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Developed Country Parties

Impact indicators

Strategic Objective 4

Indicator SO-4-2

Strategic Objective 4

To mobilize resources to support implementation of the Convention through building effective partnerships between national and international actors

Impact indicator SO-4-2 for expected impact 4.1 (Increased financial, technical and technological resources are made available to affected developing country Parties, and where appropriate Central and Eastern European countries, to implement the Convention)

The share of bilateral official development assistance (BODA) supplied for Convention-related activities

Understanding of the indicator

It provides an indication of the financial resources supplied by developed country Parties for DLDD-related investments and other Convention-related activities as part of their bilateral development cooperation.

Data needed

- Official development assistance (ODA) from OECD/DAC member countries
- BODA marked with UNCCD Rio Markers
- DLDD-related programmes and projects using bilateral DFIs
- Convention-related financial commitments through bilateral DFIs

Data sources (indicative only)

- PRAIS (financial annexes and CONS-O-15)
- FIELD (financial data, funding trends) (to be used when data is not available in the PRAIS system, and/or for cross referencing and validity checks)
- OECD Creditor Reporting System (to be used when data is not available in the PRAIS system, and/or for cross referencing and validity checks)
- CRIC performance reviews of OO5 and analyses of financial flows
- Relevant databases and publications on bilateral DFIs and other authoritative entities (to be used when data is not available in the PRAIS system, and/or for cross referencing and validity checks)

Check the glossary for

Official Development Assistance

Nominal amount (USD) of financial commitments for Convention-related objectives

Item 1

Year

2010

Level

Country

Country, subregion or region

Bangladesh

Amount

231669

Item 2

Year

2011

Level

Country

Country, subregion or region

Bangladesh

Amount

308892

Item 3

Year

2010

Level

Country

Country, subregion or region

Burma

Amount

155248

Item 4

Year

2011

Level

Country

Country, subregion or region

Burma

Amount

64687

Item 5

Year

2010

Level

Country

Country, subregion or region

Cambodia

Amount

231669

Item 6

Year

2011

Level

Country

Country, subregion or region

Cambodia

Amount

308892

Item 7

Year

2010

Level

Country

Country, subregion or region

China

Amount

884091

*Item 8***Year**

2011

Level

Country

Country, subregion or region

China

Amount

473423

*Item 9***Year**

2010

Level

Country

Country, subregion or region

India

Amount

970310

*Item 10***Year**

2011

Level

Country

Country, subregion or region

India

Amount

1123944

*Item 11***Year**

2010

Level

Country

Country, subregion or region

Indonesia

Amount

290035

*Item 12***Year**

2011

Level

Country

Country, subregion or region

Indonesia

Amount

439824

Item 13

Year

2010

Level

Country

Country, subregion or region

Iraq

Amount

3185383

Item 14

Year

2011

Level

Country

Country, subregion or region

Iraq

Amount

2400312

Item 15

Year

2010

Level

Country

Country, subregion or region

Lao PDR

Amount

231669

Item 16

Year

2011

Level

Country

Country, subregion or region

Lao PDR

Amount

308892

Item 17

Year

2010

Level

Country

Country, subregion or region

Pakistan

Amount

200000

Item 18

Year 2011
Level Country
Country, subregion or region Pakistan
Amount 200000

<i>Item 19</i>
Year 2010
Level Country
Country, subregion or region Papua New Guinea
Amount 37344

<i>Item 20</i>
Year 2010
Level Country
Country, subregion or region Philippines
Amount 619278

<i>Item 21</i>
Year 2011
Level Country
Country, subregion or region Philippines
Amount 555495

<i>Item 22</i>
Year 2010
Level Country
Country, subregion or region South Africa
Amount 108036

<i>Item 23</i>
Year

2011
Level
Country
Country, subregion or region
South Africa
Amount
108036

Item 24
Year
2011
Level
Region
Country, subregion or region
The Pacific
Amount
280855

Item 25
Year
2010
Level
Country
Country, subregion or region
Vietnam
Amount
185916

Item 26
Year
2011
Level
Country
Country, subregion or region
Vietnam
Amount
918744

Item 27
Year
2010
Level
Global
Country, subregion or region
World
Amount
154415707

Item 28
Year
2011
Level

Global Country, subregion or region World Amount 256618848
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<i>Item 29</i> Year 2010 Level Global Country, subregion or region Total (all countries, regions, subregions and global commitments) Amount 161746354

<i>Item 30</i> Year 2011 Level Global Country, subregion or region Total (all countries, regions, subregions and global commitments) Amount 264110842

Nominal amount (USD) of bilateral Official Development Assistance

<i>Item 1</i> Year 2010 Level Country Country, subregion or region Bangladesh Amount 231669

<i>Item 2</i> Year 2011 Level Country Country, subregion or region Bangladesh Amount 308892

<i>Item 3</i> Year 2010

Level Country Country, subregion or region Burma Amount 155248
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<i>Item 4</i> Year 2011 Level Country Country, subregion or region Burma Amount 64687

<i>Item 5</i> Year 2010 Level Country Country, subregion or region Cambodia Amount 231669

<i>Item 6</i> Year 2011 Level Country Country, subregion or region Cambodia Amount 308892

<i>Item 7</i> Year 2010 Level Country Country, subregion or region China Amount 884091
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<i>Item 8</i> Year 2011 Level
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Country
Country, subregion or region
China
Amount
473423

Item 9
Year
2010
Level
Country
Country, subregion or region
India
Amount
970310

Item 10
Year
2011
Level
Country
Country, subregion or region
India
Amount
1123944

Item 11
Year
2010
Level
Country
Country, subregion or region
Indonesia
Amount
290035

Item 12
Year
2010
Level
Country
Country, subregion or region
Indonesia
Amount
439824

Item 13
Year
2010
Level
Country
Country, subregion or region

Iraq Amount 3185383
<i>Item 14</i> Year 2011 Level Country Country, subregion or region Iraq Amount 2400312
<i>Item 15</i> Year 2010 Level Country Country, subregion or region Lao PDR Amount 231669
<i>Item 16</i> Year 2011 Level Country Country, subregion or region Lao PDR Amount 308892
<i>Item 17</i> Year 2010 Level Country Country, subregion or region Pakistan Amount 200000
<i>Item 18</i> Year 2011 Level Country Country, subregion or region Pakistan Amount

200000

Item 19

Year

2010

Level

Country

Country, subregion or region

Papua New Guinea

Amount

37344

Item 20

Year

2010

Level

Country

Country, subregion or region

Philippines

Amount

619278

Item 21

Year

2011

Level

Country

Country, subregion or region

Philippines

Amount

555495

Item 22

Year

2010

Level

Country

Country, subregion or region

South Africa

Amount

108036

Item 23

Year

2011

Level

Country

Country, subregion or region

South Africa

Amount

108036

Item 24

Year

2011

Level

Region

Country, subregion or region

The Pacific

Amount

280855

Item 25

Year

2010

Level

Country

Country, subregion or region

Vietnam

Amount

185916

Item 26

Year

2011

Level

Country

Country, subregion or region

Vietnam

Amount

918744

Item 27

Year

2010

Level

Global

Country, subregion or region

World

Amount

152900000

Item 28

Year

2011

Level

Global

Country, subregion or region

World

Amount

255080000

Item 29

<p>Year 2010</p> <p>Level Global</p> <p>Country, subregion or region Total Bilateral ODI (all countries, regions, subregions and global commitments)</p> <p>Amount 160230647</p>
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<p><i>Item 30</i></p> <p>Year 2011</p> <p>Level Global</p> <p>Country, subregion or region Total Bilateral ODI (all countries, regions, subregions and global commitments)</p> <p>Amount 262571994</p>
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Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **Internal documents from AusAID, ACIAR, SEWPaC and websites for ACIAR, AusAID and CSIRO.**

Attachments:

None.

Indicator SO-4-6

Strategic Objective 4

To mobilize resources to support implementation of the Convention through building effective partnerships between national and international actors

Impact indicator SO-4-6 for expected impact 4.2 (Enabling policy environments are improved for UNCCD implementation at all levels)

Number and type of legal and regulatory frameworks, economic incentives or other mechanisms securing or facilitating the transfer of funds for the implementation of the Convention at all levels.

Understanding of the indicator

It provides a measure of the efforts made by Convention stakeholders to facilitate the implementation of the Convention.

Data needed

- Laws and regulations
- Economic and financial measures (e.g. fiscal rules, tax benefits, credit lines and borrowing rules, etc.)
- Cooperation frameworks (e.g. agreements, memoranda of understanding, contracts, etc.)
- Sectoral policies (e.g. trade, marketing, property rights, business development, etc.)
- Convention-specific mechanisms

Data sources (indicative only)

- Public records of Convention stakeholders
- Relevant databases and publications and other authoritative entities (to be used when data is not available in the PRAIS system, and/or for cross referencing and validity checks)
- PRAIS (CONS-O-6, CONS-O-14, CONS-O-18)

Check the glossary for

Incentive

Number of mechanisms in place in the country to facilitate the mobilization of resources for the implementation of the Convention, by type

Year	Laws and regulations	Economic and financial incentives	Cooperation frameworks	Sectoral policies
2010	---	---	2	---
2011	---	---	2	---

Qualitative assessment**Description of mechanisms**

Mechanism	Description
A - Laws and regulations	---
B - Economic and financial incentives	---
C - Cooperation frameworks	MoU between ABARES and China's Remote Sensing Technology Application Centre, Institute for Water and Hydropower Research, Ministry of Water. LPS/2004/022: Pasture development for community livestock production in the Eastern Cape Province of South Africa Bilateral research project.
D - Sectoral policies	---

Geographical level of application

	International	Regional	Subregional	National	Local
A					
B					
C				X	X
D					

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- Internal documents/communication from ACIAR and DAFF

Attachments:

None.

Indicator SO-4-7

Strategic Objective 4

To mobilize resources to support implementation of the Convention through building effective partnerships between national and international actors

Impact indicator SO-4-7 for expected impact 4.2 (Enabling policy environments are improved for UNCCD implementation at all levels)

Clear entrusting of institutional responsibilities for UNCCD implementation, at all levels

Understanding of the indicator

It provides an indication of the effectiveness of institutional arrangements for the implementation of the Convention with regard to the resource mobilization process

Data needed

- Evidence of institutional arrangements, instruments and mechanisms that facilitate resource mobilization, or the lack thereof
- Best practices in resource mobilization

Data sources (indicative only)

- Public records of Convention stakeholders
- Relevant databases and publications of authoritative entities
- PRAIS (Best Practices on finance and resource mobilization)

Check the glossary for

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Institutional set up, responsibilities, and arrangements to facilitate the implementation of the Convention

Year	International level	Regional level	Subregional level	National level	Local level
2010	---	---	---	---	---
2011	---	---	---	---	---

Qualitative assessment

Description of institutional arrangements

Level	Description
A - International	CGIAR:15 Research Centres generate and disseminate knowledge, technologies, and policies for agricultural development through the CGIAR Research Programs. The CGIAR Fund provides reliable and predictable multi-year funding to enable research planning over the long term.
B - Regional	---
C - Subregional	---
D - National	---
E - Local	---

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR and CGIAR website information and desktop research**

Attachments:

None.

Performance Indicators

Operational Objective 1: Advocacy, awareness raising and education

CONS-O-1 for Outcome 1.1

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

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

Understanding of the indicator

At the national level, the indicator measures the performance of Convention-related communication strategies, in particular, whether DLDD issues and/or DLDD synergies with climate change and biodiversity 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 audiences. The focus of the indicator is on information activities specifically dedicated to DLDD issues 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 subregional, regional and global levels.

