ASIA AND PACIFIC COMMISSION ON AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

Twenty-eighth Session

Padma Resort Legian, Bali, Indonesia
10 - 14 February 2020

Provisional Timetable

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10

08:00  REGISTRATION

08.25  SAFETY BRIEFING – PADMA RESORT LEGIAN

08:30  AGENDA ITEM 1: OPENING CEREMONY
  • Video Presentation (Wonderful Indonesia), Greetings and Prayer
  • Welcome Remarks by Mr Adi Lumaksono, BPS Principal Secretary
  • Remarks by Mr Rohit Lal, Fiji on behalf of APCAS 27 Chair
  • Address by Mr Stephen Rudgard, FAO Representative for Indonesia
  • Speech by Mr Pietro Gennari, Chief Statistician of FAO
  • Opening Speech by Mr Suhariyanto, Chief Statistician of BPS
  • Vote of thanks by Ms Sangita Dubey, APCAS Secretary
  • Token of Appreciation

09:50  PHOTO AND MEDIA SESSION
  Coffee Break

10:25  AGENDA ITEM 2a: ELECTION OF OFFICERS (Presided by the Outgoing Chair, Fiji)
  • Election of Officers (Chair, Vice-Chair and Drafting Committee)

10:35  AGENDA ITEM 2b: ADOPTION OF AGENDA
  • Word by the Co-Chairs of APCAS 28
  • Adoption of agenda
10:45 **AGENDA ITEM 3:** FAO’S ACTIVITIES IN FOOD AND AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS IN ASIA AND THE PACIFIC, AND FOLLOW-UP TO RECOMMENDATIONS FROM APCAS27

**Session Chair:** Indonesia

- Overview of FAO’s activities in Asia and the Pacific Region and follow-up of the recommendations of the 27th Session of APCAS (FAO)
- Response rates to FAO questionnaires and data collection plans for 2020-21 (FAO)
- Global Initiatives: FAO Capacity Development Programs (FAO)
- Discussion: Acknowledgements and Comments (all, led by session chair)

12:15 **LUNCH**

13:15 **AGENDA ITEM 4:** GOVERNANCE AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOAL INDICATORS

**Session Chair:** Fiji

- Global Governance of the SDG Indicators and Monitoring Framework (FAO)
- Statistical Capacity of Asian countries to monitor the FAO-relevant SDG indicators: results of the SDG Gap Assessment survey (FAO)
- Country Experiences
  - Governance and alignment of National and SDG Global Indicator Frameworks (India)
  - Governance and implementation of the Sustainable Development Goal Indicators (Philippines)
  - Governance of SDG Indicators in Indonesia (Indonesia)
- Discussion: Acknowledgements and Recommendations (all, led by session chair)

14:50 **COFFEE BREAK**

15:10 **AGENDA ITEM 5:** FARM-BASED SDG INDICATORS

**Session Chair:** India

- Overview of the Farm-based SDG Indicators (FAO)
- Country Experiences
  - SDG Indicator 2.4.1 - Proportion of agricultural area under productive and sustainable agriculture in Viet Nam (Viet Nam)
  - Sampling and data collection to compile 5.a.1 - Women’s secure access to agriculture land in Bhutan (Bhutan)
  - Food loss measurement feasibility study in Nepal: A case for tomato and milk (Nepal)
  - Assessment of harvest and post-harvest losses of banana and mung bean commodities in Thailand (Thailand)
- Discussion: Acknowledgements and Recommendations (all, led by session chair)

17:00 **CLOSE OF DAY 1**

17:30 **WELCOME DINNER FROM GOVERNMENT OF INDONESIA**
Tuesday, February 11

08:30  AGENDA ITEM 6: INTEGRATED AGRICULTURE STATISTICS: WORLD PROGRAMME FOR THE CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE, INTEGRATED AGRICULTURE SURVEYS, AND SAMPLING METHODOLOGIES

Session Chair: Sri Lanka
- Overview of Volume 2 of the WCA 2020: Operational Guidelines (FAO)
- The 50x2030 initiative (FAO)
- Country progress in implementation of the WCA 2020 and AGRIS
  - Implementation & results of Cambodia’s Integrated AGRISurvey 2019 (Cambodia)
  - Nepal Establishment Based Statistics as Supplementary to Agriculture Statistics (Nepal)
  - Linkages between Bhutan’s 2017 Population and Housing Census and the 2019 Renewable Natural Resources Census (Bhutan)
  - Results of the first Timor Leste Agriculture Census 2019 (Timor Leste)

10:20  COFFEE BREAK

10:40  AGENDA ITEM 6: Continued
- Use of Administrative Land Records in India’s Agriculture Census (India)
- 2020 Fiji Agriculture Census (Fiji)
- Planning of the Samoa Agriculture Census 2020 (Samoa)
- Experience integrating the Lao Economic and Agriculture Census listing (Lao PDR)
- Discussion: Acknowledgements and Recommendations (all, led by session chair)

12:15  LUNCH

13:15  AGENDA ITEM 7: MEASURING FOOD SECURITY, AVAILABILITY AND ACCESS STATISTICS

Session Chair: Nepal
- Differences and complementarities of different assessments of food insecurity: the Prevalence of Undernourishment (PoU), Food Insecurity Experience Scale (FIES) and Household Food Insecurity Access Scale (HFIAS) (FAO)
- New Methods for the Compilation of Food Balance Sheets (FAO)
- Country experiences
  - Food Balance Sheet of Sri Lanka (FBS) (Sri Lanka)
  - Experiences and challenges in analysing survey data to monitor SDG Target 2.1 in Samoa (Samoa)
  - Comparison of FIES and HFIAS in the Philippines (Philippines)

