

Protocol for collaboration between national and community seedbanks (guideline)

Project Title: P1589 - Policy Support for Climate Resilient, Biodiversity-rich Seed Systems

Description: This guideline is a generic collaboration protocol to formalize the collaboration between a national genebank and community seed banks, outlining principles, good practices and areas of collaboration.

Is new?: No

Stage of Maturity of the Process: Stage 1

Policy/Investment Type: Policy or Strategy

Amount: <Not Applicable>

Geographic Scope: Regional

Region:

- Southern Africa
- Eastern Africa

Outcome Impact Case Report:

- 3848 - Enhancing capacity for climate change adaptation: upscaling best performing varieties of sorghum, finger millet, bean, wheat and barley in Kenya, Uganda, Tanzania and Ethiopia (<https://tinyurl.com/y9czegop>)
- 4303 - Protocol for collaboration between the national genebank and community seed banks launched and endorsed (<https://tinyurl.com/y2yzyc8g>)

Innovations:

- I1070 - Resilient seed systems approach and methodology (<https://tinyurl.com/2l6unmdr>)
- I1072 - Holistic and dynamic approach and methodology to establish and support multifunctional community seedbanks (<https://tinyurl.com/2eozyneg>)

Narrative of Evidence: <Not Provided>

Milestones:

- New priority setting framework being used to target more transformational food system interventions in selected countries

Sub-IDs:

- 28 - Increased resilience of agro-ecosystems and communities, especially those including smallholders
- 12 - Increased conservation and use of genetic resources
- 41 - Conducive agricultural policy environment

Contributing Centers/PPA partners:

- Bioversity (Alliance) - Alliance of Bioversity and CIAT - Headquarter (Bioversity International)
- WUR - Wageningen University and Research Centre

Contributing CRPs/PTF:

- CCAFS - Climate Change, Agriculture and Food Security