



Supporting Member States in Developing and
Strengthening Environment Statistics and Integrated
Environmental-Economic Accounting for Improved
Monitoring of Sustainable Development
Status of Module A on Environment Statistics

**Workshop on Environment Statistics for the East African
Community Region**
Arusha, Tanzania
27-31 March 2017



General Information

- Modules
 - Module A: Strengthening environment statistics in the EAC Secretariat and its five member states
 - Expected Accomplishment: Enhanced technical capacities of selected countries to regularly produce a comprehensive set of environment statistics, based on FDES, according to their own policy demands and commitments
 - Indicator of Achievement 1: Development of National Action Plan
 - Indicator of Achievement 2: Increased production of priority statistics
 - Module B: Developing Environment-Economic Accounts in four countries, including two in the EAC region (Kenya and Uganda)
- Duration of the Project
 - 1st January 2015 - 31 December 2017



Activities Undertaken

- Opening Sub-Regional Workshop (Arusha, July 2015)
 - Presentation of the Framework for the Development of Environment Statistics (FDES 2013) and its tools
 - Introduction to the Environment Statistics Self-Assessment Tool (ESSAT)
- National Missions (2016-2017)
 - Bilateral discussions with the NSO
 - National Workshop
- National Consultants (*In progress*)
 - Finalize the National Action Plan
 - Review national and international data sources
 - Prepare a policy document defining the role of each agency
 - Assist in the compilation of data from the relevant agencies



Current Workshop

- **Activities**
 - **Update from the countries**
 - ⇒ Exchange of best practices
 - **Develop a draft regional environment statistics compendium**
 - ⇒ Support the regional integration
 - ⇒ Support the monitoring of EAC environmental policies
 - **Other topics of environment statistics**
 - ⇒ Have more information about the regional activities
 - ⇒ Have a better understanding of the current development of environment statistics



Coming Activities

- National Consultants (*In progress*)
- Closing sub-regional workshop
 - Presentation of the status/results in the countries and debrief
 - Finalize the regional compendium of environment statistics
 - Link the work done in the project to the SDG indicators





Thank you for your attention!



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