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#### LIST OF ACRONYMS

AfDB African Development Bank

**AMCOW** 

ANBO African Network of Basin Organisations

AWF African Water Facility

AU African Union

CBO Community Based Organization

CEDARE Centre for Environment and Development for the Arab Region and Europe

CICOS International Commission of Congo-Oubangui-Sangha basin

ECCAS Economic Community of Central African States

EU/EC European Union/Commission
EUWI European Union Water Initiative
EXCO Executive Committee of AMCOW
GC Governing Council of the AWF
GEF Global Environment Facility
GSE Gender and Social Equity
GWP Global Water Partnership

HYCOS Hydrological Cycle Observing Systems ICA Infrastructure Consortium for Africa

IFAD International Fund for Agricultural Development IGAD Inter Governmental Authority on Development IPPF Infrastructure Project Preparation Facility IWRM Integrated Water Resources Management

MDG Millennium Development Goals
M&E Monitoring and Evaluation
NBA Nile Basin Authority

NEPAD

NGO Non-Governmental Organisation NWRM National Water Resource Management

O&M Operation and Maintenance

OECD Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

ORPF Procurement Department of the AfDB

OSS Sahara and Sahel Observatory

OSAN Agriculture Department of the AfDB

OSC Oversight Committee

OWAS Water and Sanitation Department of the AfDB

PCR Project Completion Report
PPP Public Private Partnership
RBO River Basin Organizations

REC Regional Economic Communities

RMC Regional Member Country RWH Rainwater Harvesting

RWSSI Rural Water Supply and Sanitation Initiative

TA Technical Assistant

TAC Technical Advisory Committee of AMCOW
TWRM Transboundary Water Resource Management

WMO World Meteorological Organisation

WSP Water and Sanitation Program of the World Bank

WSS Water Supply and Sanitation

*Operational programme:* Based on the recommendations of the Effectiveness Assessment Report and the guidance of the AWF Governing Council, efforts in 2010 have focused on improving the disbursement rate, ensuring quality of projects at entry, finalising some of the projects, drafting knowledge products and mobilising resources for the Facility.

1. Disbursements: Efforts undertaken to improve project implementation and increase levels

The overall disbursement ratio was 28% versus 42% planned, which means that the AWF achieved 2/3 of its planned disbursements. An action plan designed to systematically address all the constraints impacting on project implementation is being implemented to further improve AWF disbursements.

- 2. **Supervision:** The AWF increased its focus on project start-up and supervision in 2010. Thirty eight project related missions were undertaken in 2010: comprising identification (1 project), preparation (3), appraisal (6), and launching/supervision (29). This has resulted in an increase of the project supervision ratio (number of field supervision missions vs. projects under implementation) to 0.6 in 2010, which is above the 0.5 planned for 2010 and up from the 0.5 achieved in 2009. In addition, since the majority of the Facilities projects consist mainly of studies, these continue to be desk-supervised in accordance with AWF Procedures. Ten of the supervision missions were carried out with Bank Field Office assistance (where a representative field office with a water sector specialist existed in the country).
- 3. *Quality at entry and project approvals:* Emphasis has been put on ensuring quality at entry in the development of new projects as well as quality during implementation for on-going projects. This is reflected in the decreased number of projects admitted into the pipeline, the slightly increased time to appraise projects, and the increased rate of supervision. Nine projects were approved in . This is less than the 20 planned, reflecting the increased focus on quality. A total of 66 projects have now been
- 4. *Quality at entry:* Emphasis has been put on ensuring quality at entry in the development of new projects as well as quality during implementation for on-going projects. This is reflected in the decreased number of projects admitted into the pipeline, the slightly increased time to appraise projects, and the increased rate of supervision.
- 5. *Project completion:* All activities on eight more projects were successfully completed in 2010, bringing the total completed to 14. Efforts are ongoing to finalise and close these projects, with missions to prepare AWF Project Completion Reports and knowledge projects undertaken for four projects, and final audits on five projects.

Leveraging: Significant catalytic effects of AWF funding have been realised, with a total amount
-on interventions in three African countries (Cameroon, Liberia and Mozambique) and one regional organisation almost five times the value of the entire AWF portfolio.

Various knowledge products have been prepared in 2010, including a synthesis of lessons learned and preparation of knowledge documents from four of the initial group of completed projects; and the preparation of Pan African Water Sector Monitoring and Evaluation Assessment Gender and Social Equity Strategy

Collaboration, Outreach and Partnership Building: This continues to be a significant emphasis of the Facility, with staff participating in 18 consultative workshops, conferences and meetings in 2010. These included (i) conferences such as the Stockholm Water Week and IWA Water Congress; (ii) meetings and workshops including those with AMCOW, NEPAD, ICA,; and (ii) collaboration meetings for aid coordination and financing with AMCOW, UN Water-Africa, OECD, EUWI. The AWF also contributed to the 3<sup>rd</sup> African Water Week (AWW) which took place from 22-26 November 2010 in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, and organised in the margins of the 3<sup>rd</sup> AWW its ordinary Governing Council meeting. As well, the AWF is taking advantage of all opportunities for collaboration with other Bank departments such as agriculture (OSAN), energy/climate (ONEC), and infrastructure (ONRI), and with Bank Field Offices.

#### Resource Mobilisation: The

to the Facility which was paid in 2010 (the Bank had formerly only made in-kind contributions), and 2010. In addition,

total, cash commitments since inception from the 13 donors to the Facility amounted million as at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2010 illion received during the year.

### II. Challenges in 2011

Strategic plan and operational processes: Focusing on strategic planning and refining the operational processes is the primary challenge of the Facility for the first half of 2011. The preparation of the Strategic Plan (2012-2016) has been launched, which will address the recommendations that were put forward in the Effectiveness Assessment. As well as the revision of the AWF Operational Procedures and preparation of the Operations Manual are ongoing.

*Operational program:* Implementation of the recently completed AWF 2011 Work Plan, focusing on: (1) Ensuring effective and timely implementation of the ongoing projects and expediting disbursements; (2) Ensuring quality at entry in the development of new projects as well as quality during implementation for on-going projects; and (3) Documenting and disseminating results and knowledge emanating from AWF operations.

**Human Resources Management**: One of the main challenges currently faced by the Facility is to significantly increase its human resources in order to ensure adequate numbers of professionals to enable the Facility achieve its strategic objectives. In the short term this means securing adequate staff to implement its 2011 Work Plan. Over the medium term, the staff complement will be defined as an outcome of the Strategic Plan (2012-2016), which will more precisely determine the operational focus the associated staff numbers and skills mix required for implementation.

**Resource Mobilisation:** Funding for the 2011 operations is secured, however the situation for 2012 and beyond continues to be a challenge. To address this concern a revised resource mobilisation action plan, prepared and approved by the AWF Governing Council in July 2010, is now being implemented. Activities will be carried out in collaboration with AMCOW and will centre on broadening the donor base. In this regard, negotiations are ongoing with the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, which has recently expressed interest in supporting AWF with a 10 million USD grant earmarked to municipal-led urban sanitation services to non-networked communities.

### 1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 This 2010 Annual Report has been prepared in fulfilment of the requirements contained in section 9.3.1 of the AWF Operational Procedures for a review of project operations and other activities carried out during the year, as well as for a presentation of the financial statement. Consequently this Report provides a review of the organisational, operational and financial status of the AWF in 2010.

1.2 The Annual Report has been prepared and submitted alongside other key documents; the

report was endorsed by the AWF Governing Council at an Extra-ordinary meeting in Cape Town in July 2010, subject to minor revisions. The final version of the report was submitted in September, and confirmed the Facility provides an important value addition to the African water sector, whilst also identifying several areas for improving operational and institutional efficiency. The AWF has prepared a draft Management Response , and has launched the preparation of a medium term Strategic Plan (2012-2016) which will address the recommendations that were put forward in the Effectiveness Assessment and clearly identify the operational programme and way forward over the next five years.

