



## HIGHLIGHTS



### FAO resources on food loss and waste

On the occasion of the second observance of the [International Day of Awareness of Food Loss and Waste](#) (29 September), have a look at a selection of FAO titles exploring the linkages between food loss and waste and food security.



### Non-wood forest products for people, nature and the green economy. Recommendations for policy priorities in Europe. A white paper based on lessons learned from around the Mediterranean

This paper identifies promising policy options to secure the conservation and sustainable supply of non-wood forest products. Suggestions include regulating and respecting harvest rights and guaranteeing transparent access to forest resources.

(Barcelona, 88 pp.) EFi & FAO | [Press release](#)  
DOI: <https://doi.org/10.36333/k2a05>

## COVID-19 RESOURCE



### Food systems in Latin America and the Caribbean – Challenges in a post-pandemic world

This publication presents papers on the transformation of food systems, including the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the supply and demand of food products.

(Panama City, 264 pp. Also available in [Spanish](#)) FAO & CIDES  
DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/cb5441en>

## PUBLICATIONS AVAILABLE IN E-BOOK FORMAT



### Animal nutrition strategies and options to reduce the use of antimicrobials in animal production

[MOBI](#) | [E-PUB](#)



### A multi-billion-dollar opportunity – Repurposing agricultural support to transform food systems

[MOBI](#) | [E-PUB](#)



### Ecosystem approach to fisheries implementation monitoring tool – A tool to monitor implementation of the ecosystem approach to fisheries (EAF) management. User manual

[MOBI](#) | [E-PUB](#)

## NEWSLETTERS



### FAO and the SDG indicators: Special issue on food loss and waste – 29 September 2021



### FAO Europe and Central Asia gender newsletter, July 2021 – Issue No. 4

(Budapest, Russian., 8 pp. Also available in [English](#))



### FAO gender news – September 2021 – Issue No. 34



### GIEWS update – The Republic of Haiti: Food insecurity severely deteriorating in southern parts of the country

(4 pp. Also available in [French](#))



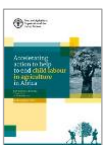
### Global Information and Early Warning System (GIEWS) newsletter: Crop prospects and food situation – September 2021 Issue No.76



### Seguimiento y análisis de los precios alimentarios (FPMA) Boletín #7 SP – Informe mensual sobre tendencias de los precios alimentarios, 9 septiembre 2021

(12 pp. Also available in [English](#))

## BROCHURES



### Accelerating action to help to end child labour in agriculture in Africa – FAO Conference for Africa, virtual event – 29 September 2021

(16 pp.)



### ASFA magazine: Aquatic Sciences and Fisheries Abstracts magazine, Issue No.6 – August 2021

(32 pp.) FAO & WorldFish



### GLOSOLAN – The Global Soil Laboratory Network: Investing in harmonized soil laboratory methods and reliable data for Sustainable Soil Management

(2 pp., Chinese. Also available in [Arabic](#), [English](#), [Russian](#), [Spanish](#) and [Turkish](#))





Handbook: Respecting free, prior and informed consent in Senegal  
(12 pp. Also available in [French](#))



Impact report – Promoting self-reliant livelihoods through employment and micro-entrepreneurship in Turkey  
(Ankara, 4 pp.)



Le poisson dans les programmes d'alimentation scolaire issue de la production locale – Angola, Honduras et Pérou  
(4 pp. Also available in [English](#))



OECD-FAO Guidance for Responsible Agricultural Supply Chains  
(2 pp.)



Our actions are our future – Better production, better nutrition, a better environment and a better life  
(16 pp., Turkish. Also available in [Arabic](#), [Chinese](#), [English](#), [French](#), [Hungarian](#), [Italian](#), [Portuguese](#), [Russian](#) and [Spanish](#))

## FAO'S WORK IN NUTRITION



Nutrition and agriculture  
(2 pp.)

Nutrition and climate change  
(2 pp.)

Nutrition and fisheries and aquaculture  
(2 pp.)

Nutrition and forestry  
(2 pp.)

## 2021-2022 HUMANITARIAN RESPONSE PLAN



El Salvador  
(2 pp.)

