

Overview of RUAF CFF pilot projects

I. Pilot Projects in Pilot cities

| Name/Title project | Location | Participating organisations | Duration | Main activities | Expected results |
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| 1. Appui à la mise en place d'un système adéquat d'approvisionnement en intrants et équipements aux Agriculteurs Urbains de Pikine | Pikine , Dakar Senegal | - IAGU - ANCAR - UPROVAN - CFPH | 7 months | Piloting with: - Facilitating access of urban producers to agricultural inputs and equipment - Establishment of a group rotating credit fund for the future replacement of equipment | 20 households have gained access to inputs and equipment 1 group credit scheme in operation |
| 2. Projet de sécurisation des agriculteurs et agricultrices urbain (es) et de valorisation des trames vertes de la Commune de Bobo-Dioulasso | Bobo Dioulasso Burkina Faso | - Mairie de Bobo-Dioulasso - Coordination du Projet Agriculture Urbaine de Bobo-Dioulasso (CPAU-B) - Community of Bobo D. | 7 months | - Creation of productive zones within the public green spaces of sector 25 - Facilitating access of the producers to seed, compost etc and tools) - Providing access to water for irrigation - Construction of a simple shed for tools and produce - Construction of one composting unit | - 2,5 hectares has formally been made available by the Municipality to 30 households - 60% of these producers have raised their income with 20 % - 10 wells, a shed and composting unit have been made - 80 % of the 30 farmers use compost - Un local de stockage de petit matériel de production et d'intrants est construit |
| 3. Projet d'appui au groupement maraîcher "allogo" de Donoukin Porto Novo | Porto Novo Benin | Mairie de Porto Novo Groupement des femmes ONG CIPGRE CERPA UCP | 9 months | Capacity development regarding production and management of a tree nursery and the use of composts from urban organic wastes Provision of the required equipment and inputs Construction of a small shed including meeting/training room and storage room Creation of a system for maintenance and replacement of tools and equipment | -10 tree nursery units have been established -Increase with 50% the agricultural income of the group members -Diversification of their production system -Enhanced recycling of the urban wastes -Equipment maintenance system in operation |
| 4. Improving the availability of treated domestic wastewater for poor urban farmers at Gum plantation to enhance food security and livelihoods | Bulawayo , Zimbabwe. | - Institute of Water and Sanitation, Development (IWSD). - SNV - Environment Africa - Zimbabwe Open University - Bulawayo City Council (BCC) Parks dept. - BCC UA dept - Nat Agr. Extension Service (AREX) - Agri Bank and | 5 months | - Improved access to recycled municipal waste water by improving the existing pipeline and lining of the canal - Training farmers in adequate water management and food production practices - Introducing of at least 2 new crops to the plantation with good potential for enhancing food security - Strengthening of the organisation and management of the farmer groups at the Gum plantation | - improved irrigation infrastructure - 100 farmers (of whom 60 females) from the Gum plantation have increased their agricultural production by at least 50% and their income by about 30% - Improved food security for the participating urban farmers and their families - Organisation and management of the Gum plantation has improved - civil society organisations and local government provide have learned to provide better services to the urban producers - farmers have adopted organic methods of production |

