currency, Amount
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- No answer provided

Rio Marker for desertification
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- No answer provided

Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)
Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the Programme/Project components (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)
- No answer provided

Expected or achieved results
Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).
- Deforestation and unsustainable agricultural practices have resulted in widespread soil degradation in western China. These processes have reduced agricultural productivity and led to the loss of natural ecosystems.
- Australia has attempted to address these issues through policy solutions including command-and-control style regulatory systems and community-based voluntary schemes such as Landcare. Such shared knowledge could help the Chinese Government find solutions to western China's domestic land degradation.
- This study involved a scoping workshop in Beijing, where Australian experts made presentations on relevant Australian laws, policy processes and institutional arrangements and responded to questioning from Chinese officials on aspects of Australia's natural resource management systems.
- Participants reported to ACIAR on the workshop and considered the merit of pursuing a larger collaborative project in this area.

Sources of information
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Attachments:
none
**Title**
Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable

*More effective water use by rainfed wheat in China and Australia - locations in all countries*

**Organisation(s)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organisation

- Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

**Other**
No answer provided

**Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project**
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- Donor (ODA)

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- CSIRO Plant Industry, Australia
- Ningxia Academy of Agriculture and Forestry Sciences, China
- Northwest Agriculture and Forestry University, China

**Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)**
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- China

**Target Area size/administrative unit**
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- Area Size
  - No answer provided

- Administrative Unit
  - No answer provided

**Target Group**
Enter the different stakeholders, such as individuals, groups, or organisations, positively affected through their involvement in the implementation of the Project/Programme

- Research agencies
- Smallholder farmers

**Beneficiaries**
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- No answer provided
Identification code
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CIM/2005/111

Status
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Ongoing

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
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01/06/2008

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
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30/06/2013

Programme/Project co-financing

Source
Provide the full name and acronym of all co-financing organisations
No answer provided

Other
No answer provided

Currency, Amount
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No answer provided

UN Conventions’ Rio Markers
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UNCCD
2

UNFCCC adaptation
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UNFCCC mitigation
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CBD
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Strategic objectives
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- 1
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- 31161 Food crop production

Programme/Project Components

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No answer provided

Rio Marker for desertification

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No answer provided

Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)

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No answer provided

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).

- In north-western China and Australia conservation farming practices are promoted as an important component of more-sustainable farming systems. CSIRO Plant Industry has had breeding success for dryland wheat in Australia by targeting specific traits that make more effective use of available water.
- Some of these traits have also been shown to improve adaptation of wheat to conservation farming practices.
- This project aims to extend this breeding success to north-western China by working with leading breeding programs for dryland wheats in north-western China at Northwest Agriculture and Forestry University, Yangling Shaanxi, and Ningxia Academy of Agriculture and Forestry Science, Yinchuan Ningxia.

Sources of information

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Attachments:

none
**Programme/Project #8**

**Title**
Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable

Early warning and drought preparedness for improved management of crop production in Papua New Guinea

**Organisation(s)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organisation

- Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

**Other**
No answer provided

**Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project**
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Donor (ODA)

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- Bureau of Meteorology, Australia
- Queensland Environmental Protection Agency, Australia
- National Agricultural Research Institute, Papua New Guinea
- PNG National Weather Service, Papua New Guinea

**Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)**
Enter the name of the Country(ies), Subregion(s) and/or Region(s) benefiting from the Programme/Project. Indicate “Global” in the absence of a specific geographical focus

- Papua New Guinea

Question marked as 'No answer'.

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- Research agencies
- Smallholder farmers

Question marked as 'No answer'.

**Beneficiaries**
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Identification code
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ASEM/2006/129

Status
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Completed

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01/04/2008

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
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31/08/2010

Programme/Project co-financing
Source
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No answer provided
Other
No answer provided

Currency, Amount
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UN Conventions’ Rio Markers
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UNCCD
2

UNFCCC adaptation
1

UNFCCC mitigation
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CBD
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Strategic objectives
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• 1

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Programme/Project Objectives

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Rio Marker for desertification

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No answer provided

Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)

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No answer provided

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).

- Many Pacific Island countries including PNG rely on subsistence farming and so are vulnerable to the impacts of climate variability and climate extremes (floods and droughts).
- An early warning system based on seasonal climate forecasts and building local capacity in use of this technology is seen as a major step towards meeting these challenges.
- An understanding of the impacts of a highly variable climate on PNG’s agriculture & the ability to predict this in time to allow government and farmers to take remedial action and adapt to a changing climate is crucial to the long-term sustainability of PNG’s agriculture and well-being of her people

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Attachments:

none
Programme/Project #9

Title
Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable
Evaluation and adoption of improved farming practices on soil and water resources, Bohol Island, the Philippines

Organisation(s)
Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organisation

- Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

Other
No answer provided

Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project
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Donor (ODA)

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- Applied Horticultural Research, Australia
- University of Sydney, Australia
- World Agroforestry Centre, Philippines
- University of Western Sydney, Australia
- Bureau of Soil and Water Management, Philippines

Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)
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- Philippines

Question marked as ‘No answer’.

Target Area size/administrative unit
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Area Size
No answer provided

Administrative Unit
No answer provided

Target Group
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- Research agencies
- Smallholder farmers

Question marked as ‘No answer’.
**Beneficiaries**
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*No answer provided*

**Identification code**
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SMCN/2004/078

**Status**
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*Ongoing*

**Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
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*01/01/2007*

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**UN Conventions’ Rio Markers**

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker to the Programme/Project (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**UNCCD**

*2*

**UNFCCC adaptation**

*0*

**UNFCCC mitigation**

*0*

**CBD**

*0*

**Strategic objectives**

Indicate which strategic objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

*1*
Operational objectives
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Programme/Project Objectives
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- 31130 Agricultural land resources

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No answer provided

Rio Marker for desertification

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No answer provided

Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)

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No answer provided

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).

- Building on the experience and expertise developed through the earlier ACIAR projects LWR/2001/003 and ASEM/2002/051, the project will promote the adoption of improved farming on highly erodible soils on steeply sloping uplands in two upper watersheds in Bohol.
- It will focus on better practices in corn/cassava cropping areas to improve farmer livelihoods, reduce erosion and counteract silting of the water resource.

Sources of information

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Attachments:

none
Programme/Project #10

Title
Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable

Cambodian Agricultural Research Fund

Organisation(s)
Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organisation

* Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

Other
No answer provided

Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project
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Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organisations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)
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* American Friends Service Committee, Cambodia
* Cambodia Agricultural Research and Development Institute, Cambodia
* Centre for Livestock and Agriculture Development, Cambodia
* Department of Agronomy and Agricultural Land Improvement, Cambodia
* Department of Animal Health and Production, Cambodia
* Kampong Cham National School of Agriculture, Cambodia
* Maraheshi Vedic University, Cambodia
* Prek Leap National School of Agriculture, Cambodia

Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)
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* Cambodia

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Target Area size/administrative unit
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Area Size
No answer provided

Administrative Unit
No answer provided

Target Group
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* Research agencies
* Smallholder farmers
Beneficiaries
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No answer provided

Identification code
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ASEM/2003/007

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Ongoing

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01/03/2002

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
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30/06/2011

UN Conventions’ Rio Markers
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UNCCD

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UNFCCC adaptation

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UNFCCC mitigation

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CBD

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Strategic objectives
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Programme/Project Objectives
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- 31182 Agricultural research

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- No answer provided

Rio Marker for desertification
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- No answer provided

Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)
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- No answer provided

Expected or achieved results
Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).

