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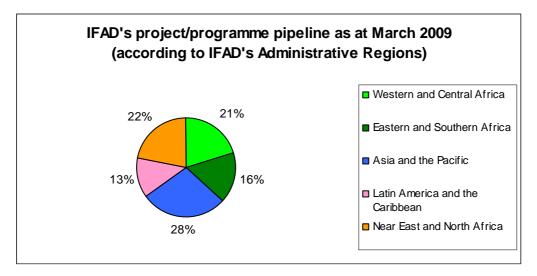
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Planned project activities 2009-2010

- 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 as part of the results-based country strategic opportunities programmes or after approval of the concept note. 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. Following discussions with Board members regarding the desirability of receiving information on new planned interventions well in advance, dates for future key country meetings are being provided to facilitate in-country discussion/consultation. Additional details about future country meetings and project-and programme-related documentation are available on request from the primary IFAD contact given in this document.
- 3. In September 2006, the Executive Board approved a new framework for a results-based country strategic opportunities programme (COSOP), as provided in document EB 2006/88/R.4. The results-based COSOPs will also serve as the vehicle for entry of projects/programmes into IFAD's official pipeline. Some of these pipeline projects/programmes will be processed within the current 2007-2009 cycle of the performance-based allocation system (PBAS), while others will be included in subsequent PBAS allocation periods. Part II provides information on planned COSOPs and subregional strategic opportunities programmes (SRESOPs) and, where available, identifies dates of forthcoming country meetings and stakeholder consultation meetings.
- 4. As agreed at the Board session in April 2001 (document EB 2001/72/R.28), part III of this document provides information on all COSOPs and SRESOPs reviewed to date by the Operational Strategy and Policy Guidance Committee (OSC) as well as those reviewed by the Board.
- 5. The current session of the Board will review three COSOPs (Haiti and Pakistan and The Sudan).

Overview

6. The current document includes the 68 projects/programmes in IFAD's official pipeline. The chart below shows the distribution of the official pipeline in IFAD's five administrative regions. Thirty-seven per cent of the operations in IFAD's current pipeline are planned to be implemented in the countries covered by IFAD's Western and Central Africa Division and Eastern and Southern Africa Division. The figure increases to 46 per cent for sub-Saharan Africa.



- 7. In view of the expanded programme of work (10 per cent larger than in 2008) and the anticipated increase in the context of the Eighth Replenishment of IFAD's Resources, efforts to build up the pipeline will continue throughout 2009. This is necessary not only to boost support for agriculture and rural development but also to ensure that sufficient projects/programmes are ready in the event of slippages or in case additional design work is required prior to Board presentation.
- 8. The renewed emphasis by international assistance on agriculture and rural development also offers opportunities for expanded project cofinancing with strategic partners. The current pipeline includes projects to be cofinanced with the World Bank, the African Development Bank, the Asian Development Bank and Agence Française de Développement.
- 9. The projects/programmes included in IFAD's pipeline are selected on the basis of existing COSOPs¹ and governments' poverty reduction strategy papers or national development plans. The IFAD Strategic Framework 2007-2010 will continue to guide IFAD's work into the Eighth Replenishment period. A new strategic framework will be delivered to the Executive Board in December 2010 to steer IFAD's activities in the period 2011 onwards. Areas of work in which IFAD is already engaged but that require increased emphasis in the changing global context include: (i) increasing agricultural productivity for improved food security and poverty reduction; (ii) combating natural resource degradation and the effects of climate change; (iii) supporting other donors in increasing the financing to agriculture and rural development; (iv) sharing knowledge and experience; (v) strengthening the focus on land issues; (vi) leveraging international remittances; and (vii) working with organizations of rural producers.
- 10. As shown in part II, IFAD is contemplating submitting 15 results-based COSOPs to the Board, in the context of the 2009 programme of work.

¹ Countries with minimal PBAS allocations or countries where a small country programme is envisaged do not require a COSOP. In such cases, the information that would normally be included in a COSOP is incorporated into the relevant sections of any project/programme design document that is drafted (document EB 2006/88/R.4).