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| | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> SEDCO - Inter-Departmental Committee on UA (IDUA)) - UA Stakeholder Forum - Community groups at Gum plantation | | | |
| 5. Under preparation | Cape Town, South Africa | | | | |
| 6. Setting up low input nutrition garden to improve nutrition and food security for the urban poor through urban farming | Ndola, Zambia | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Ndola Nutrition Group, -Catholic Diocese, -Ministry of Agriculture -Ndola City Council -Department of Social Welfare | 8 months starting March 2008 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Training farmers to set up low-input gardens -Introducing poultry as part of UA -Training farmers in organic farming -introducing water harvesting techniques in nutrition garden | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 40 farmers in total (wof which 36 female) have been skilled in low-input UA - improved health and nutrition status of the malnourished children and people living with HIV / AIDS in Kaloko -water available through good harvesting techniques |
| 7. Promoting Public Education and Policy Support for Urban and Peri-Urban Agriculture in Accra | Accra, Ghana | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - STEPRI-CSIR - UG - MoFA-AMA - EPA - MoFA-DAES - AMA – MPH - GAWU - AMA-PS - TCPD - LL - DVF - IWMI-RUAF | 11 months | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Review of existing policies and best practices on UA in other cities/countries; Documentation of lessons learnt and knowledge sharing activities - Drafting policy recommendations and best practices as a basis for specific policy formulation for UPA in AMA - Production of CDs and videos on UA to educate urban producers and the Accra population on UA and related food safety issues | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - a draft UA policy document for consideration by AMA has been produced - Increased recognition for UPA of Accra policy makers - Increased public awareness on UPA - Reduction in on-farm and off- farm food contamination |
| 8. Value Addition to Vegetable Production towards Increased Marketability | Freetown, Sierra Leone | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - MAFFS - FCC - NAFSL - NU - MLCP - FAO | 10 months | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - facilitate the timely supply of appropriate farm inputs, extension and other support services - facilitate the adequate and year round supply of quality irrigation water - train urban producers on sustainable crop production, water management, pest management techniques and improved post production management of farm products | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - skilled urban producers - water availability all year round - increased and safe vegetable production - improved marketability of products - a well-capacitated coordinating team - pilot project replicated to other communities - more organisations are providing inputs and services to urban farmers |
| 9. Improving the efficiency of UPA production and processing systems in | Ibadan, Nigeria | MANRRD, Ibadan North-West LGI, Ibadan North LGI, | 10 months | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mobilize local organisations to provide effective services to urban producers - Train the project beneficiaries in vegetable production practices, waste water use, safe use of agro- | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Local organisations provide more support services to urban producers and conduct more action research with them - 100 (40 vegetable producers, 40 gari processors, and 20 pig farmers) urban producers apply improved production practices and |

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| Ibadan | | Akiyele LGI, NACRDB, JDPC, CERNMRD, All Farmers Association of Nigeria, NHRI, IARTDER | | chemicals, improved pig production and safe waste disposal practices - Undertake participatory monitoring of the pilot project - Promote beneficiaries access to credit - Promote access to safe water for irrigation through facilitating the provision of 6 deep wells - Set up a market information system and assist urban producers to explore new market linkages for their products - Monitor the impacts of UPA - Develop jointly with relevant policy makers an action plan and institutional framework for replication of the pilot project | safe use of waste water use and agro-chemicals. - 30% of UPA pilot project practitioners will explore new market/linkages for their products. - 25% of beneficiaries will increase their UPA activities - plan/framework for replicating the pilot project at larger scale has been made |
| 10. Establishment of a producers' research, training and demonstration centre on arid urban gardening in | Villa Maria del Triunfo, Lima, Peru | Multi stakeholder Forum on Urban Agriculture in VMdT Network of Urban producers on VMdT Municipality of VMdT IPES | 6 months | Construction of a local training and demonstration centre Training of 12 urban producers as local promoters in ecological production techniques Supply if food to 15 local food kitchens Identification of comercialization strategies | 1 local training centre functioning and maneged by local network of urban producers 12 trained promoters are undertaking training activities for 570 other urban producers 12 households have increased their income with 30% |
| 11. Promover el uso productivo agricola de espacios urbanos publicos degenerados | Belo Horizonte, Brasil | - Coordenação Política e Equipe Local CCF BH - Prefeitura Municipal de Belo Horizonte - Rede de Intercâmbio de Tecnologias Alternativas | 4 months | - Training of 21 urban producers agricultores en agroecological production methods - Regeneration van 8.000 m2 of derelict urban space as productive gardens - Promover the recycling of local waste materials for the production of structures and equipment | - 21 families (15 de Cardoso, 3 from Bonsucesso y 3 from Vale do Jabobá) have improved their food security and are functioning as multipliers in these three neighbourhoods - 8000 m2 of gardens on former derelict land - Sheds, fences and equipment produced from local waste materials |
| 12. Cultivando en mi casa | Bogota, Colombia. | - Jardín Botánico de Bogotá - Universidad del Rosario | | - Establishment of roof top gardens of ca. 20 m2 using raised structures and containers - training of these families en ecological production methods reuse of urban wastes and storm water as well as proper preparation and use of nutritious foods and medicinal herbs - promote dissemination of these methods to other families in the community | The food security of 20 poor urban familias in Bosa has been improved (mainly women/head of families, displaced families, minoroties, etcetera) |
| 13. Establishment of kitchen gardens and school garden 'bright spots' in Surabhi Colony | Serilingam pala, Hyderabad, India | - Surabhi Committee - Serilingampally Municipal Office - Andhra Pradesh Social Welfare - Residential Girls High School and Jr. College | 12 months | Participatory situation analysis Training of teachers and urban producers on establishment of gardens, low space no space technologies and composting of household wastes Establishment of a 1 acre school gardens and 40 home gardens | Over 50% increase in vegetable consumption in 40 households (180 persons) Over 50%r educed cash expenditure on vegetables Improvements to the local environment through sustainable waste management and composting |

