

50x2030 INITIATIVE COUNTRY EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FORM

PART 1 – ELIGIBILITY SECTION 1 – COUNTRY PROFILE

1. COUNTRY NAME			
2. LEAD GOVERNMENT AGENCIES		3. COUNTRY ID (PMT TO FILL)	
Indicate the name of the lead agencies to implement the 50x2030 Initiative in the country.		This will be filled by the Project Management Team.	
4. COUNTRY FOCAL PERSON/S			
Indicate the name and contact details of the country focal person/s who will serve as the main contact points for the Initiative and who could provide further details if required.			
Name		Name	
Organization		Organization	
Responsibility/title		Responsibility/title	
Email address		Email address	
Telephone number		Telephone number	
5. INCOME CLASSIFICATION (PMT TO FILL)		6. REGIONAL AFFILIATION (PMT TO FILL)	
Refers to the country's income classification as per WB. This will be filled by the PMT.		Refers to one of the WB subregions identified in the Initiative. This will be filled by the PMT.	
7. RATIONALE FOR JOINING THE INITIATIVE			
Explain why the country is interested in joining the 50x2030 Initiative. Include the anticipated value-added the Initiative will bring to the country and the relevant current constraints it faces.			

SECTION 2 – AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS CAPACITY

8. AGRICULTURAL CENSUS CONDUCTED IN THE LAST 10 YEARS		
SELECT YES OR NO		
If YES, cite the year the census was last conducted. Add link to the census if available online.		
If NO, cite the year in which the last census was conducted, if applicable.		
9. POPULATION AND HOUSING CENSUS CONDUCTED IN THE LAST 10 YEARS		
SELECT YES OR NO		
If YES, cite the year the census was last conducted. Also indicate the year if a mid-decade census was conducted. Add the link to the census if available online.		
If NO, cite the year in which the last census was conducted, if applicable.		
10. AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION SURVEYS CONDUCTED IN THE LAST 10 YEARS		
SELECT YES OR NO		
If YES, please fill in the table below. List in the table the agricultural production survey/s conducted, the year/s in which they were conducted, and the kind of data collected (e.g. labor, farm production, machinery and methods of production, and demographic information, etc.). If information on the survey is available online, please include the link (e.g. questionnaire, results, list of data and indicators produced). Otherwise, submit supporting document as attachment (pdf, doc, docx, png, jpg, jpeg, gif)		
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION SURVEY/S CONDUCTED IN THE LAST 10 YEARS	YEAR/S CONDUCTED	DATA COLLECTED
If NO, indicate when the last agricultural production survey was conducted, if applicable.		

11. HOUSEHOLD SURVEYS THAT COLLECT INFORMATION ON AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITIES AND/OR RURAL AREAS

List in the table below the household survey/s conducted in the last 10 years. Indicate, the year/s in which they were conducted, and main data collected. If information on the survey/s is available online, please include links to the questionnaire, results, and the list of data and indicators produced, if available. Otherwise, submit supporting document as attachment (pdf, doc, docx, png, jpg, jpeg, gif).

If no household survey has been conducted in the last 10 years, indicate NONE.

HOUSEHOLD SURVEY/S CONDUCTED IN THE LAST 10 YEARS	YEAR/S CONDUCTED	DATA COLLECTED

12. COUNTRY HAS A NATIONAL STRATEGY FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF STATISTICS (NSDS) OR NATIONAL STATISTICAL PLAN AND/OR STRATEGIC PLAN FOR AGRICULTURAL AND RURAL STATISTICS (SPARS)

SELECT YES OR NO	
If YES, indicate the title of NSDS/Statistical Plan/SPARS and the implementation period it covers.	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If NSDS is available, indicate if there is a section or chapter on agricultural statistics, if no chapter indicate NONE. 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If SPARS is available, indicate period of implementation. 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If available, add link to the latest document on NSDS and/or SPARS. Otherwise, submit supporting document as attachment (pdf, doc, docx, png, jpg, jpeg, gif). 	
If NO, provide information whether the country plans to prepare an NSDS and/or SPARS and when.	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If technical assistance from a donor/partner is planned, indicate name of the donor/partner and timeline. Add link to supporting document if available online. Otherwise, submit as attachment (pdf, doc, docx, png, jpg, jpeg, gif). 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Indicate if there is a statistics law or related policy that mentions the need to prepare NSDS or SPARS. Add link to supporting document if available online. Otherwise, submit as attachment (pdf, doc, docx, png, jpg, jpeg, gif). 	