Data needed

- Information on events/media specifically addressing DLDD and/or DLDD synergies with climate change and biodiversity; only events organized by the major national DLDD stakeholders about which NFPs have been informed should be considered.
- Media products in the five most important national TV/radio channels and the five most relevant national newspapers

Data sources (indicative only)

Attendance list of events (meetings, workshops, seminars), programme/project documents, major national media (TV/radio channels, newspapers), the Internet, organizers of the events

Check the glossary for

'NFP', 'Information events', 'Media products', , 'National communication strategy', 'Participant'

Check the reporting manual for

'How can the number of information events and estimated number of participants in information events be determined?', 'How can the number of media products be determined?', 'How can the proportion of the population which is informed about DLDD and/or DLDD synergies with climate change and biodiversity be estimated?'

Overall target

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

Number of information events.

Year	Number of information events	Estimated number of participants in the information events
2010	1	---
2011	1	---

Estimated number of persons reached by media products and by key stakeholders

Number of media products made public

Year	Newspapers	Radio and TV
2010	---	---

Year	Newspapers	Radio and TV
2011	---	---

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **The two information events in 2010 were organized by the World Congress of Soil Science and the Australian Society of Soil Science Inc. The source used to extract the information was website data publicly available at:**

- <http://www.19wcss.org.au/index.php>
- <http://www.asssi.asn.au/general/image.php>

Attachments:

None.

National contribution to the target

On the basis of your best knowledge, estimate the proportion (%) of the population in your country which is informed about DLDD and/or DLDD synergies with climate change and biodiversity at the time of reporting?

Estimated share of total country population

No answer provided.

Qualitative assessment

Is there a national communication strategy addressing DLDD and/or DLDD synergies with climate change and biodiversity?

No

If yes, does the implementation of the national communication strategy complement the implementation of the UNCCD Comprehensive Communication Strategy?

No answer required.

If no, is your country implementing the UNCCD Comprehensive Communication Strategy?

No answer provided.

Is your country implementing activities relating to the United Nations Decade for Deserts and the Fight Against Desertification (UNDDD)?

No

Is your country providing financial and technical support for the elaboration and implementation of the UNDDD programme?

No

CONS-O-3 for Outcome 1.3

Number of civil society organizations (CSOs) and science and technology institutions (STIs) participating in the Convention processes.

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

Understanding of the indicator

At the national level, the indicator measures the level of participation of CSOs and STIs in DLDD-related programmes and projects. The indicator will outline whether the active involvement of these stakeholders increases over time and whether 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 the national, subregional, regional and global levels; additionally, the secretariat and the GM will report on the involvement of CSOs and STIs at the institutional level.

Data needed

- A list of the organizations involved in the programmes/projects in the reporting country as well as in the affected countries as reported in the PPSs

Data sources (indicative only)

- Information on CSOs and STIs involved in the DLDD-related programmes and projects in the reporting country;
- PPSs submitted to the UNCCD as part of the reporting exercise.

Check the glossary for

'STIs', 'CSOs', 'PPS', 'Convention processes'

Check the reporting manual for

'Which civil society organizations (CSOs) involved in DLDD-related programmes/projects should be counted?'

Overall target

A steady growth in the participation of CSOs and STIs in the Convention processes is recorded along the implementation period of The Strategy.

Number of CSOs/STIs involved in DLDD-related programmes/projects

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

Provide also the number of CSOs and STIs involved in programme/projects in reporting country.

Year	Number of CSOs involved in DLDD-related programmes/projects		Number of STIs involved in DLDD-related programmes/projects	
	In affected countries	In reporting country	In affected countries	In reporting country
2010	---	---	23	---
2011	---	---	21	---

Specify the names of these organizations, indicating whether they are involved in programmes/projects in affected countries or the reporting country.

Programme/project location	Name
Affected countries	University of Queensland, Australia
Affected countries	University of Sydney, Australia
Affected countries	University of Western Australia
Affected countries	Australian National University
Affected countries	Southern Cross University, Australia
Affected countries	University of Ballarat, Australia
Affected countries	University of Melbourne, Australia
Affected countries	University of Western Sydney, Australia
Affected countries	Edith Cowan University, Australia
Affected countries	La Trobe University, Australia

Programme/project location	Name
Affected countries	Charles Sturt University, Australia
Affected countries	University of Adelaide, Australia
Affected countries	Murdoch University, Australia
Affected countries	University of New England, Australia
Affected countries	CSIRO
Affected countries	Australian Research Council
Affected countries	Bureau of Meteorology
Affected countries	ACIAR
Affected countries	Department of Employment, Economic Development and Innovation (QLD)
Affected countries	Department of Agriculture and Food (WA)
Affected countries	Victorian Department of Sustainability and Environment, Australia
Affected countries	Queensland Environmental Protection Agency, Australia
Affected countries	Applied Horticultural Research, Australia

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 project?

No

If yes, provide a short description of actions taken at the national level to promote participation by CSOs and STIs in the Convention processes.

No answer required.

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.

Reasons for increasing

Rate the level of importance by using a scale from 0 to 5, where 0 is not important at all and 5 is very important.

Reason	Level of importance
Increased networking and collaboration opportunities with CSOs	---
Increased networking and collaboration opportunities with STIs	---
Increased interest of the government in working with CSOs	---
Increased interest of the government in working with STIs	---
Strengthened lobbying capacity of CSOs	---
Strengthened lobbying capacity of STIs	---
Increased availability of funding at national level	---
Other	---

Other (specify)

There is a range of organisations classified as STI's that may also fit the definition of CSOs. In Australia, most public and private organisations involved in initiatives recorded on the PPS 'deal with science and technology'. Perhaps, the definition could be modified to take away this ambiguity|

Reasons for decreasing for CSOs

Rate the level of importance by using a scale from 0 to 5, where 0 is not important at all and 5 is very important.

Reason	Level of importance
Engagement of CSOs is not a priority for the government	---
Worsening of networking and collaboration linkages with CSOs	---
Diminishing funding availability	---
Other	---

Other (specify)

There is a range of organisations classified as STI's that may also fit the definition of CSOs. In Australia, most public and private organisations involved in initiatives recorded on the PPS 'deal with science and technology'. Perhaps, the definition could be modified to take away this ambiguity.|

Reasons for decreasing for STIs

Rate the level of importance by using a scale from 0 to 5, where 0 is not important at all and 5 is very important.

Reason	Level of importance
Engagement of STIs is not a priority for the government	---
Decreasing interest of national STIs in DLDD- related topics	---
Diminishing funding availability	---
Other	---

Other (specify)

No answer provided.

CONS-O-4 for Outcome 1.3

Number and type of DLDD-related initiatives of civil society organizations (CSOs) and science and technology institutions (STIs) in the field of education.

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

Understanding of the indicator

At the national level, the indicator measures the number of DLDD-related initiatives undertaken by CSOs and STIs in the education sector. 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. 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 the national, subregional, regional and global levels.

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, Internet resources made available by CSOs and STIs. Only initiatives in the field of education taken in the country and directly relating to DLDD issues are to be considered.

Data sources (indicative only)

CSOs and STIs operating in the country

Check the glossary for
'CSOs', 'STIs', 'NFP', 'Education initiatives'

Check the reporting manual for
'Which civil society organizations (CSOs) involved in DLDD-related education initiatives should be counted?'

Overall target

A steady growth in the number of DLDD-related education initiatives undertaken by CSOs and science and technology institutions is recorded along the implementation period of The Strategy

DLDD-related initiatives undertaken by CSOs and STIs

Year	CSOs	STIs
2010	---	4
2011	---	4

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR's internal data and**

ACIAR website data publicly available:

- 1) <http://aciarc.gov.au/project/SMCN/2003/035>
- 2) <http://aciarc.gov.au/project/ASEM/2002/051>
- 3) <http://aciarc.gov.au/project/ASEM/2009/044>
- 4) <http://aciarc.gov.au/project/PC/2009/003>

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

If yes, provide a short description of actions taken at the national level to increase the number of DLDD-related initiatives of CSOs and STIs in the field of education.

No answer required.

Qualitative assessment

Specify the reasons for the increasing and/or decreasing trend of DLDD-related education initiatives undertaken by CSOs and STIs.

Reasons for increasing

Rate the level of importance by using a scale from 0 to 5, where 0 is not important at all and 5 is very important.

Reason	Level of importance
Increased networking and collaboration opportunities with CSOs	---

Reason	Level of importance
Increased networking and collaboration opportunities with STIs	---
Increased availability of funding at the national level for supporting education-related initiatives	---
Increased awareness of DLDD-related problems and of the need for action	---
Increased knowledge of DLDD-related topics and enhanced capacities of national STIs/CSOs in delivering DLDD-related education initiatives	---
Government policies are more supportive of education initiatives	---
Other	5

Other (specify)

It is not clear whether Australia is 'increasing' the number of initiatives, as we are not aware of any initiatives related to education in the pipeline. However, it would not seem appropriate to suggest there has been decreasing involvement by CSOs and STIs in DLDD-related education initiatives. As such, involvement has remained constant and for this reason, we do not think it is appropriate that we provide a response. |

Reasons for decreasing for CSOs

Rate the level of importance by using a scale from 0 to 5, where 0 is not important at all and 5 is very important.

Reason	Level of importance
Insufficient awareness and knowledge by national CSOs of DLDD-related issues	---
Decreasing networking and collaboration opportunities	---
Diminishing funding availability	---
Other	---

Other (specify)

No answer provided.

Reasons for decreasing for STIs

Rate the level of importance by using a scale from 0 to 5, where 0 is not important at all and 5 is very important.

Reason	Level of importance
National science and technology institutions are more focussed on research activities than on education and training	---
Decreasing networking and collaboration opportunities	---
Diminishing funding availability	---
Other	---

Other (specify)

No answer provided.

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 organizations 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. As a result of COP 10, developed country Parties have additional opportunities to provide complementary information on partnership agreements established under frameworks other than the UNCCD but nevertheless in line with the Convention goals and/or in support of the NAPs of affected country Parties (see section on complementary information).

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, and those established under other frameworks, are to be considered.
- Only agreements under implementation during the reporting period should be considered.

Data sources (indicative only)

Relevant national ministries

Check the glossary for

'partnership agreement', 'integrated investment framework', 'IFS'

Overall target

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

Number of partnership agreements

Number of partnership agreements concluded by your country with affected country Parties established under the framework of UNCCD under implementation during the reporting period.

Year	Relating to integrated investment frameworks established within the IFS devised by the GM	Relating to integrated investment frameworks established within other integrated financing strategies	NOT relating to integrated investment frameworks
2010	1	2	---
2011	1	3	---

Affected country(ies) and/or UNCCD subregion(s) and region(s) with which your country has partnership agreements

List the affected country(ies) and/or UNCCD subregion(s) and region(s) with which your country has one or more partnership agreement(s) under implementation during the reporting period.

- **Cambodia**
- **Lao People's Democratic Republic**
- **China**
- **Global**

Sources of information

List the partnership agreements concluded by your country with affected countries and specify whether they were established within the UNCCD framework or some other framework (and in the case of latter, specify which one).

Partnership agreement	Framework
Lao Agricultural Research Fund (LARF) Pilot	other IIF
Cambodian Agricultural Research Fund	other IIF
Global Environmental Facility	devised by GM
Countermeasures for long-lasting severe drought in China and Australia	other IIF

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- - Internal data provided to the CIE from ACIAR and AusAID
- Website material publicly available at <http://aciarc.gov.au/>
- Website material publicly available at <http://www.ausaid.gov.au/>

Attachments:

None.

National contribution to the target

Does your country have plans for concluding one or more partnership agreement(s) within the framework of the Convention with one or more affected country Party(ies)?

No

If yes, when?

No answer required.

If yes and if known, with which affected country(ies) and/or UNCCD subregion(s) and region(s)?

No answer required.

Qualitative assessment

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

No

If yes, by whom?

No answer required.

Other (specify)

No answer required.

Identify the major difficulties experienced in the process

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.