- ACIAR has managed the Cambodian Agricultural Research Fund (CARF) since its inception in 2002. Between 2002 and mid-2006 it was a component of the AusAID-funded 'Cambodian Agricultural Research and Development Institute Assistance Project'.
- From mid-2006 to mid-2009, CARF was been fully funded and managed by ACIAR. CARF was established to provide Cambodian scientists with an opportunity to compete for agricultural research funds.
- It is open to government, university or college and NGO organisations based in Cambodia, which have the clear ability and mandate to implement research within Cambodia including projects on animal and plant health, and food safety.
- The fund is to provide an environment of competitive tender for agricultural research.

Sources of information
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Attachments:

none
Title
Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable
   Enhancing institutional performance in watershed management in Andhra Pradesh, India

Organisation(s)
Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organisation
• Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

Other
No answer provided

Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project
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   • Edith Cowan University, Australia
   • International Water Management Institute, India
   • Department of Rural Development, India
   • La Trobe University, Australia
   • Indian Institute of Management, India

Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)
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• India

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Target Area size/administrative unit
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Area Size
   No answer provided

Administrative Unit
   No answer provided

Target Group
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• Research agencies
• Smallholder farmers

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Beneficiaries
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No answer provided

**Identification code**

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LWR/2006/158

**Status**

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Ongoing

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01/10/2008

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30/09/2012

**Question marked as 'No answer'.**

**Programme/Project co-financing**

**Source**

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No answer provided

**Other**

No answer provided

**Currency, Amount**

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No answer provided

**UN Conventions' Rio Markers**

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker to the Programme/Project (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**UNCCD**

2

UNFCCC adaptation

0

UNFCCC mitigation

0

CBD

0

**Strategic objectives**

Indicate which strategic objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

- 1
- 2
Operational objectives
Indicate which operational objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

- 4
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- 14010 Water resources policy and administrative management

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Rio Marker for desertification
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No answer provided

Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)
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No answer provided

Expected or achieved results
Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).

- The aim of this project is to enhance livelihoods in rain-fed areas of the Indian Central Plateau (particularly Andhra Pradesh) by improving the institutional performance of WSD programs. The project team will undertake a comprehensive evaluation of WSD program design and implementation in the areas.
- The desired outcome is greater capacity within various Indian agencies to improve institutional design for WSD and other resource management activities.
- The project will also address social and environmental issues by recommending rules and coordinating mechanisms to ensure that development & extraction of groundwater remain within sustainable limits.
- Conservative estimates based on earlier experience calculate that farmer incomes in Andhra Pradesh could be raised by about Rs.18200 million (US$460 million) annually as a result of this project.

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LWR/2007/113

Status
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Ongoing

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01/04/2010

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30/06/2014

Programme/Project co-financing
Source
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No answer provided

Other
No answer provided

Currency, Amount
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No answer provided

UN Conventions’ Rio Markers
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UNCCD
2

UNFCCC adaptation
1

UNFCCC mitigation
0

CBD
0

Strategic objectives
Indicate which strategic objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

• 1
• 2
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- 14010 Water resources policy and administrative management
- 31140 Agricultural water resources

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Rio Marker for desertification
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Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)
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No answer provided

Expected or achieved results
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- By the year 2100 some predict that India will experience a 3–5°C increase in average temperature and the Krishna basin will experience a 20% decline in precipitation. Accordingly, runoff in the Krishna basin would decline 30–50%. Achieving the desired level of agricultural growth will be challenging
- This project will assess the potential impacts of WSD and climate change on the long-term water security for agriculture in the Krishna river basin and compare the findings with the forecast impacts and adaptation strategies in the Murray-Darling basin.
- The assessment will help to ascertain how well these strategies can support future food production and the concomitant effects they may have on farmer’s livelihoods.

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Attachments:
Programme/Project #13

Title
Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable

Optimising canal and groundwater management to assist water user associations in maximising crop production and managing salinisation

Organisation(s)
Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organisation

• Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

Other
No answer provided

Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project
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Donor (ODA)

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• Charles Sturt University, Australia
• University of Agriculture Faisalabad, Pakistan
• Punjab Irrigation and Drainage Authority, Pakistan

Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)
Enter the name of the Country(ies), Subregion(s) and/or Region(s) benefiting from the Programme/Project. Indicate "Global" in the absence of a specific geographical focus

• Pakistan

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Target Area size/administrative unit
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Area Size
No answer provided

Administrative Unit
No answer provided

Target Group
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• Research agencies
• Smallholder farmers

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Beneficiaries
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Identification code
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LWR/2005/144

Status
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Ongoing

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31/12/2012

UN Conventions’ Rio Markers
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UNCCD
2

UNFCCC adaptation
0

UNFCCC mitigation
0

CBD
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Strategic objectives
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- 1
- 2

Operational objectives
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- 31140 Agricultural water resources
- 14010 Water resources policy and administrative management

Programme/Project Components

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Rio Marker for desertification
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Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)
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No answer provided

Expected or achieved results
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- The Punjab Irrigation and Drainage Authority (PIDA) in Pakistan operates and maintains one of the largest irrigation canal systems in the world. However the system now requires major rehabilitation and improvement to meet present-day demands.
- This project will identify opportunities for equitable distribution of canal and groundwater to improve livelihoods through maximising crop production and managing salinisation in irrigated landscapes.
- The project team will develop tools capable of analysing hydrological and economic water management trade-off scenarios, use the results to develop improved canal and groundwater management options, then give support in implementing the improvements.

Sources of information
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Attachments:
none
Title
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Developing multi-scale climate change adaptation strategies for farming communities in Cambodia, Lao PDR, Bangladesh and India

Organisation(s)
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- Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

Other
No answer provided

Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project
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- International Rice Research Institute, Bangladesh
- CSIRO Climate Adaptation Flagship, Australia
- Bangladesh Agricultural Research Council, Bangladesh
- Acharya N.G. Ranga Agricultural University, India
- Bangladesh Agricultural Research Institute, Bangladesh
- Bangladesh Rice Research Institute, Bangladesh
- Cambodia Agricultural Research and Development Institute, Cambodia;
- Livelihoods and Natural Resource Management Institute, India
- Department of Agricultural Extension, Cambodia
- Department of Meteorology and Hydrology, Laos
- International Development Enterprises, Cambodia
- National Agriculture and Forestry Extension Service, Laos
- National Agriculture and Forestry Research Institute, Laos
- National University of Laos, Laos
- Watershed Support Services and Activities Network, India

Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)
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- Cambodia
- Lao People’s Democratic Republic
- India
- Bangladesh

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- Research agencies
- Smallholder farmers

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No answer provided

Identification code
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LWR/2008/019

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UN Conventions' Rio Markers
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- 31161 Food crop production
- 31182 Agricultural research

Expected or achieved results
Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).

- Cambodia, Laos, Bangladesh and India are among the Asian countries most vulnerable to climate change.
This project aims to develop strategies that enable policy makers to deliver more effective climate adaptation programs relevant to farmer livelihoods and food security.

- At the same time the scientists will help to build capacity of farming households in selected regions of each of the four countries, enabling them to adapt their rice-based cropping systems to accommodate climate variability and climate change.

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**Attachments:**

none
Title
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Improving the management of water and nitrogen fertiliser for agricultural profitability, water quality and reduced nitrous oxide emissions in China and Australia

Organisation(s)
Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organisation

• Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

Other
No answer provided

Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project
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Donor (ODA)

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• Cardno Acil Pty Ltd., China Office, Australia
• Shanxi Academy of Agricultural Sciences, China
• Chinese Academy of Sciences, China
• Chinese Academy of Agricultural Sciences, China
• China Agricultural University, China
• University of Melbourne, Australia

Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)
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• China

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Target Area size/administrative unit
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Area Size
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Target Group
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• Research agencies
• Smallholder farmers

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LWR/2003/039

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01/04/2005

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30/06/2010

Question marked as ‘No answer’.

