











Regional Data Capture Training Workshop CAADP-XP4 - OVERVIEW 22nd November 2021

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Introduction

- Subsidiary of SADC established by Member States through a Charter
- Established in 2010 & launched in 2011
- Created to coordinate agricultural R&D in the region
- Goal: To sustainably reduce food insecurity & poverty in the SADC region
- Objective: To increase smallholder productivity through adoption of improved agricultural technologies and improved husbandry and marketing practices







Roles of CCARDESA

- Coordinate implementation of regional Agricultural R&D programmes
- Facilitate collaboration among NARs & CGIAR
- Promote public-private partnerships in regional agricultural R&D
- Improve agricultural technology generation, dissemination, and adoption in the region through collective efforts, training and capacity building







Roles of CCARDESA

- Empower and strengthen farmers and their organisations or groups
- Facilitate development of sustainable education, training and learning systems
- Promote co-operation, consultation and exchange of scientific and technical information on best practices in agric.







CCARDESA's STRATEGIC PLAN

- Strategy took into account past lessons, current trends and the future
- Aligned to the SADC Regional Agricultural Policy (RAP)
- Places emphasis on climate relevant interventions that will increase resilience of production systems
- Knowledge brokerage is critical to ensure evidence-based policy decision making within the agricultural sector
- Acknowledges that there is need to create or / and strengthen partnerships
- Resource Mobilisation Strategy and Action Plan (2021-2025)







New CCARDESA: Vision, Mission & Thematic Areas

VISION:

Sustainable agricultural growth and socioeconomic development in the SADC

MISSION: To set the regional research and development agenda, mobilise resources, support capacity development, foster collaboration and provide agricultural information and knowledge in the SADC

Agricultural productivity and food and nutrition security

Resilience to emerging agricultural risks: environmental, climate change & transboundary diseases and pests

Commerciali sation of the agricultural sector and market access

Knowledge and information management, communication and policy support

Capacity
strengthenin
g of
CCARDESA
and AR4D
institutions

Women, Youth and Social Inclusion

CAADP-XP4 PROGRAMME



Background

Donor	The European Union		
Target countries	Botswana, Eswatini, Mozambique, Namibia, Tanzania, Zambia and Zimbabwe		
Total duration	4 years		
Grant amount	Euro 5,370,000		
Implementers	AFAAS, ASARECA, CCARDESA, CORAF and FARA		
Project Goal is to contribute to:	SDG1,2,5,8,12,13, Agenda 2030, Agenda 2063 and the Malabo Declaration of the African Union (AU)		
Target group(s)	CCARDESA and its partners within the National Agricultural Knowledge and Innovation Systems (NAKIS)		
Final beneficiaries	 Smallholder farmers, women and youth entrepreneurs, producers and produce, organizations /groups, cooperatives, agricultural training institutions, research institutions, marginalized communities. 		







PROJECT OUTPUTS

Strengthened capacity of CCARDESA to perform its mandate & work together with AFAAS, FARA & SROs

Multi-stakeholder partnerships for innovation established and in operation

Strengthened national policies, regional institutional arrangements and market access

Knowledge management for advocacy and decision support and communication enhanced

Effective planning, coordination, partnerships, monitoring, evaluation, learning and reporting improved









- Jointly conducted a baseline survey with XP4 organisations
- Conducted a Capacity Gap Assessment
- Identified capacity gaps that are common across
 5-6 countries
- Reviewed the HR Policy and Procedures
- Upgraded the Finance Management System
- Conducted mapping of CSA initiative







- 19 (8F:11M) people have been training on resource mobilisation through the FARA initiative
- Conducted 10 webinar trainings to develop skills and capacity for applying foresight for climate resilient agricultural development
 - Trained 237 participants (Angola, Botswana, DRC, Eswatini, Lesotho, Malawi, Mauritius, Mozambique, Namibia, South Africa, Tanzania, Zambia and Zimbabwe)
- Uploaded 6 foresight modules on the website for e-Learning https://www.ccardesa.org/e-learning







- Carried out stocktaking at country level of all in-country policies that affect cross-border trade on agricultural inputs and outputs
- Conducted training on Agricultural Innovation System-Policy Practice Index (AIS-PPI)
- A study to assess national policies that affect cross border trade in agricultural inputs and commodities using the Policy Practice Index tool
- Engaged a resource mobilization consultant to assist CCARDESA







- Jointly developed Communication and Visibility Strategy and Action Plan with consortium members
- Developed the CCARDESA Communication & Visibility Plan
- Carried out an assessment of ICKM systems for accreditation
- Trained ICKM officers on ISO standards for knowledge sharing
- Developed regional knowledge management (KM) and information capture guidelines
- Trained 14 people on the use of the KM and Information capture guidelines.







