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IGAD DROUGHT DISASTER RESILIENCE AND SUSTAINABILITY INITIATIVE (IDDRSI)

THEME: CONSOLIDATING THE PATH TO RESILIENCE AND SUSTAINABILITY

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1. Introduction

- The development of the Uganda Country Programming Paper coincided with the time Uganda developed her Third National Development Plan (NDPIII), 2020/21-2024/25
- Government adopted a programme approach to planning and budgeting and thus the CPP has been aligned to NDPIII Programmes
- Alignment is to facilitate planning, budgeting, Coordination and reporting

Illustration of intervention alignment of CPP to NDPIII

Priority Intervention Areas	PIA Strategic Objectives/ intervention	NDPIII Programmes	NDPIII Objectives/ Intervention
Natural Resources and Environment Management	Develop water reservoir systems for irrigation, livestock production and human consumption	Natural Resources, Climate Change, Land and Water Management	Construct irrigation schemes and valley dams to ensure production all year round
Peace Building, Conflict Prevention and Resolution	Strengthen Conflict Early Warning and Early Response Mechanism in ASALs and its linkage with the National Early Warning System and National Emergency Coordination and Operations Centre	Governance and Security	Strengthen conflict early warning and response mechanisms
Coordination, Institutional Strengthening and Partnerships	Strengthen coordination mechanisms, interaction and functional linkages between regional, national, district and sub-county levels	Development Plan Implementation	Strengthen coordination, monitoring and reporting frameworks and systems



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2. Update on Implementation of 11th PSC recommendations

Recommendations	Status
11.1 Develop a robust M&E and impact assessment framework for the revised CPPs aligned with regional, continental and global result frameworks	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• National Expert Panel (NEP) created; its ToRs developed and induction meeting conducted on 10th Sept, 2020• CPP result framework developed and aligned to the Third National Development Plan (NDPIII), 2020/21-2024/25
11.2 Support capacity development of the Member States institutions coordinating and implementing IDDRSI at all levels	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• National and sub national steering committees have been put in place constituting planners• Capacity strengthening is scheduled for implementation after this steering Committee meetings
11.5 Document information about IDDRSI related projects and share with IDDRSI stakeholders at sub-national, national and regional level for purposes of knowledge exchange and transfer	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Two workshops held in Karamoja and Teso to popularize IDDRSI and knowledge exchange and transfer. Attended by: CAOs, District Planners, Water Engineers, CDO, Production Officers and DEOs



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2. Update on Implementation of 11th PSC recommendations..

Recommendations	Status
11.6 Member States and Development Partners put in place fiscal stimulus to support recovery from the multiple hazards	COVID-19 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Government capitalized UDB focusing on SME recovery from impact of COVID-19 pandemic.• Increased financing to Micro Finance Support Centre to facilitate EMYOGA Locusts <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Invasion mitigated through involvement of various stakeholders including using the UPDF
11.7 Progress in the development of the next phase of the Drought Resilience and Sustainable Livelihoods Programme (DRSLP)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Discussions held with Ministry of Finance, Planning and Economic Development• Feasibility study underway in three selected districts (Amudat, Kaabong and Kapelebyong)



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3.1 Physical performance of Projects...

PIA 1: Natural Resources and Environment Management

01

Increased average safe water coverage for Karamoja sub-region to 74%; 63% of the villages served have at least one safe water source

02

Construction of solar powered mini piped systems on going in Nakapiripirit, Kotido, Abim, and Napak to serve at least 600 people at each location

03

MWE transitioning from point water sources to piped schemes; so 13 High yielding production wells drilled in Karamoja ready for conversion into piped systems

04

Piped water supply and sanitation system completed in 3 Rural Growth Centres in Karamoja; 2 ongoing (about 55% completion)



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3.1 Physical performance of Projects...

PIA 1: Natural Resources and Environment Management...

- Construction of 90 boreholes completed; 8 valley tanks and 4 Valley dams under construction





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3.1 Physical performance of Projects...

PIA 1: Natural Resources and Environment Management...

05

Design for 2 Gravity Flow Systems in Moroto completed and under review

06

Feasibility studies and designs for 14 Multi-purpose storage earth dams in Abim, Amudat, Kaabong, Kotido, Moroto, Napak and Nakapiripirit districts ongoing

07

Feasibility studies and designs for Lopei bulk water system and irrigation scheme in Napak District ongoing

08

Consequently, community conflict resolution improved in the project area

09

The number of fights for water and pasture resources reduced as a result of the conflict platforms formed by the project



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3.1 Physical performance of Projects...

PIA 2: Market Access, Trade and Financial Services...