**Programme/Project co-financing**

**Source**
Provide the full name and acronym of all co-financing organisations

No answer provided

**Other**

No answer provided

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No answer provided

**UN Conventions’ Rio Markers**
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker to the Programme/Project (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

UNCCD
2

UNFCCC adaptation
0

UNFCCC mitigation
1

CBD
0

**Strategic objectives**
Indicate which strategic objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

- 1
Operational objectives
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- 4
- 5

Programme/Project Objectives
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- 31120 Agricultural development
- 31130 Agricultural land resources

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Expected or achieved results
Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).

- Many cropping areas in China rely on water irrigation and fertiliser. In western provinces wheat and maize are grown with low water use efficiency and, often, wasteful nitrogen fertiliser application. This lowers income and harms the environment including by catalysing emission of greenhouse gases.
- Improving current practices will boost income and lower these environmental problems, including nitrogen loss and nitrate leaching into groundwater.
- By using a Water and Nitrogen Management Module (WNMM) developed in past ACIAR research, improvements in practices are being determined with research results also applicable in parts of Australia where irrigated cropping is practiced.

Sources of information
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- Internal information from the Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR) and information available publicly on ACIAR’s website (http://www.aciar.gov.au)
Attachments:
none
Title
Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable

Improving farmer livelihoods through efficient use of resources in crop-livestock farming systems in western China

Organisation(s)
Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organisation

• Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

Other
No answer provided

Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project
Indicate the role of the reporting organisation in the Programme /Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organisations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)
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• CSIRO Sustainable Ecosystems, Australia
• University of Queensland, Australia
• University of Adelaide, Australia
• University of Western Sydney, Australia
• Agriculture and Animal Husbandry Bureau, Huanxian County, China
• Agriculture and Animal Husbandry Bureau, Quingyang City, China
• Agriculture and Animal Husbandry Bureau, Xifeng District, China
• Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, China
• Lanzhou University, China

Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)
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• China

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Target Area size/administrative unit
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Area Size
No answer provided

Administrative Unit
No answer provided

Target Group
Enter the different stakeholders, such as individuals, groups, or organisations, positively affected through their involvement in the implementation of the Project/Programme
- Research agencies
- Smallholder farmers

**Beneficiaries**
Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

No answer provided

**Identification code**
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**Status**
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Ongoing

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01/04/2008

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31/03/2012

**Programme/Project co-financing**

**Source**
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**Other**

No answer provided

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No answer provided

**UN Conventions’ Rio Markers**
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker to the Programme/Project (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

**UNCCD**

2

**UNFCCC adaptation**

0

**UNFCCC mitigation**

0

**CBD**

0
Strategic objectives
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- 1
- 2

Operational objectives
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Programme/Project Objectives
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- 31130 Agricultural land resources
- 31140 Agricultural water resources

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No answer provided

Rio Marker for desertification
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No answer provided

Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)
Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the Programme/Project components (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)
No answer provided

Expected or achieved results
Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).

- The development of integrated crop-livestock systems has potential to alleviate poverty and reduce resource degradation in western China.
- This project will undertake farm experimentation with systems analysis tools (databases, simulation modelling, economic analysis) while focusing on integration of crop and livestock production. It will emphasise productivity, water-use efficiency and whole farm economic performance.
- The main anticipated economic impact will be improvement in farmers’ incomes by helping them to more effectively establish perennial pastures and to optimise their cropping-livestock mix in relation to rainfall and market opportunities.

Sources of information
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**Programme/Project #17**

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<td>South Asia Sustainable Development Department (SASSD) of the World Bank and other South Asian and various international CSOs and STIs</td>
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No answer provided

Identification code
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INI485

Status
Indicate the status of the Programme/Project at the time of completing this form.

Ongoing

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
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2008

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
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2013

Programme/Project co-financing

Source
Provide the full name and acronym of all co-financing organisations

- UK - CCD Focal Point - Department for International Development

Other
No answer provided

Currency, Amount
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41520000 US Dollar

UN Conventions’ Rio Markers
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker to the Programme/Project (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

UNCCD
2

UNFCCC adaptation
1

UNFCCC mitigation
1

CBD
0

Strategic objectives
Indicate which strategic objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

- 1
Operational objectives
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- 2
- 4
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Programme/Project Objectives
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- 14020 Water supply and sanitation - large systems
- 31140 Agricultural water resources

Programme/Project Components

Programme/Project Components
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- No answer provided

Currency, Amount
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- No answer provided

Rio Marker for desertification
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- No answer provided

Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)
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- No answer provided

Expected or achieved results
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- The South Asia Water Initiative (SAWI) aims to promote poverty reduction, economic growth, mitigation and adaptation to climate change and water security through improvements in water resources management and development at the regional, international basin and national levels in South Asia.

Sources of information
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- Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID) design documents

Attachments:
none
Programme/Project #18

Title
Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable
AusAID-CSIRO Research Alliance for Development

Organisation(s)
Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organisation
- Australian Agency for International Development

Other
No answer provided

Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project
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- CSIRO Plant Industry, Australia
- Ningxia Academy of Agriculture and Forestry Sciences, China
- Northwest Agriculture and Forestry University, China

Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)
Enter the name of the Country(ies), Subregion(s) and/or Region(s) benefiting from the Programme/Project. Indicate “Global” in the absence of a specific geographical focus
- Southern Asia
- Indonesia

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Target Area size/administrative unit
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Area Size
No answer provided

Administrative Unit
No answer provided

Target Group
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- Affected countries' populations

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Beneficiaries
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No answer provided
Identification code
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INI354

Status
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Ongoing

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Question marked as ‘No answer’.

Programme/Project co-financing

Source
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No answer provided

Other
No answer provided

Currency, Amount
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UN Conventions’ Rio Markers
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UNCCD
2

UNFCCC adaptation
0

UNFCCC mitigation
0

CBD
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Strategic objectives
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- 1
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- 23082 Energy research
- 31182 Agricultural research
- 41082 Environmental research
- 43082 Research/scientific institutions

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Rio Marker for desertification

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| No answer provided |

Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)

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| No answer provided |

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).

- Policy and design: Extent to which the science generated through the Alliance informs AusAID's design of development activities and ability of outcomes to be adapted and scaled up based on lessons learnt in-country;
- Adoption: Extent of changed capacity, behaviours and policies in-country based on adoption of science-based approaches to environmental challenges;
- Strategy: Attainment of goals as articulated in AusAID's environment strategy as influenced by the new knowledge and paths to implementation developed through the Alliance;
- Sustainability: Tangible improvements to the environmental, social and economic indicators in areas targeted by individual activities

Sources of information

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- Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID) design documents
Attachments:
none
Programme/Project #19

**Title**
Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable

Hysawa Fund

**Organisation(s)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organisation

- Australian Agency for International Development

**Other**

No answer provided

**Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project**
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Donor (ODA)

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- Local government institutions
- Local NGO engaged by each Local government institution

**Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)**
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- Bangladesh

**Question marked as 'No answer'.**

**Target Area size/administrative unit**
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- Area Size: No answer provided
- Administrative Unit: No answer provided

**Target Group**
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- Poorest population in Bangladesh

**Beneficiaries**
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- 400000

**Identification code**
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*Ongoing*

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*30/06/2011*

**Programme/Project co-financing**

*Source*
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- Danish International Development Agency

*Other*

*No answer provided*

*Currency, Amount*
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*No answer provided*

**UN Conventions’ Rio Markers**
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**UNCCD**
1

**UNFCCC adaptation**
0

**UNFCCC mitigation**
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**CBD**
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**Strategic objectives**
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- 14030 Basic drinking water supply and basic sanitation

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| No answer provided |

### Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)

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| No answer provided |

### Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).