Reason	Level of importance
Not a priority for the government to conclude partnerships	3
It is not a priority for the beneficiary's side	3

Reason	Level of importance
Other environment-related policy frameworks than the UNCCD are more suitable and/or conducive for establishing partnerships	4
Linking the partnership to existing investment frameworks is too time-consuming	1
Other	---

Other (specify)

No answer provided.

Complementary information**Number of partnership agreements established under frameworks other than UNCCD under implementation during the reporting period**

Year	Number
2010	---
2011	---

List the affected country(ies) and/or UNCCD subregion(s) and region(s) with which your country has one or more such partnership agreement(s) under implementation during the reporting period.

No answer provided.

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 levels.

Data needed

- Planning/programming documents; information from partnership agreements and programmes/projects
- Information on operational mechanisms explicitly aimed at achieving joint implementation, synergies and convergence, as well as at introducing or strengthening reinforcing measures among the Rio Conventions

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'

Check the reporting manual for

'Which synergistic instruments should be included?', 'Indicative list of activities by Parties to promote synergies among the Rio Conventions'

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

Number of enabling instruments established

Number of synergistic instruments implemented

Number of synergistic instruments implemented in affected country Parties with the technical and/or financial support of your country during the reporting period

Year	Joint planning/programming initiatives	Operational mechanisms for joint implementation or mutual reinforcement
2010	0	0
2011	0	0

Specify the type of joint initiative(s) and/or of mechanism(s) supported

If you supported the implementation of one or more synergistic instrument(s) in affected country(ies) during the reporting period, please reply to the questions below.

Joint planning/programming initiatives

No answer provided.

Other (specify)

No answer required.

Operational mechanisms for joint implementation or mutual reinforcement

No answer provided.

Other (specify)

No answer required.

Specify the framework(s) within which the above support was provided

No answer provided.

Other (specify)

No answer required.

Specify the type of support provided

No answer provided.

List the name(s) of the beneficiary affected country(ies) and/or UNCCD subregion(s)/region(s)

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

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

No answer required.

Sources of information

List the names of the synergistic instruments described above.

No answer provided.

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

No answer provided.

Attachments:

None.

National contribution to the target

Does your country have plans for providing support to one or more affected country Party(ies) and/or UNCCD subregion(s)/region(s) for the implementation of synergistic instruments?

No

If yes, when?

No answer required.

If yes and if known, to which affected country(ies) and/or subregion(s)/region(s)?

No answer required.

Qualitative assessment

Identify the major difficulties experienced in the process

For those developed countries **which have supported** the implementation of synergistic planning/programming or mechanisms for joint implementation in affected countries and/or subregion(s)/region(s), identify the major difficulties experienced in this process.

Reason	Level of importance
Lack of coordination among relevant ministries of the recipient country(ies)	---
Human and/or financial resources constraints of the recipient country(ies)	---
Lack of support and/or guidance by the Rio Conventions' institutions	---
Other	---

Other (specify)

There has not been any example identified of where Australia has supported an affected country or region in this manner. As Australia is reporting as a developed, rather than an affected country there are currently zero initiatives for reporting under this indicator. |

Identify the reasons that prevented the delivery of this type of support

For those developed countries **which have not supported** the implementation 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.

Reason	Level of importance
Not a development cooperation priority	4
Insufficient financial resources	1
Support to synergistic instruments should be pursued at the international level and not by individual (developed) countries	3
Other	---

Other (specify)*No answer provided.***Complementary information****Was your country implementing joint planning/programming initiatives for the three Rio Conventions during the reporting period?***No answer provided.***If yes, specify the type of joint initiative(s)***No answer required.***Other (specify)***No answer required.***Did operational mechanisms for joint implementation or mutual reinforcement exist in your country during the reporting period?***No answer provided.***If yes, specify the type of mechanism(s)***No answer required.***Other (specify)***No answer required.***Identify the major difficulties experienced in establishing synergistic planning/programming or mechanisms for joint implementation.**

Rate the level of importance by using a scale from 0 to 5, where 0 is not important at all and 5 is very important.

Reason	Level of importance
Not a priority for the government	---
Lack of financial resources specially dedicated for this purpose	---
Understaffing	---
Lack of time	---
Poor internal coordination among relevant ministries	---
Other	---

Other (specify)*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 supported by developed countries at their respective geographical levels. These monitoring systems may be specifically dedicated to DLDD or may partially cover it. 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 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 levels.

Data needed

- Information on monitoring systems established within the national ministries or other bodies/institutions in affected country Parties and UNCCD subregions/regions.
- Programme/project documents and interim or final reports.

Data sources (indicative only)

Relevant national ministries, programme/project documents or reports, other non-governmental sources.

Check the glossary for

'monitoring system', 'monitoring system specifically dedicated to DLDD', 'monitoring system partially covering DLDD'

Check the reporting manual for

'Which monitoring systems should be reported and accounted for?', 'Can a monitoring system that is not an environmental monitoring system, but accounts for the socio-economic aspects of DLDD, be considered a DLDD monitoring system?', 'Can a meteorological monitoring system be considered a DLDD monitoring system?', 'How do you count the number of supported monitoring systems in use?'

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.

Monitoring systems

Number of monitoring systems in affected country Parties and/or UNCCD subregions/regions that obtained the technical and/or financial support of your country during the reporting period.

Year	Monitoring systems specifically dedicated to DLDD	Monitoring systems partially covering DLDD
2010	---	1
2011	---	1

Specify the framework(s) within which the above support was provided

- Other

Other (specify)

Responsible parties for the GlobalSoilMap.net include CSIRO and the University of Sydney. The support has not come under the directives of the frameworks listed above.

Specify the type of support provided.

Both technical and financial

List the name(s) of the beneficiary affected country(ies) and/or subregion(s)/region(s) and related monitoring systems.

- Global
- Australia

Monitoring systems:

Country	Monitoring system
Global focus	GlobalSoilMap.net

To the best of your knowledge, how many of the monitoring systems you supported since 2008 are still in use (i.e. functional and regularly updated)?

0

Has your country supported one or more monitoring system(s) in affected country(ies) and/or subregion(s)/region(s) before 2008?

Yes

If yes, list the name(s) of the beneficiary affected country(ies) and/or UNCCD subregion(s)/region(s)

- Australia

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- - Consultation with government departments
- publicly available material: <http://www.clw.csiro.au/aclep/documents/GlobalSoilMap.net%20flyerv2.pdf>

Attachments:

None.

National contribution to the target

At the time of reporting, does your country have plans for providing support to one or more affected country Party(ies) and/or UNCCD regions/subregions for monitoring systems relating to DLDD?

No

If yes, when?

No answer required.

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 required.

Qualitative assessment

For those developed countries which have supported (a) monitoring system(s) relating to DLDD at national and/or subregional/regional level, identify the major difficulties experienced in this process.

Rate the level of importance by using a scale from 0 to 5, where 0 is not important at all and 5 is very important.

Reason	Level of importance
Lack of coordination among relevant ministries of the recipient country(ies) in determining the system's hosting and operationalization responsibilities	---
Human and/or financial resources constraints of the recipient country(ies) for the maintenance of the system	---
Time-consuming establishment of regular data flows for feeding the system	---
Other	---

Other (specify)

The CIE has not identified any projects to establish monitoring systems in affected country Parties or

(sub) regions. As such, the above table has not been completed. |

For those developed countries which have not supported a monitoring system relating to DLDD at national and/or subregional/regional level, identify the reasons that prevented the delivery of this type of support.

Rate the level of importance by using a scale from 0 to 5, where 0 is not important at all and 5 is very important.

Reason	Level of importance
Lack of financial resources	1
Not requested by affected and/or subregional regional entities	4
Uncertainty of the type of data and information to be stored in the system for DLDD reporting	1
Other	---

Other (specify)

It is important to note that the monitoring system identified, the GlobalSoilMap.net, was not specifically established in an affected country Party. Once operational, it will act as a useful tool for both developed and affected country Parties.|

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 described on the Convention website

Understanding of the indicator

At the national level, the indicator measures the presence 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 levels.

Data needed

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

Data sources (indicative only)

Relevant organizations and ministries hosting knowledge-sharing systems and networks within their websites.

Check the glossary for

'knowledge-sharing system', 'PRAIS'

Check the reporting manual for

'How can you determine the number of users in a knowledge-sharing system?'

Overall target

By 2010 the Convention website has been restructured and includes a thematic database on knowledge-sharing systems as part of the PRAIS.

Knowledge-sharing systems

List any DLDD-relevant 'knowledge-sharing system' in your country you are aware of, providing an Internet link and estimated number of users per year.

Item 1

Name of the system

Caring for Our Country

Internet link

<http://www.nrm.gov.au/nrm/forum.html>

Estimated number of users per year

Operational Objective 4: Capacity building

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

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 DLDD-related 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 monitoring systems, accessing new financing mechanisms). The information provided by developed country Parties will be complemented by the reporting of other entities on capacity-building initiatives at the national, subregional, regional and global levels.

Data needed

- Information on DLDD-related capacity-building initiatives.
- Only capacity-building plans/programmes/projects mentioned in the PPS that have DLDD-related capacity-building as a major objective are to be considered.

Data sources (indicative only)

- PPSs submitted to UNCCD as part of the reporting exercise.
- Programme/project documents and 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

'capacity-building', 'capacity development', 'capacity-building initiative', 'NCSA', 'PPS'

Check the reporting manual for

'What can be considered as a programme or project that has DLDD-related capacity-building as a major objective?'

Overall target

By 2014, at least 90 per cent of affected country Parties, subregional and regional reporting entities implement DLDD-specific capacity-building plans or programmes/projects.

Number of supported DLDD-related capacity-building initiatives

Number of supported DLDD-related capacity-building initiatives implemented during the reporting period in affected countries, subregions or regions

Year	NCSA-generated	Other initiatives
2010	1	1
2011	24	26

Provide relevant information about the size, scope, effectiveness and status of initiatives supported.

- 1) **GlobalSoilMap.net: 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. 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, climate change, biodiversity conservation and environmental degradation. Ongoing**

2) ACIAR (SMCN/2003/035): The project will demonstrate the potential for developing and utilising small-scale on-farm water storages, evaluate the use of waste materials as soil amendments for improving water and nutrient use efficiency, and promote strategies that will enhance adoption of management strategies which enable high irrigation efficiency and long term soil fertility improvement in Vietnam and NSW. Overall objective is to improve smallholders' incomes by improving profitability of cashew nut production. Completed

3) ACIAR (ASEM/2002/051): Landcare has been successfully adapted at three sites in Mindanao in part through ACIAR project ASEM/1998/052. 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. An Australian component will evaluate the effectiveness of Landcare and farmer group participatory approaches to improving the viability and sustainability of peri-urban horticulture. Completed

4) ACIAR (ADP/2007/055): 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 investigating the potential of policy alternatives to improve the cost-effectiveness of the various land-use change policies that the Chinese Government currently finances. Completed

Detailed information on all programs, their scope, status and their effectiveness can be found in the PPS. |

List the affected country(ies) and/or UNCCD subregions/regions where the DLDD-related capacity-building initiatives have been supported.

- Bangladesh
- Pakistan
- India
- Cambodia
- Indonesia
- Lao People's Democratic Republic
- Viet Nam
- Western Africa
- South East Asia
- Philippines
- Papua New Guinea
- Timor-Leste
- South Africa
- Iraq
- Caribbean
- Pacific
- China
- Myanmar

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- - Internal documents from AUSAID and ACIAR
- Websites for ACIAR, AusAID and CSIRO

Attachments:

None.

National contribution to the target

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

Yes

If yes, when?

2012–2013

If yes and if known at the time of reporting, to which affected country(ies)/subregion(s)/region(s)?

- Indonesia
- Viet Nam
- Lao People's Democratic Republic
- Philippines
- Iraq
- Papua New Guinea
- Afghanistan
- Pakistan
- India
- Bangladesh
- South Asia
- South Africa
- Timor-Leste
- China
- Cambodia

Qualitative assessment

Identify the major difficulties experienced in the process

For those developed countries which 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.