#### Governing Council meeting in Cape Town (July 2010)

- 2.1.3 *Strengthening Knowledge Management:* Activities to prepare knowledge products are underway, including a synthesis of lessons learned from the initial group of completed projects and preparation of knowledge documents (consisting of case studies and communications products such as publishable articles). Knowledge documents for four projects were completed in 2010 (See Annex 10 for highlights of these four project assessments).
- 2.1.4 *Mainstreaming gender and social equity (GSE):* In order to better incorporate socioeconomic and gender concerns in all stages of the project cycle, a comprehensive GSE Strategy was prepared in 2010. This included refining the project preparation and appraisal processes to ensure systematic mainstreaming of GSE issues; as well as enhancing the monitoring framework to ensure activities are implemented as planned and deliver the intended gender related results.

#### 2.2 OUTREACH AND PARTNERSHIPS

2.2.1 *Outreach and Partnership Building:* The AWF works closely with a wide range of organisations at global, regional and country levels to build consensus on effective policies and practices, coordinate activities, leverage resources, share knowledge, build capacity and enhance advocacy. AWF staff participated in about 18 consultative workshops, conferences and meetings in 2010. These included conferences such as the Stockholm Water Week and IWA Water Congress; meetings and workshops including those with AMCOW, NEPAD, ICA, WWC, ANBO, SIDA, ONEP, and Lake Chad stakeholders; and collaboration meetings for aid coordination and financing with AMCOW, UN Water-Africa, OECD, GWP, EUWI, ECCAS (the complete list is shown in Annex 8). AWF contributed also to the 3<sup>rd</sup> African Water Week (AWW) which took place from 22-

26 November 2010 in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, and organised in the margins of the 3<sup>rd</sup> AWW its ordinary Governing Council meeting.

- 2.2.2 Collaboration with the Bank: The AWF is taking advantage of all opportunities for collaboration with other Bank departments such as agriculture (OSAN), energy/climate (ONEC), and infrastructure and regional integration (ONRI), and will assess mechanisms to further improve collaboration in 2011 as part of the preparation of the Strategic Plan. As well, 2010 saw an increased involvement of the Banks field offices (FO) in AWF operations, including (i) reinforcement of the support to and close cooperation with the countries in the identification of projects (cases of projects on reform of water sector in DR Congo and Mali), (ii) more involvement of Water and Infrastructure Experts of FO in preparation, appraisal and start-up missions (15 of 19 missions carried out) and (iii) extension of the support to the countries without FO (case of launching workshops in Niger and Togo with the support of Burkina Faso FO); (iv) taking the lead in the preparation, organisation and participation at the project launching workshops (Burkina Faso, Malawi, Rwanda, Ghana, Zambia, Gabon) and (v) supporting AWF in procurement activities. As the Bank continues to implement its decentralisation strategy, including placement of additional OWAS staff in field offices (currently there are 12), their role in AWF operations will be further strengthened
- 2.2.3 *Ensuring Effective Communications:* There is a continuous need to improve visibility and increase awareness of the role AWF plays in the water sector. The Facility has been progressing in implementing its Communications Strategy in 2010, by improving and updating its website; regularly disseminating information (such as through 25 entries in AfDB Bank in Action website); coordinating communication activities with those of the AfDB/OWAS; effectively engaging with the media through press releases and interviews, and developing more promotional material such as a brochure on the AWF.

#### 2.3 ASSISTING AMCOW IN PROMOTING STRATEGIC INITIATIVES

- 2.3.1 As a flagship initiative of AMCOW, the AWF instigates and promotes strategic initiatives in support of the AMCOW agenda. The initiatives below have been supported during 2010 (both within AWF project and as specially defined activities), in close liaison with AMCOW Secretariat, TAC and EXCO.
  - **Delivering on Water Security and Sanitation Commitments:** The AWF continues to provide inputs to the implementation of the Sharm el Sheik and other political commitments. In 2010 AWF participated in meetings with AMCOW and other stakeholders on establishing a framework for cooperation and partnership for implementation of the
  - The African Water Security Monitoring Program: A key action elaborated in the Roadmap document is for AMCOW to annually report on progress made in the implementation of commitments on water and sanitation, and to submit these reports for the consideration of the AU Heads of State and Government. The AWF is working closely with AMCOW Secretariat for the development of a project which will provide AMCOW with a mechanism for reporting regularly to the AU.
  - Pan African M&E Initiative: The AWF is responding to the challenge of improving monitoring and evaluation within the African water sector by supporting AMCOW in implementing its Pan African M&E initiative, as well as through direct project interventions aimed at establishing or strengthening water sector M&E systems and management

 Table 2.1:
 Planned vs. Actual Human Resources

	Dec. 2006	Dec. 2007	Dec. 2008	Dec. 2009	Dec. 2010
Planned Staffing (end of year), as	n/a	n/a	19	20	21
per annual Workplans					
Actual Staffing					

#### 3 OPERATIONAL STATUS

#### 3.1 PROJECT IDENTIFICATION

3.1.1 *Screening:* A total of 28 proposals were screened in 2010, of which nine were admitted into the pipeline (two of which required dialogue with the applicant before the project was admitted, as the screening identified concerns that had to be resolved). The reduction from previous years is due to the increased emphasis on only admitting good quality projects which are of strategic importance in response to guidance received from both the AWF Governing Council and Oversight Committee for this type of approach. The AWF has also implemented a pre-screening process to weed out applications which are not eligible or incomplete, which has resulted in a reduction in the number of applications screened. In addition, many applicants are submitting concept notes to the AWF in lieu of full proposals. The AWF reviews these and if of potential interest requests the Applicant to submit a full proposal for screening. As of the end of December, 14 proposals are waiting to be screened. Lag time from receipt of a proposal to screening is 2.3 months (based on an analysis of 17 of the applications screened in 2009 and 2010). A summary of screening over the past three years is given in Table 3.1.

**Table 3.1:** Applications Screening / Review

	2008	2009	2010
Screening Committee meetings held	10	13	12
Proposals Screened	20	36	28
Directly admitted into pipeline	8	16	7
Further dialogue > accepted into pipeline	2	5	2
Total projects admitted into the pipeline	10	21	9
% proposals admitted into pipeline	50%	58%	32%

#### 3.2 PROJECT PROCESSING TO APPROVAL

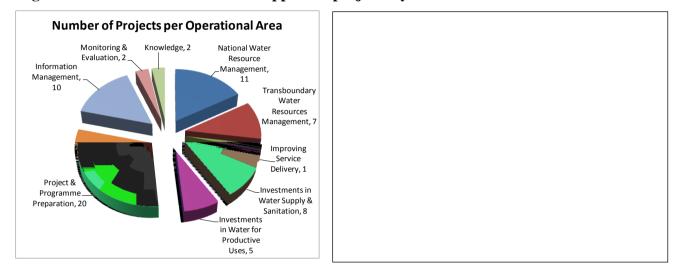
- 3.2.1 *Project appraisals and approvals:* Nine projects have been approved between January and ten projects are under appraisal. Annex 1 presents details on the project processing status.
- 3.2.2 In comparison, the planned number of approvals, as noted in the 2010 Work Plan and Budget, wa

  As well, an average of 14 projects per year has been approved since inception of operations in 2006 (see Annex 2). The reduction in 2010 is due to a management decision to focus efforts on starting up and supervising the large number of projects in the portfolio, as per Governing Council guidance and the recommendations of the AWF Effectiveness Assessment (see 2.1.2).
- 3.2.3 A total of 66 projects have now been approved since inception of operations in 2006, amountin

#### 3.3 PORTFOLIO DISTRIBUTION AND BALANCE

3.3.1 The portfolio of approved projects is well distribute broadly in line with the Operational Strategy for the years 2006-2010 (see Figure 3.2). As well, it should be noted that most AWF projects are cross-cutting in nature, impacting on more than one area of intervention (see Annex 3).