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| | | - Acharya N.G. Ranga Agricultural University | | | |
| 14. Farmer Field Schools with Magadi peri-urban farmer groups | Magadi , Bangalore, India | Magadi Farmer groups, Magadi Town Municipal Council, Local NGOs, Womens Self Help Groups, Department of Agriculture, Department of Horticulture AMEF | 9 months | FFS Exposure visit to Kolar FFS Participatory diagnosis of farmer groups/production methods and marketing systems and inputs/income Training of FFS Facilitators Conducting season long LEISA based FFS on selected urban cropping systems Training in composting of HH waste, crop residues and municipal solid wastes and utilization of compost in agriculture Exposure visit to TMC/SHGs to Suryapet | 6 farmer groups X 20 Farmers are applying eco-friendly (LEISA) production methods and use composted organic wastes in their agricultural production processes 12 FFS facilitators are scaling up FFS activities 10% of municipal solid waste is separated, composted and utilized on farmers fields Links with urban consumer groups for sale of produce (Organic Bazaars) have been established |
| 15. Under preparation | Gampaha , Sri Lanka | | 8 months starting March 15 | | |
| 16. Cooperative capacity building for sustainable development | Huairou Beijing, China | - Huairou Fruit & Vegetable Cooperative - IGSNRR - Beijing Agriculture College - Beijing Bureau of Agriculture - Huairou district government | 24 months | * Market analysis and developing market channels for mushrooms * Mushroom seed production unit * Training farmers in Mushroom production * Assisting producers in establishing mushroom production units | 1 Mushroom nursery is in operation and family based mushroom units are in operation and marketing their products |
| 17. Empower farmers' knowledge on UA policy and innovative practices | Shunyi Beijing, China | - Shunyi 3-Agros (Agriculture, Farmer & Countryside) Research and Extension Association - IGSNRR - Shunyi District Government - China society of Agriculture - China Renming University | 12 months | * Strengthen Shunyi 3 Agros Research and Extension Centre and help them to link with relevant sources of information and agro-research organizations * Preparation of a publication aiming at dissemination national and municipal policies on urban agriculture in such way that farmers can understand easily * Demonstrate innovative UA practices to local farmers * Assistance in linking to external sources of funding | One book on "New Countryside Development" has been published. Households have been trained in new UA practices Good institutional working relations for continued cooperation in UA research and extension |
| 18. Integrated river fish protection and development project | Dujiangyan Chengdu, China | - Chengdu Dujiangyan River-Fish Cooperative - Provincial, Municipal and District level Policy Research | 18 months | Help the cooperative to diversify their activities and establishing fish production units and incorporating agro-tourism by: * Provide planning advice to the cooperative * Help the cooperative to get funding support from the Ministry of Science and Technology; | * Funding support by Ministry of Science and Technology secured * Technical assistance in fish progress * Production units being established * Environmental awareness and skills of members has been enhanced |

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| | | Departments - IGSNRR - Dujiangyan Agriculture Technology Promotion Center | | * Lobby experts for helping farmers to grow fish * Involve the cooperative members in wetland conservation and water purification * Help the cooperative to market their products (branding, sales through internet) | |
| 19. City Farmers' supermarket strengthening food security (From Field to Table) through green certification | Minhang , Shanghai, China | - Minhang District Policy Research Departments - IGSNRR - City Supermarket Company | 10 months | * Training of small urban farmers to grow certified green food for sales in cooperating super market chain | Green label established Urban farmers are producing certified food products and market through the Supermarket chain |