Integrated national livestock marketing information systems (LMIS) with the regional-level system

Construction of cross-border markets: Oraba, Busia and Lwakhakha 80% completed; Katuna 40% completed; Mpondwe phase 1 started Nov 2020



12 markets completed and handed over to communities with functional LMIS

Review the National Cooperative Policy initiated



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3.1 Physical performance of Projects...

PIA 3: Enhanced Production and Livelihood Diversification

01

Region-wide harmonized vaccination campaigns conducted for priority diseases such as PPR, FMD, CBPP, CCPP, RVF and Newcastle Disease (ND)

02

Activities to enhance disease and vector control and surveillance in targeted drought-prone areas undertaken

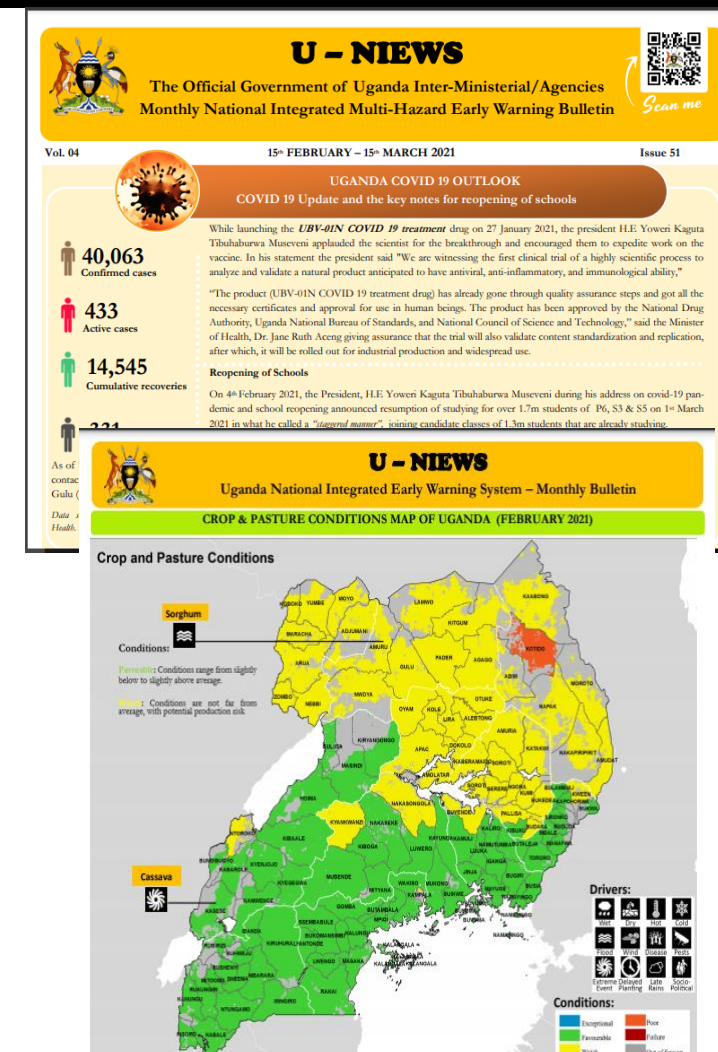


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3.1 Physical performance of Projects...

PIA 4: Disaster Risk Management...

- Monthly reports on Forecast and Monitoring of Disaster risks situations produced
- Provided LGs with guidelines to mainstream climate change in Local Government Development Plans
- Multi hazard disaster contingency plans for Koboko, Lamwo, Isingiro districts were developed to enable effective preparedness and response to disasters





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3.1 Physical performance of Projects...

PIA 6: Peace Building, Conflict Prevention and Resolution

- Peace Building Mechanism on Early Warning and Early Response (EWER) was rolled over to Rukungiri and Ntungamo districts. To address other conflict types that affect the peace and security framework of the country
- Land conflicts is a key challenge and features most