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I. Projects/programmes under consideration, by stage of processing and region (2009-2010) (some planned projects will be processed in the 2007-2009 PBAS allocation period, and some in subsequent PBAS allocation periods)

Region	Country	COSOP/ SRESOP reviewed by the Executive Board	Project/programme name (* indicates that a summary is available on IFAD's website at: http://www.ifad.org/operations/pipeline/index.htm)	Tentative Executive Board presentation date	Tentative loan/grant amount (US\$ million) ^a	Project/programme processing design stage	Future key meeting dates ^b	Primary IFAD contact – country programme manager
Western	and Central Afric	ca						
	Benin	September 2005	Rural Economic Growth Support Project *	April 2009	8.96 (loan) and 8.96 (grant)	Design completed	Negotiations scheduled on 14-15 April 2009	m.tounessi@ifad.org
	Burkina Faso	September 2007	Rural Business Development Services Programme *	April 2009	8.1 (loan) and 8.1 (grant)	Design completed	Negotiations scheduled on 14-16 April 2009	n.messer@ifad.org
	Guinea	December 2008	National Support Programme to Agricultural Value Chain Actors *	To be determined	8.7 (grant)	Design completed	To be determined	u.demirag@ifad.org
	Mali	December 2007	Rural Microfinance Programme * c	April 2009	25.04 (loan)	Design completed	Negotiations held on 24-25 March 2009	l.sarr@ifad.org
	Mauritania	September 2007	Value Chains Development Programme for Poverty Reduction *	To be determined	6.0 (loan) and 6.0 (grant)	Design completed	Negotiated	c.sparacino@ifad.org
Eastern	and Southern Afr	rica						
	Burundi	September 2008	Agricultural Intensification and Value-enhancing Support Project * ^d	April 2009	13.57 (grant)	Design completed	Negotiations held on 16-17 March 2009	h.haidara@ifad.org
	Ethiopia	December 2008	Community-based Integrated Natural Resources Management Project *	April 2009	6.6 (loan) and 6.6 (grant)	Design completed	Negotiations held on 3 April 2009	j.gicharu@ifad.org
Asia and	I the Pacific							
	Afghanistan	April 2008	Rural Microfinance and Livestock Support Programme * e	April 2009	23.89 (grant)	Design completed	Negotiations held on 6 April 2009	m.donnat@ifad.org
	China	December 2005	Sichuan Post-Earthquake Agricultural Rehabilitation Project *	April 2009	28.97 (loan) and 1.5 (grant)	Design completed	Negotiations scheduled on 22-23 April 2009	t.rath@ifad.org
	India	December 2005	Convergence of Agricultural Interventions in Maharashtra's Distressed Districts Project * f	April 2009	40.1 (loan) and 1.0 (grant)	Design completed	Loan negotiations tentatively scheduled on 20-23 April 2009	m.prayer@ifad.org