II. Pilot projects in Dissemination Cities

| Name/Title project | Location | Participating organisations | Duration | Main activities | Expected results |
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| 1. Valorisation des déchets biodégradables et gestion des ressources en eau pour une agriculture durable sur le site maraîcher de Dar Naim | Nouakchott, Mauritania Duration: 12 months | - ONG Tenmiya - Commune de Dar Naim - Union des coopératives agropastorales de Dar Naim - Union régionale des coopératives agropastorales de Nouakchott | 12 months | - Establishment of one unit for processing urban organic wastes; training on safe compost production methods - Training urban producers on safe and ecological production methods - Enabling access to recycled wastewater for irrigation; training on safe water management practices | - Delivery of compost to min. 250 producers - 100 farmers gained access to water - 100 farmers have gained economically by increased sales of produce to markets in Nouakchott |
| 2. Projet de valorisation des déchets par la fabrication du compost pour AU | Kigali, Rwanda | - Association pour la Préservation de l'Hygiène et de l'Environnement - 8 Associations d'agriculteurs paysannes | 12 months | - Raising awareness of the urban population of Kigali regarding recycling of organic wastes and its productive use in the production of food within small urban spaces - Training of urban producers in the use of compost in their agricultural production | Enhanced public awareness regarding value of compost Enhanced agricultural production 25% of 325 urban producers through the productive use of recycled urban wastes |
| 3. Project on composting domestic waste for urban farming | Ngumba, Nairobi, Kenya | - Nairobi City Council - Communities - UFI - Waste Pickers Association - UN Habitat - Coalition of African Organization for Food Security and Sustainable Development (COASAD), - Kenya National Association of Social Workers - National AIDS Control Council (NACC) | 11 months | - Establishment of a network for urban farmers and mechanism for advocacy on all issues pertaining to urban farming in the City of Nairobi and its environs. - Provide bags and other equipment for sorting domestic wastes and production of compost - Provision of seed packs and a pump for irrigation - Provide advice and guidance on ways to minimize health risks associated with use of composting and use of compost in UA | - More support for urban agriculture by local support organizations - Network of urban producers in Nairobi has been established with communication and collaboration with other urban farmer organizations elsewhere - Enhanced separation of domestic wastes at household level and its recycling for reuse in urban agriculture by 75 % in ngumba. - Increased food production 50% and crop variety resulting in increased profits by 30 % and improved nutritional standards of at least 50% of participating households |
| 4. Urban agriculture for better nutrition and combatting and fighting HIV/AIDS | Maputo, Mozambique | - Youth Association for community development in Mozambique - Ministry of Health - Ministry of Education - Communities | 12 months | - Establishment of demonstration cum training gardens at grounds of 3 schools, 3 hospitals, churches and 1 community centres - Training HIV affected households and school children how to produce nutritious crops and medicines on small spaces around the home | - Production of cheap nutritious food for HIV affected people (directly involved in first stage: 35 households, and 500 school children |

