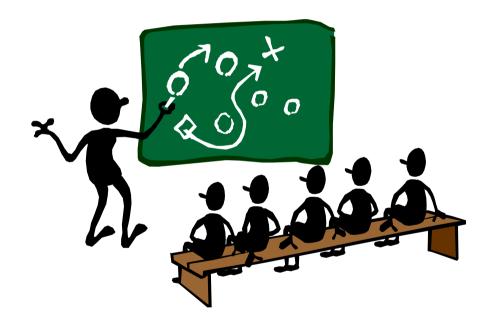


Consultation process / Cross Cutting Issues / Gaps



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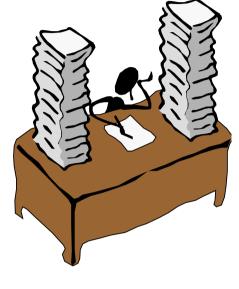
Online consultation 2010/11

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Additional comments (few)

Final version of chapter available (August)















Gaps identified

- Mineral (non-renewable) resources
- Private sector
- Link to climate data
- Three years down the line: there are new initiatives / organisations / data infrastructure that need to be considered.
- The world and Africa have changed have the needs vis-à-vis GMES?













Towards an Action plan

Need to look forward!

Aim: to better monitor and to ensure/support sustainable NRM in Africa

- Identify & prioritise services and products to be achieved
- Draw attention to future/cutting edge EO technologies
- Agree on scales (global to local)
- Identify ICT infrastructure
- Acknowledge diverse development levels across Africa (infrastructure/capacity) and identify means to address these
- Foster better coordination amongst organisations













Thematic working groups

- Non-renewable resources (Aswan)
- Land and Forest resources (Sphinx HERE)
- Biodiversity conservation (Abu Simbel)















Your expert input requested

- Review entire chapter of course but in specific detail:
- Needs analysis (5.2.2), especially on EO applied to non-renewable NRM
- Existing capacities and programmes (5.4, Tabs 4-5)
- Future planned activities (5.5, Tabs 6-7)
- Action Plan (5.6 Building GMES & Africa)
- Recommendations (5.7)













Expected Outputs

- 2 powerpoint slides
- List(s) of additional information (bullets)
- Revised information for tables
- Literature/reference











General comments for all WGs

Each WG to consider cross-cutting issues:

- Space and in-situ monitoring technologies
- Capacity Building (including policy and institutional framework, infrastructure framework, and human resources)
- Data Sharing (including EO User Networks and technological platforms)

Further comments:

- 5.6.3 some ideas for organisation may already be taken up by AfriGEOSS. Pl verify from your knowledge and indicate what support is still required from EU/AU.
- 5.7 Recommendations need to include more on policy interventions/support.
- Limits to space/prescribed format. Additional (limited) information can be put into an Annex.













Introduction: non-renewables

- Issues were missing from Draft 0
- Some information now included in pre-WS version
- Your contribution: to review whether info is sufficient and up-to-date. In particular, can EO Apps overlap or take over some of the dominant in situ practices?
 Use additional info provided in Annex 1 and suggest if and where and in which format to include it.











Introduction: land & forest res.

- Topic already well covered.
- Review chapter to ensure info is up-to-date and complete.
- More specific examples required on integrated NRM methods (e.g. agroforestry, integrated Ecosystems Assessment) and efforts to halt desertification. More on PES?
- Policy processes around illegal logging / FLEGT, land grabbing/foreign investors.
- Updates on REDD?
- Think about synergies.



Introduction: biodiversity

- Topic already well covered.
- Review chapter to ensure info is up-to-date and complete.
- Do we need more specific examples on biodiversity hotspots (RAMSAR, bird areas?)
- More on IUCN's efforts? Other global players?
- More on animal resources (both wild and domestic – indigenous breeds, animal migration)?
- Think about synergies













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Thank you for your attention!