- Developed 4 national KM strategies and 4 KM status factsheets for Eswatini, Namibia, Tanzania and Zambia.
- The other 3 countries did not participate due to COVID-19 restrictions
- Linked up the CCARDESA website to FANPARN and COMESA websites to increase visibility and coverage
- In the process of linking the website to other knowledge hubs in the region and ex-pillar 4 organisations to ensure interoperability
- About 8 news articles have been produced and uploaded on the CCARDESA website







- Developed a Project Implementation Manual (PIM)
- On-going consultancies to develop;
 - An automated MEL System
 - An Effective Innovative Partnerships Strategy
 - Guidelines and a regional action plan for mainstreaming climate STI indicators in the National Agricultural Investment Plans
 - Private Sector Engagement Strategy and Action Plan
 - Status of Agricultural Research in the SADC Region
 - Regional Advocacy Strategy For Promoting Cross Border Trade In Agriculture Commodities And Inputs
- Coordinated the 1st and 2nd TC and AC meetings







CCARDESA Projects & Programmes









CCARDESA ON-GOING PROJECTS

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P e	rojects/Programm s	Donor & Duration	Participating countries	Objectives/Goal			
Pi Pi Se	gricultural roductivity rogramme for outhern Africa APPSA)	WB 6 years	Phase 1- Malawi, Mozambique, Zambia Closed Phase 2-Angola, Lesotho On-going	Improve the availability of improved technologies in the region			
C	AADP-XP4	EU 4 years	Botswana, Eswatini, Mozambique, Namibia, Tanzania, Zambia, Zimbabwe	Enable agric. research & innovation, extension services, to contribute effectively to food & nutrition security; economic development and climate mitigation in Africa.			
o n	litigating the impact f COVID-19 on food & utrition security using SA Tech.	EU 18 months	Eswatini, Mozambique, South Africa, Zambia	Improve the availability and access to high value nutritious agricultural produce in food insecure communities impacted by COVID-19 CSA technologies			
lr	ntra-ACP GCCA+	EU 3 years	Botswana, Malawi, Namibia, Zambia, Zimbabwe	Strengthen the capacity of MS to undertake regional and national adaptation and mitigation actions in response to the challenges caused by the effects of global climate change and climate variability			







COVID-19 MITIGATION PROJECT

ESWATINI

- a. Vegetable production (including seedling production)
- b. Mushroom production (R15/15gm)
- c. Dairy production











COVID-19 MITIGATION PROJECT

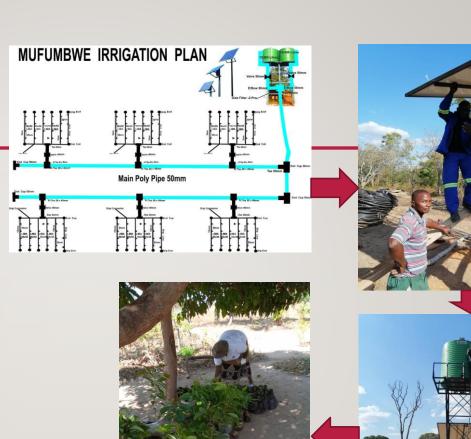
MOZAMBIQUE

- Production of vegetables
- Trainings
- Seed
 procurement
 and
 distribution



GCCA+ PROJECT ZAMBIA

- Site identification through local partners and mobilization of target communities (16ha)
- Design of irrigation system
- Procurement and installation of production facilities;
- Agronomic training
- Planting of fruit trees



GCCA+ PROJECT

ZIMBABWE

- 1.5 Hectare plot for vegetables production established
- 2 hectare plot for fruit trees established (2000 papaya, 300 citrus)
- 2 boreholes drilled and drip irrigation system installed
- 6000 cabbages, 6000 tomatoe plants, 5000 onions & 3000 green pepper
- Chose an Integrated Model- addressing all aspects of life; water, food and security, nutrition, energy and health
- Currently installing 5000 efficient cookstoves to reduce dependence on trees
- **Registered a Community Company**











NEW PROJECTS

Projects	Donor &	Participating	Objectives/Goal
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Accelerating the Impact of CGIAR Climate Research for Africa (AICCRA)	World Bank 3 years	Senegal, Ghana, Mali, Ethiopia, Kenya, and Zambia	Enhance access to climate information services and validated climate-smart agriculture technologies in Africa
Climate Resilience and Management of Natural Resources in the SADC Region (C-NRM)	BMZ-GIZ 18 months	SADC Member States	Climate change is systematically taken into account in the transboundary management of natural resources in the SADC region.
Expansion : Mitigating the impact of COVID-19 on food & nutrition security using CSA Tech.	EU 18 months	Botswana, Mauritius, Namibia and Seychelles	Improve the availability and access to high value nutritious agricultural produce in food insecure communities impacted by COVID-19 CSA technologies







Key country actions

- Develop knowledge products on the;
 - Malabo target achievements
 - CCARDESA projects and programmes
 - CCARDESA Strategic Plan thematic areas
 - Policy briefs
 - Documentaries
 - Success stories
 - News articles etc







Acknowledgement

