15:00  COFFEE BREAK
AGENDA ITEM 7: Continued
- Online tool for FIES data validation and indicator compilation: Experience of Mongolia (Mongolia)
- Discussion: Acknowledgements and Recommendations (all, led by session chair)

AGENDA ITEM 8: DEVELOPING NATIONAL QUALITY ASSURANCE FRAMEWORKS TO IMPROVE SDG MONITORING & AGRICULTURE AND FOOD STATISTICS

Session Chair: Philippines
- National Quality Assurance Framework for Food and Agriculture Statistics (FAO)
- Discussion: Recommendations (all, led by session chair)

CLOSE OF DAY 2

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12

AGENDA ITEM 9: PARTNERSHIPS IN THE CONTEXT OF THE SDGs AND THE UN REFORM

Session Chair: United States
- UN Reform and the Regional Reform: strengthening the regional data and statistics eco-system (UNESCAP)
- Coordinating Technical Assistance to Pacific Island Countries (FAO, SPC)
- Considerations in building partnerships: budget cycles, business models and fiscal federalism (FAO)
- Discussion Panel: How to Strength Collaborations/Partnerships in Support of countries
  - Country Panellists: Fiji, Indonesia, Malaysia, Nepal, Philippines
- Discussion: Acknowledgements and Comments (all, led by session chair)

COFFEE BREAK & BUS DEPARTURES FOR FIELD TRIP

LAST BUS DEPARTS FOR FIELD TRIP

GOVERNMENT OF INDONESIA FIELD TRIP: TO COFFEE PRODUCERS AND THE JATILUWIH RICE TERRACES (UNESCO WORLD HERITAGE SITE)
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13

8:30 AGENDA ITEM 10: USE OF ICT IN FOOD AND AGRICULTURE STATISTICS: CHALLENGES & OPPORTUNITIES

Session Chair: Afghanistan

- Challenges in the implementation of large scale CAPI based data collection (FAO)
- Quantifying the effects of CAPI versus PAPI using Sri Lanka’s agricultural household survey (ADB)
- Country Experiences
  - Field Collection Monitoring using CAPI and CSPro (Timor Leste)
  - Use of ICT for agriculture statistics and policy (Republic of Korea)
  - Use of ICT in Food and Agriculture Statistics: Bring your own device approach (India)
- Discussion: Acknowledgements and Recommendations (all, led by session chair)

10:20 AGENDA ITEM 11: LAUNCH OF THE ADB-FAO CAPI MANUALS

10:30 COFFEE BREAK

10:50 AGENDA ITEM 12: MICRO DATA DISSEMINATION

Session Chair: Timor Leste

- FAO’s efforts to maximize microdata dissemination (FAO)
- Microdata dissemination in the Pacific (SPC)
- Country Experiences – Panel Discussion
  - Philippines, India, Timor Leste, Indonesia, Cambodia
- Discussion: Acknowledgements and Recommendations (all, led by session chair)

12:15 LUNCH

13:15 AGENDA ITEM 13: FISHERY STATISTICS AND THE SDGs

Session Chair: Indonesia

Enhancing fishery and aquaculture data to achieve the SDGs – Achievements and challenges:

- International perspective (FAO)
- Sub-Regional perspective:
  - Introduction to Fishery Statistics of Southeast Asia (SEAFDEC)
  - Fishery Statistics in the Pacific Islands (SPC)
- Country Experiences:
  - Fisheries Statistics and One Data Policy in Indonesia (Indonesia)
  - Problems in fishery data collection and challenges vs SDGs (Tonga)
  - Fisheries data in Sri Lanka (Sri Lanka)
- Discussion: Acknowledgements and Recommendations (all, led by session chair)

15:15 COFFEE BREAK
15:35  **AGENDA ITEM 14: LIVESTOCK STATISTICS AND THE SDGs**

**Session Chair:** Bhutan
- The livestock census and the nomadic livestock methodology (FAO)
- SDG indicators related to livestock and biodiversity (FAO)
- Country Experiences
  - National Livestock Baseline Survey 2018 (Myanmar)
  - Planning for the Livestock Census of Mongolia (Mongolia)
- Discussion: Acknowledgements and Recommendations (all, led by session chair)

17:00  **CLOSE OF DAY 4**

17:30  **FAO RECEPTION/DINNER**

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14**

09:00  **AGENDA ITEM 15: ANY OTHER BUSINESS (VENUE, DATE, TOPICS FOR NEXT APCAS SESSION)**

09:15  **AGENDA ITEM 16: ADOPTION OF THE DRAFT REPORT**

10:45  **AGENDA ITEM 17: CLOSING CEREMONY**

11:00  **CLOSE OF APCAS28**

**PRAYER TIME; HOTEL CHECK-OUT FOR GUESTS DEPARTING 14th FEBRUARY**

12:00  **LUNCH**

13:00-17:00  **FAO-UN WOMEN SIDE EVENT ON SDG INDICATOR 5.A.1 – WOMEN’S AND MEN’S SECURE ACCESS TO AGRICULTURE LAND**