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Favoriser un impact soutenu des initiatives de renforcement des capacités pour la jeunesse africaine dans l'agriculture
(8 pp., also available in [English](#)) FSN Forum en Afrique



FAW guidance note 1: Reduction of human health and environmental risks of pesticides used for control of fall armyworm
(4 pp.)

NEW BOOKS AND BRIEFS

AGRICULTURE



Mid-term evaluation of the project "Capacity Development for Agricultural Innovation Systems" (CDAIS), November 2017

An assessment of support to the Tropical Agriculture Platform (TAP) action plan in eight pilot countries, highlighting strengths, such as the creation of the TAPipedia portal, as well as weaknesses, such as the lack of gender perspective in the project design.
(72 pp.) Project evaluation series

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT



Electronic Operation Timbang Plus Tool: e-OPT tool for use at local level (Barangay and municipality/city)

Detailed guidance on using the e-OPT Plus Tool in the Philippines, a local-level information system that tracks the prevalence of malnutrition among young people in the community and helps to locate their families.
(Manila, 76 pp.) FAO & NNC



Resilience analysis of Jordan, 2013

This analysis of the UNICEF–FAO–WFP resilience strategy for Jordan highlights the need to promote access to education, productive assets and water services so as to boost resilience to food insecurity, and reduce inequalities and gender bias.
(56 pp.) FAO resilience analysis report



Rice prices and growth, and poverty reduction in Bangladesh

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(44 pp.)

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A detailed monthly update on trade statistics by volume and unit value for the main seafood commodities, such as mussels, salmon, shrimps, etc. A year-on-year comparison and year-to-date partner breakdown are provided and presented in tabular form.
(108 pp.)



Report of the expert group meeting on stock assessment methods and review of the small pelagic and demersal assessments for the CECAF area, Rome, Italy, 24–26 June 2015

This expert group meeting stressed the importance of data quality and access, which would contribute to quality control, transparency and continuity, even during changes in Working Group membership.
(148 pp., bilingual) FAO Fisheries and aquaculture report



Report on the workshop on strategic data policy: Rome, 21–22 September 2015

This workshop report calls for best practices in data management to be shared among members, highlighting the South West Indian Ocean (SWIO) Region and its Regional Information system (the Chimaera portal) as an example of good practice.
(64 pp.) FAO Fisheries and aquaculture report



Seafood certification and developing countries: Focus on Asia

This literature review on seafood ecolabels in Asia looks into the concerns of producers, exporters and consumers and identifies barriers to implementation. It stresses the need for tailored policies and government-led capacity building initiatives.
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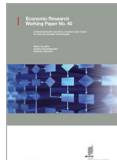
An overview of recent international economic developments for the 35 OECD countries, the euro zone and a number of non-member economies. (Paris, 256 pp., also available in [French](#))

World Intellectual Property Organization – WIPO



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