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Latin An	nerica and the Ca	ribbean						
	Dominican Republic	Not applicable	Development Project for Rural Poor Economic Organizations of the Border Region * ⁹	April 2009	13.8 (loan)	Design completed	Negotiations held on 17 March 2009	m.camagni@ifad.org
	Ecuador	April 2004	Ibarra-San Lorenzo Development Project *	September 2009	8.63 (loan)	Design completed	Next meeting tentatively scheduled for late March 2009	f.pichon@ifad.org
	Mexico	December 2007	Community-based Forestry Development Project in Southern States (Campeche, Chiapas and Oaxaca)	September 2009	5.0 (loan)	Design completed	Country Programme Manager plans to travel to Mexico at the end of March 2009	l.rubio@ifad.org
Eastern	and Southern Afr	ica						
	Ethiopia	December 2008	Pastoral Community Development Project – Phase II (World Bank-initiated) *	September 2009	To be determined (50% on a grant basis)	Under design completion	Next in-country meeting planned for end of May 2009	j.gicharu@ifad.org
Asia and	I the Pacific							
	Bangladesh	April 2006	Participatory Small-scale Water Resources Development Sector Project (Asian Development Bank-initiated)*	September 2009	To be determined	Under design completion	Next in-country meeting scheduled for 9 March 2009	n.brett@ifad.org
	Kyrgyzstan	December 2005	Reforestation and Carbon Trading Project (World Bank-initiated) *	December 2009	To be determined	Under design completion (multidonor endeavour)	Next in-country meeting scheduled for May 2009	y.tian@ifad.org
	Nepal	December 2006	High Value Agriculture Project in Hill and Mountain Areas *	September 2009	To be determined	Under design completion	Next in-country meeting tentatively scheduled for first week of April 2009	r.hartman@ifad.org
Latin An	nerica and the Ca	ribbean						
	Brazil	September 2008	Piauí Semi-arid Sustainable Development Project * h	September 2009	To be determined	Under design completion	Next in-country meeting scheduled for 16-27 March 2009	i.cossio@ifad.org
Near Eas	st and North Afric	a						
	Lebanon	May 2000 (by OSC)	Hilly Area Sustainable Agriculture Development Project *	September 2009	To be determined	Under design completion	Next in-country meeting scheduled for May 2009	a.merzouk@ifad.org
	Sudan	Scheduled for presentation to the April 2009 Board	Revitalizing the Sudan Gum Arabic Production and Marketing Project (World Bank-initiated) *	September 2009	To be determined	Under design completion (including finalization of implementation manual)	Next in-country meeting scheduled for March 2009	r.omar@ifad.org

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Western	and Central Afri	ca						
	Cameroon	September 2007	Commodity Value Chain Development Project ⁱ	April 2010	To be determined	Detailed design completed	Design completion tentatively scheduled for June 2009. Next in- country meeting scheduled for May 2009	a.barry@ifad.org
	Chad	May 1999 (by OSC)	Pastoral and Water Management Project (Agence Française de Développement (AFD)-initiated) * j	September 2009	To be determined	Detailed design completed	Design completion tentatively scheduled for	m.béavogui@ifad.org
		(by OSC)	Prançaise de Developpement (APD)-initiated)	2009	determined	completed	March 2009. Next in- country meeting during design completion	c.bravi@ifad.org
	Sierra Leone	December 2003	Rural and Agricultural Development Project	December 2009 (reserve)	To be determined	Detailed design completed	Design completion tentatively scheduled for June 2009. Next in- country meeting scheduled for May 2009	h.boirard@ifad.org
Eastern	and Southern Af	rica						
	Zambia	April 2004	Smallholder Agri-business Promotion Programme * ^k	September 2009	To be determined	Detailed design completed	Design completion scheduled for March/April 2009. Next in-country meeting scheduled for early March 2009	c.ferreira@ifad.org
Asia and	I the Pacific							
	Mongolia	Not applicable.	Market Access for the Rural Poor Project	April 2010	To be determined	Detailed design completed	Design completion scheduled for November 2009. Next in-country meeting scheduled for June 2009	ar.toda@ifad.org
	Pakistan	Scheduled for presentation to the April 2009 Board	Crop Maximization Support Project *	September 2009	To be determined	Detailed design completed	Design completion scheduled for March/April 2009. Next in-country meeting scheduled on 1 April 2009	y.tian@ifad.orq
Latin Am	nerica and the Ca	aribbean						
	Brazil	September 2008	Cariri and Seridó Sustainable Development Project * ¹	December 2009	To be determined	Detailed design completed	Design completion scheduled for first half of July 2009. In-country meetings tentatively scheduled for 20-21 April 2009	i.cossio@ifad.org

