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Catalyzing Action & Agricultural Transformation in Africa: Taking the Pulse of CAADP

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Catalyzing Action & Agricultural Transformation in Africa

UNDERSTANDING CAADP & THE BIENNIAL REVIEW

Webinar Agenda



- ☐ CAADP Overview
- ☐ Introduction to Panelists
- ☐ Panel Discussion
- ☐ Q & A
- ☐ Wrap-up & Invitation to Upcoming Learning Series Events

CAADP Overview



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ABOUT CAADP

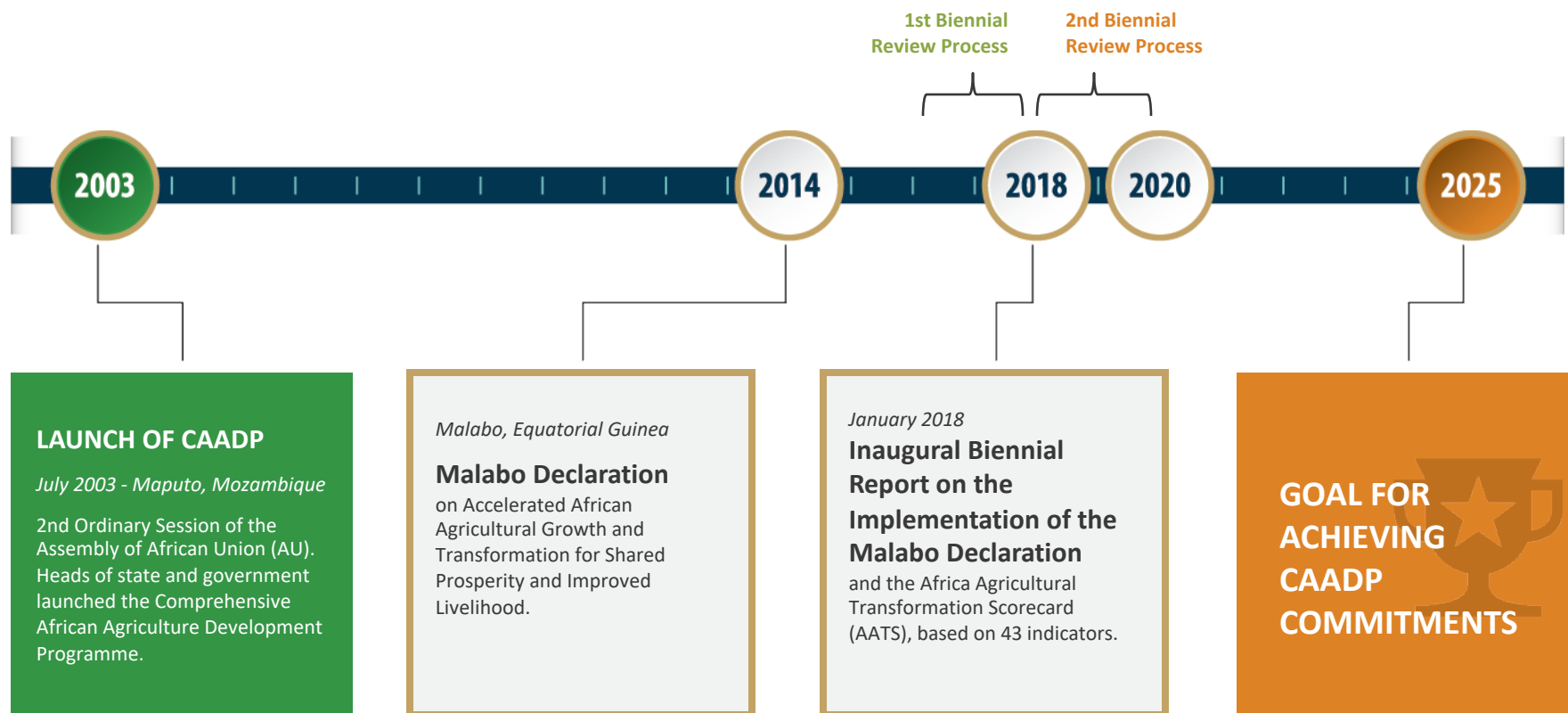
Comprehensive Africa Agriculture Development Programme (CAADP)

Africa's policy framework for agriculture and agriculture-led development

Aimed at reducing poverty and increasing food security on the continent.