13. COUNTRY HAS AN EXISTING COORDINATION MECHANISM FOR AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS IN THE NATIONAL STATISTICAL SYSTEM

SELECT YES OR NO	
Type of coordination mechanism in place (i.e., working group, steering committee, etc.). Indicate date of last meeting of the group, if applicable.	
If available online, provide link to supporting document/s on the coordination mechanism (e.g., terms or reference of a working group/committee on agricultural statistics, list of members of an agricultural statistics working group, policy on coordination of agricultural statistics, etc.) If supporting documents are not available online, submit as attachment (pdf, doc, docx, png, jpg, jpeg, gif).	

14. SUPPORT/ASSISTANCE ON AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS RECEIVED IN THE PAST THREE YEARS

Provide details of any support or assistance (including training, consultancy, workshop, etc.) received on agricultural statistics in the past three years. Include the name of the project/program or title of the support/assistance received, the government implementing agency, the amount of support received, the year/s in which support/assistance was provided, the name of the organization(s) providing support, and the length of support/assistance. If the information is available online, please include the link. Otherwise, submit as attachment (pdf, doc, docx, png, jpg, jpeg, gif).

PROGRAM/PROJECT OR TITLE OF SUPPORT/ASSISTANCE	GOVERNMENT IMPLEMENTING AGENCY	TOTAL AMOUNT OF SUPPORT RECEIVED (in USD)	YEAR/S PROVIDED	NAME OF DONOR AGENCY	LENGTH OF ASSISTANCE (if consultancy or twinning ¹)

¹ The World Bank defines twinning as a process that pairs an organizational entity in a developing country with a similar but more mature entity in another country. It represents the establishment of an institutional relationship between an organization seeking assistance or “the recipient” and an organization providing such assistance or “the supplier”. It aims to transfer relevant operational knowledge, including managerial, financial, and technical skills and systems, between two institutions as similar in function and structure as possible. Twinning is designed to facilitate the process through which the recipient organization improves its organizational efficiency and effectiveness by providing the recipient organization with an opportunity to learn through concrete examples and practical applications provided directly by its more experienced “twin” organization. See <http://documents1.worldbank.org/curated/en/717271468320671286/pdf/312970EG04185.pdf>

15. AGRICULTURAL DATA COLLECTED TO COMPUTE SDG 2 INDICATORS (I.E., 2.3.1; 2.3.2; AND 2.4.1)

In the table below, provide information if data has been collected/ is available (i.e., total production, yield, area under production, income of agricultural and/or rural households, etc.) to measure SDG indicators 2.3.1, 2.3.2 and 2.4.1. If data are not collected, indicate NONE in all relevant fields.

SDG INDICATOR/S	DATA COLLECTED/AVAILABLE	SOURCE/S OF DATA	FREQUENCY OF COLLECTION (annual, every 3 or 5 years, one-time)
2.3.1 Volume of production per labour unit by classes of farming / pastoral / forestry enterprise size			
2.3.2 Average income of small-scale food producers, by sex and indigenous status			
2.4.1 Proportion of agricultural area under productive and sustainable agriculture			

Provide examples of sex-disaggregated agricultural data produced in the country in the last 10 years. Include link to supporting documents if available online, otherwise submit as attachment.

If no data or only partial data has been collected on the SDG 2 indicators, explain whether the country is planning to produce the SDG 2 indicators and required sex-disaggregated data (i.e., provide information on any existing or planned technical assistance by a donor/partner to produce SDG 2 indicators and the timeline for doing so). Provide supporting documents if available.