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Near Eas	st and North Afric	a						
	Egypt	April 2006	On-farm Irrigation Development Project in the Oldlands * ^m	December 2009	To be determined	Detailed design completed	Design completion scheduled for 20 May 2009. In-country meetings tentatively scheduled for 20-30 April 2009	a.abdouli@ifad.org
Eastern a	and Southern Afr	ica						
	Burundi	September 2008	Value Chain and Auxiliary Services Project	September 2010	To be determined	Under detailed design	In-country meeting scheduled for March 2009	h.haidara@ifad.org
	Uganda	September 2004	Agricultural Sector Support Programme (World Bank-initiated)	December 2010	To be determined	Under detailed design	Design completion scheduled in 2010. Date of next in-country meeting to be determined	m.bradley@ifad.org
	Uganda	September 2004	Vegetable Oil Sub-Sector Support Programme	2011	To be determined	Under detailed design	Design completion tentatively scheduled for end 2010. Date of next in-country meeting to be determined	m.bradley@ifad.org
Asia and	the Pacific							
	Cambodia	December 2007	Tonle Sap Poverty Reduction and Smallholder Development Project (Asian Development Bank- initiated) *	December 2009	To be determined	Under detailed design	Second fact-finding mission scheduled on 4-13 May 2009. Design completion scheduled from 6-15 July 2009 Next in-country meeting to be organized during this period (exact date to be determined)	y.wang@ifad.org
	India	December 2005	West Bengal Coastal Area Development Project	To be determined	To be determined	Under detailed design	To be determined	m.prayer@ifad.org
	Mongolia	Not applicable	Natural Resource Management Initiative Project	December 2009	To be determined	Under design (jointly with the global environment and climate change [GECC] unit)	Design completion scheduled for July 2009. Next in-country meeting tentatively scheduled for April 2009	ar.toda@ifad.org

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Near Eas	t and North Africa	ı						
Western	Sudan and Central Africa	Scheduled for presentation to the April 2009 Board	Rural Feeder Roads Project *	December 2009	To be determined	Under detailed design	Next in-country meeting scheduled for February/March 2009 (country programme evaluation and country strategic opportunities programme validation workshop)	r.omar@ifad.org
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	Côte d'Ivoire	To be updated in 2009	Agricultural Rehabilitation and Poverty Reduction Support Programme	December 2009	To be determined	Concept note approved	Detailed design scheduled from 6-28 March 2009. Next in- country meeting scheduled on 27 March 2009	m.tounessi@ifad.org
	Gambia (The)	September 2003	Livestock and Horticulture Development Project (African Development Bank-initiated)	Dec 2009 (reserve)	To be determined	Concept note approved	Detailed design scheduled for mid-April 2009. Next in-country meeting scheduled for end of April 2009	l.sarr@ifad.org
	Guinea	December 2008	Village Community Support Programme – Phase III	December 2012 ⁿ	To be determined	Entered into pipeline as part of results-based COSOP	To be determined	u.demirag@ifad.org
	Guinea	December 2008	National Support Programme to Agricultural Value Chain Actors (extension of the programme to Haute Guinée)	December 2010 ⁿ	To be determined	Entered into pipeline as part of results- based COSOP	To be determined	u.demirag@ifad.org
	Liberia	Not applicable	Agriculture Sector Rehabilitation Project (African Development Bank-initiated)	December 2009	To be determined	Concept note approved	Detailed design mission scheduled for March 2009. Next in-country meeting tentatively scheduled on 25 March 2009	m.tounessi@ifad.org
	Mali	December 2007	Programme for Fostering Agricultural Productivity	April 2010	To be determined	Concept note approved	Detailed design scheduled from 28 March to 5 April 2009. Next in-country meeting scheduled around 4 April 2009	<u>l.sarr@ifad.org</u>

