Planned project activities
2007-2008
Note to Executive Board Directors

This document is submitted for the information of the Executive Board.

To make the best use of time available at Executive Board sessions, Directors are invited to contact the following focal point with any questions relating to IFAD’s project/programme pipeline before the session:

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1. At the second session of the Executive Board, it was agreed that information on planned project activities would be presented to the Board regularly to enable members to keep abreast of developments in IFAD’s project/programme pipeline and prospective lending and, should they so desire, to comment on planned operations at an appropriate stage of the development cycle.

2. To this end, part I of this document provides a comprehensive listing, by stage of processing and by region, of all projects and programmes that have entered the pipeline after approval of the inception memorandum. In addition, as agreed with the Executive Board in September 2003, IFAD has made available on its website – at http://www.ifad.org/operations/pipeline/index.htm – information on projects and programmes that have reached an advanced stage of design and are thus likely to be presented at a future session of the Board. Each of these operations is described in a two-page information note, which is updated upon completion of each major step in the project cycle.

3. As agreed at the Board’s April 2001 session, part II of this document provides information on all country strategic opportunities papers/programmes (COSOPs) and subregional strategic opportunities papers/programmes (SRESOPs) reviewed to date by the Operational Strategy and Policy Guidance Committee (OSC) and those reviewed by the Board. Parts III and IV provide information on planned COSOPs/SRESOPs. In September 2006, the Executive Board approved a new framework for a results-based country strategic opportunities programme as provided in document EB 2006/88/R.4.

4. The current session of the Board will review seven country strategic opportunities programmes (Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Kenya, Mauritania, Panama, Rwanda and the United Republic of Tanzania).
### I. Projects/programmes under consideration, by stage of processing and region (2007-2008)

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*The financing terms and figures shown are in compliance with the debt sustainability framework approved by the ninetieth session of the Executive Board (April 2007).

b Previously: Programme for Increasing Sustainability and Outreach in Microfinance.

c Previously: Programme for the Integration of Small Producers into Value Chains.


e Previously: Rural Development in the Mountain Zones of the Errachidia Project.

f Previously: Small-scale Irrigation Programme.

g Previously: Off-farm Activities and Rural Microenterprise Programme in the Highlands of Madagascar.

h Previously: Rural Livelihoods and Economic Enhancement Programme in the Central Region.

i Previously: Papuan Rural Development Project.

j Previously: Agropastoral Communities Support Programme.

k Previously: Marine Resources Preservation Programme.

l Previously: Indigenous Communities Support Project.
II. COSOPs/SRESOPs reviewed by the OSC and the Executive Board

(Dates in brackets refer to date of submission to the OSC; an asterisk (*) indicates papers reviewed by the Executive Board)

**Western and Central Africa**

1. Benin (June 2005, updated version)*
2. Burkina Faso (June 2007, updated version) (updated version scheduled for presentation to September 2007 Board session)
3. Cameroon (July 2007, updated version) (updated version scheduled for presentation to September 2007 Board session)
4. Cape Verde (October 1996)
5. Chad (May 1999)
6. Congo (June 2001, updated version)
7. Côte d'Ivoire (December 1997)
8. Democratic Republic of the Congo (June 2003)*
9. Gabon (February 2004)
10. Gambia (The) (January 2003, updated version)*
11. Ghana (February 2006, updated version)*
12. Guinea (May 1999)
13. Guinea-Bissau (December 2002)*
14. Mali (July 1997)
15. Mauritania (July 2007, updated version) (updated version scheduled for presentation to September 2007 Board session)
17. Nigeria (October 2000)*
18. Sao Tome and Principe (October 1999)
19. Senegal (February 2004, updated version)*
20. Sierra Leone (January 2003, updated version)*

**Eastern and Southern Africa**

21. Angola (May 2005)*
22. Botswana (March 2006)
23. Burundi (March 2003, updated version)*
25. Eritrea (May 2006, updated version)*
26. Ethiopia (November 1999)
27. Kenya (July 2007, updated version) (updated version scheduled for presentation to September 2007 Board session)
28. Lesotho (June 1999)
29. Madagascar (September 2006)*
30. Malawi (June 2005, updated version)*
31. Mauritius (October 2005)*
32. Mozambique (July 2004, updated version)*
33. Namibia (May 2002)
34. Rwanda (July 2007, updated version) (updated version scheduled for presentation to September 2007 Board session)
35. Swaziland (June 2006, updated version)*
36. Uganda (July 2004, updated version)*
37. United Republic of Tanzania (July 2007, updated version) (updated version scheduled for presentation to September 2007 Board session)
38. Zambia (October 2003, updated version)*

**Asia and the Pacific**

40. Bangladesh (February 2006, updated version)*
41. Bhutan (July 1996)
42. Cambodia (May 1998)
43. Central Asia (Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan) (October 2005)*
44. China (June 2005, updated version)*
45. Democratic People’s Republic of Korea (April 2000)
46. India (October 2005, updated version)*
47. Indonesia (November 1998)
48. Iran (Islamic Republic of) (August 2002)
49. Lao People’s Democratic Republic (July 2004, updated version)*
50. Mongolia (November 1998)
51. Nepal (October 2006)*
52. Pacific Islands countries: SRESOP (October 2004)*
53. Pakistan (November 2002, updated version)*
54. Philippines (the) (October 1999)
55. Sri Lanka (November 2002)*
56. Viet Nam (October 2002, updated version)*

