



HIGHLIGHTS

COVID-19 POLICY BRIEFS AND RESOURCES

Adjusting business models to sustain agri-food enterprises during COVID-19

(Arabic, 5 pp. Also available in [Chinese](#), [English](#) and [French](#))

DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/ca8996ar>

Agri-food markets and trade policy in the time of COVID-19

(Arabic, 6 pp. Also available in [Chinese](#), [English](#), [French](#), [Russian](#) and [Spanish](#))

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Atténuer les effets de covid-19 sur le secteur de l'élevage

(6 pp. Also available in [English](#) and [Spanish](#))

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Food systems and COVID-19 in Latin America and the Caribbean: Health risks, the safety of workers and food safety, No. 4

(17 pp., Santiago. Also available in [Spanish](#)) FAO & ECLAC

DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/ca9112en>

Food systems and COVID-19 in Latin America and the Caribbean: Impact and risks in the labour market, No. 5

(18 pp., Santiago. Also available in [Spanish](#)) FAO & ECLAC

DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/ca9237en>

Gendered impacts of COVID-19 and equitable policy responses in agriculture, food security and nutrition

(10 pp.)

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Impact of COVID-19 on informal workers

(Arabic, 8 pp. Also available in [Chinese](#), [English](#), [French](#), [Russian](#) and [Spanish](#))

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La recesión económica mundial causada por la COVID-19: evitar el hambre debe ser un objetivo central del estímulo económico

(11 pp. Also available in [Arabic](#), [Chinese](#), [English](#), [French](#) and [Russian](#))

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Migrant workers and the COVID-19 pandemic

(Arabic, 5 pp. Also available in [Chinese](#), [English](#), [French](#), [Russian](#) and [Spanish](#))

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Réponse à la covid-19 dans les petits États insulaires en développement

(9 pp. Also available in [English](#), [Portuguese](#) and [Spanish](#))

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COVID-19: Inflación en los precios reales de los alimentos

(1 p., Santiago)

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Vulnerabilidad a las disrupciones del comercio de alimentos por COVID-19

(1 p., Santiago)

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Fisheries and aquaculture in the Mediterranean and the Black Sea: A preliminary analysis of the impacts of the COVID-19 crisis

(4 pp.)

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Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19): Addressing the impacts of COVID-19 in food crises

(42 pp.)

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Guidelines to mitigate the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on livestock production and animal health

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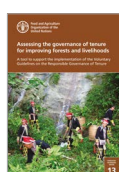


République démocratique du Congo: Plan de réponse (avril-décembre 2020)

(16 p.)

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PUBLICATIONS AVAILABLE IN E-BOOK FORMAT



Assessing the governance of tenure for improving forests and livelihoods

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Proceedings of the International Symposium on Fisheries Sustainability: Strengthening the science-policy nexus. FAO headquarters, 18–21 November 2019, Rome, Italy

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BROCHURES AND NEWSLETTERS



Desert locust upsurge – Global Response Plan, January–December 2020: Appeal for rapid response and anticipatory action
(16 pp.)



Dongting Lake Newsletter, May 2020 – Issue No. 4
(4 pp., Beijing)



Experiences of integrating agriculture in sectoral and national adaptation planning processes: Case study Thailand
(20 pp.)



Food safety, everyone's business: A Guide to World Food Safety Day 2020
(Japanese, 8 pp. Also available in [Arabic](#), [Chinese](#), [English](#), [French](#), [Russian](#) and [Spanish](#))



Global Information and Early Warning System – FAO Trade and Markets
(Chinese, 2 pp. Also available in [Arabic](#), [English](#), [French](#), [Russian](#) and [Spanish](#))



Linking academia and local communities for enhancing sustainable agriculture and reducing rural poverty in Africa
(2 pp.)



Programme de l'UE sur la gouvernance foncière – Expériences par pays. Projet transversal
(34 pp. Also available in [English](#))



Servicios jurídicos para el Desarrollo. Contribuimos a la consecución del desarrollo agrícola sostenible mediante prácticas y marcos jurídicos sólidos
(8 pp. Also available in [English](#) and [French](#))



Southwest Asia – Desert locust crisis appeal: May–December 2020. Rapid response and scaled-up action
(20 pp.)



Transforming agricultural research and extension systems: Unlocking the potential of agricultural innovation to achieve the Sustainable Development Goals
(20 pp.)



West Africa – Desert locust crisis appeal, May–December 2020: Anticipatory action and rapid response
(18 pp.)



World Food Safety Day virtual event guide: 7 June 2020, World Food Safety Day
(Arabic, 2 pp. Also available in [English](#) and [Russian](#))

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The Comprehensive Africa Agriculture Development Programme (CAADP) Pillar III – Reducing risks and improving food security
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BOOKS

ANIMAL PRODUCTION AND HEALTH



Estimation des bilans fourragers dans la région du Sahel d'Afrique de l'Ouest et Centrale

A fodder balance assesses feed resources, including forages, and compares them to the needs of farm animals. Essential for early warning systems, this tool was designed and is used by technical services in Sahelian countries at year-end to cover the coming dry season.

(64 pp.) FAO production et santé animales – Directives

DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/ca9111fr>



Good beekeeping practices: Practical manual on how to identify and control the main diseases of the honeybee (*Apis mellifera*)

Written to improve beekeepers' knowledge of honeybee diseases through creative illustrations which facilitate the identification of disease symptoms, this book also presents a comprehensive list of sustainable beekeeping practices.