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Eastern	and Southern Af	rica						
	Ethiopia	December 2008	Sustainable Agriculture and Land Management Programme	2013/2014	To be determined	Entered into pipeline as part of results-based COSOPs	To be determined	j.gicharu@ifad.org
	Ethiopia	December 2008	Rural Finance Intermediation Programme – Phase II	2010/2011	To be determined	Entered into pipeline as part of results-based COSOPs	To be determined	j.gicharu@ifad.org
	Rwanda	September 2007	Rural Economic Uplifting Project	December 2012 (reserve)	To be determined	Entered into pipeline as part of results-based COSOPs	Detailed design scheduled for October 2011	c.reiner@ifad.org
	Zambia	April 2004	Commercial Agriculture Development Project (World Bank-initiated)	To be determined	To be determined	Concept note approved	To be determined	c.ferreira@ifad.org
Asia and	I the Pacific							
	Indonesia	December 2008	First Smallholder Agriculture Productivity Improvement Programme in Eastern Indonesia °	April 2010	To be determined	Entered into pipeline as part of results- based COSOPs	Detailed design scheduled in third quarter of 2009. Date of next in-country meeting to be determined	y.wang@ifad.org
	Indonesia	December 2008	Second Smallholder Agriculture Productivity Improvement Programme in Eastern Indonesia °	To be determined	To be determined	Entered into pipeline as part of results-based COSOPs	To be determined	y.wang@ifad.org
	Indonesia	December 2008	Third Smallholder Agriculture Productivity Improvement Programme in Eastern Indonesia °	To be determined	To be determined	Entered into pipeline as part of results-based COSOPs	To be determined	y.wang@ifad.org
	Pakistan	Scheduled for presentation to the April 2009 Board	Land Allocation Scheme for Poverty Eradication in Southern Punjab	To be determined	To be determined	Entered into pipeline as part of results- based COSOP	To be determined	y.tian@ifad.org
	Pakistan	Scheduled for presentation to the April 2009 Board	Chitral and Northern Area Development Programme	To be determined	To be determined	Entered into pipeline as part of results- based COSOP	To be determined	y.tian@ifad.org
	Sri Lanka	April 2003 (to be updated in 2009)	National Agribusiness Development Programme	December 2009	To be determined	Concept note approved	Detailed design scheduled for May 2009. Date of next in-country meeting to be determined	s.jatta@ifad.org

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	Viet Nam	September 2008	Accelerating Market Orientation of Agriculture Programme	April 2010	To be determined	Concept note approved	Detailed design scheduled for June 2009. Date of next in- country meeting to be determined	at.toda@ifad.org
	Viet Nam	September 2008	Forestland Management for Diversification of the Upland Economy Programme	2011	To be determined	Concept note approved	To be determined	at.toda@ifad.org
atin Am	erica and the Ca	ribbean						
	Haiti	Scheduled for presentation to the April 2009	Value Chain Development Project	December 2010	To be determined	Entered into pipeline as part of results-based COSOP	Detailed design scheduled for January 2010, including in-	a.pietikainen@ifad.org
		Board		April I2011		based COSOP	country meeting	
	Haiti	Scheduled for presentation to the April 2009 Board	Hispaniola Shared Ecosystem Project	To be determined	To be determined	Entered into pipeline as part of results-based COSOP	To be determined	a.pietikainen@ifad.org
	Nicaragua	December 2005	Support Project for the Development of the Nicaragua Atlantic Coast	April 2010	To be determined	Concept note approved	To be determined	I.rubio@ifad.org
	Peru	April 2002	Moving from Projects to a Comprehensive Sierra Growth Strategy	April 2010	To be determined	Concept note approved	To be determined	r.haudry@ifad.org
ear Eas	at and North Afric	a						
	Georgia	December 2004	Agricultural Support Programme	December 2009	To be determined	Concept note approved	Detailed design scheduled for March 2009. In-country meeting scheduled for March 2009	h.pedersen@ifad.org
	Jordan	December 2007	Rural Livelihoods Diversification in Pockets of Poverty	December 2009 (reserve)	To be determined	Concept note approved	Detailed design tentatively scheduled for April 2009 (awaiting Government's confirmation). In-country meeting planned to take place during last week of project design	t.elzabri@ifad.org
	Morocco	December 2008	Rural Development Project in Mountain Areas of Al Haouz Province (Phase II)	To be determined	To be determined	Entered into pipeline as part of results-based COSOPs	To be determined	m.nourallah@ifad.org
	Morocco	December 2008	Rural Development Project in Mountain Areas of Taza Province	To be determined	To be determined	Entered into pipeline as part of results-based COSOPs	To be determined	m.nourallah@ifad.org

