



CAADP Framework and Process – An Overview

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Motivation for CAADP

Issue 1: Strained livelihoods and economic growth

- Africa's poor performance in key livelihood and economic growth parameters

Issue 2: Lack of common agriculture-led dev. agenda

- Collective desire to see real impact on a development agenda focussing on food security, poverty eradication and wealth creation



CAADP Principles & Targets

Country

- Pursuit of a 6% average annual sector growth rate at the national level
- Allocation of at least 10% of national budgets to the agricultural sector
- use of partnerships and alliances including farmers, agribusiness, and civil society

Regions (RECs)

- Regional coordination of sector-wide agricultural investment plans informed and guided by the CAADP Framework
- Application of principles of policy efficiency, dialogue, review, and accountability

Continent

- Agriculture-led growth as a main strategy to achieve targets on food security and poverty alleviation consistent with MDG-1
- Exploitation of regional complementarities and cooperation to boost growth



CAADP Thematic Focus Areas

Pillar I

**Sustainable
land and
water
management**

Pillar II

**Improved
rural
infrastructur
e and trade-
related
capacities
for market
access**

Pillar III

**Increased food
supply,
increased
nutrition,
reduced hunger
& improved
responses to
food crises**

Pillar IV

**Improved agric
research,
technology
dissemination,
and adoption**

**Cross-cutting Issue 1: Capacity strengthening for agriculture
& agribusiness**

**Cross-cutting Issue 2: Information for agricultural strategy
formulation and implementation**



CAADP Milestones

Official launch of CAADP by government

- Official endorsement of the CAADP process by Government in the presence of non-state actors

Stocktaking and diagnostic process

- Stocktaking, analysis, future opportunities based on real data (prospects in investments, growth & poverty)

CAADP Compact

- Common agreement and commitment on vision and strategy by all national (state and non-state) & int'l actors

Design & formulation of the Investment Plan

- Plans to operationalise the Compact which confirm priorities, with costs, and funding gaps

Independent Technical Review

- To measure consistency with CAADP vision and principles, adoption of best practices, alignment with compact commitments and realism

High Level Business Meeting

- Validate & endorse the plan, implementation readiness, funding commitments and gaps

Full scale implementation

- Roll out implementation



Achievements (as at January 2012)

Dimension

Example

Consolidation of CAADP's framework

- Roles and linkages between CAADP leading institutions defined
- Operational plans to CAADP process developed
- Guide for country implementation and post-Compact guidelines
- M&E framework approved
- Mutual accountability framework conceptualised

Thematic policy guidance

- **Four pillar framework documents and tools produced and widely disseminated**

Mechanisms for regional co-ordination

- **ECOWAS regional compact produced**
- **COMESA regional compact in preparation**
- **IGAD regional compact just launched**



Achievements as at January 2012

Dimension

Example

**Pre-
implementation
commitments**

- CAADP Compacts signed in 30 countries
- Investment plans developed in 21 countries
- Technical reviews carried out in 17 countries
- ECOWAS regional Compact
- 15 Business Meetings held

**Mobilisation of
funding**

- New Alliance for Food and Nutrition
- GAFSP



CAADP Implementation Challenges

- A never ending process?
- Engagement of non-state actors
- Inter-ministerial collaboration
- Comprehensiveness
- Perception of CAADP as yet another *Programme*
- Engagement of decentralised structures
- Coordination among the key stakeholders
- Financing implementation



Possible CAADP Value Additions

CAADP is an African Union (AU) initiative to accelerate agricultural growth, improve food security and strengthen environmental resilience on the continent, endorsed in 2003

CORE FUNCTIONS

Strengthening country-led policy processes for better investment programmes

Mobilising partnerships for investment at the national, regional and international levels, and from both private and public sources

Evaluating commitments and strengthening systems and mechanisms for accountability

