

FAO CAADP Capacity Development Effort

Project Title	Outcome	Outputs/Key Thematic Areas	Target group/ Key stakeholders	Key project activities/ CD interventions	Priorities/Needs Identified by Capacity Assessment	Partner institutions for CD Delivery	Funds	Duration	EOD	NTE	Lead technical unit	Contact person hq	Contact person SRO	Countries
CAADP Capacity Development Project for Investment and Policy (CCDPIP) - CGP/INT/132/GER	The envisaged outcome of the project is that high quality national investment plans and programmes are developed by CAADP national actors in five countries	Output 1: CAADP national actors enabled to prepare investment plans and programmes for the agricultural sector in five countries Output 2: Institutions and experts at national and regional levels deliver relevant and high quality capacity development and advisory support to country stakeholders Thematic areas for CD range broadly across investment and policy arenas - priorities to be defined in country plans	Target groups are country level stakeholders who can and should influence agricultural policy and investment planning and implementation, including (i) the CAADP Country Teams, (ii) government actors, (iii) representatives of private sector and civil society organisations, in particular Farmers Organizations, (iv) representatives from national research institutions and think-tanks and (v) national experts and advisors in agricultural investment planning.	• inception workshops/learning events at country level related to sector analysis, policy and investment planning, implementation and evaluation • participatory action plan development and implementation (country); • regional exchange and study tours; • contributions to virtual fora and learning platforms; • institutional mapping of potential national and regional partner institutions and individual experts; • training of trainers (ToT), and facilitating/ backstopping their support to country teams • backstopping of partner institutions to upgrade training materials • supporting RECs and/or NPCA to establish and maintain a roster of competent service providers (institutions and individuals).	• Project Cycle Management • Participatory approaches/stakeholder engagement for planning and implementation • ROM&E systems • Mainstreaming cross cutting themes like nutrition, gender, environment and climate change (REDD+) • Costing plans and programmes using practical tools • Agriculture investment plan as part of the sector-wide approach • Documenting and data base management • Communication to local stakeholders	In DRC, three potential partners are identified: • L'Institut Africain pour le Développement Economique et Social, INADES Formation Congo • L'Université de Kinshasa (UNIKIN) • L'Université Pédagogique Nationale (UPN)	German funded project	27 months	27-Jun-12	26-Sep-14	TCID	André Lachapelle (PC - TCIA); Astrid Agostini (LTO-TCID)		Five countries in two subregions (Anglophone and Francophone)  currently: DRC; planned: Cameroun; potential: Lesotho, Tanzania
Bangladesh Integrated Agricultural Productivity Project (IAPP) - Technical Assistance Component	Strengthen human, organizational and institutional capacities to deliver increased and more effective investments in agriculture and food and nutrition security (AFNS), in particular in the CIP priority areas of interventions.	*Enhanced organizational and human capacities to own, design, implement, monitor and evaluate investment operations in agriculture and food and nutrition security; *Enhanced organizational and human capacities in technical areas related to investment operations, specifically irrigation and water management, seed sector quality assurance and integration of nutrition into agricultural investments *More inclusiveness and increased participation of key stakeholders, including those from the farming community, in investment project design and implementation processes.	The target recipients of CD will be stakeholders from both the public and private sector (in particular farmers' organizations) involved in investment programming.	Capacity needs assessment and inception workshop; short-term tailored training courses in country for government staff on topics related to the investment cycle, and also for farmers' organizations on institutional and leadership development; short-term training courses abroad; facilitated workshops in country; study tours abroad (both for government staff and farmers' organizations representatives); national farmer-to-farmer exchange visits; training experience in TCI; long term training (PhDs and Masters); mentoring and technical assistance on investment projects; institutional needs assessment and review of institutional bottlenecks	Investment/policy planning; project design; project implementation; thematic areas (seed sector quality assurance, irrigation, nutrition); inclusiveness; results-based monitoring and evaluation; evaluation and lessons learning	IMA International, the Bangladesh Public Administration Training Centre	GAFSP-financed	4 years	Nov-11	Aug-15	TCIN	Benoist Veillerette		Bangladesh
Capacity Development of Smallholder Commercialization Programme (SCP) Strategic Planning and Economic Analysis Team	National MAFFS and Local Council staff effectively support strategic planning and implementation of Smallholder Commercialization Programme (SCP) at District level	<b>Output (1)</b> Formulation of a vision for agricultural development and an agricultural strategy at district level supported; <b>Output (2)</b> Systems and procedures for the preparation of Strategic Integrated Agricultural Investment Plans are developed and introduced at national and district levels; <b>Output (3)</b> Human and institutional capacity improved at national and district levels for strategic planning and economic analysis; <b>Output (4)</b> Planning facilities and communication capacity at national and district levels improved; and <b>Output (5)</b> Project effectively managed to achieve project results including capacity development in all aspects of project management.	The direct target groups for CD are MAFFS and Local Council staff engaged in strategic planning and economic analysis of agric. interventions supported by Government, in particular: (i) District Councils; (ii) Distr. Agric. Offices; (iii) MAFFS Senior Management and Head of Divisions; (iv) Private sector including Service Providers (v) NGOs/CBOs (vi) SCP Management. However, the process of preparing district agric. investment plans will put farmers, FBOs, CBOs, entrepreneurs and other private sector stakeholders at the centre. Therefore, while these groups are the ultimate beneficiaries of improved effectiveness and impact of SCP interventions at district level, they would also benefit directly or indirectly from capacity development measures under the project.	On-the-job training and learning-by-doing has started for all SPEAT members at HQ, including participation in Results-based Management (RBM) activities and capacity assessment. (A) Recognizing that human capacity development is not only about strengthening knowledge and skills, but also requires changes in behaviours and attitudes, the project (i) promotes team work, transparency and communication in MAFFS; and (ii) assigns responsibilities to the SPEAT members and making them accountable for delivering agreed-upon outputs. (B) Innovative approaches to capacity development have been introduced, such as mentoring and providing "on-the-job training" and "learning-by-doing" opportunities. MAFFS human resources will be utilized as mentors or training providers as appropriate. (C) Strategic partnerships with relevant private sector actors, Government agencies and donor initiatives have been established and will be reinforced (e.g. AGI, ODI, VSO). (D) It is expected that the ICT Network and the Capacity Development Centre, presently being established in MAFFS by the project, will greatly facilitate team work, transparency, communication and learning and thereby contribute to changing people's mindsets which is a precondition for human capacity development.	CD needs identified by priority: (i) Results Based Management (RBM)/ Results Based Budgeting (RBB); (ii) Information and Communication Technology (ICT), especially in software based Planning; (iii) Economic Analysis and Knowledge Management; (iv) Monitoring and Evaluation (M&E). By the end of the project the beneficiaries will be able to: (a) prepare District Agricultural Strategic Plans (DASP) and District Agricultural Investment Plans (DAIP); (b) conduct related Financial and/or Economic Analysis; and (c) use relevant ICT technologies including software-based decision making tools.	CD is delivered by (i) MAFFS at HQ and district Level, (ii) the District Councils, (iii) International NGOs (VSO, ODI, AGI), (iv) other projects including GAFSP, TCP; (v) Private Sector including consultants and service providers. Areas for collaboration being explored with (a) Regional Strategic Analysis and Knowledge Support System (ReSAKSS-WA); (b) research institutes and universities including the International Institute of Tropical Agriculture (IITA) and SABI.	funded by Australian Government through AusAID	3 years	May-11	Apr-14	TCIA (Budget Holder FAOR-SL)	Thomas Muenzel (LTO)		Sierra Leone