

Agenda for the Training

“Tackling Climate Change in Agriculture: Approaches to Adaptation and Climate Smart Agriculture in the SADC Region”

25 – 29 September 2017

Cresta Lodge, Harare/Zimbabwe

Objectives

- Technical staff for agricultural extension in the SADC Region know concepts of climate change adaptation and climate smart agriculture for agriculture extension and research services
- Technical staff are capable to apply such concepts in their work

Participants

- Practitioners from agriculture extension services and agriculture research and development in Zimbabwe

Trainer Team

- Catalina Berger, Wiebke Foerch

Day 1 : Monday, 25 September		
Time	Topic	Presenter / Moderator
8h00	Registration	
8h30	Welcome and opening	Bernard Mache, Director Agritex
8h45	Welcome on behalf of GIZ	Jan Moejes, GIZ AISP
8h50	Official remarks: Regional Agricultural Policy (RAP) support to Climate Change Adaptation in the SADC Region	Simon Mwale, Acting Executive Director, CCARDESA
9h10	Official opening remarks	Principle director for the department of Agritex, Josef Gondo on behalf of the PS
09h20	Welcome on behalf of the MoE	Kudzai Ndidzano , Ministry of Environment, Water and Climate
9h30	Presentation of participants and outline of the seminar, code of conduct for the training	Wiebke Foerch, Catalina Berger
10h15	Coffee break	
10h45	Presentation 1: Thematic introduction: climate change, adaptation, mitigation incl. Q&A	Catalina Berger, Moderator, Independent Consultant, Germany
11h45	Presentation 2: CC projections and impacts in SADC and importance of climate services for agriculture incl. Q&A	Piotr Wolksi, Associate Professor, University of Cape Town, South Africa
12h50	Lunch break	
13h50	Energizer	Catalina Berger

14h10	Presentation 3: Agriculture: victim and culprit of CC and adaptation options, CSA incl. Q&A	Simon Mwale
15h15	Coffee break	
15h35	Exposé: concept and steps of Climate Proofing	Catalina Berger
16h15	Presentation of case studies and composition of working groups	Sepo Marongwe, Conservation Agriculture Coordinator, Department of Agricultural, Technical and Extension Services
16h45	Conclusions and take away messages of the day	Wiebke Foerch, Programme Advisor, SADC Programme on Adaptation to Climate Change in Rural Areas GIZ SADC Region

Day 2 : Tuesday, 26 September

Time	Topic	Presenter / Moderator
8h30	Opening and programme of the day	
8h45	Presentation 4: Introduction to CSA: technologies, practices and strategies incl. Q&A	Sarah Beerhalter, Programme Manager, SADC Programme on Adaptation to Climate Change in Rural Areas, GIZ SADC Region
10h15	Coffee break	
10h45	Climate Proofing Module A: evaluating present and future risks – Part 1 (present)	Catalina Berger
11h30	Action learning: Risk functions	Catalina Berger
11h45	Ctd – Part 2 (future)	Trainer team
13h15	Lunch break	
14h15	Energizer	Catalina Berger
14h30	Presentation 5: Supporting local level decision making und climate change – the Participatory Integrated Climate Services for Agriculture (PICSA) approach incl. Q&A	Graham Clarkson, Senior Research Fellow, University of Reading
15h30	Coffee break	
11h00	Presentation 6: Water management and soil conservation in CSA: opportunities and constraints incl. Q&A	Sarah Beerhalter
16h45	Conclusions and take away messages of the day	

Day 3 : Wednesday, 27 September		
Time	What	Presenter / Moderator
8h30	Opening and programme of the day	
8h45	Module A Presentations of results in plenary and Group feedback on Module A	Group members
9h30	Dimension of adaptation options	Catalina Berger
9h45	Climate Proofing Module B: identifying adaptation options	Catalina Berger
10h30	Coffee break	
11h00	Climate Proofing Module B: identifying adaptation options-ctd.	Catalina Berger
12h15	Preparation of excursion	Catalina Berger/Sepo Marongwe
12h30	Lunch break	
EXCURSION: 13:30-18:30		
<p>Ngwerume family, Mawanga Ward, Domboshawa, Goromonzi District. The area is situated about 50 km from Harare. The homestead is about 10 km off the main Domboshawa-Harare road. The objective of the visit is to expose participants to local CSA farm practices and understand CSA as a context-specific concept and to interact with the farmer. The host farmer is the ward chairperson for the Zimbabwe Farmers' Union</p>		

Day 4 : Thursday, 28 September		
Time	Topic	Presenter / Moderator
8h30	Opening and programme of the day and recap of excursion	Catalina Berger
8h45	Presentation 7: Conservation agriculture: farmer adoption of new practices and technologies: evidence and lessons learnt incl. Q&A	Sepo Marongwe
10h15	Coffee break	
10h45	Climate Proofing Module C - Selecting adaptation measures	Catalina Berger/participants
13h00	Lunch break	
14h00	Energizer	Catalina Berger
14h15	Presentation 8: Prioritising climate smart practices and technologies for agricultural value chains in SADC with Data	Christine Lamanna, Senior Scientist, World Agroforestry Centre, CGIAR Research Programme on Climate Change, Agriculture and Food Security
15h15	Coffee break	
15h45	Presentation 8 – ctd. incl. Q&A	Christine Lamanna
16h45	Reflections of the day	

Day 5 : Friday, 29 September		
Time	Topic	Presenter / Moderator
8h30	Opening and Programme of the day	
8h45	Preparing final group presentations	Participants
10h00	Coffee break	
10h30	Group Presentations and discussion of results	Participants
11h45	Elaboration of action plans (1 per group)	
12h15	Reflections and conclusions on the CP approach	
12h30	Lunch	
13h30	Presentation 10: Youth and CSA incl. Q&A	Simba Muchena, Zimbabwe Farmer's Union
14h00	Presentation 11: CCARDESA Information, Communication and Knowledge Management	Wiebke Foerch
14h20	Evaluation and oral feedback round	Catalina Berger
15h00	Final remarks, next steps USB Sticks and Certificates	Elke Stumpf, GIZ Zimbabwe
15h20	Closure	