Peace committee training in Ntungamo

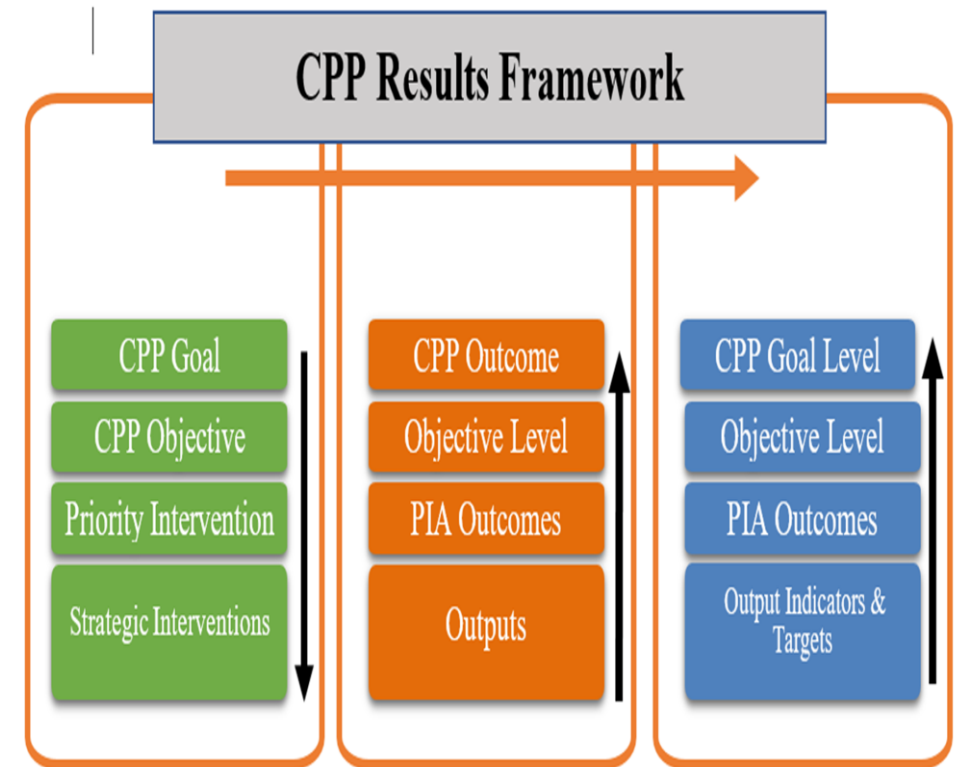


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3.1 Physical performance of Projects...

PIA 7: Coordination, Institutional Strengthening and Partnerships...

- OPM continued to coordinate the IDDRSI activities and spear headed the training of stakeholders and popularization of IDDRSI priorities
- Capacity building of DECOC Officers on disaster reporting and communication; DDMC of Koboko and SCDMCs in Ntoroko to strengthen institutional capacity in disaster risk management
- National Expert Panel (NEP) was formed in 2020
- NEP developed a CPP result framework aligned to the Third National Development Plan (NDPIII), 2020/21 – 2024/25





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3.1 Physical performance of Projects...

PIA 8: Human Capital, Gender and Social Development

- Social protection policies, laws and regulations developed including:
 - ✓ Final draft National Policy on Disability;
 - ✓ Regulatory Impact Assessment on the National Older Persons Policy;
 - ✓ First draft Regulations for the Persons with disabilities;
 - ✓ 2,500 copies of National Child Policy and Action Plan disseminated;
- Social Impact Assessment and Accountability Bill finalized
- Increased equitable access to Social Action Grant for the Elderly (SAGE);
- Beneficiaries increased by 83% by end of 2020, at 304,959 (60% being female) from 167,000 in 2019



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3.2 Financial performance of Projects

Project 01: Regional Pastoral Livelihoods Resilience project

- Implemented by the Ministry of Agriculture, Animal Industry and Fisheries (MAAIF) and the project financier is IDA World Bank.
- The project loan amount was USD 36,954,207 and by 20th October, 2020
- USD 36,884,168 had been disbursed which shows a 99.8 percent disbursement rate

Project 02: Early Warning Tools for Increased Resilience of Livelihoods in the IGAD Region

- Through support from the government of Sweden - FAO in partnership with IGAD, Texas A&M University and AgriTechTalk International- is strengthening the institutional capacity of MAAIF and LG
- To generate evidence-based livestock early warning information to allow predict animal feed shortfalls in the country



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4. Key lessons learnt

1. **None existence of disaggregated data** by geographical area, dryland or drought-prone areas. This makes reporting by specific area a challenge;
2. **Underutilization of completed infrastructure** in the project affected areas. For instance, holding grounds in quarantine stations are at low capacity. i.e. sensitization of the communities was done at the start of the project;
3. **Slow integration of the priorities in the Local Government Development Plans**
4. Incentivizing the production and use the data relevant to the IDDRSI/ CPP is effective;
5. **National Lockdown due to the Covid-19** pandemic led to six (6) months delay in implementation; and



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5. Key Recommendations

1. Engaging UBOS to disaggregate data by geographical area or dryland or drought-prone areas
2. Continued sensitization and mobilization of local leaders to ensure sustainability of projects
3. Further engage LGs to integrate the PIAs into their respective LGDPs through NPA and MoLG
4. The CPP reporting time be harmonized with GOU's period, this was done with the choice of the indicators.
5. Supporting agencies for each PIA need remobilization and reorientation so as to regularly provide information /Outputs achieved in their respective dockets to enable PIA lead agencies to consolidate
6. Need for more financing to cover all the affected areas



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