Figure 3.2: Distribution of the 66 approved projects by area of intervention



3.3.2 The AWF is now funding projects in 36 different countries, based on location of Recipients (see Figure 3.3), with good balance amongst the different regions of Africa (see Table 3.1). Counting all the countries which the 19 multinational projects reach, the AWF is active in 50 of the

**Table 3.1:** Regional distribution of projects

Sub-Regions of Africa	Total Projects in each region (A)		No of Countries with AWF	Total No of Countries in	Ratio of Countries with AWF projects	
Of Africa	National	Multinational <sup>1</sup>	Total	Projects (B)	each Region (C)	( <b>B</b> )/( <b>C</b> )
West	13	6	19	9	16	0.56
East	12	3	15	8	12	0.67
Central	6	4	10	6	7	0.86
Southern	11	3	14	8	12	0.67
North	5	3	8	5	6	0.83
Total	47	19	66	36	53	0.68

<sup>1)</sup> The 15 multinational projects have been classified based on where the Recipient is located.

3.4.8 Fifteen (15) supervision missions covering 20 projects, and eight launching missions covering nine projects, were undertaken in 2010 (see Annex 7 for details). The corresponding supervision ratio is 0.63 (defined as number of field supervision/launching missions vs. 46 ongoing grant effective projects at any time in 2010). This is above the planned ration of 0.5 as defined in the 2010 Work Plan, and an increase from the ratio of 0.5 achieved in 2009, reflecting the increased focus on project start-up and supervision during the year. In addition, since the majority of AWF projects consist mainly of studies, these continue to be desk-supervised in accordance with AWF Procedures. Supervision is carried out with Bank Field Office assistance where a representative field office with a water sector specialist exists in the country (i.e. Senegal, Chad, Malawi, Uganda, Kenya, Tanzania, Morocco, DRC, Rwanda, Mozambique and Ethiopia).

- 3.4.9 **Projects eligible for cancelation**<sup>4</sup>: Of the ongoing projects in the portfolio, five are assessed as being eligible for cancellation (see Annex 4). However all five has had recent progress as a result of AWF interaction. These include:
- (i) The problems with the Niger projects were resolved in September 2010 (see discussion in 2.4.2), and it is now proceeding to the stage of Grant Effectiveness
- (ii) Djibouti : the delays in procurement of consultancy services have since been resolved and the request for second disbursement was submitted in December and is being processed.
- (iii) Inventory of rural wa

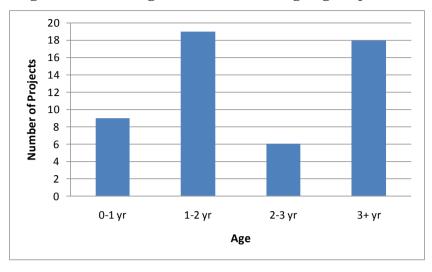


Figure 3.4: Age Distribution of Ongoing Projects

3.4.12 *Project Implementation Times:* The average time from approval to first disbursement is currently about 10.6 months (calculated for the 49 projects which have disbursed using normal Bank procedures). Start-up times have increased from the 9 months reported at the end of 2009, as some long delayed projects become effective this year which has skewed the averages (see Table 3.5). There is a wide variation in time from approval to first disbursement. Although some projects are very quick in disbursing (five disbursed in less than 100 days), others have experienced considerable delays (six projects over 500 days), mainly due to difficulties by Recipients in meeting the conditions for Grant Effectiveness. For a fast track Facility these implementation times should be further improved upon. In response, the AWF has been taking actions to expedite implementation, as noted in 3.4.6 and Annex 5.

3.4.13 In total, project implementation takes about three years from approval to completion (this is expected to rise to over three years as slower projects near completion). The lengthy time from first to second disbursement (21.9 months) reflects the problems experienced by some Recipients in initiating procurement actions.

<b>Table 3.4:</b>	Project	<b>Implementation</b>	Times (	(Months)	,

Based on	Approval to Signature	Signature to Effectiveness	Effectiveness to 1 <sup>st</sup> Disbursement		2 <sup>nd</sup> disbursement to completion
All projects (Dec. 2010)	4.0	5.2	1.9	21.9	12.5
Time from approval			10.6		36.0
Number projects analysed	63	52	49	23	14

3.4.14 *Project Audits:* The Facility aims at carrying out two audits for every project: one interim and one final audit. Seven interim audits and five final audit reports were submitted in 2010. To date, 27 project audit reports have been received by AWF (see Annex 6). In general, the reports have given non-qualified or favourable opinions stating that, by and large, the financial statements for the projects give a true and fair view of the financial positions of the projects and of the operational results for the audited periods. Minor observations and recommendations were generally given in the respective Letters to Management which have been brought to the attention of the projects for actions, most of which have already been executed. One exception is the second audit of the Niger Basin Authority project, which found many deficiencies in financial management

and procuremen

suspension of project disbursements until outstanding issues were resolved. The project submitted additional information for review in 2010, and the suspension was lifted in November.

#### 3.5 RESULTS

- 3.5.1 Results from Completed Projects: Eight more projects have successfully completed all activities in 2010, bringing the total completed to 14. The eight projects have achieved anticipated results, including: (i) preparation of a water supply and sanitation programme for Central African Republic (ii) improved access to drinking water using innovative rainwater harvesting systems in rural Uganda, directly benefiting 720 households and 30 institutions that may replicate lessons learned; and (iii) improved access to sanitation and water supply for 14,000 urban poor in Kampala, Uganda, using innovative ecological sanitation technologies and improved water distribution infrastructure, whilst supporting the national water utility to expand its focus and strengthen its institutional structure to better serve the urban poor (see Annex 2 and 10 for more details).
- 3.5.2 *Portfolio Results:* Efforts are being made to improve reporting on results from the overall portfolio of projects. An overview of the developmental effectiveness of the AWF project portfolio is shown in Table A9.1 of Annex 9, where the performance indicators for each area of intervention are compiled, along with a summary of the actual and expected results achieved. As well, the actual results for completed projects or interim results for ongoing projects are shown in Annex 2. Performance monitoring and reporting will be further refined as part of the preparation of the AWF Strategic Plan 2012-2016.
- 3.5.3 *Mobilising resources for the water sector:* Specific activities are included in many AWF projects to mobilise resources, such as preparation of financing strategies and organising of donor round-

times the AWF portfolio) has been mobilised to finance water sector interventions in six African countries (Botswana, Congo, Central African Republic, Mozambique, Liberia, Cameroon) and three regional organisations (Lake Victoria, Volta Basin Authority, and Sahara and Sahel Observatory

projects linked to AWF studies:

- <u>Liberia</u> Water supply and sanitation studies for expansion and rehabilitation of WSS systems: Investment requirements were presented in a roundtable meeting in April 2010. The AfDB approved a follow-(UA26.1 million).
- <u>Lake Victoria</u> *Lake Victoria Basin commission Water & Sanitation Initiative:* A million (UA75.4m) was approved in 2010.
- <u>Cameroon</u> *Inventory of rural water supply and sanitation infrastructures: A* (UA15.0 million) RWSSI project approved in 2010.
- Mozambique Preparation of the national rural water supply and sanitation programme:

constraints.

