



Joint FAO-IPCC-IFAD expert meeting: Emerging activities to combat climate change – use of FAO data and IPCC GHG Inventory Guidelines for Agriculture and Land Use

13-14 November 2014, FAO HQ, Rome

Day 1

8:30-9.00 Registration

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09:00-10:00 **Opening**

Sheikh Zayed
Centre
(Atrium)

* Welcome to the event (Maria Helena M.Q. Semedo, FAO, and Taka Hiraishi and Thelma Krug, IPCC TFI, and Gernot Laganda, IFAD)

* Introduction to the event (Francesco N. Tubiello, FAO)

* Presentation: An overview of current climate-change agreements, ongoing discussions under the Ad Hoc Working Group on the Durban Platform for Enhanced Action, and associated implementation activities in land use (María José Sanz Sánchez, FAO)

* Presentation: New FAO updates on GHG emissions from AFOLU (Heather Jacobs, FAO)

10:00-10.30 Coffee break

10:30-12.30 **The need for up-to-date data and methodologies for AFOLU with evolving climate-change agreements** (chairs: Thelma Krug and Taka Hiraishi, IPCC TFI)

* Presentation: Need for up-to-date data to support inventory compilers in implementing IPCC methodologies to estimate emissions and removals for AFOLU Sector (Kiyoto Tanabe, IPCC TFI TSU)

* Presentation: New FAO data products and tools (Francesco N. Tubiello, FAO)

* Moderated discussion

12:30-13.30 Lunch break

13:30-15.00 **Data and methodologies for estimating GHG emissions and removals of land-based mitigation actions – issues around scale and boundaries** (chair: Giacomo Grassi, JRC)

* Presentation: Data for bringing together the national level and land-based mitigation actions in Costa Rica (Javier Fernandez, FONAFIFO)

* Presentation: Issues on temporal, spatial and activity boundaries for accounting for land-based mitigation actions, including for REDD+, NAMAs and projects (Sandro Federici, FAO, and Carolyn Ching, VCS)

* Moderated discussion

15:00-15.30 Coffee break



15:30-17.30 **Data and methodologies for estimating GHG emissions and removals of land-based mitigation actions – building reference scenarios** (chair: María José Sanz Sánchez, FAO)

- * Presentation: Issues associated with reference levels (Jim Penman, UCL)
- * Presentation: Data needs for building reference levels for REDD+ in Brazil (Thelma Krug, INPE)
- * Presentation: FAO's long term outlook for global agriculture: basis for a GHG emissions baseline and food security assessments under climate change (Josef Schmidhuber, FAO)
- * Moderated discussion

17.30 Closing

18.00-20.00 Reception at 'Apuleius'

Day 2

9.00-10.30 **Data and methodologies for the joint analysis of mitigation-adaptation-food security benefits** (chair: Lini Wollenberg, CCAFS)

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- * Presentation: Data needs and gaps for identifying adaptation benefits (Selvaraju Ramasamy, FAO)

Mexico
Room
(D273bis)

- * Presentation: Metrics for multi benefit projects – a user perspective (Eric Patrick, IFAD)
- * Moderated discussion

10.30-11.00 Coffee break

11.00-12.30 **Simultaneous break-out groups for discussing draft conclusions and recommendations to be reported back to the plenary**

- * Break-out group #1 (Lebanon room – D277bis): Emerging data needs for the AFOLU sector (Francesco N. Tubiello, FAO)
- * Break-out group #2 (Mexico room – D273bis): Emerging methodological development needs for the AFOLU sector (Taka Hiraishi, IPCC TFI)

12.30-13.30 Lunch break

14:00-16.30 **Findings on emerging data and methodological development needs for the AFOLU sector** (chair: Thelma Krug, IPCC TFI)

- * Moderated discussion of draft conclusions

15:30 Coffee break

16:30-17.00 Closing of the event

