



## FAO-OEA/CIE-IICA WORKING GROUP ON AGRICULTURAL AND LIVESTOCK STATISTICS FOR LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN

30th Session

20<sup>th</sup> to 23<sup>rd</sup> July, 2021 Virtual Host – INEC Costa Rica

*Start time: Costa Rica - 08:00 /Chile – 10:00/ Rome – 16:00*

### AGENDA

#### Day 1 – Tuesday, July 20

##### Session 1: Welcome, and opening

*Moderator and Master of Ceremonies: Pilar Ramos Vargas, Coordinator – INEC Costa Rica*

10:00 – 10:05	<p><b>Opening of event, guidelines for virtual conference, and introduction of Master of Ceremonies</b> Michael Rahija, FAO Regional Statistician for Latin America and the Caribbean</p>
10:05 – 10:10	<p><b>Master of Ceremonies and moderator of Session 1</b> Pilar Ramos Vargas, Coordinator – INEC Costa Rica</p>
10:10 – 10:25	<p><b>Words of Welcome</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Renato Alvarado, Minister of Agriculture and Livestock, Costa Rica</li> <li>• Julio Berdegué, Assistant Director General &amp; Regional Representative for Latin America and the Caribbean</li> <li>• Pietro Gennari, Chief Statistician of FAO</li> </ul>
10:25 – 10:30	<p><b>Presentation of Agenda</b> Michael Rahija, FAO Regional Statistician for Latin America and the Caribbean</p>
10:30 – 10:45	<p><b>Presentation 1.1</b> <i>Costa Rica's agricultural statistical system, and recent advancements</i> Xinia Andrade, Coordinator of Agricultural Surveys</p>
10:45 – 11:00	<p><b>Presentation 1.2.</b> <i>Progress and activities since 29<sup>th</sup> Session</i> Michael Rahija, FAO Regional Statistician of Latin America and the Caribbean</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Response rate to FAO questionnaires and data collection</li> <li>• Activities since the last session</li> </ul>

##### Session 2: Impact of COVID19, and adaptations of statistical operations

*Moderator: Maria Rodriguez de España, Statistician, FAO Panama*

11:00 – 11:45	<p><b>Presentation 2.1.</b> <i>Impact of COVID19 on statistical operations and agricultural censuses in LAC</i> Jairo Castano, FAO Team Leader of Agricultural Censuses</p> <p><b>Presentation 2.2.</b> <i>Methodological adaptations and strategies for remote collection of FIES</i> Veronica Boero, Statistician, Food Security Statistics</p> <p><b>Presentation 2.3.</b> <i>Country Experience – Paraguay</i> Alcides Nunes, INE</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Q/A – 15 Minutes</p>
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11:45 - 12:00	Break
12:00 – 13:00	<p><b>Panel and Round Table Discussion</b> Chair: Jose Rosero, Director of Statistics Division FAO</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jorge Labra, INE - Chile</li> <li>• Laverne Mapp, Ministry of Agriculture, Land, and Forestry - Grenada</li> </ul> <p><i>Open discussion</i></p>
<b>Day 2 – July 21</b>	
<b>Session 3: Challenges and methodological developments for collecting SDG indicators in the Latin America and the Caribbean</b>	
<i>Moderator: Gloria Lucia Vargas Briceno, SDG Advisor, FAO-RLC</i>	
10:00 – 11:45	<p><b>Presentation 3.1</b> <i>Guidelines on disaggregating SDG indicators using survey data</i> Aida Clara Khalil, Office of Chief Statistician FAO</p> <p><b>Presentation 3.2</b> <i>Progress of the LAC region in reporting the SDG indicators under FAO custodianship</i> Dorian K. Navarro, Office of Chief Statistician FAO</p> <p><b>Presentation 3.3</b> <i>Measuring progress toward SDG targets</i> Pietro Gennari, Chief Statistician FAO</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Q/A – 15 Minutes</i></p> <p><b>Presentation 3.4</b> <i>Implementation of 2.4.1 methodology in Ecuador</i> David Salazar, INEC-Ecuador</p> <p><b>Presentation 3.5</b> <i>Accelerating SDG reporting</i> Valerie Bizier, Senior Statistician, Office of Chief Statistician FAO</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Q/A – 15 Minutes</i></p>
11:45 – 12:00	<b>Break</b> (Entertainment by INEC-Costa Rica)
12:00 – 12:45	<p><b>Panel and Round Table Discussion</b> Chair: Jaoquin Arias Segura, IICA</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Amanda Lucía Soto Agudelo, DANE - Colombia</li> <li>• Ricardo Rocabado, INE – Bolivia</li> <li>• Libertad E. de León, INE - Guatemala</li> </ul> <p><i>Open discussion</i></p>
12:45 – 13:00	Wrap-up, key points from Day 1, and recommendations of the Working Group
<b>Day 3 – July 22</b>	
<b>Session 4: Statistical Innovation in agricultural statistics</b>	
<i>Moderator: Michael Rahija, Regional Statistician, FAO-RLC</i>	
10:00 – 10:45	<p><b>Presentation 4.1</b> <i>FAO's Statistical Data Lab</i> Carola, Fabi, Statistics Division FAO</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Q/A &amp; Discussion – 25 Minutes</i></p>
<b>Session 5: Use of earth observation data for producing agricultural statistics</b>	
<i>Moderator: Marygrace Balinos, GIS Specialist, FAO-RLC</i>	
10:45 – 11:45	<p><b>Presentation 5.1</b> <i>Earth observation data and products in forest monitoring</i> Adolfo Kindgard, Forestry Division FAO</p> <p><b>Presentation 5.2</b> <i>Using Earth Observation for producing agricultural statistics</i></p>