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| | | - Anglican Church | | - Supply of seeds and simple tools | |
| 5. Improvement in urban farming systems through effective impact monitoring | Butembo, DR Congo | -CAUB -HIVOS -Communities -Butembo Town Council | 8 months Starting March 2008 | -Setting up a best practice UA garden in the city through waste recycling -putting in place a system for community impact monitoring -report on best practice | -adoption by 138 farmers of good organic UA practices using recycled waste -adoption of community impact monitoring |
| 6. Promoting Urban Homestead Fish culture through Participatory Approach | Akure, Nigeria | - DAE - FUTA - MAFFR - Research students | 15 months | - Baseline survey to analyse socioeconomic conditions and existing situation and constraints concerning homestead fish culture by poor households in the project area. - Training of low income households on techniques of homestead concrete fish tank farming - Construction of demonstration concrete fish tanks in the project area and analysis of their performance and contribution to beneficiary households' livelihood - support willing community members to establish their own homestead fish culture units | - Concrete fish tank production has been adopted by at least 50 households - Income and nutritional level of households that adopted homestead fish tank farming has been improved by 90% out of the 50 participating households. by 90% out of the 50 participating households |
| 7. Enhancing urban food security through sustainable urban vegetable production and farmer group development | Tamale, Ghana | - Fooshegu Farmers Association - Garizegu Farmers Association - Urban Agriculture Network - Action Aid International, Tamale - Metropolitan Cooperative Department | 18 months | -Train urban producers in environmentally sustainable urban vegetable production techniques - Train farmer association leadership on group formation and group dynamics - Compile vacant land register and assess the suitability of the vacant lands to support agricultural development in Tamale -Campaign for land tenure schemes such as land trusts, leases Land grants | - Increased food security and income in 66 poor households (especially women, People living With Disabilities (PWD) and youth - The urban producers involved in the project apply implement successfully environmentally sustainable agricultural practices - Positively influenced the public and local government regulatory frameworks that impact on urban agricultural land. - Enhanced Community-based leadership development and advanced voice of women as beneficiaries of agricultural projects. |
| 8. Urban agriculture youth project | Cape Coast, Ghana | - Cape Coast MADU - DoC | 10 months | - improve livelihood of unemployed youth through vegetable production - build capacity of unemployed youth in group dynamics and vegetable production - support youth with required resources to produce vegetables - measure effect of project on beneficiaries, families and community members | - about 50 unemployed youth has found employment in UA and acquired knowledge, skills in group dynamics and modern technologies in vegetable production and - improvement in nutrition due to intake of nutritious vegetables and incomes from sale of quality vegetables - data on achievements and impact have been made available for future intervention measure |
| 9. Agricultura Urbana e sustentabilidade socioambiental / Cultivar plantas – cultivar paz | Macaé, Rio de Janeiro Brazil | - Centro de Estudos Ambientais e de Cultura Contemporânea-CEAMC - Prefeitura Municipal de Macaé: - AGRAPE – Fundação Agropecuária de Abastecimento e Pesca - Universidade Candido | 12 Months | - Documentation of the traditional agricultural knowledge of 10 elderly UA practitioners - Training of 20 students (Escola Municipal de Pescadores e da Escola Municipal Neuza Brizola), are trained to stimulate school gardens and educate school children on community gardening, agro-ecological production and waste management | - 20 students, 10 women and 10 mentally ill persons are trained in setting up schoolgardens and ecological agricultural practices - More public participation in beautification and cleaning of the city and productive use of open spaces - Establishment of 3 school or community gardens with 50 participants, applying ecological production practices |

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| | | Mendes | | <p>Also 10 unemployed women (active urban producers) are trained to disseminate agro-ecological production techniques and stimulate establishment of community gardens and waste management practices in their communities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Establishment of a community garden with 10 mentally ill persons - distribution of educational materials | |
| 10. Implantacao de um sistema integrado de producao coletiva em ara urbana | Contagem, Belo Horizonte, Brasil | Several departments of the Municipality of Contagem Cooks Community Project (CSANA) | Duration: 1 year - | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Creation of a community garden (with community kitchen) for fruit/vegetable production and distribution - Provide agricultural inputs - Train the participants in agro-ecological production methods (including composting) - Strengthen community organization and establish a participatory administration system | - 20 socially vulnerable and food insecure households have improved their food intake quantitative and qualitatively and have raised an additional income from UA. |
| 11. Consolidación y puesta en funcionamiento del Parque Huerta Molino Blanco en la ciudad de Rosario. | Rosario, Argentina. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Centro de Estudios de Producciones Agroecológicas (CEPAR) - Municipalidad de Rosario | 8 months | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Strengthening the production and sales capacities of the urban producers involved in el Parque Huerta (park - garden) of Molino Blanco. - Enhance the access of the inhabitants of the neighbourhood Molino Blanco to the “parque huerta” for recreation - Promote the consumption of healthy ecological vegetables among schoolchildren of Molino Blanco by establishment of a school garden and training 6 teachers | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -25 producers (of which 15 women) and 6 teachers have been trained as trainers -2 hectares of park have been converted in a productive gardens producing 5.000 kilos of vegetables and aromatic plants each month -500 households are applying ecological production methods and generate about USD 150/year of income -500 m2 of the park has been upgraded as recreational area for use by 150 children in the neighbourhood and in another 500 m2 a schoolgarden has been established for use by 120 schoolkids guided by 6 teachers |
| 12. Participación en Fondo de pequeños proyectos comunitarios | Villa el Salvador Lima, Peru | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - IPES - Municipalidad de Villa El Salvador | 7 months | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Evaluation and selection of proposals - Guide the selected projects - Strengthening the capacities of the organizations involved in transformation and commercialization | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - the 18 urban agriculture projects selected ranged from compost production, animal husbandry (guinea pigs and hens) and ecological vegetables farms to transformation (fruit jams and juice). - Enhance food security of the beneficiaries and generate supplementary income while favouring a strong educational and awareness raising approach - 1,200 direct beneficiaries. |
| 13. Establishment of an Allotment Garden with Ecosan Toilet for the Urban Poor of Barangay Macasandig | Cagayan de Oro Philippines. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> PUVeP - Xavier Science Foundation - Allotment Gardeners of Barangay Macasandig - City Government of Cagayan de Oro (CDO) | 12 months | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Organizational diagnosis of the barangay including the socioeconomic profile of the participating households. - Facilitating legal access to land for 20 urban poor families in barangay Macasandig for the establishment of an allotment garden - Facilitation of the establishment and registration of an allotment garden association and related capacity building - Training on sustainable vegetable production | <p>One allotment garden association is in operation and duly registered at the Department of Labor and Employment</p> <p>One ecosan toilet is constructed and well used</p> <p>The nutritional status and hygienic situation of 20 urban poor families in barangay Macasandig has been improved</p> <p>A data base on types of pumps is available and used to demonstrate the viability of a ramp pump vs. other pump types</p> |