#### 4 FINANCIAL STATUS

#### 4.1 STAFFING AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

4.1.1 Administration of the AWF is funded through three different sources: (i) the administrative expenses bud

Fund Account, (ii) the in kind support provided by the AfDB as part of the hosting arrangement, and (iii) the Technical Assistants funded by donors. An overview of the Staffing and Administrative expenditure in 2010 is provided in the sections below, with details on previous years expenditures shown in Annex 11.

#### **AWF Fund Account: Staffing and Administrative Expenses Budget**

4.1.2 The AWF maintains an administrative budget for its Special Fund account which is used to support operations and categorises expenses according to activity budget lines. Table 4.1provides the approved budget for 2010 and the utilization for the year. In total, the AWF has allocated administrative expenses from the fund account in 2010. Of this amount, 996,887 or 52% of the annual budget has been utilised<sup>5</sup> (compared to 46% for 2009). The relatively low budget utilisation is primarily related to more efficient use of human resources; as well as staffing constraints due to putting on hold the recruitment of AWF funded staff and delays in filling vacant donor funded TA positions (see 2.4), which has limited the overall level of AWF activities. Table 4.1 also shows spending on AWF funded project staff, which reflects the staffing

Table 4.1: AWF Administrative Expenses and Project Staff Budget for 2010 (in Euro)

Item	Budget	Spending	%	Comment
	Allocation	2010	Utilisation	
Staff Missions	150,000	49,996	33%	Most missions were mainly paid for under the AfDB
				budget allocation, as any unspent balance at year end under this budget is lost, whereas unused balances
				under the AWF budget may be carried over to 2011
Consultancy - Individuals	804,000	496,122	62%	Delays in recruiting consultants
Consultancy -	480,000	250,975	52%	Delays in finalisation of the Effectiveness
Firms				Assessment, which has delayed recruitment of
				consultancy firm to support the follow-up of findings. As well, the AWF used individual consultants instead
				of planned consultancy firm for preparation of
				knowledge products, with an associated cost savings.
Workshops and	190,000	97,561	51%	Less than planned organisation and participation in
Seminars				workshops. Also, attendance by staff was paid from
				the AfDB budget allocation.
Governing	100,000	77,826	78%	One extraordinary GC meeting held in July and the
Council Meetings			_	2010 ordinary meeting in November.
Resources Mobilisation	150,000	0	0%	RM Consultant deployed March-Oct 2010 was paid for
Communications	40,000	21,057	53%	
Audit	4,000	3,350	84%	
Total AWF	1,918,000	996,887	52%	Staffing constraints have limited the overall level of
Administration		·		AWF activities which is reflected in budget utilisation
AWF Project	518,930	177,260	34%	Six of the AWF funded positions planned for 2010
Staff				were not filled due to delays and GC decision to put
				some recruitment on hold.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> As per the fund accounting policies, transactions are recorded on a cash basis.

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#### AfDB Staffing and Administrative Support to the AWF

4.1.3 As part of the AfDB hosting arrangement, the in-kind contribution includes a staffing and administrative expenses allocation from the AfDB budget for use by the Facility, to cover staffing costs (salary and benefits) and operational expenditures such as missions and consultancy assignments. The expenditure amounts for 2010 are detailed in Table 4.2 according to the expense . 391 or

91% was utilised.

**Table 4.2: AfDB Administrative Expenses Contribution to the AWF** (in Euro)

Item	Budget in 2010 Workplan (1)	AfDB Budget Allocation (1)	Spending in 2010	% Utilisation, compared to Budget Allocation
Missions Consultant Services	108,200 59,510	142,912 22,396	138,956 21,925	97% 98%
Entertainment, Hospitality	4,977	5,288	1,929	36%
AfDB staff remuneration	N.A	821,762	740,581	90%
Total AfDB direct costs		992,358	903,391	91%

<sup>1)</sup> The AfDB administrative budget was approved **after** the AWF 2010 Work Plan was prepared. The AfDB Budget Allocation column represents the actual budget that was allocated.

4.1.4 ,031 is to be added, covering overhead allocation and operational support. The overhead allocation is operational units for central costs, such as office space and services, IT support, public relations, and senior management time. In addition, operational support is provided to the Facility through nts for the daily running of the Facility, in particular, processing of projects. This includes the Legal Department that supports the grant agreements, the Financial Control Department that makes disbursements to projects and processes project payments as well as providing accounting and treasury functions, the Partnership Unit that supports resource mobilisation activities, Field Offices involved in project supervision, and several others.

4.1.5 Altogether, the total AfDB in-kind support to the AWF in 2010 amounted ,457,391,

to the AWF in 2010, the first such cash contribution from the Bank.

#### **Donor Technical Assistance Contributions**

4.1.6 In addition to financial commitments to the AWF Special Fund, donor organisations make in-kind contributions in the form of Technical Assistance (TA). Technical Assistance personnel were seconded to the AWF by Austria and the United Kingdom throughout the year, and France and Denmark for part of the year, with the total in-

4.3.3 **Resource Mobilisation actions:** Although funding for the 2011 operations is secured, the situation for 2012 and beyond continues to be a challenge with no funding commitments yet made. To address this challenge, the AWF has been proactively implementing key actions in 2010 to raise additional resources. These included recruitment of a Resource Mobilisation consultant in March 2010, to allow for more dedicated fund raising efforts. This has led to the preparation of a revised resource mobilisation action plan, with input from the AMCOW Executive Secretariat, which was approved in July 2010. It focuses on broadening the donor base through undertaking of joint resource mobilisation activities by AMCOW and AWF. In this regard, the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation has recently expressed interest in supporting AWF to fund projects that will support municipal-led urban sanitation services to non-networked communities. The expected value of the grant is 10 million USD. Negotiations are ongoing to secure this funding.

#### 5 CONCLUSIONS AND WAY FORWARD

The AWF is entering a period of transition and change as a result of the recent completion of an Effectiveness Assessment and the ongoing preparation of a five year Strategic Plan (2012-2016) which will address the challenges captured in the recommendations of the Assessment report. Nonetheless, as noted by the Governing Council at its recent meeting in November, the AWF continues to make admirable progress, and remains a vibrant Facility which is well focused on addressing the wide range of water needs within Africa.

The way forward for the AWF over the next year has been noted in the 2011 Work Plan, which has been prepared alongside this Annual Report. A brief summary of the main principles that will guide activities in 2011 are as follows:

- Focusing on strategic planning and refining of operational processes early in the year
- Ensuring effective and timely implementation of the ongoing projects and expediting disbursements
- Ensuring quality at entry in the development of new projects as well as quality during implementation for on-going projects
- Limiting the number of new project approvals in order to allow AWF to focus on project quality and implementation concerns
- Ensuring leadership and involvement of AMCOW in AWF operations, and supporting AMCOW strategic initiatives
- Mainstreaming gender and social equity in AWF operations
- Documenting and disseminating results and knowledge emanating from AWF operations
- Enhancing communications, visibility and outreach
- Managing human resources and institutional concerns in this period of transition
- Mobilising additional resources for AWF operations from 2012 onwards.