Reason	Level of importance
Insufficient cooperation from the beneficiaries' side	1
Lack of mainstreaming of the plans, programmes or projects into DLDD-related national planning and policies	1
Shortcoming of the plans, programmes or projects in terms of capacity building recipients, content, logistic arrangements, etc.	2
Other	3

Other (specify)

Insufficient practical communication between program proponents and recipients.

Identify the reasons that prevented the delivery of this type of support

For those developed countries which 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.

Reason	Level of importance
Lack of financial resources	---
Not requested by affected and/or subregional regional entities	---
Lack of clarity from the recipient government(s) side on how to concretely capitalise on the built capacities	---
Other	---

Other (specify)*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 IFSs, reflect leveraging 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 DLDD, 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 IFSs promoted by international institutions. The information provided by developed country Parties will be complemented by the reporting of other reporting entities on IIFs at national, subregional and regional levels.

Data needed

- Investment framework documents.
- Only investment frameworks prepared along the guidelines devised within IFSs shall be considered.
- A distinction shall be made between IIFs established within the IFS devised by the GM and those established within other IFSs.

Data sources (indicative only)

Relevant national ministries, programme/project documents

Check the glossary for

'IFS', 'NAP' 'leveraging', 'IIF'

Check the reporting manual for

'Which IIFs should be reported and accounted for?', 'How can you determine the number of IIFs that have been developed?'

Overall target

By 2014, at least 50 per cent of affected country Parties, subregional and regional entities have developed IIFs.

Number of IIFs in affected country Parties and/or UNCCD subregions/regions that have been supported by your country during the reporting period.

According to the information you provide in the first field, if your country has supported one or more IIF(s), please reply to the following questions.

Year	Integrated investment frameworks established within the IFS devised by the GM	Integrated investment frameworks established within other integrated financing strategies
2010	1	2

Year	Integrated investment frameworks established within the IFS devised by the GM	Integrated investment frameworks established within other integrated financing strategies
2011	1	3

Specify the framework(s) within which the above support was provided.

- UNCCD-related initiative
- UNFCCC-related initiative
- Other

Other (specify)

ACIAR and ABARES

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) and related IIFs.

- Cambodia
- China
- Lao People's Democratic Republic
- Global

Related IIFs:

Country, subregion or region	IIF
Global	IIF established within the IFS devised by the GM (UNCCD Framework)
Lao People's Democratic Republic	IIF established within other IFS (ACIAR Framework)
Cambodia	IIF established within other IFS (ACIAR Framework)
China	IIF established within other IFS (ABARES Framework)

To the best of your knowledge, how many of the IIFs you have supported since 2008 are still in use?

1

Development of Integrated investment frameworks

Has your country supported one or more IIF(s) before 2008?

Yes

If yes, list the name(s) of the beneficiary country(ies) and/or subregion(s)/region(s).

- Cambodia
- Lao People's Democratic Republic

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- - Internal documents from AUSAID and ACIAR
- Websites for ACIAR, AusAID and CSIRO

Attachments:

None.

National contribution to the target

At the time of reporting, does your country have plans for providing support to one or more affected country Party(ies) and/or UNCCD regions/subregions for their IIFs?

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?

If not known leave the reply empty.

- Lao People's Democratic Republic
- China

Qualitative assessment

Identify the major difficulties experienced in the development process

For those developed countries which have supported one or more IIF(s) at national and/or subregional/regional levels, identify the major difficulties experienced in the process.

Reason	Level of importance
Lack of coordination among relevant ministries of the recipient country(ies) for the provision of needed technical and financial information	1
National bilateral and multilateral resources are too diverse; cannot be realistically coordinated under one umbrella	1
Other	---

Other (specify)

No answer provided.

Identify the reasons that prevented the delivery of this type of support

For those developed countries which have not supported an IIF at national and/or subregional/regional levels, identify the reasons that prevented the delivery of this type of support.

Reason	Level of importance
Lack of financial resources	---
Not requested by affected and/or subregional or regional entities	---
Exercise is too time-consuming compared to the advantages offered	---
Other	---

Other (specify)

Australia would not be required to complete the above as it is not applicable.

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 within DLDD-related programmes and projects supporting affected country Parties.

Data sources (indicative only)

- SFAs submitted to UNCCD as part of the reporting exercise.
- Only programmes/projects where the reporting developed country Party has made a financial contribution shall be considered.

Check the glossary for
'SFA', 'currency', 'RACs'

Check the reporting manual for
'What thematic areas should be considered?'

Overall target

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Amounts made available to affected country Parties through DLDD-related programmes and projects

Refer to the programmes and projects submitted as SFAs to the UNCCD and for which your country has made a financial commitment. Sum the amounts committed by your country during the reporting period and give the total in the table below.

Biennium	Currency	Amounts committed
2010–2011	AUD	426726480

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- - Internal documents from AUSAID and ACIAR
- Websites for ACIAR, AusAID and CSIRO

Attachments:

None.

Qualitative assessment

Identify the reasons for the increasing or decreasing trend of financial resources made available to affected country Parties to combat DLDD.

Reasons for increasing

Rate the level of importance by using a scale from 0 to 5, where 0 is not important at all and 5 is very important.

Reason	Level of importance
Increased availability of national resources for development cooperation in general	1
Improved profile of UNCCD at the global level, including monitoring of performance	1
Increased prioritization of UNCCD by developed country Parties	1
Other	---

Other (specify)

The financial commitment to DLDD in this reporting period is not directly comparable to the previous reporting period, as AusAID's total contribution for this year has been included, as opposed to only

program-specific financial contributions in the 4th report to the UNCCD. |***Reasons for decreasing***

Rate the level of importance by using a scale from 0 to 5, where 0 is not important at all and 5 is very important.

Reason	Level of importance
Less national resources dedicated to development cooperation in general	---
Other development cooperation frameworks are more attractive than UNCCD	---
Other	---

Other (specify)

Not applicable.

Complementary information

If available, provide information on amounts made available to multilateral organizations through DLDD-related programmes and projects.

Bienium	Currency	Amounts committed
2010–2011	---	---

Standard Financial Annex

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 SFA is to consolidate information on resources mobilized 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 minimize 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:

- a. Identification, i.e. data required to identify the reporting entity, the funding source and the activity financed;
- b. Basic data, i.e. data specifying the amount and type of financial commitment made, as well as the recipient country, region, and/or organization, and the funding period, if applicable;
- c. Classification, i.e. categorization 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 of performance indicators for the review of implementation of The Strategy and Best Practices, common to all reporting entities and contained in a separate document (ICCD/CRIC(9)/13).

Financial Commitment #1 — Improving the utilisation of water and soil resources for tree crop production in coastal areas of Vietnam and New South Wales

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- ACIAR

Identification code

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

SMCN/2003/035

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
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Name of activity funded

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization 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

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**
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Recipient organization(s)

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(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, Vietnam**
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Executing Agency(ies)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/01/2007

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

666198 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/01/2007

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

31/07/2011

Duration (no. of months)

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 Codes (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).

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

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR internal data and website**

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #2 — Sustaining and growing landcare systems in the Philippines and Australia

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
-

Identification code

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

ASEM/2002/051

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
-

Name of activity funded

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

Sustaining and growing landcare systems in the Philippines and Australia

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

- **Philippines**
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Recipient organization(s)

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **University of Queensland, Australia; World Agroforestry Centre, Philippines; Department of Employment, Economic Development and Innovation, 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**
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Executing Agency(ies)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/07/2004

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

2164421 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/07/2004

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

30/06/2011

Duration (no. of months)

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 Codes (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).

- **2.2.1 Capacity-Building**
- **3.2.6 Land Conservation**

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR internal data and website**

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #3 — Improving the efficiency of land use change policy in China

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**

Identification code

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

ADP/2007/055

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**

Name of activity funded

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

Improving the efficiency of land use change policy in China

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 organization(s)

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(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)**Commitment date**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/04/2008

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

409128 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/04/2008

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

30/11/2010

Duration (no. of months)

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 Codes (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).

- **2.2.1 Capacity-Building**
- **3.2.6 Land Conservation**

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR internal data and website**

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #4 — More effective water use by rainfed wheat in China and Australia locations in all countries

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
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Identification code

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

CIM/2005/111

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
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Name of activity funded

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

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

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 organization(s)

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(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
 - China; Northwest Agriculture and Forestry University
 - China
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Executing Agency(ies)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization
1/06/2008

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed
871689 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.
Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization
1/06/2008

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable
30/06/2013

Duration (no. of months)

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 Codes (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).

- 2.2.1 Capacity-Building
 - 3.1.1 Agriculture
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Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- ACIAR internal data and website

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #5 — Early warning and drought preparedness for improved management of crop production in Papua New Guinea

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- ACIAR
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Identification code

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

ASEM/2006/129

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- ACIAR
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Name of activity funded

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

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

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
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Recipient organization(s)

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(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
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Executing Agency(ies)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/04/2008

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

154710 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/04/2008

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

31/08/2010

Duration (no. of months)

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 Codes (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).

- 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. You may also upload relevant documents.

- ACIAR internal data and website

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #6 — Evaluation and adoption of improved farming practices on soil and water resources, Bohol Island, the Philippines

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- ACIAR
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Identification code

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

SMCN/2004/078

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- ACIAR
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Name of activity funded

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

Evaluation and adoption of improved farming practices on soil and water resources, Bohol Island, the Philippines|

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

- Philippines
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Recipient organization(s)

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

No answer provided.

Other

- Applied Horticultural Research, Australia; University of Sydney, Australia; World Agroforestry Centre, Philippines; University of Western Sydney, Australia; Bureau of Soil and Water Management, Philippines
 - Philippines
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Executing Agency(ies)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/01/2007

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

840299 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/01/2007

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

31/12/2010

Duration (no. of months)**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 Codes (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).

- 2.2.1 Capacity-Building
 - 3.2.6 Land Conservation
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Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- ACIAR internal data and website

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #7 — Enhancing institutional performance in watershed management in Andhra Pradesh, India

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- ACIAR

Identification code

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

LWR/2006/158

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
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Name of activity funded

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

Enhancing institutional performance in watershed management in Andhra Pradesh, India|

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**
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Recipient organization(s)

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **Edith Cowan University, Australia; International Water Management Institute, India; La Trobe University, Australia; Department of Rural Development, India; Indian Institute of Management, India**
 - **India**
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Executing Agency(ies)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/10/2008

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

815920 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization
1/10/2008

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable
30/09/2012

Duration (no. of months)

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 Codes (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).

- **2.2.1 Capacity-Building**
- **3.2.7 Water Conservation**

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR internal data and website**

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #8 — Impacts of climate change and watershed development on whole-of-basin agricultural water security in the Krishna and Murray-Darling Basins

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**

Identification code

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

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**

Name of activity funded

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization 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

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 organization(s)

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(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)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/04/2010

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

1298988 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/04/2010

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

30/06/2014

Duration (no. of months)

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 Codes (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).

- 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. You may also upload relevant documents.

- ACIAR internal data and website

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #9 — Optimising canal and groundwater management to assist water user associations in maximising crop production and managing salinisation

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- ACIAR
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Identification code

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

LWR/2005/144

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- ACIAR

Name of activity funded

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

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

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**
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Recipient organization(s)

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(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**
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Executing Agency(ies)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/01/2008

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

1000000 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/01/2008

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

31/12/2012

Duration (no. of months)

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 Codes (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).