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	Morocco	December 2008	Rural Development Project in Mountain Areas of Khenifra Province	To be determined	To be determined	Entered into pipeline as part of results-based COSOPs	To be determined	m.nourallah@ifad.org
	Sudan	Scheduled for presentation to the April 2009 Board	Dinder Agricultural Development Project	To be determined	To be determined	Entered into pipeline as part of results- based COSOP	To be determined	r.omar@ifad.org
	Sudan	Scheduled for presentation to the April 2009 Board	Programme for Value Chain Development in Southern Sudan	To be determined	To be determined	Entered into pipeline as part of results- based COSOP	To be determined	r.omar@ifad.org
	Sudan	Scheduled for presentation to the April 2009 Board	Tokar Scheme Rehabilitation Project	To be determined	To be determined	Entered into pipeline as part of results- based COSOP	To be determined	r.omar@ifad.org
	Sudan	Scheduled for presentation to the April 2009 Board	Jebel Marra Agricultural Development Project	To be determined	To be determined	Entered into pipeline as part of results- based COSOP	To be determined	r.omar@ifad.org
	Turkey	September 2006	Ardahan, Kars and Artvin Development Project	December 2009	To be determined	Entered into pipeline as part of results- based COSOP	Detailed design scheduled for April 2009. Next in-country meeting scheduled for April 2009	h.pedersen@ifad.org
	Yemen	December 2007	Economic Opportunities Project	April 2010	To be determined	Concept note approved	Detailed design scheduled for May 2009. Next in-country meeting scheduled for May 2009	o.zafar@ifad.org

^a 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 As per information available at the time of preparation of the document, but subject to change. IFAD country programme managers can provide the necessary updates.

^c Previously Rural Finance Programme.

^d Previously Agricultural Value Chain Support Project.

e Previously Rural Microfinance and Livelihoods Support Project.

^f Previously Convergence of Agricultural Interventions in Maharashtra Programme.

⁹ Previously Rural Development Project for Poor Communities of the North-west, South and South-west Regions.

h Previously Piauí Semi-arid Project.

Previously Commodity Value Chain Support Project.

Previously Pastoral Water and Resource Management Programme.

k Previously Smallholder Agri-business Development Project.

Previously Paraíba Semi-arid Project.

m Previously On-farm Irrigation Development Programme.

ⁿ Subject to resource availability during the PBAS allocation period.

^o Complementary objectives but with different project areas, scope and institutional arrangements.

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II. COSOPS/SRESOPs planned in 2009 and 2010

Region	Country	Status	Previous meetings	Future key meeting dates	Tentative Executive Board presentation date	Primary IFAD contact – country programme manager
Western a	nd Central Africa					
	Chad	Updating		To be determined	December 2009	m.beavogui@ifad.org
						c.bravi@ifad.org
	Congo	Updating		Launching of the COSOP preparation process planned for 8-28 March 2009. Stakeholder workshop scheduled for May/June 2009	December 2009	I.nsimpasi@ifad.org
	Côte d'Ivoire	To be updated in 2009		To be determined	April 2010	m.tounessi@ifad.org
	Democratic Republic of the Congo	To be updated in 2009		To be determined	September 2009	l.sarr@ifad.org
	Niger	Updating (in parallel with Country Programme Evaluation undertaken by the Office of Evaluation)		Country programme evaluation validation workshop planned for December 2009. COSOP field work currently scheduled for May/June 2010	December 2010	h.boirard@ifad.org
	Nigeria	Updating	In-country meeting took place in December 2008	Next in-country meeting scheduled for March 2009	December 2009	p.saintange@ifad.org
	Senegal	To be updated in 2009		To be determined	December 2009	s.marzin@ifad.org
	Togo	To be updated in 2009/2010		To be determined	September 2010	s.marzin@ifad.org
astern ar	nd Southern Africa					
	Angola	To be updated in 2009	Donors meeting in June 2007	Date of next in-country meeting yet to be determined	September 2009	c.ferreira@ifad.org
	Lesotho	To be updated in 2009	IFAD-World Bank joint mission took place from 23 September to 3 October 2008 in the context of revising respective country strategies. In-country consultations held	In-country consultation tentatively scheduled for 2 nd quarter of 2009	December 2009	f.nakai@ifad.org
	Malawi	Updating	Design mission took place from 1-20 February 2009. First brief with donor group organized on 18 February 2009	In-country consultation tentatively scheduled in June/July 2009	December 2009	m.okongo@ifad.org