### ANNEX 1: PROJECT PROCESSING STATUS AS OF 31 DECEMBER 2010

### Projects approved in 2010

#	Country / Regional Organisation	Project Name	Grant Amount (Euro)	Date of Approval
1	Mali	Support to IWRM	1,918,500	7 January
2	SSO	IWRM of the Iullemden and Taoudeni / Tanezraift aquifer systems and the Niger river basin (GIRESAIT)	1,228,000	18 January
3	AUC	Programme for Infrastructure Development (PIDA) - Transboundary Water Resource Infrastructure Development Study	1,272,011	27 January
4	Malawi	Strengthening water sector monitoring and evaluation	1,894,000	28 January
5	Gambia	Support to water sector reforms	1,988,000	7 April
6	CEDARE	Monitoring and evaluation of water and sanitation MDGs in North Africa (MEWINA)	1,912,000	27 April
7	Malawi / Tanzania	Detailed design of Songwe river basin development programme (SRBDP)	3,549,000	25 May
8	Ghana	Design for service: Harvesting the Value of Effluent and Nutrients for Sustaining the Operation of Sanitation Facilities		23 June
9	Ghana	Reoptimisation of the operation of the Akosombo and Kpong Dams		2 August
	TOTAL	9 Projects	16,090,321	

## Projects under appraisal as of 31 December 2010

#	Country / Regional Organisation	Project name	Approx. amount (Euro)	Project Status
1	Nigeria	Reoptimisation of the Tiga and Challawa Gorge dams	1,598,560	IDWG Completed
2	Tunisia	Strategic water study for the year 2050	1,192,000	IDWG Completed
3	Multinational / ECOWAS	Support for the establishment of the ECOWAS Regional Water Observatory	1,155,000	IWG Completed
4	Multinational / GHARP- KRA	Piloting and up-scaling integrated RHM systems in rural districts of Ethiopia and Kenya	1,238,000	IWG Completed
5	Cap Vert	Study on development of water resources	1,427,622	Appraisal
6	Multinational	Feasibility Study for the Shire Zambezi Waterways Project	1,388,000	Appraisal
7	Benin	Leveraging access to water and sanitation for communities and local authorities	1,943,000	Appraisal
8	Congo Republic	Support to sector reform and rural WSS	1,647,000	Appraisal
9	Malawi	Shire Valley irrigation project study	453,335	Appraisal
10	Madagascar	National IWRM Plan	1,841,000	Appraised
	Total	10 Projects	13,883,517	

### **ANNEX 2: OVERVIEW OF AWF PROJECTS AND RESULTS**

Summary of project commitments by area of intervention and year (all amounts in million Euro)

Area of intervention:		2006		2007		2008		2009		2010	ŗ	Γotal
Area of intervention:	No.	Amount										
Strengthening Water Governance												
National WRM	2	0.978	3	2.741	4	5.976	1	1.961				

Implemented by: Global Water Partnership - Eastern Africa in liaison with Gov. of Burundi. Approved: 1Sept.06. Duration: Planned 24 months, actual 40 months.	funding mechanisms for implementing the IWRM plan.	financing institutions will be strengthened leading to mobilisation of resources for water sector development projects.	A multi-stakeholder platform has been created and a national consensus reached on the way forward in terms of IWRM planning and implementation. The Government of Burundi has developed follow-on projects aimed at implementing the plan, and collaboration with potential relevant financing institutions has been strengthened to secure the necessary funds.
Central African Republic Institutional support to the Water and Sanitation Sector Financing: 1,961,000 AWF, Gov.  Recipient: Government of the Central African Republic. Implemented by: Directorate of Water, Ministry of Mines, Energy and Water. Approved: 2 July 2009 Duration: Planned 22 months	Objective: Strengthen water sector governance and institutional capacity to attract additional funding and make more sustainable investments.  Activities: (i) Revision of the current organizational framework and elaboration of legal texts to support the water law no. 06.001 established in 2006. Strengthening the capacity of the players and structures to assume responsibilities under the new structure. (ii) Establishment of a centralized information system allowing for greater quantitative and qualitative knowledge of the water resources and water infrastructure in the country. (iii) Development of an investment plan and priority program for WSS infrastructure, and the development of a financing strategy covering investments as well as O&M.	Expected Results: (i) Institutional framework strengthened with greater capacity to plan and manage resources; (ii) Increased capacity of the sector to attract investments and to ensure their sustainability.	Status: Ongoing, with first disbursement 14July2010.

#### Gambia

Support to Water Sector Reforms

Financing:

-kind)

**Recipient:** Ministry of Water Resources

(MoFWRNAM)

*Implemented by:* MoFWRNAM

Approved: 7 April 2010

**Duration:** Planned 36 months from Grant

Approval

*Objective:* support the implementation of IWRM in The Gambia in line with the National Water Policy and the IWRM Roadmap.

Activities: (i) Institutional Development:
Revision of existing Water Bill and enactment of a new water law in harmony with the new water policy; development of WRM strategy and implementation plan, formulation of an apex institution for WRM and formulation of semi-autonomous Meteorological Agency (ii) Human Resources Development: Provide short and long term training at professional and sub-professional levels for staff of key sector institutions to enable them undertake the IWRM processes; (iii)

Expected Results: The project will assist the government to advance the establishment of IWRM in the country. The outcomes include: (i) improved governance of water resources based on IWRM principles and practices; (ii) enhanced institutional capacity available in The

resources; (iii) efficient allocation and use of water resources from improved knowledge of the resources; (iv) informed

Phase 1 Financing:  -kind).  Recipient: Ministry of Water (MHETIC). Implemented by: DEPC (Directorate of Studies and Cooperation), in partnership with UNDP, EU Commission. Approved: 7Nov07. Duration: Planned 24 months.	improve capacity for implementation.  Activities include: (i) assessment of existing water resources and land use situation at national/regional levels; (ii) preparation of land and water use strategies and implementation plans; (iii) establishment of a GIS based monitoring system and database in one region; and (iv) improve overall capacity for IWRM.	capacity for IWRM at national and decentralised regional levels. Better temporal and spatial information on water resources and land use.	Interim Results: Creation of an environment for integrated management of water resources at the national and regional levels through: (i) development of the water resource information system (SIREM); (ii) improved water sector governance at regional levels by support to decentralized services and the creation of regional IWRM committees.
Morocco Artificial recharge of Haouz groundwater aquifer. Financing: AWF -kind). Recipient: Ministry of Energy, Mines, Water and Environment (MMEEE). Implemented by: Tensift River Basin Agency, under the MMEEE Approved 9Jan09 Duration: Planned 30 months	Objectives: Improve water resources management in the Haouz basin through artificial groundwater recharge.  Activities include: i) technical, socio-economic and environmental studies for the identified recharge sites; ii) construction of infrastructures for storage of run-off flood water for recharging the water table; iii) monitoring and evaluation of project impact on ground water levels; and iv) building institutional capacities.	Expected Results: The project will strengthen the capacity of the Tensift River Basin Agency to develop and implement a large scale investment programme based on artificial groundwater recharge, which will result in increased availability of water resources, improved water security and meeting of water demands for various uses.	Status: Ongoing, with 1st disbursement 27Jan2010 Interim Results: Launching workshop held on 22June 2010.
Namibia  Development of an IWRM Plan.  Financing:  Recipient: Ministry of Agriculture, Water and Forestry.  Implemented by: Department of Water Affairs and Forestry in liaison with GWP-SA and SADC.  Approved 22Dec06.  Duration Planned 24 months	Objective: Facilitate the preparation of an IWRM plan for sustainable water resources use and management in Namibia.  Activities include development of: (i) National Water Resources Development Strategy and Action Plan; (ii) Information and Knowledge system; (iii) long-term M&E framework; (iv) integrated framework for institutional development and capacity building; (v) funding mechanisms for Implementation of the IWRM Plan; and (vi) awareness creation on IWRM.	Expected Results: A holistic, integrated approach to water resources use and management in the context of sustainable development will be formulated and implemented as a national IWRM plan, with strong ownership of the National Frameworks and the process by all stakeholders, and adequate funding available for implementation.	Status: Project activities completed and final audit report submitted.  Results achieved: The project has achieved its overall objectives. These include: (i) development of a National Water Resources Development Strategy and Action Plan; (ii) a better understanding of the resource potential, the use and allocation of water, and water demand management options; (iii) establishment of an M&E framework for integrated water and land resources; (iv) development of institutional capacity and human resources; (v) IWRM funding mechanisms put in place; and (iv) an awareness campaign, including regional workshops in all 13 regions of the country.