- **2.2.1 Capacity-Building**
- **3.2.7 Water Conservation**

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR internal data and website**

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #10 — Developing multi-scale climate change adaptation strategies for farming communities in Cambodia, Lao PDR, Bangladesh and India

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**

Identification code

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

LWR/2008/019

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**

Name of activity funded

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

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

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**
- **India**
- **Cambodia**
- **Lao People's Democratic Republic**

Recipient organization(s)

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

- **International Rice Research Institute**

Other

- **International Rice Research Institute, Bangladesh; CSIRO Climate Adaptation Flagship, Australia; Acharya N.G. Ranga Agricultural University, India; Bangladesh Agricultural Research Council, Bangladesh; Bangladesh Agricultural Research Institute, Bangladesh;**
- **Bangladesh Rice Research Institute, Bangladesh; Cambodia Agricultural Research and Development Institute, Cambodia; Department of Agricultural Extension, Cambodia; Department of Meteorology and Hydrology, Laos; International Development Enterprises, Cambodia;**
- **Livelihoods and Natural Resource Management Institute, India; 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**
- **India**

Executing Agency(ies)**Commitment date**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/04/2010

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

5251165 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/04/2010

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

30/06/2014

Duration (no. of months)

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 Codes (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).

- 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. You may also upload relevant documents.

- ACIAR internal data and website

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #11 — Improving the management of water and nitrogen fertiliser for agricultural profitability, water quality and reduced nitrous oxide emissions in China and Australia

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- ACIAR
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Identification code

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

LWR/2003/039

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- ACIAR

Name of activity funded

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization 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|

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 organization(s)

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(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**
 - **China; Shanxi Academy of Agricultural Sciences**
 - **China**
-

Executing Agency(ies)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/04/2005

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

1627826 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/04/2005

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

30/06/2010

Duration (no. of months)

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 Codes (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).

- 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. You may also upload relevant documents.

- ACIAR internal data and website

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #12 — Improving farmer livelihoods through efficient use of resources in crop-livestock farming systems in western China

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- ACIAR
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Identification code

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

LWR/2007/191

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- ACIAR
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Name of activity funded

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

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

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 organization(s)

Enter the full name and acronym of the organization(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**
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Executing Agency(ies)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/04/2008

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

1115771 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/04/2008

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

31/03/2012

Duration (no. of months)

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 Codes (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).

- 2.2.1 Capacity-Building
 - 3.1.1 Agriculture
-

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- ACIAR internal data and website

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #13 — Development of conservation cropping systems in the drylands of northern Iraq

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- ACIAR
-

Identification code

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

CIM/2008/027

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- ACIAR
-

Name of activity funded

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

Development of conservation cropping systems in the drylands of northern Iraq

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 organization(s)

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

Other

- 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 WA

Executing Agency(ies)**Commitment date**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization
1/07/2008

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed
4710425 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.
Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization
1/07/2008

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable
30/06/2011

Duration (no. of months)**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 Codes (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).

- **2.2.1 Capacity-Building**
 - **3.1.1 Agriculture**
-

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **AusAID/ACIAR internal documents**

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #14 — Watershed evaluation for sustainable use of sloping agricultural land in the southern Philippines

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
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Identification code

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

SMCN/2009/031

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
-

Name of activity funded

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

Watershed evaluation for sustainable use of sloping agricultural land in the southern Philippines

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

- **Philippines**
-

Recipient organization(s)

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **CSIRO Land and Water, World Agroforestry Centre, Philippines Bureau of Soil and Water Management - Philippines, Department of Environment and Natural Resources - Philippines, Landcare Foundation of the Philippines Inc, Philippines, Misamis Oriental State College of Agriculture and Technology, Philip**

Executing Agency(ies)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/03/2011

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

1965006 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/03/2011

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

31/10/2015

Duration (no. of months)

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 Codes (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).

- **3.1.2 Forestry**

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR internal data and website**

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #15 — Impacts of meso-scale Watershed Development in Andhra Pradesh (India) and their implications for designing and implementing improved WSD policies and programs

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
-

Identification code

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

LWR/2006/072

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
-

Name of activity funded

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

Impacts of meso-scale Watershed Development in Andhra Pradesh (India) and their implications for designing and implementing improved WSD policies and programs

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 organization(s)

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **Edith Cowan University, Australia**
-

Executing Agency(ies)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/06/2009

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

1527140 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/06/2009

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

31/05/2014

Duration (no. of months)

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 Codes (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).

- 3.1.1 Agriculture
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Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- ACIAR internal data and website

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #16 — Soil salinity management in central and southern Iraq

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
-

Identification code

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

LWR/2009/034

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
-

Name of activity funded

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

Soil salinity management in central and southern Iraq

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 organization(s)

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **International Center for Agricultural Research in the Dry Areas, Syria**
-

Executing Agency(ies)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/12/2010

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

3634292 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/12/2010

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

28/02/2013

Duration (no. of months)**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 Codes (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).

- **3.1.1 Agriculture**
-

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR internal data and website**
-

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #17 — Improving soil health in support of sustainable development in the Pacific

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
-

Identification code

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

PC/2009/003

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
-

Name of activity funded

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

Improving soil health in support of sustainable development in the Pacific

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

- **Fiji**
 - **Kiribati**
 - **Samoa**
-

Recipient organization(s)

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **Secretariat of the Pacific Community, Fiji**
-

Executing Agency(ies)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/04/2011

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

1497891 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/04/2011

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

31/03/2015

Duration (no. of months)

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 Codes (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).

- 3.1.1 Agriculture
-

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- ACIAR internal data and website

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #18 — Improving development outcomes for smallholder farmers through closer collaboration between landcare and other ACIAR projects

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- ACIAR
-

Identification code

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

ASEM/2009/044

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
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Name of activity funded

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

Improving development outcomes for smallholder farmers through closer collaboration between landcare and other ACIAR projects

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

- **Philippines**
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Recipient organization(s)

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **Landcare Foundation of the Philippines Inc, Philippines**
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Executing Agency(ies)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/01/2010

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

150000 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/01/2010

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

30/06/2011

Duration (no. of months)

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 Codes (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).

- **2.2.1 Capacity-Building**

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR internal data and website**

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #19 — Sustainable livestock grazing systems on Chinese temperate grasslands

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**

Identification code

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

LPS/2008/048

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**

Name of activity funded

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

Sustainable livestock grazing systems on Chinese temperate grasslands

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 organization(s)

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **Charles Sturt University, Rural Management - Australia, Gansu Agricultural University - China
Lanzhou University - China
Chinese Academy of Agricultural Sciences, China
Inner Mongolia Agricultural University, China
China Agricultural University, China**
-

Executing Agency(ies)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/06/2012

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

1331528 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/06/2012

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

31/12/2015

Duration (no. of months)

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 Codes (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).

- **3.2.1 Air and Climate Protection**
-

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR internal data and website**

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #20 — Climate change affecting land use in the Mekong Delta: adaptation of rice-based cropping systems

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
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Identification code

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

SMCN/2009/021

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
-

Name of activity funded

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

Climate change affecting land use in the Mekong Delta: adaptation of rice-based cropping systems

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 organization(s)

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **International Rice Research Institute, Philippines**

Executing Agency(ies)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/03/2011

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

3889406 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/03/2011

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

28/02/2015

Duration (no. of months)

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 Codes (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).

- **3.1.1 Agriculture**

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR internal data and website**

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #21 — Improving governance, policy and institutional arrangements to reduce emissions from deforestation and degradation

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
-

Identification code

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

FST/2007/052

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
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Name of activity funded

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

Improving governance, policy and institutional arrangements to reduce emissions from deforestation and degradation|

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 organization(s)

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **Australian National University, Australia**
-

Executing Agency(ies)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/04/2008

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

1450175 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/04/2008

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

31/03/2013

Duration (no. of months)

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 Codes (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).

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Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- ACIAR internal data and website

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #22 — Overcoming constraints to community-based commercial forestry in Indonesia

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
-

Identification code

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

FST/2008/030

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
-

Name of activity funded

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

Overcoming constraints to community-based commercial forestry in Indonesia

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 organization(s)

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **Australian National University, Australia**
-

Executing Agency(ies)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/04/2011

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

898732 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/04/2011

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

30/09/2015

Duration (no. of months)**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 Codes (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).

- **RAC__1__1.2__1.2.3__1.2.3.[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__1__1.2__1.2.3__1.2.3.']**
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Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR internal data and website**

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #23 — Increasing food security and farmer livelihoods through enhanced legume cultivation in the Central Dry Zone of Burma**Reporting Entity**

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
-

Identification code

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

SMCN/2006/013

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
-

Name of activity funded

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

Increasing food security and farmer livelihoods through enhanced legume cultivation in the Central Dry Zone of Burma

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

- **South East Asia**
-

Recipient organization(s)

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **International Crops Research Institute for the Semi Arid Tropics, Global Crop Improvement, India; University of New England, Australia; Central Agricultural Research Institute, Burma (Myanmar); Myanmar Agricultural Service, Burma (Myanmar); Department of Agricultural Research, Burma (Myanmar)**
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Executing Agency(ies)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/01/2007

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

685678 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/01/2007

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

31/05/2011

Duration (no. of months)

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 Codes (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).

- 3.1.2 Forestry

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- ACIAR internal data and website

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #24 — Pasture development for community livestock production in the Eastern Cape Province of South Africa

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- ACIAR

Identification code

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

LPS/2004/022

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**

Name of activity funded

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

Pasture development for community livestock production in the Eastern Cape Province of South Africa

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

- **South Africa**

Recipient organization(s)

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **Murdoch University, Centre for Rhizobium Studies, Australia; Agricultural Research Council, South Africa; Department of Agriculture and Food, Western Australia, Australia; Eastern Cape Department of Agriculture, South Africa; National Wool Growers' Association of South Africa, South Africa**

Executing Agency(ies)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/06/2006

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

765252 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/06/2006

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

30/06/2013

Duration (no. of months)

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 Codes (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).

- 3.1.2 Forestry
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Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- ACIAR internal data and website
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Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #25 — United Nations Environment Programme

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- SEWPAC
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Identification code

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

No answer provided.

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- SEWPAC
-

Name of activity funded

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

United Nations Environment Programme

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

- **Global**
-

Recipient organization(s)

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

Other

- **Mutiple agencies and organizations**
-

Executing Agency(ies)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization
14/12/2009

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed
404555 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.
Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization
1/01/2010

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable
31/12/2011

Duration (no. of months)

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)
No answer provided.

Relevant Activity Codes (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).

- **RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']**

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **SEWPAC internal data**

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #26 — Countermeasures for long-lasting Severe Drought in China and Australia

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ABARES**

Identification code

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

No answer provided.

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **ABARES**

Name of activity funded

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

Countermeasures for long-lasting Severe Drought in China and Australia

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**
- **Australia**

Recipient organization(s)

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **Remote Sensing Technology Application Center, MWR**

Executing Agency(ies)**Commitment date**

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/07/2011

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

161000 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/07/2011

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

1/02/2012

Duration (no. of months)

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 Codes (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).

- **2.2.1 Capacity-Building**

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- http://www.acedp-partnership.org/en/activities/PartnershipProjects/AP_1_15_11/237.aspx

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #27 — Global Soil Map

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- CSIRO
-

Identification code

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

No answer provided.

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- CSIRO
-

Name of activity funded

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

Global Soil Map

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

- Global
 - Australia
-

Recipient organization(s)

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

No answer provided.

Other

- Multiple agencies and organizations
-

Executing Agency(ies)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

No answer provided.

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

200000 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/01/2010

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

01/01/02012

Duration (no. of months)**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 Codes (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).

- **RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']**
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Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **CSIRO input**

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #28 — All projects classified under Rio Marker 2

Reporting Entity

Enter the name of the country or organization submitting the official report to the UNCCD to which the financial

commitment will be attached in the form of a consolidated Standard Financial Annex

No answer provided.

Other

- AusAID
-

Identification code

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

n/a

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- AusAID
-

Name of activity funded

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

All projects classified under Rio Marker 2

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

- South East Asia
 - Pacific
 - Africa
 - Caribbean
 - Western Africa
-

Recipient organization(s)

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

No answer provided.

Other

- Many organisations, cannot be specified
-

Executing Agency(ies)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/01/2010

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

43500000 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/01/2010

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

31/12/2011

Duration (no. of months)**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 Codes (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).

- RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']
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Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- n/a

Attachments:

None.

Financial Commitment #29 — All projects classified under Rio Marker 1

Reporting Entity

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

No answer provided.

Other

- AusAID
-

Identification code

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

n/a

Funding organization

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **AusAID**
-

Name of activity funded

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

All projects classified under Rio Marker 1

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

- **South East Asia**
 - **Pacific**
 - **Africa**
 - **Caribbean**
 - **Western Africa**
-

Recipient organization(s)

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

No answer provided.

Other

- **Many organisations, cannot be specified**
-

Executing Agency(ies)

Commitment date

Enter the date at which the financial commitment has been formally approved by the extending organization

1/01/2010

Amount committed

Enter the total amount of money committed

364480000 Australian Dollar

Type of funding

Indicate the type of funding provided through the financial commitment.

Grant

Start date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be made available to the recipient organization

1/01/2010

Completion date

Enter the date at which the funding has been or is expected to be utilized by the recipient organization, if applicable

31/12/2011

Duration (no. of months)**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 Codes (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).

- RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']
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Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- n/a

Attachments:

None.

Programme and Project Sheets

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 categorized 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 United Nations Convention on Biological Diversity, UNCBD – and the United Nations 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 minimize 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.

Programme/Project #1 — GlobalSoilMap.net Project

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- CSIRO
-

Identification code

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

No answer provided.

Title

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

GlobalSoilMap.net Project

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Executing Agency

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science and 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**
 - **NCRIS Terrestrial Ecosystem Research Network**
 - **Australian Research Council**
-

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

- **Australia**
 - **Global**
-

Target area size/administrative unit

Area Size

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

Global

Target Group

Beneficiaries

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

17/02/2009

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

No answer provided.

Status

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

Ongoing

Programme/Project co-financing

Programme/Project co-financing

Item 1

Source

Source (other)

NCRIS Terrestrial Ecosystem Research Network; DAFF support for the Australian Collaborative Land Evaluation Program; Sydney University core funds; Australian Research Council

Currency

AUD

Amount

2450000

United Nations 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

1

Strategic objectives

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

- 4
-

Operational objectives

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

- 3
-

Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- 31130 Agricultural land resources
 - 41082 Environmental research
-

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.)
For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- **2 Capacity Development and Planning**
-

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **1.1.2 (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).**
-

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- <http://www.clw.csiro.au/aclep/documents/GlobalSoilMap.net%20flyerv2.pdf>

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #2 — Improving the utilisation of water and soil resources for tree crop production in coastal areas of Vietnam and New South Wales

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
-

Identification code

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

SMCN/2003/035

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

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science and 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**
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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**
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Target area size/administrative unit

Area Size

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group

Beneficiaries

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/01/2007

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

31/07/2011

Status

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

Completed

Programme/Project co-financing

Programme/Project co-financing

Item 1

Source

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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

Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- 31220 Forestry development
- 31282 Forestry research

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.)

For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **The coastal provinces of central Vietnam are amongst the poorest in the country because agricultural development is hampered by lack of water combined with sandy soils that are infertile and difficult to irrigate. The project aimed to improve smallholders' incomes by improving the profitability of cashew nut production. The research objectives were to:**
 - assess the potential sources availability and costs of irrigation water in landscape units of central coastal Vietnam;
 - identify current farmer practices and perceptions in relation to irrigation and nutrient management;
 - increase technical capacity of the Agricultural Science Institute for Southern Coastal Central Vietnam in water and soil science;
 - evaluate water and nutrient management strategies to improve productivity and profitability of tree crops and resource use efficiency in central coastal Vietnam and northern coastal NSW. (Also identified as a Best Practice initiative)

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR internal data and website**

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #3 — Sustaining and growing landcare systems in the Philippines and Australia

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**

Identification code

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

ASEM/2002/051

Title

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

Sustaining and growing landcare systems in the Philippines and Australia

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science and 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 Employment**
- **Economic Development and Innovation**
- **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**

Target area size/administrative unit

Area Size

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group

Beneficiaries

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/07/2004

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

30/06/2011

Status

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

Completed

Programme/Project co-financing***Programme/Project co-financing***

Item 1

Source

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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

Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- **31130 Agricultural land resources**

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.)

For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **Landcare has been successfully adapted at three sites in Mindanao in part through ACIAR project ASEM/1998/052. Landcare has been successfully adapted at three sites in Mindanao. The sustainability of this success has not been properly examined and is not fully understood. Research in the Philippines aimed 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. An Australian component evaluated the effectiveness of Landcare and farmer group participatory approaches to improving the viability and sustainability of peri-urban horticulture.**

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR internal data and website**

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #4 — Improving the efficiency of land use change policy in China

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**

Identification code

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

ADP/2007/055

Title

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

Improving the efficiency of land use change policy in China

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science and 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.

- **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**

Target area size/administrative unit**Area Size**

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group

Beneficiaries

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/04/2008

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

30/11/2010

Status

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

Completed

Programme/Project co-financing***Programme/Project co-financing***

Item 1

Source

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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

- 4
- 5

Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- **31130 Agricultural land resources**

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.)

For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- **RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']**

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **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 investigated the potential of policy alternatives to improve the cost-effectiveness of the various land-use change policies that the Chinese Government was financing. Researchers undertook a comprehensive analysis to determine whether the introduction of market-based instruments would improve the cost-effectiveness of these key land-use change programs. Specifically they explored the feasibility of a bidding scheme for conservation contracts in allocating government funds.**

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR internal data and website**

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #5 — More effective water use by rainfed wheat in China and Australia locations in all countries

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
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Identification code

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

CIM/2005/111

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

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

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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

- **China**
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Target area size/administrative unit

Area Size

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group

Beneficiaries

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/06/2008

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

30/06/2013

Status

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

Ongoing

Programme/Project co-financing

Programme/Project co-financing

Item 1

Source

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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
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Operational objectives

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

- 4
 - 5
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Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- **31161 Food crop production**
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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.)

For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- **RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']**
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Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **In both north-western China and Australia conservation farming practices are being promoted as an important component of more-sustainable farming systems. CSIRO Plant Industry has been achieving considerable 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 based at Northwest Agriculture and Forestry University Yangling Shaanxi and Ningxia Academy of Agriculture and Forestry Science Yinchuan Ningxia.**
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Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR internal data and website**

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #6 — Early warning and drought preparedness for improved management of crop production in Papua New Guinea

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
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Identification code

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

ASEM/2006/129

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

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science and 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.

- **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

- China

Target area size/administrative unit

Area Size

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group

Beneficiaries

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/04/2008

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

31/08/2010

Status

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

Completed

Programme/Project co-financing

Programme/Project co-financing

Item 1

Source

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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

Operational objectives

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

- 4
- 5

Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- **31161 Food crop production**

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.)

For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **The ability of PNG to respond to challenges associated with climate variability and climate extremes (floods and droughts) would be largely influenced by their preparedness at local institutional and national levels. An early warning system based on seasonal climate forecasts and building local capacity in the use of this technology was seen as a major step towards meeting these challenges. Long term sustainability of PNG's agriculture would require a strong understanding of the impacts of**

climate on PNG's agriculture and a capacity to predict climate events with sufficient lead time for government and farmers to take remedial action. (Also identified as a Best Practice initiative).

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR internal data and website**

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #7 — Evaluation and adoption of improved farming practices on soil and water resources, Bohol Island, the Philippines

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
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Identification code

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

SMCN/2004/078

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

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science and 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.

- **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)

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**

Target area size/administrative unit**Area Size**

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group**Beneficiaries**

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/01/2007

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

31/12/2010

Status

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

Ongoing

Programme/Project co-financing**Programme/Project co-financing**

Item 1

Source

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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
- 5

Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- **31130 Agricultural land resources**

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.)

For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- **RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']**

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **Building on the experience and expertise developed through the earlier ACIAR projects LWR/2001/003 and ASEM/2002/051 the project aims to 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.**
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Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR internal data and website**

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #8 — Enhancing institutional performance in watershed management in Andhra Pradesh, India

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
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Identification code

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

LWR/2006/158

Title

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

Enhancing institutional performance in watershed management in Andhra Pradesh, India

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science and 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.

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

- **India; Indian Institute of Management**
- **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**

Target area size/administrative unit

Area Size

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group

Beneficiaries

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/10/2008

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

30/09/2012

Status

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

Ongoing

Programme/Project co-financing

Programme/Project co-financing

Item 1

Source

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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
 - 5
-

Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- **14010 Water resources policy and administrative management**
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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.)

For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- **RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']**

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **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 is undertaking a comprehensive evaluation of WSD program design and implementation in Andhra Pradesh. The desired outcome is greater capacity within various Indian agencies to improve institutional design for WSD and other resource management activities.**

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR internal data and website**

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #9 — Impacts of climate change and watershed development on whole-of-basin agricultural water security in the Krishna and Murray-Darling Basins

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**

Identification code

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

LWR/2007/113

Title

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

Impacts of climate change and watershed development on whole-of-basin agricultural water security in the Krishna and Murray-Darling Basins

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science and 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; Indian Institute of Tropical Meteorology**
- **India; International Water Management Institute**
- **India; The Energy and Resources Institute**
- **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**

Target area size/administrative unit

Area Size

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group

Beneficiaries

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/04/2010

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

30/06/2014

Status

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

Ongoing

Programme/Project co-financing

Programme/Project co-financing

Item 1

Source

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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

- 4
- 5

Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- **14010 Water resources policy and administrative management**
- **31140 Agricultural water resources**

Programme/Project Components

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For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- **RAC__n/a**[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **By the year 2100 some predict that India will experience a 3-5oC 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%. Thus 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.**

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR internal data and website**

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #10 — Optimising canal and groundwater management to assist water user associations in maximising crop production and managing salinisation

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**

Identification code

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

LWR/2005/144

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

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science and 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.

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

Target area size/administrative unit

Area Size

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group

Beneficiaries

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/01/2008

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

31/12/2012

Status

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

Ongoing

Programme/Project co-financing

Programme/Project co-financing

Item 1

Source

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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
- 5

Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- **14010 Water resources policy and administrative management**
- **31140 Agricultural water resources**

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.)

For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- **RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']**

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **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.(Also identified as a Best Practice initiative).**

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR internal data and website**

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #11 — Developing multi-scale climate change adaptation strategies for farming communities in Cambodia, Lao PDR, Bangladesh and India

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**

Identification code

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

LWR/2008/019

Title

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

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

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science and 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.

- **International Rice Research Institute**
 - **Bangladesh; CSIRO Climate Adaptation Flagship**
 - **Australia; Acharya N.G. Ranga Agricultural University**
 - **India; Bangladesh Agricultural Research Council**
 - **Bangladesh; Bangladesh Agricultural Research Institute**
 - **Bangladesh; Bangladesh Rice Research Institute**
 - **Bangladesh; Cambodia Agricultural Research and Development Institute**
 - **Cambodia; Department of Agricultural Extension**
 - **Cambodia; Department of Meteorology and Hydrology**
 - **Laos; International Development Enterprises**
 - **Cambodia; Livelihoods and Natural Resource Management Institute**
 - **India; 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**
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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

- **Bangladesh**
 - **India**
 - **Cambodia**
 - **Lao People's Democratic Republic**
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Target area size/administrative unit

Area Size

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group

Beneficiaries

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/04/2010

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

30/06/2014

Status

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

Ongoing

Programme/Project co-financing

Programme/Project co-financing

Item 1

Source

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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

2

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
 - 5
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Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- **31161 Food crop production**
 - **31182 Agricultural research**
-

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.)

For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']
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Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **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 the 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.(Also identified as a Best Practice initiative).**
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Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR internal data and website**

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #12 — Improving the management of water and nitrogen fertiliser for

agricultural profitability, water quality and reduced nitrous oxide emissions in China and Australia

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
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Identification code

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

LWR/2003/039

Title

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

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

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science and 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.

