

United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification  
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Operational objective 1: Advocacy, awareness raising and education

**CONS-O-1**

Number and size of information events organized on the subject of desertification, land degradation and drought (DLDD) and/or DLDD synergies with climate change and biodiversity, and audience reached by media addressing DLDD and DLDD synergies

**Global target**

Percentage of population informed about DLDD and/or DLDD synergies with climate change and biodiversity

30 %

2018

Contribution to the global target: information events (global scope)

Year	Number of events	Total estimated participants
2008		
2009		
2010		
2011		
2012		
2013	2	10000000
2014		
2015		
2016		
2017		
2018		

Mass media articles and radio/television programmes about these events

Year	Number	Estimated people reached
2012		
2013	15	10000000
2014		
2015		
2016		
2017		
2018		

Sources of information

UNEP organized World Environment Day as well as the International Day for Biological Diversity

Qualitative assessment

Provide any complementary information as needed (e.g. regarding the implementation of communication strategies addressing DLDD, activities relating to the United Nations Decade for Deserts and the Fight Against Desertification, etc.):

Speech by UNEP Executive Director on World Desertification Day
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Operational objective 1: Advocacy, awareness raising and education

**CONS-O-3**

Number of civil society organizations (CSOs) and science and technology institutions (STIs) participating in the Convention processes

**Global target**

A steady growth in the participation of CSOs and STIs in the Convention processes is recorded along the implementation period of The Strategy.

Contribution to the global target: number of CSOs and STIs involved in DLDD-related programmes/projects supported by your organization (global scope)

Year	Number of CSOs	Number of STIs
2008		
2009		
2010		
2011		
2012		
2013		1
2014		
2015		
2016		
2017		
2018		

Sources of information: name of the CSOs and STIs

UNEP Division of Early Warning and Assessment

Qualitative assessment

Is your organization undertaking initiatives to increase the participation of CSOs and STIs in DLDD-related programmes and projects? Yes  No

Provide a short description of actions taken by your organization to promote participation by CSOs and STIs in the Convention processes or any other complementary information.

UNEP is strengthening its engagement with the Convention by including Major Groups and Stakeholders into its activities. This covers civil society and private sector. UNEP's own participation will be enhanced with more Divisions taking part and better defining the science policy interface.

Operational objective 1: Advocacy, awareness raising and education

**CONS-0-4**

Number and type of DLDD-related initiatives of civil society organizations (CSOs) and science and technology institutions (STIs) in the field of education

**Global target**

A steady growth in the number of DLDD-related education initiatives undertaken by CSOs and STIs is recorded along the implementation period of The Strategy

Contribution to the global target: number of DLDD-related initiatives supported by your organization and implemented by CSOs and STIs in the field of education (global scope)

Year	Number of CSOs initiatives	Number of STIs initiatives
2008		
2009		
2010		
2011		
2012		
2013		
2014		
2015		
2016		
2017		
2018		

Sources of information


Qualitative assessment

Is your organization undertaking initiatives to increase the number of DLDD-related initiatives in the education sector implemented by CSOs and STIs? Yes  No

Provide a short description of actions taken by your organization to increase the number of DLDD-related initiatives of CSOs and STIs in the field of education or any other complementary information.

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**CONS-O-6**

Number of partnership agreements established within the framework of the Convention between developed country Parties/United Nations and IGOs and affected country Parties

**Global target**

Active UNCCD-related partnership agreements in each affected country Party

≥ 2

2014

Contribution to the global target: number of partnership agreements concluded between your organization and affected country Parties under implementation during the reporting period

Year	Number of partnership agreements
2008	
2009	
2010	
2011	
2012	
2013	
2014	
2015	
2016	
2017	
2018	

**Qualitative assessment**

List the partnership agreement(s) concluded by your organization in the reporting period and the beneficiary affected country(ies) and/or subregion(s) and region(s) (add as many rows as necessary):

Partnership Agreement:

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Beneficiary:

Category	Location

Provide any complementary information as needed (e.g., support received by Convention-related institutions, major difficulties experienced in the conclusion of partnership agreements, relation to integrated investment frameworks, etc.)

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**Sources of information**


**CONS-O-7**

Number of initiatives for synergistic planning/programming of the three Rio conventions or mechanisms for joint implementation, at all levels

**Global target**

Each affected country Party has either one joint national plan in place or functional mechanism(s) to ensure synergies among the three Rio conventions

2014

**Contribution to the global target**

List the initiatives for synergistic planning/programming of the three Rio conventions or mechanisms for joint implementation that have received the technical and/or financial support of your organization during the reporting period, and the beneficiary affected country(ies) and/or subregion(s) and region(s) (add as many rows as necessary):

Initiatives and/or mechanisms:

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Beneficiary:

Category	Location

Please answer the following questions only if your organisation supported the implementation of one or more synergistic instrument(s) in affected country(ies) during the reporting period

**Qualitative assessment**

If your organisation has supported initiatives for synergistic planning/programming of the three Rio conventions, specify the type of joint initiative(s):

- Evaluation of national plans and identification of gaps in synergies
- Identification of national sectors and policies that could benefit from synergies and cooperation
- Review of national policies to enhance cooperation and synergies
- Enhancement of the institutional and scientific capacities and awareness of relevant stakeholders
- Other (please describe below):

If your organisation has supported mechanisms for joint implementation, specify the type of mechanism(s):

- Regular meetings between focal points and focal point teams of the Rio conventions
- A national coordinating committee for the implementation of the Rio conventions
- National coordination on synergies in reporting under the Rio conventions
- Other (please describe below):

**Sources of information**


Provide any complementary information as needed (e.g., description of synergistic instruments supported, major difficulties experienced, etc.)