16. DATA DISSEMINATION AND OPEN DATA PRACTICES ADOPTED

SELECT YES OR NO	
If YES, please provide details of at least three (3) data dissemination and/or open data practices in the country related to agricultural statistics or general statistics (databases; advanced release calendar; data portal; national data archives; microdata sets; metadata; geospatial data; publications). If available online, include link to supporting documents. Otherwise, submit as attachment (pdf, doc, docx, png, jpg, jpeg, gif).	
If NO, provide information on any measures in place that aim to establish data dissemination and/or open data practices in the country (e.g. a policy or guidance; an existing or planned project to develop microdata, national data archives, and/or a website/portal to disseminate agricultural statistics). If available online, include link to supporting documents. Otherwise, submit as attachment (pdf, doc, docx, png, jpg, jpeg, gif).	

17. REGIONAL AGREEMENTS ON AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

SELECT YES OR NO	
<p>If YES, provide details of any regional program on agricultural statistics the country has adopted (e.g. Comprehensive Africa Agriculture Development Programme or CAADP; Asia-Pacific Regional Action Plan to Improve Agricultural and Rural Statistics, etc.). If available online, include link to supporting documents. Otherwise, submit as attachment (pdf, doc, docx, png, jpg, jpeg, gif).</p>	

PART 2 – QUALIFICATION

SECTION 3 – COUNTRY COMMITMENT

18. GOVERNMENT HAS AN ALLOCATED BUDGET TO CONDUCT AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION SURVEYS AND OTHER REGULAR AGRICULTURAL DATA COLLECTION WHICH IS INCLUDED IN THE BUDGET OF LINE MINISTRIES AND/OR THE NSO

SELECT YES OR NO	
<p>If YES, provide information on whether the government is allocating budget (in full or partly) for conducting agricultural production surveys and/or other agricultural statistics collection (e.g., administrative data) on a regular/annual basis; specify the amount (in USD) of budget allocated to agricultural statistics in general in the last three years.</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Indicate which agency is responsible for managing the budget. 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provide information on whether there are other sources of funding for agricultural statistics aside from the government (and their percentage share). 	
<p>If available online, include link to supporting documents. Otherwise, submit as attachment (pdf, doc, docx, png, jpg, jpeg, gif).</p>	

19. GOVERNMENT PROVIDES FUNDING TO CONDUCT REGULAR NATIONAL SURVEYS THAT CAPTURE INFORMATION ON RURAL AREAS

SELECT YES OR NO	
<p>If YES, indicate name of national survey on rural areas and which agency is responsible for conducting the survey and whether the agency receives the funding. Provide information on whether the government fully or partially funds the national survey or if there are other sources of funding (include information on their percentage share). Provide links to supporting documents, if available.</p>	

20. EXTERNAL FUNDS RECEIVED ON AGRICULTURAL SURVEY IN THE PAST FIVE YEARS

SELECT YES OR NO

If YES, please provide details on external funding received in the table, indicating name of the donor/funder and amount contributed.

NAME OF DONOR/FUNDER

ESTIMATED AMOUNT OF FUNDING (in USD)

21. HUMAN RESOURCES/TECHNICAL EXPERTISE ARE AVAILABLE TO IMPLEMENT THE ACTIVITIES UNDER THE 50X2030 INITIATIVE

SELECT YES OR NO

If YES, provide details of human resources/technical expertise that are available to implement the activities in the Initiative (e.g., survey, data ecosystem mapping, research, etc.) and government agency responsible.

If NO, provide explanation of how the country proposes to conduct the activities in the Initiative.

22. GOVERNMENT IS WILLING TO ASSUME TECHNICAL AND FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY TO CONTINUE THE INTEGRATED AGRICULTURAL SURVEYS AFTER A PERIOD OF FIVE-TO-EIGHT YEARS, IF THE COUNTRY QUALIFIES TO BE PART OF THE INITIATIVE

Explain how the country proposes to sustain funding of the agricultural production surveys after funding from the Initiative ends. Indicate the possible source/s of funding the country would use and whether there will be sufficient human resources to continue with the agricultural production surveys.

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POSITION/DESIGNATION:	
AGENCY:	
DATE:	
EMAIL ADDRESS:	

Send your completed Expression of Interest Form along with supporting documentation to CEI_50x2030@worldbank.org with the name of your country in the Subject line.

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