CAADP & THE BIENNIAL REVIEW





AFRICA'S FOOD SECURITY DEVELOPMENT GOALS



Aspiration 1
A prosperous Africa based on inclusive growth and sustainable development



Healthy and well-nourished citizens



Modern Agriculture for increased productivity and production



Environmentally sustainable and climate resilient economies and communities



THE 2017 BIENNIAL REVIEW PROCESS: EVIDENCE-BASED & PEER-DRIVEN

OBJECTIVE

Evaluate country performance in achieving agricultural growth and transformation goals in Africa.

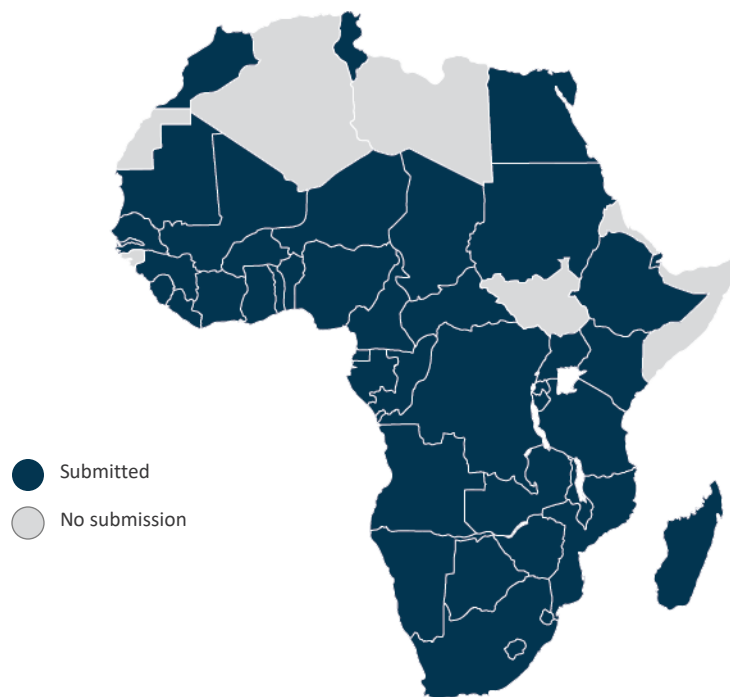
7 thematic areas

23 performance categories

43 indicators

- 01 Enhance Africa's capacity for knowledge and data generation and management** to strengthen evidence based planning and implementation;
- 02 Institutionalize a system for peer review** that encourages good performance on achievement of progress made and recognize biennially exemplary performance through awards;
- 03 Conduct on a biennial basis, beginning from year 2017, Agricultural Review Process**, and start reporting on progress to the Assembly from its January 2018 Ordinary Session

RESULTS OF THE 1ST BIENNIAL REVIEW



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Member states reported progress in implementing the Malabo declaration

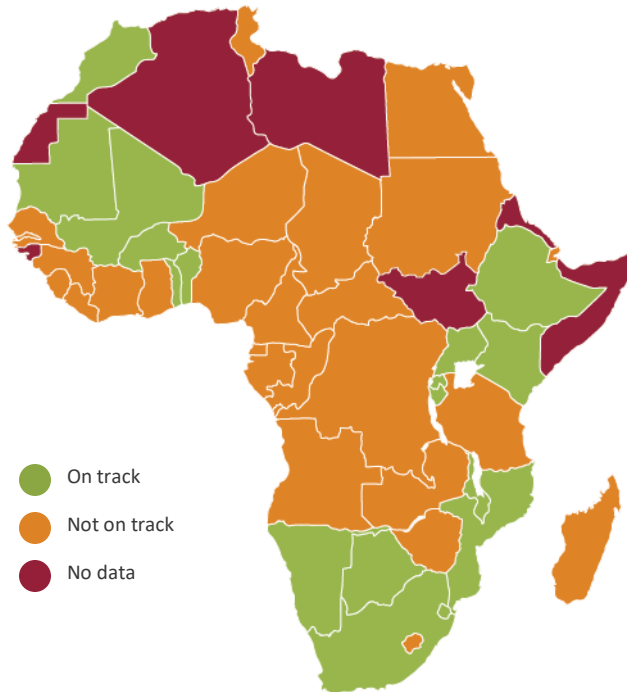
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countries did not report

COUNTRY SCORECARD

Member States' performances are presented in a form of a "Country Scorecard in implementing the Malabo Commitments" covering the period 2015 - 2016.

