



Technical Report

Training Course

on

Impact Assessment and Livelihood Analysis in Systems Research

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Name of the project

Capacity Development for Agriculture and Water Management for Iraq and Regional Countries

Partners

International Center for Agricultural Research in the Dry Areas - ICARDA

Purpose of the project

The objective of this project is to enhance capacity development of government officials and researchers who are engaged in agricultural development mainly in Iraq. They will gain knowledge and Up-to-date knowledge and information about the following topics: Supplementary Irrigation, Salinity Management, Water Policies and Policy Analysis, Geographic Information Systems, Water-use efficiency, Drought Monitoring, and Crop Improvement for Sustainable Agricultural Production.

Specific objectives of the training course on contemporary approaches to extension

Up-to-date knowledge and enhanced capacity on best practice for Impact Assessment and Livelihood Analysis in Systems Research.

Specific outputs

Eleven professionally-trained National Agricultural Research Systems (NARS) partners (5 female, 6 male) from Sudan, Palestine, Morocco, Jordan, Iraq, Yemen, Egypt, Lebanon, Tunisia, Oman, Mauritania have been trained on Impact Assessment and Livelihood Analysis in Systems Research

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GENERAL OVERVIEW

The purpose of this course is to provide the agricultural economists from Iraq and other countries with evaluation methodologies and specific technical skills that will assist them in developing and delivering effective assessment of socio economic and environmental impacts of salinity on livelihoods and policy analysis with emphasis on data management and statistical and economic analysis at farm level. The course is designed to enable the participants to effectively understand the socio economic and environmental impacts of salinity on livelihoods, and to identify policy constraints and opportunities for the effective use and remediation of saline land and water resources in their respective countries.

COURSE STRUCTURE

refer to Agenda

COURSE IMPLEMENTATION

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