Niger Preparation of IWRM Action Plan for Niger. Financing: -kind). Recipient: Republic of Niger. Implemented by: DRE (Water Resources Directorate). Approved: 30Apr07. Duration: Planned 16 months.	Objective: Develop a National IWRM Action Plan for effective integrated water resources management in Niger.  Activities: (i) a comprehensive study of the water resources situation; (ii) elaboration of the National IWRM action plan and investment programme; (iii) development of a financing strategy and mechanism for implementation; and (iv) awareness creation amongst stakeholders and beneficiaries.	Expected Results: A national IWRM action plan for the long term development of, and investments in, the water sector is adopted and implemented, with the informed commitment and collaboration between all stakeholders, and strong support from financial partners.	Status: An addendum to the grant agreement was prepared and signed on 28 Sept.2010 permitting opening of Special Account in CFA. Now awaiting evidences for Grant Effectiveness from the Recipient. Project was launched in November 2010.
Senegal Implementation of the IWRM Action Plan for Senegal. Financing: -kind). Recipient: Gov. of Senegal. Implemented by: DGPRE (Water Resources Directorate) in liaison with the GWP- Senegal. Approved: 28Aug07. Duration: Planned 24 months.	Objective: Strengthen and activate the DGPRE at national and local levels to pursue the implementation of the IWRM plan to achieve equitable and sustainable development of the  Activities: (i) improvement of operational water information and knowledge; (ii) strengthening of water resources strategic investment planning and development of an investment programme for operations and economic recovery; (iv) sensitisation and activation of stakeholders and decision makers; and (v) reinforcement of institutional capacity	Expected Results: Give momentum to the implementation of the IWRM action plan to perform systematic water resources licensing, planning and appropriate integration of national IWRM into -boundary water management activities. The project will reduction strategy and will give momentum and the Water Vision for 2025.	Status: Ongoing, with second disbursement on 12 Oct.2010.  Interim Results: (i) IWRM study on going, report on the diagnostic of the water resources management elaborated and under review; (ii) Report on monitoring of water resources and assessment of fragile areas under preparation, iii) Socio-economic analysis and diagnostic of the legal framework under elaboration, iv) Works for rehabilitation and construction of news piezometers engaged;

Approved: 22Dec09.  Duration: Planned 16 months.	three water resource monitoring stations; (iv) develop plans to improve capacity of technicians; and (v) train key stakeholder in the implementation of IWRM and environmental regulations.		
CICOS (International Commission of Congo-Oubangui-Sangha basin)  Preparation of the Strategic Action Plan for the integrated water resources management of the Congo River Basin.  Financing:  (in-kind).  Recipient: CICOS.  Implemented by: CICOS with participation of all basin countries: (Angola, Burundi, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Congo Brazzaville, DRC, Rwanda, Tanzania and Zambia).  Approved: 30May07.  Duration: Planned 18 months.	Objective: Ensure the sustainable management of the water resources of the basin.  Activities: (i) reinforce the institutional framework for management of the Congo basin; (ii) reinforce the capacities of CICOS and other key actors; (iii) equip the Congo basin with a suitable framework for planning centered around a Strategic Action Plan; (iv) set-up an international partnership for the sustainable development of the Congo basin which will be used as catalyst for the mobilization of financial resources; and (iv) organise a round-table of donors to secure financing for the long term development of the Congo basin.	Expected Results: The project constitutes a decisive stage of an ongoing effort to find solutions to the many concerns related to the rational management of the water resources of the Congo basin. It will improve the framework for concerted management of the river basin, and consolidate the dialog between the nine riparian countries leading to optimization of the options for development of the water resources to the benefit of all, including bordering countries of the basin. It will also bring in sustainable funding and reinforce the sharing of assets amongst all stakeholders.	Status: Ongoing with 2 <sup>nd</sup> disbursement 4Dec2009.  Interim Results: Platforms for stakeholder collaboration and donor coordination have been established and are operational. Development of the strategic action plan is underway.
ECCAS (Economic Community of Central Africa States) - Institutional Support for the Implementation of ECCAS Regional Water Policy Financing:  Recipient: ECCAS Implemented by: ECCAS Approved: 2Sept.09 Duration: Planned 26 months	Objective: Improve water resources management and environment protection by strengthening capacity to plan and implement the Central Africa regional water policy.  Activities: (i) Reinforce the capacity of ECCAS Regional Center of Water Resources Coordination and Management (CRCGRE), and improve the water information system; (ii) prepare a regional action plan to support IWRM processes in the member countries.	Expected Results: (i) Staff of the CRCGRE recruited and the Center fully equipped, with water resource database setup and operational. Various documents prepared including: institutional study; regional assessment report including update of eight country assessment reports; five IWRM roadmaps; a transboundary infrastructures study; and a regional report on water sector development published. (ii) A regional IWRM Action Plan prepared and validated.	Status: Ongoing with 1 <sup>st</sup> disbursement 15Nov.2010.
LCBC (Lake Chad Basin Commission)  Preparation of Lake Chad Basin water charter.  Financing: -kind).  Recipient: LCBC.	Objective: Support the LCBC in the creation and adoption of a Lake Chad Water Charter between the five riparian states, which will function as a political and legal instrument for equitable water sharing, common investments, and environmental management.  Activities: The project will be implemented in	Expected Results: The Water Charter will facilitate equitable and predictable water resources allocations between countries and sectors, which will support the development of water resources and prevention of conflicts related to the use of water. The Charter will also lend credibility to the	Status: Ongoing with 2 <sup>nd</sup> disbursement 22Nov.2010.  Interim Results: Stage 1 completed and regional validation workshop held. National workshops completed on the final draft of the Water Charter.

Implemented by: LCBC in consultation with 5 riparian states (Chad, Cameroun, Central African Republic, Niger, Nigeria).  Approved: 30May07.  Duration: Planned 21 months	three stages: (1) analysis and assessment of the legislative and institutional framework; (2) creation of the Water Charter; and (3) validation, adoption and promotion.	LCBC, and enable it to operate in a more effective manner.	
OMVG (Gambia River Basin Organisation)  IWRM in the Kayanga Geba river basin Financing: -kind).  Recipient: OMVG Implemented by: OMVG with member countries (Gambia, Guinea, Guinea Bissau, Senegal) to be involved in the development of the project.  Approved: 9Jan09.  Duration: Planned 14 months	Objectives: capacities to implement sustainable management of the shared water resources based on an IWRM approach.  Activities: include i) development of an IWRM plan for the basin; ii) strengthen the capacity of the OMWG through staff training, rehabilitation and expansion of the hydrological observation network, and development of a cooperative framework for water resource management; and iii) support for the development of irrigation in the Guinea Bissau part of the Basin.	Expected Results: The project will address the urgent needs for capacity building to implement IWRM, improve information management, strengthen the development of economic activities though better cooperative management and allocation of the water resources, reduce negative environmental impacts in the basins, and improve the use of the water resources of the Geba river for agriculture.	Status: Ongoing with 1st disbursement 4Dec2009.  Interim Results: Recruitment of the consultant for the development of IWRM plan is nearing completion.
VBA (Volta Basin Authority)  Support for the creation of the Volta Basin Authority.  Financing: Recipient: Gov. Burkina Faso.  Implemented by: Volta Basin Technical Committee (VBTC) in consultation with  Benin, Burkina Faso, Ghana, Mali, Togo)  Approved: 25Mar06.  Duration: Planned 8 months, actual 8 months	Objective: Elaboration of a convention for the creation of the Volta River Basin Authority.  Activities: Organization of a series of national and regional consultative meetings and workshops; drafting and adoption of the convention by basin countries.	Expected Results: Strengthened cooperation and partnership among riparian countries, and additional funding for accelerated development of the basin facilitated.	Status: Activities completed Dec. 2006  Results Achieved: AWF support to the establishment of the VBA lead to ratification of the VBA convention and facilitated implementation of a 2004 EUWI Operations of VBA are now financed by member country fees and donors. Furthermore, VBA as a legally constituted RBO is in the process of implementing its first project, the Volta HYCOS Project, with funding from