- Promote hygiene and community led sanitation and increase coverage of safe water supply services and strengthen capacity of governments and other stakeholders to achieve these three objectives.
- Addresses inequalities in water access due in part to salinity issues.

### Sources of information

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- Information from the Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID)

### Attachments:

none
### Programme/Project #20

#### Title
Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable
- China Environment Program

#### Organisation(s)
Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organisation
- Australian Agency for International Development

#### Other
- No answer provided

#### Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project
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- Donor (ODA)

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- Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR)
- Murray Darling Basin Commission,
- CSIRO
- Chinese govt agencies

#### Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)
Enter the name of the Country(ies), Subregion(s) and/or Region(s) benefiting from the Programme/Project. Indicate “Global” in the absence of a specific geographical focus
- China

**Question marked as ‘No answer’.

**Target Area size/administrative unit**
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**Target Group**
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- Population in recipient areas

**Question marked as ‘No answer’.

**Beneficiaries**
Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)
- No answer provided
Identification code
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Status
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Ongoing

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
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2006

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
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2010

Programme/Project co-financing
Source
Provide the full name and acronym of all co-financing organisations

No answer provided

Other

No answer provided

Currency, Amount
For each co-financing, indicate the currency denomination used (e.g. EUR, USD, YEN, etc.)
Indicate the amount of funding provided by each co-financing organisation (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

No answer provided

UN Conventions’ Rio Markers
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker to the Programme/Project (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

UNCCD
2

UNFCCC adaptation
1

UNFCCC mitigation
0

CBD
0

Strategic objectives
Indicate which strategic objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

1
2

Operational objectives
Indicate which operational objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project
Programme/Project Objectives
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- 14010 Water resources policy and administrative management

Programme/Project Components

Indicate the specific Programme/Project components, if known, as specified in the related documentation.

Note: This information should be taken into account in the computation of performance indicator no. CONS-O-18.

- No answer provided

Currency, Amount
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- No answer provided

Rio Marker for desertification
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- No answer provided

Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)
Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the Programme/Project components (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

- No answer provided

Expected or achieved results
Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).

- Strengthening China's capacity in environmental management, particularly in water resources management

Sources of information
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- Information from the Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID)

Attachments:
none
Programme/Project #21

**Title**
Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable

East Timor Rural Water Supply and Sanitation Program

**Organisation(s)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organisation

- Australian Agency for International Development

**Other**

No answer provided

**Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project**
Indicate the role of the reporting organisation in the Programme /Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

**Civil Society Organisations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)**
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- IDSS PTY LTD

**Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)**
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- Timor-Leste

**Question marked as 'No answer'**.

**Target Area size/administrative unit**
Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals). Also indicate the administrative unit targeted in the (Programme/Project area, if known.

- Area Size
  - No answer provided

- Administrative Unit
  - No answer provided

**Target Group**
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- Population in recipient areas

**Question marked as 'No answer'**.

**Beneficiaries**
Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

- No answer provided

**Identification code**
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**Status**
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- **Ongoing**

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- 01/05/2010

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**Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)**
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- 30/06/2011

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**UNCCD**
1

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**UNFCCC adaptation**
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**UNFCCC mitigation**
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**CBD**
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**Strategic objectives**
Indicate which strategic objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

- 1

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**Operational objectives**
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- 2
- 4
- 5
Programme/Project Objectives

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- 14030 Basic drinking water supply and basic sanitation

Programme/Project Components

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Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).

- To increase rural community (including women, men, girls and boys) access to sustainable clean water supplies and adequate sanitation and to improve people’s hygiene and sanitation practices.

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- Information from the Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID)

Attachments:

none
Programme/Project #22

Title
Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable

Water Supply Management initiative

Organisation(s)
Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organisation

• Australian Agency for International Development

Other
No answer provided

Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project
Indicate the role of the reporting organisation in the Programme /Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organisations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)
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taken into account in the computation of performance indicator no. CONS-O-3.

• Rotomould (Pacific) Ltd

Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)
Enter the name of the Country(ies), Subregion(s) and/or Region(s) benefiting from the Programme/Project. Indicate
“Global” in the absence of a specific geographical focus

• Tuvalu

Target Area size/administrative unit
Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals).
Also indicate the administrative unit targeted in the {Programme/Project area, if known.

Area Size
No answer provided

Administrative Unit
Fanafuti

Target Group
Enter the different stakeholders, such as individuals, groups, or organisations, positively affected through their
involvement in the implementation of the Project/Programme

• Populationin recipient areas

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Beneficiaries
Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known (numeric field. Do not use
abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

No answer provided

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Identification code
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Status
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Ongoing

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known (e.g. 15/01/2011)
31/12/2008

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known (e.g. 15/01/2011)
30/06/2010

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Programme/Project co-financing

Source
Provide the full name and acronym of all co-financing organisations
No answer provided

Other
No answer provided

Currency, Amount
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No answer provided

UN Conventions' Rio Markers
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker to the Programme/Project (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

UNCCD
1

UNFCCC adaptation
0

UNFCCC mitigation
0

CBD
0

Strategic objectives
Indicate which strategic objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project
• 1

Operational objectives
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Programme/Project Objectives
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- 14010 Water resources policy and administrative management

Programme/Project Components

Programme/Project Components
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No answer provided

Currency, Amount
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No answer provided

Rio Marker for desertification
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to each Programme/Project component (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

No answer provided

Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)
Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the Programme/Project components (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

No answer provided

Expected or achieved results
Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).
- To improve households water capture and storage in Tuvalu; increasing water security in Tuvalu

Sources of information
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.
- Information from the Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID)

Attachments:
none
Programme/Project #23

**Title**
Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable

*Climate Field Schools program*

**Organisation(s)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organisation

- *Australian Agency for International Development*

**Other**

*No answer provided*

**Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project**
Indicate the role of the reporting organisation in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

*Donor (ODA)*

**Civil Society Organisations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)**
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- *Indonesia’s Bureau of Meteorology and Climate*

**Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)**
Enter the name of the Country(ies), Subregion(s) and/or Region(s) benefiting from the Programme/Project. Indicate “Global” in the absence of a specific geographical focus

- *Indonesia*

**Target Area size/administrative unit**
Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals).
Also indicate the administrative unit targeted in the Programme/Project area, if known.

**Area Size**
*No answer provided*

**Administrative Unit**
*No answer provided*

**Target Group**
Enter the different stakeholders, such as individuals, groups, or organisations, positively affected through their involvement in the implementation of the Project/Programme

- *Population (farmers) in recipient areas*

**Beneficiaries**
Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

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**Identification code**
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Status
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Ongoing

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
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06/04/2010

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known (e.g. 15/01/2011)

30/06/2010

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Programme/Project co-financing

Source
Provide the full name and acronym of all co-financing organisations
No answer provided

Other
No answer provided

Currency, Amount

For each co-financing, indicate the currency denomination used (e.g. EUR, USD, YEN, etc.)
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No answer provided

UN Conventions’ Rio Markers
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker to the Programme/Project (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

UNCCD
1

UNFCCC adaptation
1

UNFCCC mitigation
0

CBD
0

Strategic objectives
Indicate which strategic objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

• 1

Operational objectives
Indicate which operational objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

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• 2
• 4
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Programme/Project Objectives
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- 14010 Water resources policy and administrative management
- 31181 Agricultural education/training

Programme/Project Components
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No answer provided

Currency, Amount
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No answer provided

Rio Marker for desertification
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No answer provided

Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)
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No answer provided

Expected or achieved results
Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).
- To improve farming practices and food security through new knowledge and skills in adopting and using climate and meteorological forecasts and information.

