

HIGHLIGHTS



Food safety saves lives

On [World Food Safety Day 2023](#), we celebrated food standards for defining the path to safe food for everyone, everywhere. Brush up your knowledge on the topic with [a selection of FAO publications](#).



FAOSTYLE: English - Revised 2023

This new edition covers matters such as grammar, spelling, punctuation, and terminology. Guidance on notes and referencing has been elaborated. Additionally, a new "Building a publication" appendix and a new "Writing well" appendix have also been added.

(74 pp.)



Water is life, water is food - Leave no one behind

This Activity Book is aimed at a broad age range of young people interested in learning more about the importance of water on our planet, inspiring them with solutions for wiser management of water resources.

(28 pp.)

DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/cc6287en>

BOOKS

AGRICULTURE



Analyse de la gouvernance de l'eau dans la basse vallée de la Medjerda - Tunisie

The 450-kilometre long Medjerda is Tunisia's main river. It irrigates 80 000 hectares of farmland and supplies drinking water to a third of the country's residents, including the population of Tunis. But recent years have seen growing shortages and degradation of the water supply. This analysis is designed to help the Tunisian authorities improve water governance in the Lower Medjerda Valley.

(Tunis, 76 pp. French)

DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/cc6136fr>



Le système agricole et agroalimentaire tunisien face aux crises: focus sur la chaîne de valeur céréalière - Constats et réflexions pour la proposition d'un plan de relance à court et à moyen termes

The Tunisian economy has been struggling with multiple crises. Recovery from the dramatic contraction linked to the COVID-19 pandemic has been weak, further hampered by the war in Ukraine and price volatility. Inflation is high and investment low. This study shows agricultural incomes shrinking, households consuming less food, and rural women becoming more vulnerable in recent years.

(Tunis, 116 pp. French)

DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/cc8217fr>

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT



The future of food and agriculture: Drivers and triggers for transformation - Summary version

This report explores 18 drivers of agrifood systems; depicts four different scenarios for the future of agrifood systems; and highlights key triggers for their transformation.

(88 pp. Russian. Also available in Arabic, Chinese, English, French and Spanish)

DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/cc1024ru>

FISHERIES AND AQUACULTURE



Legal report on the ecosystem approach to fisheries in Cabo Verde - An analysis of the ecosystem approach to fisheries in selected national policy and legal instruments of Cabo Verde

The Ecosystem Approach to Fisheries (EAF) involves holistic criteria, rather than considering species or issues in isolation. This assessment analyses the extent to which 82 EAF legal requirements, considered the minimum standard, are reflected in the policies and legislation on fisheries; the environment; wildlife; and the maritime affairs of Cabo Verde.

(80 pp. Portuguese. Also available in English) EAF-Nansen Programme

DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/cc4829pt>



Report of the Eighteenth Session of the Sub-Committee on Fish Trade Committee on Fisheries - Virtual meeting, 8 April to 8 May 2022, and 7, 8, 9 and 20 June 2022

This meeting of the Sub-Committee, held virtually, acknowledged the new "Blue Transformation" Programme Priority Area (PPA). It also pledged to support the development of methodologies for assessing data-poor fisheries; highlighted the role that aquatic food systems can play in climate change mitigation; and commended the promotion of environmentally sound methods for reducing food loss and waste in fish value chains.

(52 pp. Chinese. Also available in Arabic, Russian and Trilingual) FAO Fisheries and Aquaculture Report

DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/cc1513zh>



RECENT RELEASES FROM OTHER UN AGENCIES AND IGOs

WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION - WMO



[WMO Global Annual to Decadal Climate Update \(Target years: 2023-2027\)](#)

This report provides a synthesis of the global annual to decadal predictions for the period 2023-2027. It observed climate of the last five years to provide a context for the predictions shown later in this report.

(Geneva, 24 pp.)