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	Mozambique	Updating	Country programme evaluation wrap-up meeting took place on 24 October 2008. COSOP identification mission from 19-24 October 2008	Agreement at Completion Point Workshop scheduled for July 2009. COSOP review planned for 20-24 April 2009	April 2011	a.marini@ifad.org
	Uganda	Updating	In-country team assembled	Work with national stakeholders will be carried out in 2009	September 2010	m.bradley@ifad.org
	Zambia	To be updated in 2009		To be determined	September 2010	c.ferreira@ifad.org
Asia and t	he Pacific					
	China	To be updated in 2009		To be determined	December 2010	t.rath@ifad.org
	Democratic People's Republic of Korea	To be updated		To be determined	December 2009	g.thapa@ifad.org
	India	To be updated in 2009 (background studies to be initiated in June 2009)		Country programme evaluation is currently ongoing	April 2010	m.prayer@ifad.org
	Pakistan	Updating completed	Wrap-up workshop with Government in second half of November 2008		April 2009	y.tian@ifad.org
	Philippines	Updating	High-level meetings with Government and donors took place on 11 March 2008		September 2009	s.jatta@ifad.org
	Sri Lanka	Updating		Stakeholder workshop planned for April 2009	April 2010	s.jatta@ifad.org
Latin Ame	rica and the Caribbean					
	Argentina	To be updated in 2010 following country programme evaluation		To be determined	To be determined	p.silveri@ifad.org
	Dominican Republic	To be updated in 2009		First meeting with Government representatives is scheduled for May 2009	April 2010	
	Ecuador	To be updated in 2009		To be determined	September 2010	f.pichon@ifad.org
	El Salvador	To be updated in 2009		To be determined	April 2010	e.murguia@ifad.org

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Country

Haiti

Status

Updating completed

Previous meetings

In-country consultations held in September 2007 and preliminary validation workshop in February 2008. IFAD participated in the

			2008. IFAD participated in the Initiative on Soaring Food Prices.(ISFP) joint mission (FAO-IFAD-WFP-World Bank) in Haiti from 15-27 June 2008 with wrap-up meeting held on 27 June. Consultations were undertaken with the Government, civil society, private sector and international community. Draft COSOP was revised and validated in November/December 2008			
	Peru	Updating	First meeting with government representatives took place in March 2008. Discussion with government representatives and other stakeholders took place in August 2008. Meetings and workshops organized in October-December 2008	To be determined	September 2009	r.haudry@ifad.org
Near East an	nd North Africa					
	Azerbaijan	To be updated in 2009 (starting in April 2009)		Stakeholder workshop tentatively planned for September/October 2009	April 2010	a.sma@ifad.org
	Sudan	Updating completed	COSOP workshop held on 6-10 April 2008. Final validation workshop took place on 27 February 2009 after country programme evaluation workshop		April 2009	r.omar@ifad.org
	Syrian Arab Republic	Updating	In-country meetings took place in January and end of February 2009	In-country validation workshop tentatively planned for June 2009	December 2009	a.abdouli@ifad.org

Future key meeting dates

9-12 March 2009

Country programme manager planning to visit the country on

Tentative Executive Board

presentation date

April 2009

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III. 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

- Benin (June 2005, updated version)*
- Burkina Faso (June 2007, updated version)*
- 3. Cameroon (July 2007, updated version)*
- Cape Verde (October 1996) 4.
- 5. Chad (May 1999)
- Congo (June 2001, updated version) 6.
- Côte d'Ivoire (December 1997)
- Democratic Republic of the Congo 8. (June 2003)3
- 9. Gabon (February 2004)
- Gambia (The) (January 2003, updated version)*
- 11. Ghana (February 2006, updated version)*
- Guinea (October 2008, updated version) 12.
- Guinea-Bissau (December 2002)* 13.
- Mali (October 2007, updated version)* 14.
- Mauritania (July 2007, updated version)* 15
- Niger (July 2005, updated version)*
- Nigeria (October 2000)*
- Sao Tome and Principe (October 1999) 18.
- Senegal (February 2004, updated version)*
- 20. Sierra Leone (January 2003, updated version)*