	education; facilitating access to financing by beneficiaries; knowledge generation / dissemination and advocacy; and preparation of plans/frameworks for scaling up.	investments mobilised for scaling up pilot projects.	
Ethiopia  Utilisation of solar and wind energy for rural water supply in Ethiopia.  Financing: AWF  -financing to be sought.  Recipient: Ministry of Water Resources (MoWR).  Implemented by: MoWR.  Approved 12Jan09.  Duration: Planned 36 months.	Objectives: Promote and pilot the use of solar and wind energy for water pumping in rural areas of Ethiopia, and so initiate development of a long term investment in these technologies under the Universal Access Programme (UAP) where they are appropriate and most suitable.  Activities include: (i) inception phase consisting of assessment, preparation and sensitisation; (ii) design and implementation in two phases including capacity building of local institutions and communities, technology selection and engineering design; implementation and monitoring; and (iii) development of a framework for incorporation of solar/wind into the UAP including policy development, tools for implementation, private sector support options, communication strategy and awareness creation.	Expected Results: Increased demand for solar/wind technologies from end-users and other stakeholders with 130,000 people directly benefiting from access to water under the pilot schemes. Water sector specialists systematically including solar and wind technological options among those to be considered where conditions allow. Local private sector supporting the supply and after sales service of solar and wind pumping equipment, including supply of spare parts and maintenance.	Status: Ongoing with 1 <sup>st</sup> disbursement 8June2010.
Ghana Improved Sanitation and Water Supply Service Delivery to the Urban Poor in Ghana through Tripartite Partnerships Financing:  -kind)  Recipient: Training, Research and Networking for Development Group (TREND), a local NGO	Objective: Increase access to sanitation and water supply in three urban pilot areas, and strengthen sector capacity for planning and delivery of propoor WASH services in urban areas through tripartite partnerships approaches involving the public, private and NGO sectors.  Activities: (i) test a range of different innovative management models, approaches and technologies for providing WASH services to the urban poor; (ii) provide infrastructure in three	Expected Results: (i) Baseline surveys conducted, designs prepared and WSS infrastructure put in place in the 3 pilot zones, impacting 15,000 people in an urban slum and 30,000 in two small towns; (ii) Innovative technologies and approaches tested, including: multi-purpose water / sanitation / washing facilities, EcoSan, biogas; micro-financing for household latrines; social marketing for sanitation;	Status: Ongoing with 1 <sup>st</sup> disbursement 27July2010
(TREND), a local NGO  Implemented by: TREND Group  Approved: 18Sep09  Duration: Planned 27 months.	pilot areas (two small towns and one urban slum) under the new management models; and (iii) support development of a more enabling environment by undertaking knowledge and advocacy activities.	intensive hygiene education, franchised management of public facilities; private sector entrepreneurs and facility operators, re-use of treated excreta by farmers; (iii) Capacity developed for sustained management of the facilities; (iv) Enabling environment improved for replication and scaling up of pro-poor WASH service delivery in Ghana	

#### Ghana

Design for Reuse - Harvesting the value of effluent and nutrients for sustaining the operation of sanitation facilities

Financing:

**Recipient:** Ghana Water Resources Commission (WRC)

*Implemented by:* WRC with support of International Water Management Institute (IWMI)

Approved 23 June 2010

**Duration:** Planned 30 months

*Objectives:* Improve the long-term operation and integrity of wastewater and faecal sludge treatment plants in urban Ghana

Activities will be implemented on a pilot scale that comprises four value chains: reuse in irrigation; aquaculture; large-scale land application of faecal sludge; and biogas recovery. In addition, the project includes capacity building, to be achieved through developing and publishing planning protocols, and hosting of interactive training workshops.

Expected Results: Reduction of the incidence of waterborne diseases, improvement of access to complete sanitation services, and improved operational and financial sustainability of wastewater treatment plants and faecal sludge treatment plants in Ghana.

*Status:* Awaiting signature of Grant Agreement by Recipient.

### Kenya

Kisumu District primary schools water and sanitation project.

Financing:

HORIZONT300 -kind).

Recipient: HORIZONT3000, a regional

NGO based in UganQ to-

collaboration with local government and NGOs/CBOs.  Approved: 9May07.  Duration: Planned 24 months, actual 36 months.	effective management of the seasonally limited rain water resource; and (iv) promotion of improved sanitation and hygiene among project beneficiaries.		harvesting, and capacity of partner NGOs strengthened.
Uganda Implementation of an integrated project of water supply and sanitation services for the urban poor in Kagugube parish, Kampala Financing: -kind). Recipient: National Water and Sewerage Cooperation (NWSC). Implemented by: NWSC in collaboration with Kampala City Council. Approved: 21Dec06. Duration: Planned 24 months, actual 40 months.	Objectives: Extend access to water supply and sanitation to the urban poor using innovative sanitation technologies, improved water distribution infrastructure and approaches.  Activities include: (i) establish sanitation services tailored to the needs of the urban poor in the low-income community, with a special focus on Ecological Sanitation; (ii) expand and rehabilitate the water supply network; (iii) ensure access to water for the urban poor at the official tariffs by installing pre-paid stand pipes; and (iv) strengthen the NWSC Unit charged with developing pro-poor infrastructure and operational mechanisms.	Expected Results: The 14,000 residents of Kagugube Parish will have improved access to water and sanitation and be more aware of health hazards. Innovative off-site dry sanitation based on ecological sanitation principles will be introduced. The lessons learnt from the implementation of this pilot project will used for scaling up the provision of improved water supply and sanitation services to the urban poor in Kampala and other major towns in Uganda.	Status: Project activities completed 2 <sup>nd</sup> quarter 2010  Results Achieved: Construction of water supply and sanitation infrastructure including 32 pre-paid meters enabling 24 hr access at the NWSC low social tariff for the urban poor; one additional public toilet with ablution facilities; and 150 household toilet stances for a beneficiary community of  Pro-poor unit for WSS service delivery to the urban poor in Uganda.    NWSC Approved tariffs at Stand posts   NWSC Approved tariffs at Stand posts
Zimbabwe Chitungwiza Water and Sanitation	<i>Objective:</i> Rehabilitate the critical components of the municipal water supply and sanitation	<b>Expected Results:</b> The project is a bridging intervention between emergency and	Status: Grant agreement signed 22Feb10. Awaiting evidences for Grant Effectiveness

Rehabilitation

Financing: AWF

Recipient: Municipal Council of

Chitungwiza

*Implemented by:* Municipal Council of Chitungwiza - Engineering Services

Department

Approved: 13Aug09

**Duration:** Planned 14 months

systems and build institutional and community capacity for improved water and sanitation services.

Activities: (i) undertake urgent repairs to equipment and undertake source development to ensure improved access and availability of water to all parts of the municipality; (ii) improve capacity to evacuate wastewater and remove solid wastes from households and industry; (iii) reduce environmental pollution by re-commissioning treatment plants to enable partial treatment of wastewater; (iv) strengthen municipal capacity to provide WSS services and enhance strategic and investment planning; and (v) support community involvement in WSS service delivery.

resources information management (1);

facilitating farmers access to finance (1); knowledge generation and dissemination (2); project preparation and resource mobilisation (2)

longer-term development assistance. It will address the most pressing problems of water and sanitation service provision that may avert another outbreak of cholera in the city. It will stabilise and improve the existing water and sanitation system, and establish a platform for more rational planning of subsequent stages of interventions to bring the services back to normalcy and for future development. As well, this intervention constitutes an entry point to build stakeholder confidence, catalyze internal and donor resources, support the preparation of long-term investment plans and generate knowledge on transitional assistance in a post-conflict setting.