	<p>Lorenzo di Simone, Office of Chief Statistician FAO</p> <p><b>Presentation 5.3</b> <i>Geospatial data for Environment Statistics</i>  Francesco Tubiello, Senior Statistician, FAO Statistics Division  Giulia Conchedda, Agri-Environmental Statistics and Geospatial Consultant, FAO Statistics Division</p> <p><b>Presentation 5.4</b> <i>Presentation of project proposal for implementing EO data in the LAC region</i>  Michael Rahija, Regional Office of Latin America and the Caribbean</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Q/A &amp; Discussion – 20 Minutes</i></p>
11:45 – 12:00	<b>Break</b>
12:00 – 12:45	<p><b>Panel and Round Table Discussion</b></p> <p>Chair: Costa-Rica - INEC</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Susana Patricia Pérez Cadena, INEGI - Mexico</li> <li>• Octávio Costa de Oliveira, IBGE, Brazil</li> <li>• César Ricardo Santisteban Pérez, MIDAGRI - Peru</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Open discussion</i></p>
12:45 – 13:00	Wrap-up, key points from Day 2, and recommendations of the Working Group
<b>Day 4 – July 23</b>	
<b>Session 6: Enhancing fishery and aquaculture data to support the monitoring and sustainability of the sector, and contribute to SDGs – Achievements and challenges</b>	
<i>Moderator: Maxime Luciéné, Statistician, FAO-SLC</i>	
10:00-11:00	<p><b>Presentation 6.1</b> <i>International Perspective</i>  Stefania Vannuccini, Fisheries Division FAO</p> <p><b>Presentation 6.2</b> <i>Sub-regional and Caribbean Perspective</i>  Tania Norari, OSPESCA</p> <p><b>Presentation 6.3</b> <i>Country Experience – the Bahamas</i>  Lester Gittens, Ministry Agriculture and Marine Resources</p> <p><b>Presentation 6.4</b> <i>Suriname country experience</i>  Tomas Willems, Fisheries Department of Suriname</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Q/A – 10 Minutes</i></p>
11:00 – 11:45	<p><b>Question and Answer/Panel Discussion</b></p> <p>Chair statement: Tania Norori, OSPESCA</p> <p>Panelist statements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Flor Torrijos, ARAP - Panama</li> <li>• Patricia Hubert-Medar, MAFPNC - St. Lucia</li> <li>• Yvette Diei Ouali, WECAFC</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Open discussion and questions for presenters</i></p>
11:45 – 12:00	Wrap-up, key points from Session 6, and recommendations of the Working Group Stefania Vannuccini, Fisheries Division FAO
12:00 – 12:15	<b>Break</b>
<b>Session 7: Closure</b>	
12:15 – 13:00	<p><b>Presentation of Draft Recommendations and Conclusions</b></p> <p>Michael Rahija, Regional Office of Latin America and the Caribbean</p>

	<b>Invitation of Host for Conference in 2023</b> <b>Closure by INEC-Costa Rica</b> <b>Closure by Director of Statistics Division - FAO</b>
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