- **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**
-

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**
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Target area size/administrative unit

Area Size

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group

Beneficiaries

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/04/2005

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

30/06/2010

Status

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

Completed

Programme/Project co-financing

Programme/Project co-financing

Item 1

Source

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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
- 2

Operational objectives

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

- 4
- 5

Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- **31120 Agricultural development**
- **31130 Agricultural land resources**

Programme/Project Components

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For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- **RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']**

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **Many cropping areas in China rely on inputs of water through irrigation and fertiliser. In western provinces where wheat and maize are grown low water use efficiency and wasteful nitrogen fertiliser applications are common. These lower income levels and harm the environment including catalysing the 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

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR internal data and website**

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #13 — Improving farmer livelihoods through efficient use of resources in crop-livestock farming systems in western China

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
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Identification code

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

LWR/2007/191

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

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science and 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.

- **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)

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

Target area size/administrative unit

Area Size

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group

Beneficiaries

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/04/2008

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

31/03/2012

Status

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

Completed

Programme/Project co-financing

Programme/Project co-financing

Item 1

Source

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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
- 5

Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- 31130 Agricultural land resources
- 31140 Agricultural water resources

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.)

For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- **RAC__n/a**[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **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

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR internal data and website**

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #14 — Development of conservation cropping systems in the drylands of northern Iraq

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**

Identification code

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

CIM/2008/027

Title

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

Development of conservation cropping systems in the drylands of northern Iraq

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science and 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.

- 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 WA

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

Area Size

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group

Beneficiaries

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/07/2008

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

30/06/2011

Status

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

Completed

Programme/Project co-financing

Programme/Project co-financing

*Item 1***Source**

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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

- 2
- 4
- 5

Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- **31161 Food crop production**

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.)

For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use

abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- **RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']**
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Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **The project aims to increase 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.**
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Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR internal data and website**

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #15 — Watershed evaluation for sustainable use of sloping agricultural land in the southern Philippines

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
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Identification code

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

SMCN/2009/031

Title

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

Watershed evaluation for sustainable use of sloping agricultural land in the southern Philippines

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency,

etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science and 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.

- CSIRO Land and Water
 - World Agroforestry Centre
 - Philippines Bureau of Soil and Water Management - Philippines
 - Department of Environment and Natural Resources - Philippines
 - Landcare Foundation of the Philippines Inc
 - Philippines
 - Misamis Oriental State College of Agriculture and Technology
 - Philippines
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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
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Target area size/administrative unit

Area Size

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group

Beneficiaries

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/03/2011

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

31/10/2015

Status

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

Ongoing

Programme/Project co-financing

Programme/Project co-financing

Item 1

Source

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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

- 4

Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- 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.)

For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- **RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']**

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **The project aims to guide improved management systems through the development and application of methods to characterise watersheds in different regions including biophysical and socio-economic information. It also aims to develop improved approaches to analysing the suitability of sloping land for agricultural intensification within a watershed context. Research is aimed to inform and enhance local land-use planning processes at both the watershed and community scales and to design and implement ongoing monitoring programs in the Philippine watersheds that allow critical assessment of the adoption and impacts of land use planning.**

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR website**

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #16 — Impacts of meso-scale Watershed Development in Andhra Pradesh (India) and their implications for designing and implementing improved WSD policies and programs

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**

Identification code

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

LWR/2006/072

Title

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

Impacts of meso-scale Watershed Development in Andhra Pradesh (India) and their implications for designing and implementing improved WSD policies and programs

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science and 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.

- **Livelihoods and Natural Resource Management Institute**
 - **India; Central Research Institute for Dryland Agriculture**
 - **India; National Geophysical Research Institute**
 - **India; International Water Management Institute**
 - **India; Australian National University**
 - **Australia; Department of Rural Development**
 - **India; La Trobe University**
 - **Australia; CSIRO Sustainable Ecosystems**
 - **Australia; University of Ballarat**
 - **Australia; APFMGS Andhra Pradesh**
 - **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**
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Target area size/administrative unit

Area Size

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group

Beneficiaries

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/06/2009

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

31/05/2014

Status

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

Ongoing

Programme/Project co-financing***Programme/Project co-financing****Item 1***Source**

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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

- 3

Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- **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.)

For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- **RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']**

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **Watershed Development (WSD) programs in rainfed dryland agriculture in India have been introduced to ensure the sustainability of the surface and groundwater resources and to improve the livelihoods of farmers. This project aims to quantify the aggregated impact of watershed interventions on hydrology within and across watersheds at meso-scale to develop and apply integrated models to assess cost effectiveness and water-related equity outcomes of stakeholder defined watershed development scenarios and to integrate and (through partners) apply the knowledge arising from the project at local state and national policy levels.**

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR website**

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #17 — Soil salinity management in central and southern Iraq

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**

Identification code

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

LWR/2009/034

Title

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

Soil salinity management in central and southern Iraq

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science and 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.

- **International Center for Agricultural Research in the Dry Areas**
 - **Syria**
-

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**Area Size**

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group**Beneficiaries**

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/12/2010

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

28/02/2013

Status

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

Ongoing

Programme/Project co-financing***Programme/Project co-financing***

Item 1

Source

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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

- 3
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Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- **31130 Agricultural land resources**

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.)

For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- **RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']**

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **In the central and southern parts of Iraq salinity has long been identified as a major threat to agriculture with irrigation infrastructure in disrepair and soil salinity spread across much of the agricultural sector. The overarching aim of this project is to develop baseline information and data for central and southern Iraq providing a framework for the development of long term sustainable salinity management strategies. Research will be undertaken into soil water plants and socioeconomics to develop options that enhance the productivity of saline soil and water resources to benefit farmers and the wider community. The long term success of this project hinges on its ability to attract and partner with other major donors.**

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR website**

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #18 — Improving soil health in support of sustainable development in the Pacific

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
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Identification code

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

PC/2009/003

Title

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

Improving soil health in support of sustainable development in the Pacific

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science and 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.

- **Department of Employment**
 - **Economic Development and Innovation**
 - **Australia; Ministry of Primary Industries**
 - **Fiji; Ministry of Environment**
 - **Lands & Agriculture Development**
 - **Kiribati; University of the South Pacific**
 - **Samoa; Tei Tei Taveni (Farmers' Association)**
 - **Fiji;**
-

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

- **Pacific**
-

Target area size/administrative unit

Area Size

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group

Beneficiaries

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/04/2011

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

31/03/2015

Status

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

Ongoing

Programme/Project co-financing

Programme/Project co-financing

Item 1

Source

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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
 - 3
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Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- 31130 Agricultural land resources
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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.)

For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']
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Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **This project aims to elucidate crop production and related soil health problems at specific pilot sites and develop physical chemical and biological indicators underpinning an integrated approach to improving soil management; evaluate 'best-bet' soil improvement practices for sustaining intensive Pacific crop production; and increase the understanding of soil health concepts (including physical chemical and biological processes) among smallholder horticulture producers and their service providers and enhance their capacity to apply these concepts for sustained productivity.(Also identified as a Best Practice initiative).**
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Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR website**

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #19 — Improving development outcomes for smallholder farmers

through closer collaboration between landcare and other ACIAR projects

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- ACIAR
-

Identification code

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

ASEM/2009/044

Title

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

Improving development outcomes for smallholder farmers through closer collaboration between landcare and other ACIAR projects

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science and 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.

- Department of Employment
 - Economic Development and Innovation
 - Australia; Landcare Foundation of the Philippines Inc
 - 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
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Target area size/administrative unit

Area Size

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group

Beneficiaries

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/01/2010

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

30/06/2011

Status

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

Completed

Programme/Project co-financing*Programme/Project co-financing**Item 1***Source**

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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
- 2

Operational objectives

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

- 4

Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- **31166 Agricultural extension**
- **31130 Agricultural land resources**

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.)

For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- **RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']**

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **The strategy of this small research activity involves the deployment of existing Landcare Coordinators employed by LFPI at the four landcare sites in a program of collaborative activities with personnel from other current and overlapping ACIAR projects. Its work will complement an extension to the Philippines-Australia landcare project (ASEM/2002/051).**

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR website**

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #20 — Sustainable livestock grazing systems on Chinese temperate grasslands

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
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Identification code

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

LPS/2008/048

Title

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

Sustainable livestock grazing systems on Chinese temperate grasslands

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science and 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.

- **Charles Sturt University**
 - **Rural Management - Australia**
 - **Gansu Agricultural University - China**
Lanzhou University - China
Chinese Academy of Agricultural Sciences
 - **China**
Inner Mongolia Agricultural University
 - **China**
China Agricultural 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

- **China**

Target area size/administrative unit**Area Size**

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group**Beneficiaries**

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/06/2012

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

31/12/2015

Status

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

Ongoing

Programme/Project co-financing**Programme/Project co-financing**

Item 1

Source

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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

- 3

Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- **31182 Agricultural research**

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.)

For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- **RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']**

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **This project will provide the evidence and grassland management options to help guide Chinese research and development agencies on how to alleviate poverty and reduce environmental degradation on degraded grasslands by improving household incomes from livestock production while reducing grazing pressures.**

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR website**

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #21 — Climate change affecting land use in the Mekong Delta: adaptation of rice-based cropping systems

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
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Identification code

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

SMCN/2009/021

Title

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

Climate change affecting land use in the Mekong Delta: adaptation of rice-based cropping systems

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science and 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.

- **International Rice Research Institute**
 - **Philippines; CSIRO Land and Water**
 - **Australia; Industry & Investment NSW**
 - **Australia; Can Tho University**
 - **Vietnam; Cuu Long Delta Rice Research Institute**
 - **Vietnam; Southern Institute for Water Resources Planning**
 - **Vietnam; Institute of Agricultural Sciences for Southern Vietnam**
 - **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

- **South East Asia**

Target area size/administrative unit

Area Size

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group

Beneficiaries

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/03/2011

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

28/02/2015

Status

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

Ongoing

Programme/Project co-financing

Programme/Project co-financing

Item 1

Source

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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

2

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

- 3

Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- 31182 Agricultural research

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.)

For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **This project aims to: improve salinity and submergence resilience of locally adapted rice varieties and elite lines; build capacity for quantification of soil nutrient cycling (including the emissions of greenhouse gases) from rice fields; develop integrated soil crop nutrient and water management options; identify biophysical social and economic factors determining the capacity of farmers to adapt to climate change; and undertake in-depth analysis for land-use planning in coastal areas.(Also**

identified as a Best Practice initiative).

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR website**

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #22 — Improving governance, policy and institutional arrangements to reduce emissions from deforestation and degradation

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
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Identification code

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

FST/2007/052

Title

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

Improving governance, policy and institutional arrangements to reduce emissions from deforestation and degradation

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science and 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.