SUMMARY OF COUNTRY PROGRESS TOWARD 2025 GOALS



20 countries **on-track**
*obtained minimum overall score of 3.94 out of 10
to be on track (the 2017 benchmark)*

27 countries **not on track**

3.6 avg. score out of 10

average score for the whole Africa, based on the 47 country reports. Malabo commitments were assessed against the 3.94 benchmark for 2017.

**2018 Biennial Review indicates the
African Union states are not on-
track to meet CAADP goals by 2025.**

Panel Speakers



Ernest Ruzindaza,
AUC



Fatmata Lucia Seiwah,
ECOWAS



Augustin Wambo-Yamdjeu,
AUDA-NEPAD

Ernest Ruzindaza, African Union Commission



Ernest has over 15 years' experience in the agriculture sector growing from project coordinator to the most senior government civil servant position, Permanent Secretary (PS) in the Ministry of Agriculture and Animal Resources in Rwanda held for almost 7 years. Currently leading the CAADP Program at African Union Commission. Specialized in Agricultural Policies and Agricultural Institution Development. MSc in Rural Economic Development at Gembloux Agro-Bio Tech-University of Liège, Belgium.

Fatmata Lucia Seiwoh, ECOWAS Commission



Mrs. Seiwoh joined ECOWAS in 2014 and is the ECOWAP/CAADP M&E Programme Officer within the Directorate of Agriculture & Rural Development in the Department of Agriculture, Environment and Water Resources of the ECOWAS Commission, in Abuja, Nigeria. Under the Directorate's M&E, where she is the Head, she coordinates all M&E programmes and activities both at the regional and national levels. Fatmata has been deeply involved in the CAADP process, having been a key player at the three levels (continental, regional and country). As the ECOWAP/CAADP M&E Officer, she is in the continental M&E Expert team and has played a key role in rolling the design, planning and production of the first inaugural Biennial Review.

Augustin Wambo-Yamdjeu, AUDA-NEPAD



Augustin Wambo-Yamdjeu has ALMOST 19 years of experience in program design and implementation, including knowledge management, monitoring and evaluation, and coaching. He has worked as a private consultant, and also as a Food Policy Expert at FAO. After stints with RESAKSS and the Global Donor Platform for Rural Development , where his work focused on CAADP, he joined AUDA-NEPAD, rising to be the Head of CAADP