Sources of information
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.
- Information from the Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID)

Attachments:
none
Programme/Project #24

**Title**
Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable

  Development of conservation cropping systems in the drylands of northern Iraq

**Organisation(s)**
Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organisation

  • Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research

**Other**
No answer provided

**Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project**
Indicate the role of the reporting organisation in the Programme /Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

  Donor (ODA)

**Civil Society Organisations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)**
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  • ICARDA
  • University of Western Australia
  • University of Adelaide
  • Iraq State Board of Agricultural Research
  • Mosul University
  • Iraq Directorate of Agriculture
  • Dept of Agriculture and Food Western Australia

**Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)**
Enter the name of the Country(ies), Subregion(s) and/or Region(s) benefiting from the Programme/Project. Indicate “Global” in the absence of a specific geographical focus

  • Iraq

**Target Area size/administrative unit**
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  Area Size
  No answer provided

  Administrative Unit
  No answer provided

**Target Group**
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  No answer provided

Question marked as 'No answer'.
Beneficiaries
Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

No answer provided

Identification code
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Status
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Ongoing

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01/07/2008

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
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30/06/2011

Programme/Project co-financing
Source
Provide the full name and acronym of all co-financing organisations
No answer provided

Other
No answer provided

Currency, Amount
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Indicate the amount of funding provided by each co-financing organisation (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)
No answer provided

UN Conventions’ Rio Markers
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker to the Programme/Project (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

UNCCD
2

UNFCCC adaptation
0

UNFCCC mitigation
0

CBD
0

Strategic objectives
Indicate which strategic objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

1
Operational objectives
Indicate which operational objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project
- 2
- 4
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Programme/Project Objectives
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http://www.oecd.org/document/21/0,3343,en_2649_34447_1914325_1_1_1_1,00.html
- 31161 Food crop production

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Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)
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| No answer provided |

Expected or achieved results
Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).
- Increased productivity, profitability and sustainability of crops in the drylands of northern Iraq through the development, evaluation and promotion of conservation cropping technologies involving zero-tillage, stubble mulching, improved crop cultivars and better crop management.

Sources of information
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.
- Information from the Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID) and from the Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR)

Attachments:
none
Programme/Project #25

Title
Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable

Global Environmental Facility

Organisation(s)
Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organisation

• Australian Agency for International Development

Other
No answer provided

Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project
Indicate the role of the reporting organisation in the Programme /Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Civil Society Organisations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)
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No answer provided

Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)
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• World

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Target Area size/administrative unit
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Area Size
No answer provided

Administrative Unit
No answer provided

Target Group
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• Population in recipient areas

Question marked as 'No answer'.

Beneficiaries
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No answer provided

Question marked as 'No answer'.
Identification code
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No answer provided

Status
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Ongoing

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2010

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
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2014

Programme/Project co-financing
Source
Provide the full name and acronym of all co-financing organisations
No answer provided
Other
No answer provided

Currency, Amount
For each co-financing, indicate the currency denomination used (e.g. EUR, USD, YEN, etc.)
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No answer provided

UN Conventions’ Rio Markers
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UNCCD
3

UNFCCC adaptation
0

UNFCCC mitigation
0

CBD
0

Strategic objectives
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• 1
• 2
• 3
• 4
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- 2
- 4
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Programme/Project Objectives
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http://www.oecd.org/document/21/0,3343,en_2649_34447_1914325_1_1_1_1,00.html

- 31130 Agricultural land resources
- 14010 Water resources policy and administrative management
- 41010 Environmental policy and administrative management

Programme/Project Components

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Rio Marker for desertification

Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to each Programme/Project component (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

No answer provided

Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)

Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the Programme/Project components (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

No answer provided

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).

- Australia has supported the Global Environment Facility since its establishment.
- Operating as a financial mechanism of the UN Convention to Combat Desertification since 2003, the GEF has provided an estimated US$340 million in direct funding, and leveraged $2.5 billion in co-financing, for sustainable land management projects in forty countries.
- In the 2010-14 replenishment period approximately US$400 million, 9.5 per cent of total resources, will be targeted at arresting and reversing current global trends in land degradation, specifically desertification and deforestation.

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- Information from the Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID)

Attachments:
Title
Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable

GlobalSoilMap.net Project

Organisation(s)
Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organisation

No answer provided

Other
- World Soil Information

Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project
Indicate the role of the reporting organisation in the Programme /Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Executing Agency

Civil Society Organisations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)
Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organisations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organisations, research institutions and-or Science & Technology Institutions (STIs) involved in the Programme/Project. Note: This information should be taken into account in the computation of performance indicator no. CONS-O-3.

- University of Sydney

Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)
Enter the name of the Country(ies), Subregion(s) and/or Region(s) benefiting from the Programme/Project. Indicate “Global” in the absence of a specific geographical focus

- World

Target Area size/administrative unit
Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals). Also indicate the administrative unit targeted in the (Programme/Project area, if known.

Area Size
No answer provided

Administrative Unit
No answer provided

Target Group
Enter the different stakeholders, such as individuals, groups, or organisations, positively affected through their involvement in the implementation of the Project/Programme

- Entire world population

Beneficiaries
Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)
No answer provided
Identification code
Enter the Programme/Project identification code (ID) or number, given by the relevant extending agency (if applicable)

No answer provided

Status
Indicate the status of the Programme/Project at the time of completing this form.

Ongoing

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known (e.g. 15/01/2011)

17/02/2009

Completion date (dd/mm/yyyy)
Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known (e.g. 15/01/2011)

No answer provided

Programme/Project co-financing

Source
Provide the full name and acronym of all co-financing organisations

• Gates Bill & Melinda Foundation

Other

No answer provided

Currency, Amount
For each co-financing, indicate the currency denomination used (e.g. EUR, USD, YEN, etc.)
Indicate the amount of funding provided by each co-financing organisation (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

18000000 US Dollar

UN Conventions’ Rio Markers
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker to the Programme/Project (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

UNCCD
2

UNFCCC adaptation
1

UNFCCC mitigation
1

CBD
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Strategic objectives
Indicate which strategic objective of the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy is addressed by the Programme/Project

• 4

Operational objectives
Programme/Project Objectives
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- 41082 Environmental research
- 41030 Bio-diversity
- 31182 Agricultural research

Programme/Project Components

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No answer provided

Currency, Amount
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Indicate the amount allocated to each Programme/Project component (numeric field. Do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals)

No answer provided

Rio Marker for desertification
Assign the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification to each Programme/Project component (refer to the Rio Markers guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

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Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)
Indicate all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply to the Programme/Project components (refer to the RACs guidance note for more information, examples and instructions)

- 1.1.2 Soil Observations

Expected or achieved results
Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).

- 1) the GlobalSoilMap.net project aims to make a new digital soil map of the world, using significantly improved collection technologies and prediction of soil properties.
- To provide a soil information system consisting of the primary functional soil properties at a grid resolution of 90 by 90 metres
- This new global soil map would have functionality and allow for interpretations to assist in a range of global issues such as food production and hunger eradication 2), climate change 3), biodiversity conservation and environmental degradation.

Sources of information
Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above (add as many rows as necessary). If reporting online, you may also upload relevant documents.

- Grant obtained from Melinda Gates foundation and Alliance for a Green Revolution in Africa to map most of sub-Saharan Africa - work commenced on sampling and analysing soils across the region. Expected total mapping to be completed within 5 years (approximately 2013)

Attachments:
none
Programme/Project #31

Title
Enter the Programme/Project title, and sub-title if applicable

International Forest Carbon Initiative

Organisation(s)
Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting organisation

- Australia - Federal Institutions
- Australian Agency for International Development

Other
No answer provided

Role of the Organisation(s) in the Programme/Project
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Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organisations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)
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- Department of Climate Change and Energy Efficiency

Beneficiary Country(ies) or Sub Region(s)
Enter the name of the Country(ies), Subregion(s) and/or Region(s) benefiting from the Programme/Project. Indicate “Global” in the absence of a specific geographical focus

- Indonesia
- Papua New Guinea

Question marked as ‘No answer’.