Guatemala  
(2 pp.)

Honduras  
(2 pp.)

## BOOKLETS AND POLICY BRIEFS



Deploying a humanitarian-development-peace nexus approach: Exploring, strengthening and reviving dryland ecosystems  
(20 pp.) FAO, CGIAR & CARE  
DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/cb6917en>



FAO Code of Ethical Conduct  
(40 pp., Arabic. Also available in [Chinese](#), [English](#), [French](#), [Russian](#) and [Spanish](#))



FAO-Turkey Partnership Programme on Food and Agriculture (FTPP II). Capacity development for sustainable fisheries and aquaculture management in Central Asia, Azerbaijan, and Turkey. GCP/SEC/013/TUR. Webinar on carp farming, 8–9 December 2020 – Summary report  
(Ankara, 28 pp.)  
DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/cb6715en>



Profil du système alimentaire – Burkina Faso: Activer la transformation durable et inclusive de nos systèmes alimentaires  
(20 pp.) FAO, EU & CIRAD



Salud sobre la mesa: Reducir el sobrepeso y la obesidad en América Latina desde la perspectiva de la defensa del consumidor  
(Santiago, 32 pp. Also available in [English](#)) FAO and Consumers International  
DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/cb5393es>



Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) for Desert Locust Ground Survey  
(28 pp.)



Your guide to living free of food waste  
(Budapest, 24 pp.)

FOOD SYSTEMS ASSESSMENT: WORKING TOWARDS THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS (SDGS)



**Burkina Faso early insight**

(2 pp.) FAO, EU & CIRAD

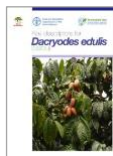
**Madagascar early insight**

(2 pp.) FAO, EU & CIRAD

**Nepal early insight**

(2 pp.) FAO, EU & CIRAD

KEY DESCRIPTORS



**For Strychnos cocculoides (monkey orange)**

(Nairobi, 20 pp.) ICRAF & FAO

**For Dacryodes edulis (Safou)**

(Nairobi, 20 pp.) ICRAF & FAO

NOTE D'ORIENTATION – SOLUTIONS À COURT TERME



**n° 1: Des institutions et une coordination efficaces pour un environnement institutionnel favorisant l'inclusion des jeunes agri-entrepreneurs**

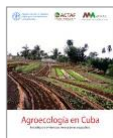
(12 pp.)

**n° 2: Des services financiers et des incitations à l'investissement plus accessibles pour les jeunes agri-entrepreneurs**

(16 pp.)

BOOKS

AGRICULTURE



**Agroecología en Cuba – Iniciativas y evidencias innovadoras escalables**

This book showcases ten innovative initiatives of sustainable agriculture and agroecology for rural development in Cuba, scalable to the public policy level. It also presents indicators for assessing sustainability in agroecosystems, including diversity, synergies and efficiency.

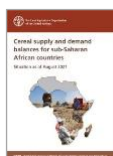
(Havana, 144 pp.) FAO, MINAG & ACTAF  
DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/cb6166es>



**A technical review of select de-risking schemes to promote rural and agricultural finance in sub-Saharan Africa**

This study explores five integrated risk management mechanisms segmented into two typologies: project-based de-risking schemes and stand-alone de-risking institutions. The schemes aim to de-risk finance and investment in agriculture through a holistic combination of policy, financial and risk management instruments.

(92 pp.) FAO, AGRA & IFAD  
DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/cb6625en>



**Cereal supply and demand balance for sub-Saharan African countries – Situation as of August 2021**

Based on data collected through the Country Cereal Balance Sheet system, this report presents updated supply and demand balances for the main cereals produced and consumed in sub-Saharan African countries, including wheat, rice and coarse grains.

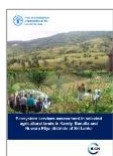
(60 pp.)  
DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/cb6900en>



**Crop prospects and food situation #3, September 2021 – Quarterly global report**

FAO assesses that 45 countries, including 34 in Africa and nine in Asia, are in need of external assistance for food. This report links the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic, conflicts, weather shocks and pests to current high levels of severe food insecurity.