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| | | | | and ecological sanitation for the allotment gardeners - Construction of ecosan toilet - collection of baseline data on types of pumps | |
| 14/15 Home Gardens in the city | J P Nagar resp Banashankari Bangalore India | P Nagar resp. Banashankari Resident's Associations, AMEF, IDF, ISES and other support organisations Local BBMP officials (Horticulture, Engineer, Water Board) | 11 months | - Capacity building of interested urban citizens/gardeners and helpers ('Maalis') in the establishment and management of terrace and kitchen gardens - Establishing links with "Self Help Groups" and other support organizations as well as donor organisations - Upgrading a Community Park - Creation of a common pool of implements/ inputs to be maintained by the Resident's Association - Building of food and ecological awareness in schools and other institutions | - 50-75 urban households and 15-20 maalis are applying adequate gardening practices in their terrace or kitchen gardens - Two community parks with medicinal plants and two pools of tools are being maintained by the respective Resident's Associations. - Enhanced recycling of waste both at household and community levels. - In 3-5 schools and other institutions awareness on healthy food, environment and use of medicinal plants has increased - Strategic linkages have been established between the Associations and 5-6 Self Help Groups and other support institutions as well as donors |
| 16. Urban Agriculture for a Sustainable City | Colombo, Sri Lanka | - Western Province Department of Agriculture - Department of Agrarian Services - Divisional Secretariats | 18 months | - Identification and training of the participating households on ecological cultivation and pest management methods and composting of organic wastes - Introduction of vertical cultivation structures and composting units in poor urban household (especially women and youth) - Building networks among the urban producers - Identification of potential market chains | - 300 beneficiaries are applying special agricultural technologies for cultivating in limited spaces - urban organic wastes are composted and productively reused in urban agriculture - Food expenditures of the 300 beneficiaries have been reduced by 10-15% and/or their cash income has increased with 10-15 % - The beneficiaries have increased their vegetable consumption with 15-20% resulting in increased nutritional standards |
| 17. Restoring two cooperatives in peri-urban Dingxiang | Dingxiang Xinzhou, China | - Dingxiang Agriculture Bureau - Dingxiang County Mayor Office - Shanxi University - Village Committee - Farmers | 24 months | - Diagnosis of the present situation - Multi-stakeholder meetings to discuss structure and functioning of the new cooperative - Set up working group - Action planning | Two bottom-up and market based cooperatives are in operation |
| 18. Haidong peri-urban agro-tourism development project Lake Laishi | Lijang, Yuannan, China | - Lijang Municipality - Lashi Township, 4 village associations - China Urban Agriculture Coordination Group+ IGSNRR | 8 months | - Participatory diagnosis of the actual situation - Study trip to best practices in agro-tourism development. - Strengthen local cooperatives and assist in creating market linkages with hotels and spas - Design of a 5 year project and obtain funding (from private Investor mainly) - Train farmers in organic agricultural production methods of fruits and vegetables - Train and assist farmers in the development of agro-tourism activities (pick your own fruits, horse riding, stay on farm, farm restaurant) | - Project designed, funded and in operation - Diversification of income sources - Local farmers producing organic food for local hotels/restaurant - Local farmers providing touristic services Less migration (esp. of young girls). - Contribution to maintenance of Naxi culture (farm buildings, local cuisine). |