- **Australian National University**
- **Crawford School of Economics and Government**
- **Australia; Forest Research and Development Agency**
- **Indonesia; Center for International Forestry Research**
- **Indonesia; University of New England**
- **Australia; Forestry Service of Riau Province**
- **Indonesia; Forestry Service of Papua Province**

- Indonesia

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

Area Size

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group

Beneficiaries

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/04/2008

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

31/03/2013

Status

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

Ongoing

Programme/Project co-financing

Programme/Project co-financing

Item 1

Source

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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

2

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
 - 5
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Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- **41010 Environmental policy and administrative management**
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Programme/Project Components

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For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- **RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']**

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **This project will provide support to assist the development of policy and institutional arrangements at the provincial and district level to facilitate the implementation of the Reducing Deforestation and Forest Degradation (REDD) initiative and the capture and equitable distribution of financial benefits from an international carbon market.**

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR website**

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #23 — Overcoming constraints to community-based commercial forestry in Indonesia

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**

Identification code

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

FST/2008/030

Title

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

Overcoming constraints to community-based commercial forestry in Indonesia

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

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- **Australian National University**

- Fenner School of Environment and Society
- Australia; Agroforestry Insight
- Australia; University of Queensland
- Australia; Australian National University
- Australia; Forest Research and Development Agency
- Indonesia; Trees 4 Trees
- Indonesia; World Wild Fund for Nature - Indonesia
- Indonesia; University of Gadjah Mada
- Indonesia; Center for International Forestry Research
- Indonesia

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

Area Size

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group

Beneficiaries

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/04/2011

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

30/09/2015

Status

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

Ongoing

Programme/Project co-financing

Programme/Project co-financing

Item 1

Source

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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

2

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

- 1
- 4

Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- 31210 Forestry policy and administrative management
- 31220 Forestry development

Programme/Project Components

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Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **Community-based commercial forestry (CBCF) has emerged as a strategy to reduce deforestation pressure build a plantation estate to supply the timber industry and reduce rural poverty. The project aims to analyse the social dimensions of community-baesd commercial forestry and design a framework for assessing the livelihood outcomes for rural communities. It will critically evaluate the dominant business models of CBFC to inform a broader understanding of how to optimise the socio-economic and policy settings of the strategy and encourage and influence priority stakeholders so they can create the optimum conditions for its effective implementation.**

Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR website**

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #24 — Increasing food security and farmer livelihoods through enhanced legume cultivation in the Central Dry Zone of Burma

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**

Identification code

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

SMCN/2006/013

Title

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

Increasing food security and farmer livelihoods through enhanced legume cultivation in the Central Dry Zone of Burma

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

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- **International Crops Research Institute for the Semi Arid Tropics**
 - **Global Crop Improvement**
 - **India; University of New England**
 - **Australia; Central Agricultural Research Institute**
 - **Burma (Myanmar); Myanmar Agricultural Service**
 - **Burma (Myanmar); Department of Agricultural Research**
 - **Burma (Myanmar)**
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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

- **South East Asia**
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Target area size/administrative unit

Area Size

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group

Beneficiaries

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/01/2007

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

31/05/2011

Status

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

Completed

Programme/Project co-financing

Programme/Project co-financing

Item 1

Source

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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

- 1
- 3
- 4

Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- **31182 Agricultural research**

- **31166 Agricultural extension**
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Programme/Project Components

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For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- **RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']**
-

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **This project seeks to improve the food security nutritional health and livelihoods of the poor farmers and communities in Myanmar by increasing productivity of pulse and oilseed legumes. The objectives of this project were to: identify and distribute high-yielding chickpea groundnut and pigeonpea cultivars adapted to the relevant cropping systems of the Central Dry Zone (CDZ) of Myanmar using farmer participatory varietal selection; increase production of high-quality rhizobial inoculants through a strategy involving equipment and procedural changes quality assurance R&D and training; and conduct training and extension programs on legume improvement and inoculant technology.(Also identified as a Best Practice initiative).**
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Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR website**

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #25 — Pasture development for community livestock production in the Eastern Cape Province of South Africa

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- **ACIAR**
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Identification code

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

applicable)

LPS/2004/022

Title

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

Pasture development for community livestock production in the Eastern Cape Province of South Africa

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science and 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.

- **Murdoch University**
 - **Centre for Rhizobium Studies**
 - **Australia; Agricultural Research Council**
 - **South Africa; Department of Agriculture and Food**
 - **Western Australia**
 - **Australia; Eastern Cape Department of Agriculture**
 - **South Africa; National Wool Growers' Association of South Africa**
 - **South Africa**
-

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

- **South Africa**
-

Target area size/administrative unit

Area Size

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group

Beneficiaries

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/06/2006

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

30/06/2013

Status

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

Ongoing

Programme/Project co-financing

Programme/Project co-financing

Item 1

Source

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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

3

UNFCCC adaptation

0

UNFCCC mitigation

0

CBD

No answer provided.

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

- **1**
- **3**

Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- **31130 Agricultural land resources**
 - **31161 Food crop production**
-

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.)

For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- **RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']**
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Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **Increasing the income of smallholder wool producers in South Africa's Eastern Cape has been a focus on national and provincial efforts. This has included wool and sheep management and wool classing resulting in increased incomes. The main constraint to continued growth is pasture quantity and quality. Pastures are generally small and do not support animal production as well as in similar conditions elsewhere. The introduction of legumes adapted to such conditions of rhizobia and improved management strategies that are equitably implemented at the communal level will address this remaining production barrier. Both native and non-native legumes will be evaluated. (Also identified as a Best Practice initiative).**
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Sources of information

Specify the sources used to extract the information provided above. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **ACIAR website**

Attachments:

None.

Programme/Project #26 — Global Environmental Facility

Reporting entity(ies)

Enter the full name and acronym of the reporting entity(ies)

No answer provided.

Other

- AusAID
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Identification code

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

No answer provided.

Title

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

Global Environmental Facility

Role of the Organization(s) in the Programme/Project

Indicate the role of the reporting entity(ies) in the Programme/Project (e.g. funding agency, implementing agency, etc.)

Donor (ODA)

Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Science & Technology Institutions (STIs)

Enter the name(s) of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including Non-Governmental Organizations, research institutions and-or Science and 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.

- n/a
-

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

- **Global**
-

Target area size/administrative unit**Area Size**

Indicate the total area expressed in number of hectares

No answer provided.

Administrative Unit

Indicate the administrative unit targeted in the project area, if known, by the Programme/Project.

n/a

Target Group**Beneficiaries**

Enter the total number of people benefitting from the Programme/Project, if known.

No answer provided.

Start date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project started or is due to start, if known.

1/01/2010

Completion date

Indicate the date at which the Programme/Project was completed or is due to be completed, if known.

31/12/2014

Status

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

Ongoing

Programme/Project co-financing

Programme/Project co-financing

Item 1

Source

Source (other)

Currency

Amount

United Nations 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

3

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
- 3
- 4

Operational objectives

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

- 2
- 4
- 5

Sector(s) of intervention

Indicate the sector(s) of intervention as specified in the related documentation, choosing from the list of purpose codes provided in the quick reference guide (ICCD/CRIC(9)/INF.11). The OECD list of purpose codes 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.

- **31130 Agricultural land resources**
- **14010 Water resources policy and administrative management**
- **41010 Environmental 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.)

For each of the Programme/Project components, indicate the amount allocated (numeric field; do not use abbreviations, symbols or decimals), the appropriate Rio Marker for desertification and all the Relevant Activity Codes (RACs) that may apply.

Relevant Activity Code(s) (RACs)

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

- **RAC__n/a[error, unknown Lookup value 'RAC__n/a']**

Expected or achieved results

Provide information on the results achieved or expected from the implementation of the Programme/Project.

- **Australia has supported the Global Environment Facility since its establishment in 1991 with \$355 million in core funding. 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. The portfolio includes more than \$2 billion of regional development financing to benefit 28 countries in Sub-Saharan Africa (agriculture and food security) and five countries in the Middle East and North Africa (integrated land and water management). In the 2010–14 replenishment period to which Australia pledged \$105 million, approximately US\$400 million, 9.5 per cent of total resources, is being 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. You may also upload relevant documents.

- **http://thegef.org/gef/land_degradation**

Attachments:

None.

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 decision 13/COP.9, paragraph 17.

Reporting process-related issues

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.

30000 Australian Dollar

Human resources and knowledge

How many people were involved in your country in the UNCCD reporting process?

13 people

Estimate the total number of person-days dedicated by these persons to the UNCCD reporting process

39 person-days

Could your country count on sufficient technical and scientific knowledge to meet UNCCD reporting obligations?

Yes

If no, list the main reasons and the difficulties encountered.

No answer required.

Coordination, participation and consultation

Was coordination at the national level with the relevant line ministries satisfactory in order to comprehensively and coherently report?

Yes

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 part of the reporting process?

Yes

PRAIS portal

Did you experience difficulties with access and utilization of the PRAIS portal?

Yes**If you experienced difficulties, identify the reasons.**

Rate the level of importance by using a scale from 0 to 5, where 0 is not important at all and 5 is very important.

Reason	Level of importance
Slow internet access	---
Complexity of the system	3
Difficulties in getting access credentials	---
Other	4

Other (specify)

Rigidity of the portal and lack of reporting flexibility allowed. For example, often only one entry was allowed in the PPS, the SFA and under various performance indicators.

Compatibility issues with importing SFA and PPS worksheets (data entry had very specific requirements & did not allow detail)|

Accommodation of specific requests within decisions by the Conference of the Parties

Reporting on specific COP requests – iterative process on indicators

Decision 13/COP.9, paragraphs 2, 3 and 4, envisages an iterative process to refine the set of performance and impact indicators. As a tool to implement this iterative process, developed country Parties can provide their suggestions and recommendations for improvement here.

Performance indicators

Tick the cells only if you have experienced difficulties in reporting on one or more performance indicator(s). When doing so, place the tick mark under the e-SMART criterion for which the difficulty occurred.

	economic	Specific	Measurable	Achievable	Relevant	Time-bound
CONS-O-1			X		X	
CONS-O-3						
CONS-O-4						
CONS-O-6						
CONS-O-7						
CONS-O-8						
CONS-O-11			X			
CONS-O-13						
CONS-O-14						
CONS-O-15						

Impact indicators

Tick the cells only if you have experienced difficulties in reporting on one or more impact indicator(s). When doing so, place the tick mark under the e-SMART criterion for which the difficulty occurred.

	economic	Specific	Measurable	Achievable	Relevant	Time-bound
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SO4-2						
SO4-4						
SO4-6						
SO4-7			X			

Any other country-specific issues

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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.

Item 1

Category

Reporting and review process

Other (specify)

Narrative description

A few stakeholders raised concerns over the nature of reporting requirements while others were simply unable to report against any of the indicators at all. Whilst there is sufficient detail provided around the definitions and requirements against each indicator, it is time consuming for stakeholders. As a result, stakeholders may be unable to provide accurate or full information for reporting purposes. This was observed when stakeholders were unable to provide any information for several weeks before coming back with questions and issues relating to their reporting requirements. It would be worth determining whether the same results could be achieved with a much shorter and simpler reporting framework.

Given the requirements for government entities to participate in many different schemes, the reporting requirements are highly onerous. There is no standardised database or depository containing DLDD-specific information and stakeholders have to spend considerable time searching.

Item 2

Category

Reporting and review process

Other (specify)

Narrative description

There is a lack of transparency regarding the purpose of the report and its application:

-the report suffers an overemphasis on detail, without consideration of the key questions of interest to decision makers.

The report should identify the target audience for the information and their information priorities.

The report is not clear as to how information will be applied and interpreted – some examples of how the information has been or will be used would assist

The significant decisions (e.g of COP) which form the basis for the reporting requirements.

There is a blurring of the distinctions between Developed and Affected countries with regards to reporting. The reporting template for Developed Countries included several questions which applied to affected countries. We had

to respond “Not applicable” to them.

Item 3

Category

Reporting and review process

Other (specify)

Narrative description

There are difficulties in attribution due to:

-the broad objectives of the UNCCD Convention overlapping with the objectives of other domestic/international Australia programs. This was particularly apparent under indicator CONS-0-1 when we had to provide qualitative information on whether we had implemented the UNCCD Comprehensive Communications Strategy. The UNCCD Comprehensive Communications Strategy is very broad, & almost any corresponding national activity could be construed as fitting under the UNCCD communications strategy.

Some of our aid & development programs being country led which means partner countries are responsible for identifying funding priorities. As a result, information of the distribution of funding towards specific UNCCD objectives may not be reported back to us

The use of subjective assessments should be avoided:

- Several of the indicators (e.g. SO-4-7) required subjective assessments, and we query their value without a formal review having been conducted

Item 4

Category

Reporting and review process

Other (specify)

Narrative description

Recommendations: It would be useful to construct a “program logic” to underpin the reporting requirements and indicator framework. The program logic would introduce greater discipline into the reporting requirements, by identifying the key decision makers and prioritising their information needs.

Submission form

Submission form	
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