Target Area size/administrative unit
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Area Size
No answer provided

Administrative Unit
No answer provided

Question marked as ‘No answer’.

Target Group
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Beneficiaries
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Identification code
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Status
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Ongoing

Start date (dd/mm/yyyy)
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Programme/Project co-financing
Source
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Currency, Amount
For each co-financing, indicate the currency denomination used (e.g. EUR, USD, YEN, etc.)
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UNFCCC adaptation
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Operational objectives
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- 31210 Forestry policy and administrative management
- 41010 Environmental policy and administrative management

Programme/Project Components

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Note: This information should be taken into account in the computation of performance indicator no. CONS-O-18.

No answer provided

Currency, Amount

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No answer provided

Rio Marker for desertification

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No answer provided

Relevant Activity Codes (RACs)

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No answer provided

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project (max 100 words).

- Australia’s $273 million International Forest Carbon Initiative is a key contribution to global action to reduce emissions from deforestation and forest degradation in developing countries (REDD+). The Initiative is jointly administered by the Australian Department of Climate Change and Energy Efficiency and AusAID.

Through the Initiative, Australia is working in its region to help build capacity and provide momentum to support inclusion of REDD+ in a post-2012 global climate change agreement. A central element of the Initiative is taking practical action on REDD+ through collaborative Forest Carbon Partnerships with Indonesia and Papua New Guinea. These Partnerships demonstrate how the technical and policy hurdles to REDD+ might be addressed and provide useful lessons learned to support international efforts under the UNFCCC to design a REDD+ financial mechanism.

Sources of information

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Attachments:

none
Additional Information

F. Additional information

The section on additional information is meant to provide an instrument of flexibility in the reporting exercise as well as to enrich the knowledge base of the CRIC on concrete issues faced by country Parties and consequently to make more targeted and specific recommendations to the COP. It allows country Parties to comment or report upon issues that are not covered elsewhere but that are nevertheless of importance within the framework of the implementation of The Strategy and the Convention.

The additional information section allows feedback to be received on the reporting process. It is also meant to accommodate ad hoc COP requests for reporting on specific topics or new reporting requirements deriving from COP deliberations that may supersede existing ones and imply changes in implementation.

The proposed template for reporting is adjusted to the mandate of developed country Parties within the framework of the Convention, as requested by decision 13/COP.9, paragraph 17.

Reporting process-related issues

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**Financial resources**
Could your country count on sufficient financial resources to meet UNCCD reporting obligations?
- Yes

Provide an estimate of the amount invested from your country’s national budget into the UNCCD reporting process.
- 100,000 Australian Dollar

**Human resources**
How many people were involved in your country in the UNCCD reporting process?
- 15

Estimate the total number of person/day dedicated by these persons to the UNCCD reporting process:
- 270

**Knowledge**
Could your country count on sufficient technical and scientific knowledge to meet UNCCD reporting obligations?
- Yes

**Participation and consultation**
Was a participatory or consultative approach applied to involve all relevant stakeholders in the reporting process?
- Yes

**Validation meeting**
Was a validation meeting held as a tool to integrate stakeholders in the reporting process?
- No

**PRAIS portal**
Did you make use of the training on access and utilisation of the PRAIS portal?
- No

Identify the difficulties of online reporting, if any (tick as many boxes as necessary and rate the level of importance).
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Other (specify) (max 30 words)

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**Report on specific COP requests – iterative process on indicators**

Decision 13/COP.9, paragraphs 2, 3 and 24, envisages an iterative process to refine the set of performance indicators provisionally adopted by the same decision. As a tool to implement this iterative process, affected country Parties can provide here their suggestions and recommendations for improvement.

Tick the cells only when you have experienced difficulties in reporting on one, or more, indicator(s). Indicate against which of the e-SMART criteria the indicator(s) needs to be improved.

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Has your country any specific issue to bring to the attention of the Conference of the Parties?
Yes

If yes, please specify under which of the following broad categories it can be classified.

**Category**
No answer provided

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**
No answer provided

**Narrative description**
Regarding CONS-0-3 and CONS-0-4, a range of Australian organisations classified as STIs might also fit the definition of CSO. Thus, no CSOs were recorded against these indicators because, in Australia, most public and private organisations involved in DLDD-related initiatives ‘deal with science and technology’. A modified definition might remove this ambiguity.

Australia has reported as a developed country only. Therefore, Australia has not reported domestic initiatives for synergistic planning/programming of the three Rio Conventions against CONS-0-7, such as the National Carbon Accounting System and the National Plan for Environmental Information. Nor has Australia reported domestic monitoring systems established for DLDD in relation to CONS-0-8, such as the National Vegetation Information System (NVIS), Australian Collaborative Rangelands Information System (ACRIS) or the Australian Collaborative Land Use Mapping Program (ACLUMP).

**Category**
Capacity-building and awareness-raising

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**
No answer provided

**Narrative description**
Regarding indicator CONS-0-13, Australia has reported as a developed country only. Therefore, Australia has not reported on domestic initiatives that are contributing to capacity building and awareness-raising in relation to DLDD in Australia, such as Caring for our Country.

**Category**
Knowledge management and decision support

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**
No answer provided

**Narrative description**
Regarding CONS-0-1, Australia has not reported against CONS-0-1 because the indicator was considered too broad to allow meaningful or rigorous reporting, due to the wealth of events in Australia and opportunities for access by the population to information relating to land degradation via the media.

**Category**
No answer provided

**Other (specify) (max 30 words)**
No answer provided

**Narrative description**
In relation to participation and collaboration with stakeholders, in particular, CSOs and STIs, Australia is aware that potential CSOs/STIs exist. However, in the timeframe, it was not possible to obtain the required information about projects/programmes being undertaken by other potential CSOs/STIs. Nor was it possible to network with CSOs/STIs as closely as Australia would prefer. Australia intends to ensure closer engagement and collaboration with all stakeholders for the purposes of future UNCCD reporting.
**Narrative description**

Australia has reported three national knowledge sharing systems against CONS-0-11. There is a likelihood that other national knowledge-sharing systems exist that were unable to be identified in the timeframe. As noted in Section F.2, Australia has encountered definitional, interpretational, data availability and data integrity issues in compiling its report.

As well, the timeframe and demanding nature of the required reporting on DLDD-related projects and programmes meant that some information could not be provided by stakeholders in time for the report. Longer timeframes and clarification regarding issues such as those noted above will assist in future reporting.

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**Narrative description**

Australia has included its 2010-2014 Global Environment Facility (GEF) contribution in the investment frameworks it supports (CONS-0-14), with details also provided in the SFA and PPS. It should be noted that Australia's GEF funding (and the amount shown in this report) covers global environmental issues across six focal areas (biodiversity, climate change, international waters, land degradation, the ozone layer, and persistent organic pollutants). The figure so listed is thus not provided solely for the purposes of UNCCD.

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**Narrative description**

No answer provided
Best Practices

G. Best practices

According to decision 13/COP. 9, Annex V, UNCCD best practices shall be collected according to seven themes: 1. SLM technologies, including adaptation; 2. Capacity building and awareness raising; 3. DLDD and SLM monitoring and assessment/research; 4. Knowledge management and decision support; 5. Policy, legislative, institutional framework; 6. Funding/resource mobilisation; 7. Participation, collaboration and networking.

While themes 2 to 7 represent different elements of the enabling environment needed for the implementation and dissemination/up-scaling of sustainable land management (SLM) technologies (indirect impact), theme 1 comprises all actions on the ground that have a direct impact on desertification, land degradation and drought mitigation.