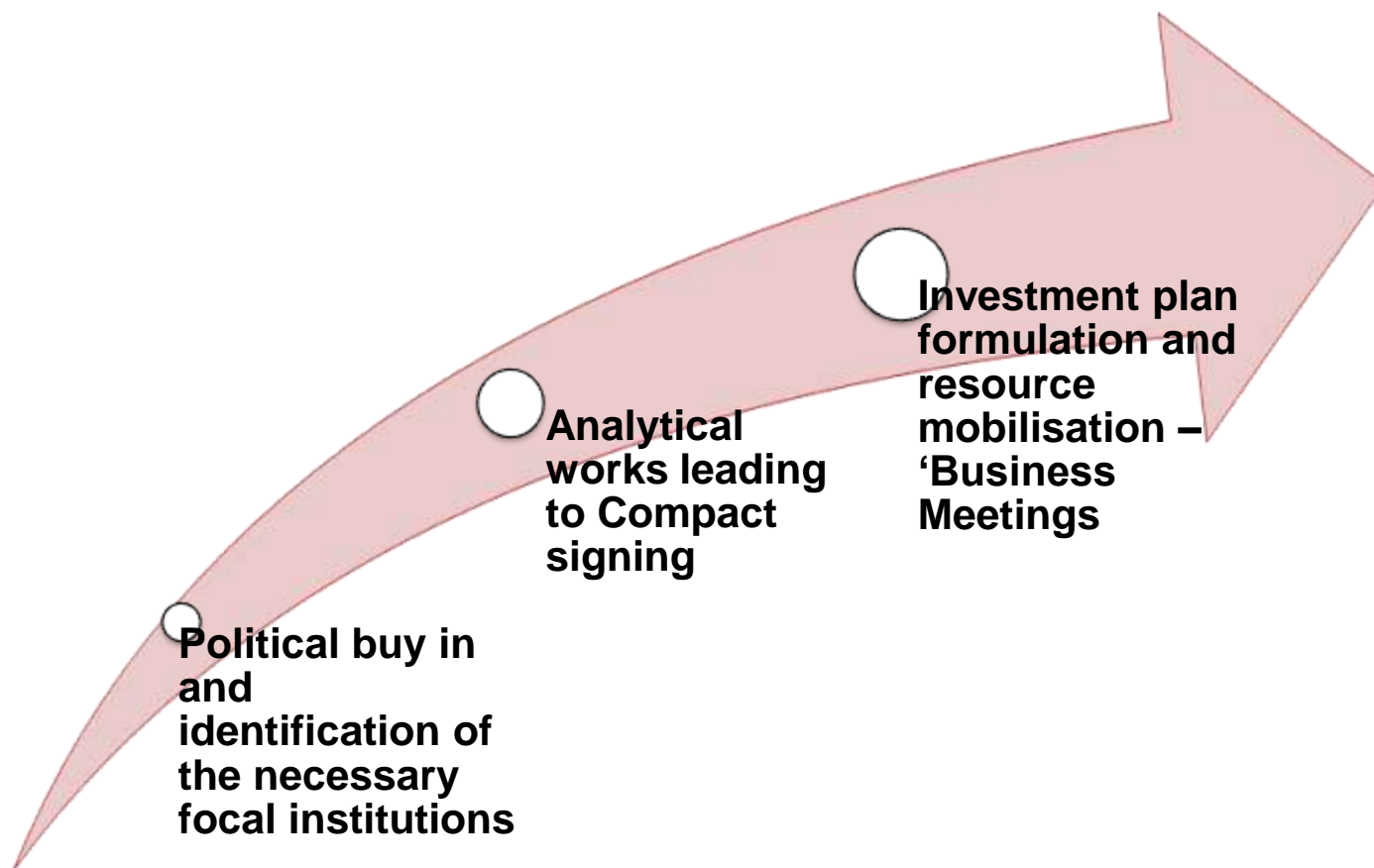
Advocacy for agriculture, with the aim of restoring African agriculture as a major development driver

Harnessing African strategic thinking, positions and scenarios for the future

CAADP= policy environment for stronger programmes and Incentives to bring about increased productivity and incomes



A CAADP Roadmap





CAADP implementation status





Thank You