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FAO Expert Group Meeting on Cost of Production and Prices

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, 28th to 29th November 2011

AGENDA

Day 1

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| 08:00 - 08:30 | Registration |
| 08:30 - 09:00 | Opening and Administration |
| 09:00 - 12:30 | Africa Statistics Day Celebration |
| 12:30 - 14:00 | Lunch |
| | - Chairperson CSA/FAO/UNECA |
| 14:00 -14:15 | Opening of the Technical Workshop – Josef Schmidhuber and Dominic Ballayan (FAO) |
| 14:15 -15:00 | A Review of Country Practices in Ethiopia, Mali and Zambia – Peter Lys (Consultant, FAO) |
| 15:00 -16:00 | The USDA Commodity Costs and Returns (CAR) Estimation Project – William McBride (USDA) |
| 16:00 -16:30 | Coffee Break |
| 16:30 -16:45 | Introduction to the key issues related to Cost of Production statistics |
| 16:45 - 18:00 | Key issues related to Cost of Production statistics |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Activity / output coverage• Compiling prices of purchased inputs / calculating input costs |

Discussion and conclusion of day 1.

Day 2

09:00 – 09:10	ASSAR Project: Use of Hi-tech tools for price collection in Morocco – Mohammed Kamili (Department of Agriculture Morocco)
09:10 – 10:20	Methods of data collection of the costs of production and farm prices for field crops and vegetables in Egypt - Mamdouh Shawky (Ministry of Agriculture Egypt)
10:20 – 10:30	Cost of Production in Kenya – Abner INGOSI (Kenya National Bureau of Statistics)
10:30 - 10:45	Coffee break
10:45 - 11:30	Key issues related to Cost of Production statistics (Continued) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Input cost imputation• Fixed cost allocation and shared inputs• Opportunity cost of factors of production• Calculating the cost of capital
11:30 - 12:30	Key issues related to Cost of Production statistics (Continued) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Designing a questionnaire for the CoP and an approach to collect data for collecting Cost of Production statistics
12:30 - 14:00	Lunch
14:00 - 15:00	Key issues related to CoP statistics (Continued) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Concepts, definitions and methodology in compiling CoP statistics• Integrating CoP Surveys into existing agricultural sample surveys
15:00 - 17:00	Main conclusions and the way forward
17:00 - 17:15	Cost of Production Data in CountrySTAT, the case of Philippines – Naman Keita (FAO)
17:15 - 17:30	Closing of the workshop