In particular, as specified in document ICCD/CRIC(8)/5/Add.5, paragraph 12, theme 1 ‘SLM technologies, including adaptation’ refers to SLM technologies that directly contribute to the prevention, mitigation and rehabilitation of desertification and land degradation on cropland, grazing land and woodland, with the aim of improving the livelihoods of affected populations and conserving ecosystem services. Successful implementation of SLM technologies is the base for achieving strategic objectives 1, 2 and 3 of The Strategy. Theme 1 also integrates five of the strategic areas defined by decision 8/COP.4, namely: (a) sustainable land use management, including water, soil and vegetation in affected areas; (b) sustainable use and management of rangelands; (c) development of sustainable agricultural and ranching production systems; (d) development of new and renewable energy sources; and (e) launching of reforestation/afforestation programmes/ intensification of soil conservation programmes.

ICCD/CRIC(8)/5/Add.5 provides definitions for ‘practice’, ‘good practice’ and ‘best practice’. These definitions are included in the common glossary that shall be referred to by Parties and other reporting entities while reporting to UNCCD, according to decision 13/COP.9, paragraph 8.

The template for reporting is based on the general structure for the documentation of best practices contained in ICCD/CRIC(8)/5/Add.5, paragraphs 40 to 43; it is tailored to the documentation of best practices related to theme 1 ‘SLM technologies, including adaptation’.

When reporting on best practices implemented in affected country Parties, developed country Parties are expected to have contacted and coordinated with the corresponding UNCCD NFP, to ensure coherence and lack of duplication in reporting on the practice.

Best Practice #1

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Section 1. Context of the best practice: frame conditions (natural and human environment)

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<td>A 21,000ha grazing property near Cobar in western New South Wales (NSW), Australia, in the Western Natural Resource Management (NRM) region which is the largest catchment in NSW (approx 230,000sqkm) &amp; encompasses a series of river systems &amp; the most diverse rangelands in NSW.</td>
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If the location has well defined boundaries, specify its extension in hectares
Hectares (ha)
21000

Estimated population living in the location
Number of people
4

Prevailing land use within the specified location
- Cropland
- Grazing land

Other (specify) (max 30 words)
Irrigated cotton production; mining; tourism; natural conservation

Brief description of the natural environment within the specified location.
Climate:
(max 50 words)
Semi-arid climate with highly variable rainfall with no seasonal dominance. Particularly dry for the last ten years. Mean rainfall of 336mm per year

Soil:
(max 50 words)
Typical Cobar Peneplain (extensive area of plateau or low land with undulating surface) type country, with hard red ridges and associated drainage flats. Hard red ridges have hard red clay loam soils with a hard surface. Drainage flats consist of hard red loam to clay loam soils to depth.

Topography:
(max 50 words)
See response to Soil (above). Undulating country with low slopes of 2-3% and subdued crests. Groundcover is generally spare on the hard red ridges, increasing on the drainage flats due to extra run-off received.

Prevailing socio-economic conditions of those living in the location and/or nearby
Income level:
(max 50 words)
Low wool prices through the 1990s led to some loss of social infrastructure. Fewer young people are returning to properties. Off-farm incomes lower than non-rangeland areas. Values of pastoral properties decreased between 1996 and 2002, with some recovery since. Relatively small properties have been rendered non-viable by woody thickening.

Main income sources:
(max 50 words)
No answer provided

Land tenure and land use rights:
(max 50 words)
The Catchment is predominantly leasehold land, administered under the Western Lands Act 1901 by the New South Wales state government. Leases under the Act include provisions relating to matters such as land use and stocking rates. There are more than 630 pastoral and agricultural holdings.
Groundcover management: Soil erosion is being addressed by working to increase native perennial ground cover to 60%, where the typical cover is approximately 20%. The growth of woody species is being managed in this project to allow growth of perennial grasses and forbs.

Managing total grazing pressure: On semi-arid rangelands, livestock as well as feral (e.g. goats) or native grazers (e.g. kangaroos) are dependent on artificial watering points for drinking. Control of access to watering points using fencing allows paddocks and vegetation to be periodically rested from grazing pressure to allow vegetation, including native vegetation, to regenerate. Total grazing pressure can also be reduced through use of trap yards to capture feral goats for removal.

Capacity building: Landholders are assisted to adopt improved grazing management practices including through grazing management courses and membership of the local Landcare Group (for support and technical information).

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On the basis of which criteria and/or indicator(s) (not related to The Strategy) the proposed practice and corresponding technology has been considered as ‘best’?

Managing total grazing pressure: principles for land management practices outlined within the Australian Government’s Management of total grazing pressure - Managing for biodiversity in the rangelands, 2005.


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Section 2. Problems addressed (direct and indirect causes) and objectives of the best practice

With respect to DLDD, the best practice directly contributes to:

- Prevention
- Mitigation
- Adaptation
- Rehabilitation

Main problems addressed by the best practice

Best practice management of total grazing pressure addresses problems caused by low ground cover and feral goats including: land degradation through wind/water erosion causing soil loss and reduced soil condition; loss of vegetation diversity and condition; and impacts on native fauna habitat and food resources through competition by feral goats.

Outline specific land degradation problems addressed by the best practice

Land degradation can be caused by uncontrolled grazing (including pressure from feral goats) which causes vegetation stress and reduced resilience in dry periods leading to a lack of ground cover. This can then result in soil loss through wind and water erosion, leading to a loss of soil condition, including reduced permeability and carbon content which further contributes to low groundcover. Feral goats browse extensively which can cause tree/shrub death and/or limit species recruitment. This degrades vegetation diversity/condition and can cause loss of habitat and food resources for native fauna through competition by feral goats.

Specify the objectives of the best practice

To achieve sustainable grazing levels to maintain groundcover above target levels to help prevent soil
erosion, land degradation and desertification, increase landscape resilience to climate variability and climate change, and maintain biodiversity.

Section 3. Activities

Brief description of main activities, by objective

Objective 1.
(max 50 words)
- To achieve sustainable grazing levels to maintain groundcover above target levels to help prevent soil erosion, land degradation and desertification, increase landscape resilience to climate variability and climate change, and maintain biodiversity.
Sustainable grazing levels to maintain groundcover above target levels – activities include fencing areas of land to manage the grazing pressure of livestock and native and feral animals by resting vegetation periodically.

Objective 2.
(max 50 words)
- Sustainable grazing levels to maintain groundcover above target levels – activities include trapping watering points to control the additional grazing pressure from feral goats by removing them from the property.

Objective 3.
(max 50 words)
- Maintaining biodiversity – activities include feral goat control to reduce grazing pressure impacts on vegetation diversity/condition and reduce loss of habitat and food resources for native fauna cause by competition by feral goats.

Objective 4.
(max 50 words)
No answer provided

Short description of the technology

max 250 words
Fencing – physical barriers are provided by mesh-type and electric fencing to allow stock movement between paddocks to distribute grazing pressure.

Trapping watering points – involves one-way gates which allow animals (including feral goats) to enter but not leave the small paddock that surrounds the watering point. Once the animals are enclosed, the feral goats can be separated from livestock and removed from the property to reduce total grazing pressure.

Grazing management (feral goat control) - Regardless of season, landholders (including park managers) cannot effectively manage groundcover or vegetation condition unless total grazing pressure from feral goats, kangaroos and rabbits is controlled. As described in Australia’s 2002 National Report to the UNCCD, over-grazing by introduced and native herbivores (total grazing pressure) is a cause of land degradation in Australia’s rangelands.

Technical specifications of the technology – if any

max 250 words
The best practice management of ground cover through activities such as fencing, trapping watering points, and grazing management (feral goat control) is monitored. This includes:
- A program of annual photo points used at several sites over the past five years, to show changes
(improvements) in groundcover over time with improved grazing management.