Panel Discussion

Topic #1: COUNTRY OWNERSHIP OF CAADP & CAADP PROCESSES

Panel Discussion

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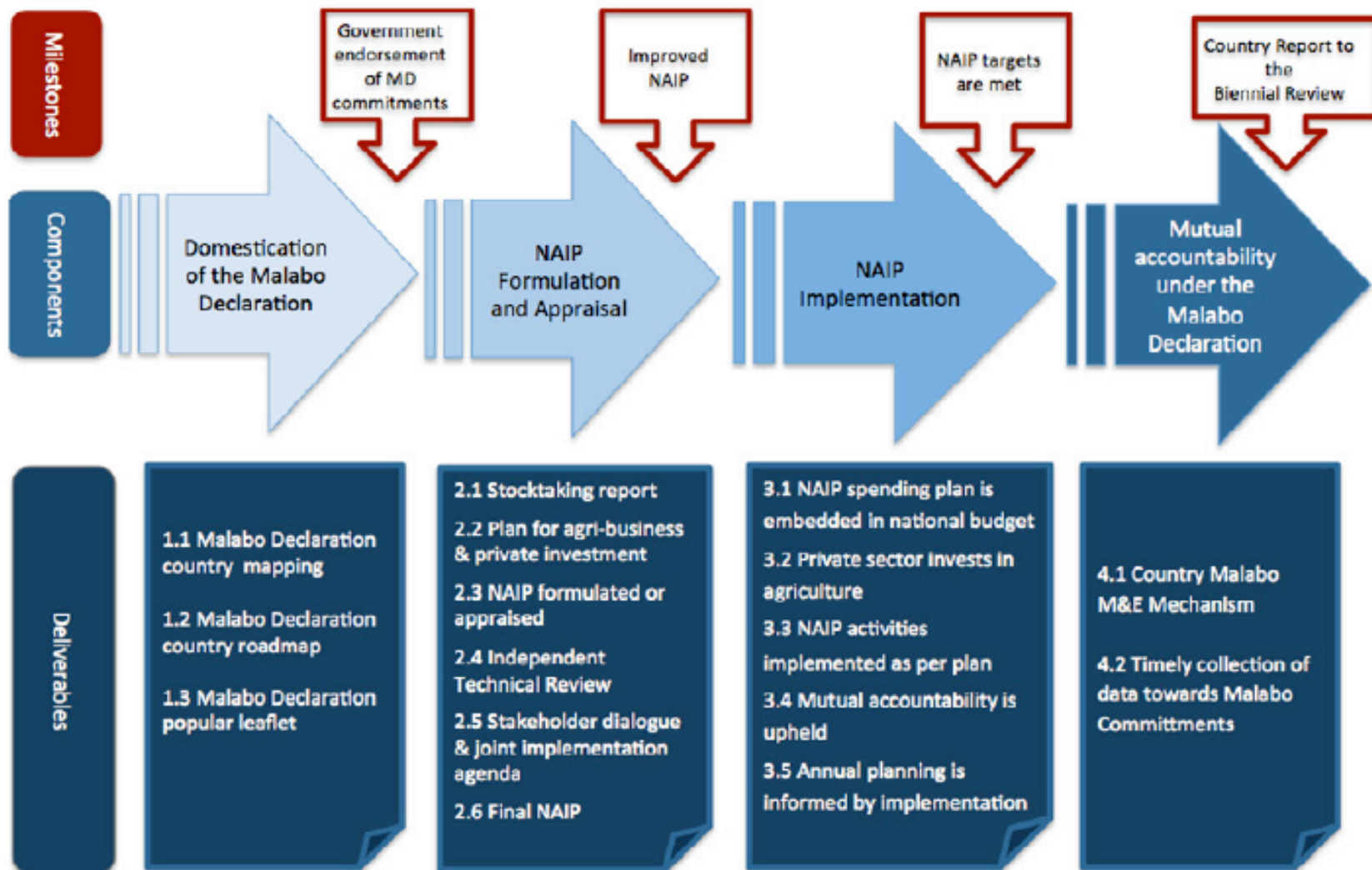
Recommitment to the Principles and Values of the CAADP Process

- Pursue agriculture-led growth strategy to achieve targets on food and nutrition security
- Boost growth through regional cooperation and implementation of CAADP
- Apply evidence-based planning, policy, dialogue review and accountability
- Use of partnerships and alliances including farmers, agribusiness, and civil society



THE FEED FUTURE

The U.S. Government's Global Hunger & Food Security Initiative



USAID
FROM THE AMERICAN PEOPLE

AfricaLead
Scaling up for food security in Africa

Panel Discussion

Topic #2: NAIPS AND THEIR UTILITY IN CAADP

Panel Discussion

Topic #3: MUTUAL ACCOUNTABILITY, SHARED METRICS AND THE BIENNIAL REVIEW

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Strengthening Mutual Accountability to Actions and Results

Through the CAADP Result Framework:

- conduct a biennial Agricultural Review Process
- Foster alignment, harmonization and coordination for peer review and mutual accountability
- Strengthen capacities for knowledge and data generation

Q & A from participants



Ernest Ruzindaza,
AUC



Fatmata Lucia Seiwah,
ECOWAS



Augustin Wambo-Yamdjeu,
AUDA-NEPAD

CAADP / BR Resources

- Catalyzing Action & Agricultural Transformation in Africa: Interactive Toolkit & Downloadable Presentations
- The African Union Knowledge Compendium on Malabo Domestication



<https://www.au.int/caadp/toolkit>

<https://www.nepad.org/publication/knowledge-compendium-domestication-malabo-declaration>



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Upcoming Africa Lead Learning Series Events



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- ☐ Institutional Architecture – Assessment, Prioritization and Planning Toolkit: *September*
- ☐ Collaborative Action for Resilience Programming: *September*

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