**Latin America and the Caribbean**

57. Argentina (November 2003)*
58. Bolivia (November 1998)
59. Brazil (June 1997)
60. Caribbean region (March 2000)
61. Colombia (April 2003)*
62. Costa Rica (September 2004)*
63. Dominican Republic (January 2002)*
64. Ecuador (October 2003)*
65. El Salvador (March 2001)
66. Guatemala (January 2003)*
67. Haiti (November 1999)
68. Honduras (updated version, February 2007)*
69. Mexico (May 1999)
70. Nicaragua (September 2005, updated version)*
71. Panama (June 2007, updated version) (updated version scheduled for presentation to September 2007 Board session)
72. Paraguay (September 2004)*
73. Peru (November 2001)*
74. Uruguay (November 1999)
75. Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (July 2006, updated version)*

Near East and North Africa

76. Albania (February 2005, updated version)*
77. Algeria (October 1999)
78. Armenia (October 2003, updated version)*
79. Azerbaijan (February 2003, updated version)*
80. Bosnia and Herzegovina (June 2005)*
81. Djibouti (November 2001)
82. Egypt (February 2006, updated version)*
83. Gaza and the West Bank (June 1997)
84. Georgia (February 2003, updated version)*
85. Jordan (October 2000)
86. Lebanon (May 2000, updated version)
87. Moldova (February 2002, updated version)
88. Morocco (November 1999)
89. Romania (June 2002)*
90. Sudan (March 2002)*
91. Syrian Arab Republic (November 2001)
92. The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (November 1999)
93. Tunisia (April 1998)
94. Turkey (April 2006, updated version)*
95. Yemen (March 2000, updated version)
III. COSOPs/SRESOPs planned in 2007

In 2007, regional divisions plan to finalize and/or prepare COSOPs for the following countries:

**Western and Central Africa:**
- Burkina Faso (updating, continuation of 2004/06 work) (scheduled for presentation to the September 2007 session of the Executive Board)
- Cameroon (updating, continuation of 2004/06 work) (scheduled for presentation to the September 2007 session of the Executive Board)
- Chad (updating)
- Congo (updating)
- Guinea (updating)
- Mali (updating, continuation of 2006 work)
- Mauritania (updating, continuation of 2004/06 work) (scheduled for presentation to the September 2007 session of the Executive Board)

**Eastern and Southern Africa:**
- Ethiopia (updating)
- Kenya (updating, continuation of 2006 work) (scheduled for presentation to the September 2007 session of the Executive Board)
- Rwanda (updating, continuation of 2004/06 work) (scheduled for presentation to the September 2007 session of the Executive Board)
- United Republic of Tanzania (updating, continuation of 2005/06 work) (scheduled for presentation to the September 2007 session of the Executive Board)

**Asia and the Pacific:**
- Cambodia (updating)
- Indonesia (updating)
- Pakistan (updating)
- Philippines (the) (updating, continuation of 2005/06 work)
- Viet Nam (updating)

**Latin America and the Caribbean:**
- Bolivia (updating, continuation of 2006 work)
- Brazil (updating)
- Colombia (updating)
- Haiti (updating)
- Honduras (updating, continuation of 2006 work) (presented to the April 2007 session of the Executive Board)
- Mexico (updating)
- Panama (updating, continuation of 2006 work) (scheduled for presentation to the September 2007 session of the Executive Board)
- Peru (updating)
Near East and North Africa:
- Armenia (updating)
- Jordan (updating)
- Moldova (updating) (scheduled for presentation to the December 2007 session of the Executive Board)
- Morocco (updating)
- Sudan (updating)\(^1\)
- Yemen (updating)

Other COSOPs will be identified in the course of 2007.

\(^1\) Following country programme evaluation.
IV. COSOPs/SRESOPs planned in 2008

In 2008, regional divisions plan to produce the following COSOPs:

**Western and Central Africa:**
- Côte d’Ivoire (updating)
- Nigeria (updating)
- Senegal (updating)

**Eastern and Southern Africa:**
- Angola (updating)
- Burundi (updating)
- Ethiopia (updating) (continuation of 2007 work)
- Lesotho (updating)
- Mozambique (updating)
- Uganda (updating)
- Zambia (updating)

**Asia and the Pacific:**
- Sri Lanka (updating)

**Latin America and the Caribbean:**
- Ecuador (updating)
- El Salvador (updating)
- Dominican Republic (updating)
- Guatemala (updating)

**Near East and North Africa:**
- Albania (updating)
- Azerbaijan (updating)
- Georgia (updating)
- Syrian Arab Republic (updating)

Others will be identified in the course of 2008.

\[2\] Depending on country situation.

\[3\] Following country programme evaluation.