- Step point monitoring along transects to assess ground cover (level and competition) and record observations such as the existence of bare ground, leaf litter, grasses and shrubs.

Section 4. Institutions/actors involved (collaboration, participation, role of stakeholders)

Name and address of the institution developing the technology

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Was the technology developed in partnership?

Yes

If yes, list the partners:

- A number of private businesses are involved in supplying fencing and trap gates. Erecting of fencing and trap yards was conducted either by the landholders or contractors.

Specify the framework within which the technology was promoted

No answer provided

Other (specify) (max 30 words)

This technology is promoted within the Western natural resource management region, and other natural resource management regions in the semi-arid zones (rangelands) throughout Australia.

Was the participation of local stakeholders, including CSOs, fostered in the development of the technology?

Yes

If yes, list local stakeholders involved:

- Stakeholders (landholders) were engaged via educational field days, grazing training courses, the Catchment Management Authority website, demonstrations, and fact sheets. Additionally, word of mouth amongst landholders played a significant role in disseminating information.
- The public benefits achieved includes improved biodiversity and increased soil carbon over large areas of land, and sustainable pastoral enterprises.

For the stakeholders listed above, specify their role in the design, introduction, use and maintenance of the technology, if any.

max 250 words

The Western Catchment Management Authority managed the project and engaged the community and landholders by offering support, including information and training for landholders to adopt improved grazing management practices. The landholder role is to integrate the best management practices into their farming system and maintain the practices over time.

Was the population living in the location and/or nearby involved in the development of the technology?

Yes

If yes, by means of what?

- Participatory approaches

Other (specify) (max 30 words)

The grazing management systems are adapted to local conditions and farming systems and often designed...
Section 5. Contribution to impact

Specify to which strategic objectives of The Strategy the technology contributes
(more than one box can be ticked)
- 1. To improve the living conditions of affected population
- 2. To improve the conditions of affected ecosystems
- 3. To generate global benefits through effective implementation of the UNCCD

Describe on-site impacts (the major two impacts by category)
Production or productivity:
1. (max 50 words)
   Improved ground cover, reduced wind erosion of soil, and improved total grazing pressure management results in a longer term financial viability of productive land and ability to use the land for productive purposes.
2. (max 50 words)
   No answer provided

Socio-economic level (including cultural level):
1. (max 50 words)
   Farmers have a greater sense of purpose and control of their land and feel encouraged that improving ground cover management results in improved biodiversity with longlasting benefits, including to the production system.
2. (max 50 words)
   This leads to positive economic impacts on rural communities and their social wellbeing.

Environmental level:
1. (max 50 words)
   Improved vegetation condition, biodiversity, soil condition and increased resilience of the ecosystem and landscape to impacts of climate change.
2. (max 50 words)
   No answer provided

Other (specify):
1. (max 50 words)
   No answer provided
2. (max 50 words)
   No answer provided

Describe the major two off-site (i.e. not occurring in the location but in the surrounding areas) impacts
1. (max 50 words)
   Positive off-site impacts include reduced generation of dust and sediment; increased capacity for carbon sequestration; increased biodiversity; providing corridors for species movement.
2. (max 50 words)
   No answer provided

Impact on biodiversity and climate change
In your opinion does the best practice/technology you have proposed positively impact on biodiversity conservation?
Max 250 words

Competition and land degradation by feral goats are listed as a key threatening process under Australia’s Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 (EPBC Act). Of the threatened species listed under the EPBC Act, feral goats are considered a threat to 8 bird species, 3 mammal species, 1 insect and 44 plant species. This is a widespread issue throughout Australian rangelands and by controlling feral goats, the biodiversity impacts and land degradation problems caused by them can be addressed. Farmers’ adoption of sustainable grazing management strategies increases groundcover, including native species. For example, in some Western Catchment Management Authority projects, total vegetation cover (annuals and perennials) is approximately 78% in areas using best practice, compared to areas not using best practice where vegetation cover is approximately 21%.

In your opinion does the best practice/technology you have proposed positively impact on climate change mitigation?

Yes

Explain the reasons:

Max 250 words

Improving ground cover in grazing systems can increase the carbon content of soil. Healthy soil provides a number of services including carbon dioxide sequestration potential.

In your opinion does the best practice/technology you have proposed positively impact on climate change adaptation?

Yes

Explain the reasons:

Max 250 words

Adoption of sustainable grazing management practices has the potential to increase ecosystem and production system resilience to the impacts of climate change, allowing for adaptation. Improved ground cover improves soil condition through increasing soil carbon which can improve soil water holding capacity and nutrient availability. Healthy soil provides a number of services to build ecosystem resilience, including food and habitat for biodiversity, erosion control, improved buffering capacity as well as sequestering carbon dioxide.

Question marked as ‘No answer’.

Has a cost-benefit analysis been carried out?

No answer provided

If yes, summarize its main conclusions:

Max 250 words

No answer provided

Section 6. Connection to other UNCCD themes

Specify if the technology relates to one or more of the other UNCCD themes

- Capacity-building and awareness-raising
- DLDD and SLM monitoring and assessment/research
- Knowledge management and decision support
- Policy; legislative; institutional framework
- Funding/resource mobilization
- Participation, collaboration and networking
Section 7. Adoption and replicability

**Was the technology disseminated/introduced to other locations?**
Yes

**If yes, where? (add as many rows as necessary)**
Location:
- Stakeholders in the Western natural resource management region were engaged via educational field days, grazing training courses, the Catchment Management Authority website, demonstrations and fact sheets. Additionally, word of mouth amongst landholders played a significant role in disseminating information.
- The practice can be replicated at property scales, and when properties using the best practice adjoin, the scale can be regional. Also, strategically targeting “feral goat hotspots” can achieve better results for less expenditure. For example, controlling feral goats at their preferred breeding grounds will achieve broader results and/or controlling feral goats around targeted land degradation areas can achieve broader results for biodiversity.

**Were incentives to facilitate the take up of the technology provided?**
Yes

**If yes, specify which type of incentives**
- Policy or regulatory incentives (for example, related to market requirements and regulations, import/export, foreign investment, research & development support, etc)
- Financial incentives (for example, preferential rates, State aid, subsidies, cash grants, loan guarantees, etc)

**Can you identify the three main conditions that led to the success of the presented best practice/technology?**
Examples of conditions leading to success may include: highly motivated local governments, farmers organised into well structured cooperatives, extremely favorable weather conditions, etc. For each ‘condition of success’ you are able to identify, specify whether in your opinion such condition is: (a) linked to the local context and thus cannot be replicated elsewhere; (b) replicable elsewhere with some level of adaptation; (c) replicable elsewhere with major adaptation.

1. (max 50 words)
   The best practice is practical, demonstrable, easily adopted and fits into landholders’ current farming systems. It produces dual outcomes of biodiversity enhancement and productivity benefits. Landholder contribution (at least 50% of project costs) is a criterion for receiving financial incentives. Landholders are provided with training/information to assist adoption.

2. (max 50 words)
   No answer provided

3. (max 50 words)
   No answer provided

**In your opinion, the best practice/technology you have proposed can be replicated, although with some level of adaptation, elsewhere?**
Yes

**If yes, at which level?**
- Local
- Sub-national

Section 8. Lessons learned
The monitoring requirements for this case-study project allow lessons to be learnt along the life of the project. This includes increasing understanding of the outcomes that can be achieved.

Monitoring is through:

1. Use of photopoints, established before any works are commenced, and then repeated annually for a period of 10 years after the project is completed to record changes to groundcover;
2. A count of the number of goats removed per year;
3. Self-evaluation reports by the landholder once the project establishment is completed, and five years after the project contract is signed.
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