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**CONS-0-8**

Number of affected country Parties, subregional and regional entities to have established and supported a national/subregional/regional monitoring system for DLDD

**Global target**

Percentage of affected country Parties, subregional and regional reporting entities that have established and supported national monitoring systems for DLDD

≥ 60 %

2018

Contribution to the global target: number of monitoring systems established in affected country Parties and/or subregions/regions with the technical and/or financial support of your organization

Year	Monitoring systems specifically dedicated to DLDD	Monitoring systems partially covering DLDD
2008		
2009		
2010		
2011		
2012		
2013		
2014		
2015		
2016		
2017		
2018		

Sources of information


Knowledge-sharing systems

List any DLDD-relevant knowledge-sharing system technically and/or financially supported by your organization during the reporting period, providing an Internet link and estimated number of users per year (add as many rows as necessary).

Name of the system:

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Internet link:

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Estimated number of users per year:

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**CONS-O-13**

Number of countries, subregional and regional reporting entities engaged in building capacity to combat DLDD on the basis of the National Capacity Self-Assessment (NCSA) or other methodologies and instruments

**Global target**

Percentage of affected country Parties, subregional and regional reporting entities that implement DLDD-specific capacity-building plans or programmes/projects

≥ 90 %

**Contribution to the global target**

Is your organization supporting the implementation of DLDD-specific capacity-building plans or programmes/projects on the basis of the NCSA?

Yes

No

Is your organization supporting the implementation of DLDD-specific capacity-building plans or programmes/projects on the basis of other methodologies and instruments to assess capacity-building needs?

Yes

No

**Sources of information**


**CONS-O-14**

Number of affected country Parties, subregional and regional entities whose investment frameworks, established within the integrated financing strategy (IFS) devised by the Global Mechanism (GM) or within other IFSs, reflect leveraging national, bilateral and multilateral resources to combat DLDD

**Global target**

Percentage of affected country Parties, subregional and regional reporting entities that have developed integrated investment frameworks (IIFs)

≥ 50 %

2014

Contribution to the global target

Has your organization supported the development of one or more integrated investment frameworks?

Yes

No

Sources of information


**CONS-O-17**

Number of DLDD-related project proposals successfully submitted for financing to international financial institutions, facilities and funds, including the GEF

**Global target**

A steady growth in the number of DLDD-related successfully submitted project proposals is recorded along the implementation period of The Strategy

2008-2018

Contribution to the global target: number of DLDD-related project proposals submitted to your organization and approved for funding

Biennium	Project proposals submitted to your organization (pipeline)	Project proposals approved for funding
2008-2009		
2010-2011		
2012-2013		
2014-2015		
2016-2017		
2018-2019		

Contribution to the global target: amount of funds committed

Biennium	Currency	Amount
2008-2009		
2010-2011		
2012-2013		
2014-2015		
2016-2017		
2018-2019		

Sources of information


Qualitative assessment

Provide any complementary information (e.g. description of trends observed in project proposals, etc.)

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Identification

Identification code

Enter the Identification Code (ID), number or acronym given to the activity funded (if known)

Name of the activity  
funded

Enter the name or title of the activity, project, programme, organization or initiative

Reporting process-related issues

Financial resources

Did your organization provide financial support to affected country Parties to meet UNCCD reporting obligations? Yes  No

Provide an estimate of the amount invested by your organization into the current UNCCD reporting process

Year	Currency	Amount
2008		
2009		
2010		
2011		
2012		
2013		
2014		
2015		
2016		
2017		
2018		

Human resources

Provide an estimate of the people from your organization involved in the UNCCD reporting process, and of the total number of months dedicated by these persons to the reporting process

Year	Number of people	Number of months
2008		
2009		
2010		
2011		
2012		
2013		
2014		
2015		
2016		
2017		
2018		

Reporting against performance indicators

Tick the boxes only if you have experienced difficulties in reporting on one or more performance indicator(s). When doing so, place the tick mark under the e-SMART criterion for which the difficulty occurred.

	Economic	Specific	Measurable	Achievable	Relevant	Time-bound
CONS-0-1	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
CONS-0-3	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
CONS-0-4	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
CONS-0-6	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
CONS-0-7	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
CONS-0-8	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
CONS-0-13	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
CONS-0-14	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
CONS-0-17	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

## Submission form

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