Eastern and Southern Africa

- 21. Angola (May 2005)3
- 22. Botswana (March 2006)
- 23. Burundi (July 2008, updated version)*
- 24. Comoros (January 2002)
- 25. Eritrea (May 2006, updated version)*
- Ethiopia (October 2008, updated version) *
- 27. Kenya (July 2007, updated version)*
- 28. Lesotho (June 1999)
- Madagascar (September 2006)* 29.
- 30. Malawi (June 2005, updated version)*
- Mauritius (October 2005)* 31.
- Mozambique (July 2004, updated version)*
- Namibia (May 2002)
- Rwanda (July 2007, updated version)* 34.
- 35. Swaziland (June 2006, updated version)*
- 36. Uganda (July 2004, updated version)*
- 37. United Republic of Tanzania (July 2007, updated version)*
- Zambia (October 2003, updated version)*
- 39. Zimbabwe (November 1998)

Asia and the Pacific

- 40. Afghanistan (new October 2007)*
- Bangladesh (February 2006, updated version)*
- Bhutan (July 1996)
- Cambodia (September 2007, updated version)* 43.
- 44. Central Asia (Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan) (October
- China (June 2005, updated version)*
- Democratic People's Republic of Korea 46. (April 2000)
- India (October 2005, updated version)*
- 48. Indonesia (October 2008, updated version) *

- 49. Iran (Islamic Republic of) (August 2002)
- Lao People's Democratic Republic (July 2004, updated version)
- 51. Mongolia (November 1998)
- 52. Nepal (October 2006)*
- 53. Pacific Islands countries: SRESOP (October 2004)*
- 54. Pakistan (November 2008, updated version) (updated version scheduled for presentation to the April 2009 Board)
- Philippines (October 1999)
- 56. Sri Lanka (November 2002)*
- 57. Viet Nam (July 2008, updated version)*

Latin America and the Caribbean

- 58. Argentina (November 2003)*
- 59. Bolivia (October 2007, updated version)*
- 60. Brazil (June 2008, updated version)*
- Caribbean region (March 2000)
- 62. Colombia (April 2003)*
- 63. Costa Rica (September 2004)*
- 64. Dominican Republic (January 2002)*
- 65. Ecuador (October 2003)*
- 66. El Salvador (March 2001)
- 67. Guatemala (October 2008, updated version) *
- 68. Haiti (February 2009, updated version) (updated version scheduled for presentation to the April 2009 Board)
- 69. Honduras (updated version, February 2007)
- 70. Mexico (September 2007, updated version)*
- 71. Nicaragua (September 2005, updated version)*
- 72. Panama (June 2007, updated version)*
- 73. Paraguay (September 2004)*
- 74. Peru (November 2001)* 75. Uruguay (November 1999)
- 76. Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (July 2006, updated version)*

Near East and North Africa

- Albania (February 2005, updated version)*
- Algeria (October 1999)
- 79. Armenia (October 2003, updated version)*
- Azerbaijan (February 2003, updated version)*
- Bosnia and Herzegovina (June 2005)* 81.
- 82. Djibouti (November 2001)
- 83. Egypt (February 2006, updated version)*
- Gaza and the West Bank (June 1997)
- Georgia (February 2003, updated version)*
- 86. Jordan (October 2007, updated version)*
- 87. Lebanon (May 2000, updated version)
- 88. Morocco (October 2008, updated version) *
- Republic of Moldova (October 2007, updated version)* 89.
- 90. Romania (June 2002)*
- Sudan (February 2009, updated version) (updated version scheduled for presentation to the April 2009 Board)
- Syrian Arab Republic (November 2001)
- The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (November 1999) 93.
- Tunisia (April 1998)
- Turkey (April 2006, updated version)*
- 96. Yemen (October 2007, updated version)*