(82 pp.) TECA – Technologies and practices for small agricultural producers

DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/ca9182en>



Toward sustainable crop pollination services: Measures at field, farm and landscape scales

Pollination ecology has shifted from recognizing a pollinator crisis to identifying solutions, and this requires the combined knowledge of farmers and natural historians along with scientific research. This publication outlines what has been identified and how that might be applied to future circumstances.

(194 pp.)

DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/ca8965en>

FISHERIES AND AQUACULTURE



Economic value of ecosystem services from the deep seas and the areas beyond national jurisdiction

Based on two FAO projects on sustainability and conservation, this study considered factors such as precious coral harvest, carbon offsets, tourism, pharmaceutical possibilities, and ultra-deep oil extraction, among others, to estimate the total economic value of the deep seas.

(135 pp.) FAO fisheries and aquaculture circular

DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/ca8340en>



Integrated agri-aquaculture in desert and arid lands – Learning from case studies from Algeria, Egypt and Oman

Several projects address the reality that the arid Near East and North Africa region is facing potential disaster due to reduced water resources. One is an exploration of non-conventional resources in integrated agriculture–aquaculture systems with the goal of reducing the burden on standard sources.

(150 pp.) FAO fisheries and aquaculture circular

DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/ca8610en>



Proceedings of the International Symposium on Fisheries Sustainability: Strengthening the science-policy nexus. FAO headquarters, 18–21 November 2019, Rome, Italy

A new vision of sustainable and socially just fisheries, more resilient to the challenges of the 21st century, was discussed. Also, a set of recommendations were developed to improve the sustainability of capture fisheries, thereby making SDG targets more achievable.

(116 pp.) FAO Fisheries and Aquaculture Proceedings

DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/ca9165en>



Report of the Seventeenth Session of the Sub-Committee on Fish Trade of the Committee on Fisheries. Vigo, Spain, 25–29 November 2019

This session covered the market outlook for the trade of international fish and fishery products, the work of FAO with other international organizations, and market access issues within the framework of international trade as a tool to achieve the SDGs.

(Arabic, 44 pp. Also available in [Chinese](#), [English](#), [French](#) and [Spanish \(trilingual\)](#) and [Russian](#)) FAO fisheries and aquaculture report

DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/ca8665ar>

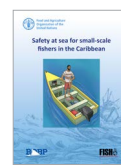


Report of the seventeenth session of the Western Central Atlantic Fishery Commission, Miami, Florida, USA, 15–18 July 2019

Members of the Commission and participants from partner organizations agreed on seven regional fisheries management recommendations which included improved compliance with trade measures for queen conch and the regional plan for the Caribbean spiny lobster fishery.

(Trilingual, 217 pp.) FAO fisheries and aquaculture report

DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/ca8748t>



Safety at sea for small-scale fishers in the Caribbean

Promoting a culture of safety awareness among fisherfolk, to reduce the number of accidents and increase the chances of survival if accidents occur, this manual provides guidance on safety matters related to work on a small-scale fishing vessel and both personal and navigational safety.

(118 pp.)

DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/ca8626en>

FOOD SAFETY

FOOD CONTROL SYSTEM ASSESSMENT TOOL – FOOD SAFETY AND QUALITY SERIES, FAO & WHO

This collection of publications assists member countries by providing updates on new scientific developments and innovations as well as tools and data to assess the effectiveness of national food control systems through risk analysis principles.



Introduction and glossary
(Arabic, 42 pp. Also available in [English](#), [French](#) and [Spanish](#))
DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/ca5334ar>



**Dimension A
– Inputs and resources**
(Arabic, 102 pp. Also available in [English](#), [French](#) and [Spanish](#))
DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/ca5336ar>



**Dimension B
– Control functions**
(Arabic, 96 pp. Also available in [English](#), [French](#) and [Spanish](#))
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**Dimension C
– Interactions with stakeholders**
(Arabic, 52 pp. Also available in [English](#), [French](#) and [Spanish](#))
DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/ca5348ar>



**Dimension D
– Science/knowledge base and continuous improvement**
(Arabic, 60 pp. Also available in [English](#), [French](#) and [Spanish](#))
DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/ca5404ar>

FORESTRY



**Le chemin de la restauration:
Guide pour le recensement
des priorités et des indicateurs
pour le suivi de la restauration
des forêts et des paysages**

This guide helps stakeholders to develop a customized monitoring system for the restoration of forests to meet specific goals. The guide emphasizes the need to understand potential trade-offs and synergies when designing a restoration project.
(78 pp. Also available in [English](#)) FAO & WRI

NUTRITION



Régimes alimentaires sains et durables. Principes directeurs
This publication supports countries in transforming food systems to deliver healthy diets, while contributing to the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals.
(40 pp. Also available in [English](#) and [Russian](#)) FAO & WHO

DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/ca6640fr>

STATISTICS



Conducting tablet-based field data collection with Survey Solutions – A handbook

A joint initiative of the Asian Development Bank and FAO to support national statistics offices and ministries to conduct tablet-based field data collections for more robust, accurate and timely data, this how-to handbook contributes to the adoption of cost-effective technologies and a shift from traditional pen-and-paper questionnaires.

(81 pp.) FAO & ADB

DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/ca7691en>