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| | | | | - Promote pig feed from organic wastes from hotels/restaurants and local biogas and organic fertilizer production | |
| 19. Diagnosis and action planning to improve the livelihood of migrant vegetable growers and policy advice | Chaoyang and Shunyi Beijing, China | - IGSNRR - Local Village Committee - Beijing Agriculture Committee - Migrant Farmers - Local Farmers | 8 months | * Analysis of the farming and livelihood situation of the migrant vegetable growers * Development of proposals to improve the rights and livelihood of the peri-urban migrant vegetable growers | Key issues of migrant farmers have been diagnosed and recommendations for improvement have been developed Access of local migrants to education has been Improved |
| 20. Diagnosis and action planning to improve the performance of family-based agro-tourism in Beizhai village | Huairou Beijing, China | - Beijing agritourism and recreation association - IGSNRR - Beizhai Village Committee - Farmers | 8 months | * Analysis of existing family based agro-tourism in this district * Establishment of an on-site training centre * Training of the farm-households to upgrade their management capacity and touristic services * help designing menu & agro-tour route | Key issues in Family based agro-tourism in Beizhai village have been diagnosed and priorities for improvement have been identified. A bilingual menu and an agro-tour route are under design |
| 21. Feel the peri-urban countryside with your legs and minds | Nanjing China | - IGSNRR - Nanjing Agriculture Bureau - Nanjing Tourism Bureau - University | 8 months | * Diagnosis of Nanjing's UA development * Identify most interesting visiting sites and design a peri-urban countryside route. | The route has been established and a bilingual introduction to each site has been prepared. World Urban Forum participants have been introduced to UA in peri-urban Nanjing |

Abbreviations for IWMI-RUAF - pilot projects

AAI - Action Aid International,
 AMA – Accra Metropolitan Assembly
 CERNRMRD - Centre for Environment, Renewable Natural Resources Management Research & Development
 CFF – Cities Farming for the Future
 CSIR – Council for Scientific and Industrial Research
 DERD - Department of Extension and Rural Development
 DoAE - Department of Agricultural Economics,
 DoC - Department of Co-operatives
 DPG - Dept of Parks & Garden,
 DVF - Dzorwulu Vegetable Farmers
 EPA – Environmental Protection Agency
 FAO - Food and Agricultural Organization
 FCC - Freetown City Council,
 FFS – From Foot-to-Seat
 FUTA - Federal University of Technology, Akure
 GAWU – Ghana Agricultural Workers Union
 IARTD - Institute of Agricultural Research & Training
 IWMI- International Water Management Institute

JDPC - Justice Development & Peace Commission
LC - Lands Commission,
LGI - North-West Local Government Institution
LL - La Livestock
M&E – Monitoring and Evaluation
MADU - Metropolitan Agriculture Development Unit
MAFFR - Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry Resources
MAFFS - Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Food Security,
MANRRD - Ministry of Agriculture, Natural Resources & Rural Development
MLCP- Ministry of Lands and Country Planning,
MoFA - Ministry of Food and Agriculture
MPO - Metro Planning Office
NACRDB - Nigeria Agricultural Cooperative and Rural Development Bank
NAFSL - National Association of Farmers of Sierra Leone,
NHRI - National Horticultural Research Institute
NU -Njala University,
RDFG - Roman Down Farmers Group,
RUAF –Resource Centres on Urban Agric and Food Security
STEPR- Science and Technology Policy Research Institute
TCP - Town &Country Planning,
TCPD - Town and Country Planning Dept,
UDS – University of Development Studies
UG – University of Ghana
UPA – Urban and Peri Urban Agriculture
VFAFG - Vegetable Farmers Association of Fooshegu and Gumbihini