(48 pp.)  
DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/cb6901en>



**Ecosystem services assessment in selected agricultural lands in Kandy, Badulla and Nuwara Eliya districts of Sri Lanka**

The report assesses the adoption of sustainable land management practices for four agricultural land-use types, identifies and maps associated ecosystem services, and uses existing frameworks and databases to quantify the ecosystem service values. It looks at both biodiversity aspects and human well-being, noting major differences in both across the different land-use types.

(Colombo, 92 pp.) FAO & IUCN  
DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/cb4567en>



**Innovative financing mechanisms for promoting sustainable land management**

Innovative financing mechanisms can support agricultural production by reducing uncertainties and risks and by assisting farmers in overcoming transaction costs related to supply chains. Potential mechanisms identified in this study include payments for ecosystem services, agro-ecotourism and re-allocation of public budgets.

(Colombo, 64 pp.) FAO & IUCN  
DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/cb4564en>

ANIMAL PRODUCTION AND HEALTH

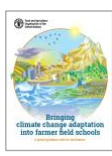


**Good beekeeping practices for sustainable apiculture**

These guidelines examine products and services that bees provide, including honey, pollen and apitherapy. The good practices showcased include using blockchain technology to build a honey traceability system.

(264 pp.) FAO, IZSLT, Apimondia & CAAS, FAO Animal Production and Health Guidelines  
DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/cb5353en>

CLIMATE CHANGE



**Bringing climate change adaptation into farmer field schools – A global guidance note for facilitators**

This guide assists farmer field schools practitioners in identifying, testing and adopting new practices to respond to climate change. Specific steps are presented, including conducting a baseline climate change community vulnerability assessment.

(200 pp.)  
DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/cb6410en>



## ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT



### Indigenous youth as agents of change – Actions of Indigenous youth in local food systems during times of adversity

This publication highlights six initiatives by Indigenous youth around the world to address the challenges of climate change and the COVID-19 pandemic. Examples include the promotion of resilience through health information, infrastructure and sustainable agriculture by youth in the Kipkandule Code Area.

(68 pp.)

DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/cb6895en>

## EVALUATIONS



### Evaluation of the project "Australia Balochistan Agri-business Programme-Phase Two (AusABBA II)"

The evaluation finds that AusABBA II's mentoring, technologies and practices facilitated the improvement of agricultural value chain productivity. In addition, livestock farmers now have the skills and knowledge they need to improve the quality of their livestock production.

(64 pp.) Project Evaluation Series

## FISHERIES AND AQUACULTURE



### Enabling grey literature discovery to benefit aquatic science, fisheries and aquaculture – 25 September 2019, Terengganu, Malaysia

This document highlights the need to strengthen funding and training to support digitization of historic grey literature, in order to reach a wider audience.

(68 pp.) FAO Fisheries and Aquaculture Proceedings

DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/cb6700en>



### Legislating for an ecosystem approach to fisheries – Revisited – An update of the 2011 legal study on the ecosystem approach to fisheries

This report provides updated data and contributes to knowledge on the current global and regional legal frameworks for an ecosystem approach to fisheries. Several non-binding international instruments are examined, such as marking and identification of fishing vessels.

(88 pp.) DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/cb6750en>



### Report of the Second Annual Project Meeting - Climate change adaptation in the Eastern Caribbean fisheries sector – CC4Fish. Grenada, 19–20 March 2018

The CC4FISH project aims to increase resilience and reduce vulnerability to climate change impacts in the Eastern Caribbean fisheries sector. The meeting agreed that regional workshops and meetings are required to fully accomplish CC4FISH outputs and activities.

(28 pp.) FAO Fisheries and Aquaculture Report

DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4060/cb5219en>

## RECENT RELEASE FROM OTHER UN AGENCIES AND IGOs

### INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY – IAEA



### Soil-Plant Transfer of Radionuclides in Non-temperate Environments – Report of Working Group 4 Transfer Processes and Data for Radiological Impact Assessment Subgroup 3 on Non-temperate Data

This publication considers radionuclide transfer in tropical and arid environments with a focus on root uptake by crops from soils. The data collected and analysed are relevant for estimating the transfer of radionuclides through food chains to humans.

(96 pp.)