(iv) mobilisation or resources for scaling up

pilot projects, and implementation of

to be submitted by the Recipient.

As part of ongoing advanced procurement, a Consultant has been engaged to undertake a Rapid Assessment of the water supply and sewerage systems in Chitungwiza - the report is expected in early part of 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter.

Water for Productive Uses - Agriculture and Food Security					
Project Details	Objectives and Main Activities	Expected results	Status and Actual/Interim Results		
Summary of Water for Productive Uses 1	Investment Projects				
Five projects approved. Total AWF grants -financed. Two projects implemented by NGOs and three by government. FAO providing tech. assistance for one project.	Objectives: Piloting rainwater harvesting for multi-purpose uses (3 projects); improved management of water resources for agriculture (2)  Activities include: improving control and management of on-farm water resources (3); provision of water harvesting infrastructure (3); strengthening capacity of support agencies and institutions (4); training farmers and communities (5); ecosystem conservation and EIA (2); water	Expected Results include: (i) increased productivity on approx. 28,000 ha of farmland; (ii) approx. 24,000 beneficiaries having improved access to water for drinking, irrigation and livestock uses; (v) improved food security and income generation within rural communities; (iii) increased access to finance by smallholder farmers; (iii) better knowledge of rainwater harvesting and low cost irrigation options;			

Pandamatenga agricultural production.  Financing:	funding.  Activities include specific project preparatory and water management activities related to (i) water drainage systems, (ii) water control and management initiatives and (iii) ecosystem conservation, including preparation or updating of EIAs.	management. Triggering of investments in agricultural production infrastructure development from the Government.	on the productivity of the land and food security. Results include: (i) detailed designs of Water Drainage Systems for 2,500ha have been prepared; (ii) the demonstration of water control techniques, training of extension personnel and existing farmers (36 out of 263 target) and the acquisition of soil and water testing equipment has been carried out; (iii) the ESIA for 2,500ha has been conducted and the EIA for 25,000ha updated; and (iv) this has enabled follow-on investments by the already under implementation.
Djibouti Water harvesting project for water supply and agriculture in rural districts of the Republic of Djibouti Financing:  (in-kind). Recipient: Gov. of Djibouti. Implemented by the Dept. of Hydraulic	Objectives: Piloting innovative run-off water harvesting technologies for drinking water, irrigation and livestock uses in two rural districts.  Activities include: (i) construction of hydraulic structures including 14 underground storage tanks, surface reservoirs and diversion works, (ii) improved knowledge of the hydrogeologic conditions in the project zone; (iii) capacity building of government water resource engineering departments; and (iv) sector	Expected Results: Improved access to water for multi-purpose uses by the rural nomad populations (2,400); better knowledge of the available water resources in the project area; and increased investments through scaling-up of the new technologies in water harvesting at the country level.	Status: Ongoing with 1st disbursement 12Sept2008  Interim Results: (i) 37 rain water harvesting structures constructed and utilized for drip irrigation and water supply for vulnerable populations and sites for construction of new structures identified; (ii) Arrangements underway to involve private sector in the supply of reservoir lining and treadle pumps for drip irrigation,

Resources of the Agriculture Ministry, in partnership with IFAD.  Approved: 29Jan08.  Duration: Planned 20 months.	assessment and preparation of bankable projects for funding.		the major constraints to widespread adoption of rainwater harvesting techniques; (iii) Feasibility study on the using of solar energy for pumping completed; (iv) Two farmers associations trained on irrigation technologies; (v) Study on the initial environmental status of the project area completed
Rwanda Pilot project for the introduction of water harvesting techniques in Bugesera Financing: -kind). Recipient: Government of Rwanda. Implemented by: Ministry of Lands and Environment with technical assistance of FAO. Approved: 22Dec06. Duration: Planned 16 months.	Objectives: Introduction of rainwater harvesting (RWH) techniques for agriculture and livestock use, as well as to supply drinking water for human consumption, in a rural district of Rwanda.  Activities relate to: (i) introduction of appropriate low cost systems for the collection of rainwater for irrigation and drinking water; (ii) increase productivity of the land through proper management and sustainable conservation; and (iii) reinforce the capacities of local farmers and support agencies to implement and manage techniques for RWH and protection of natural resources.	Expected Results: Improved living conditions for about 21,200 rural beneficiaries through increased agricultural production and improved access to water for human and livestock consumption. The results of this pilot scheme will also make it possible to popularize and scale up the techniques for RWH throughout areas in the country which frequently suffer from the effects of drought.	Status: Nearing completion with 2 <sup>nd</sup> disbursement 30July2010.  Interim Results: Several Rain Water harvesting structures constructed and utilized for drip irrigation and water supply for vulnerable populations. Arrangements underway to involve private sector in the supply of reservoir lining and treadle pumps for drip irrigation, the major constraints to widespread adoption of rainwater harvesting techniques.
South Africa Integrated Water Harvesting Project. Mpumalanga Financing:	Objective: assist communities in the Ehlanzeni District of Mpumalanga Province of South Africa to improve output from their communal food gardens through collection and management of surface run-off from precipitation and better	Expected Results: Improve food security and income generation of the communities in Ehlanzeni District. The project will also demonstrate and stimulate interest in rainwater harvesting technologies and	Status: Ongoing with 1st disbursement 12Jan2010.  Interim Results: Consultants procured.

kind).	management of soil moisture.	related approaches to secure water for food	
Recipient: Ecolink (local NGO)	Activities: (i) Community capacity building to	and income.	
Implemented by: Ecolink	strengthen food security and income generation		
Approved: 14 Apr 09.	(ii) Development of learning resources (iii)		
Duration: Planned 30 months.	Construction of Rainwater Harvesting Infrastructure and related technologies (iv)		
	Outreach and institutional capacity strengthening		
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Excavation of rainwater st	forage pond for community gardens	Community garden and rock for addition	onal rainwater catchment under design
Zambia	Objectives: Promotion and use of improved on-	Expected Results: (i) about 1000	<i>Status:</i> Ongoing with 1 <sup>st</sup> disbursement
Community water management	farm water resources management methods and	smallholder farmers investing in self-supply	29June2010.
improvement project for traditional	low-cost irrigation technologies for food security	solutions for improved production and	
farmers in Mkushi, Kapiri Mposhi,	and poverty reduction by smallholder farmers in	income generation; (ii) creation of enabling	
Masaiti and Chingola districts.	5 districts, through access to micro credits.	environment for smallholder self-supply	
Financing:	Activities: (i) institutional capacity-building and	investments; (iii) increased availability of affordable irrigation equipment; and (iv)	
	empowerment of farmers; (ii) improving water access for enhanced productivity; (iii) credit	improved knowledge on low-cost irrigation	
	access & investment facilitation; and (iv)	options among farmers and major	
Recipient: DAPP (local NGO).	knowledge dissemination.	stakeholders	
Implemented by: DAPP.			
Approved: 12Nov09.			
Duration: Planned 36 months.			

Demonstration of manual borehole Rope pump for demonstration Community garden irrigated with treadle pump

### **AUC (African Union Commission)**

Programme for Infrastructure Development in Africa (PIDA) ± Transboundary Water Resource (TWR) Infrastructure Study

Financing: AWF

sector study. Other sector studies financed

by NEPAD-

3,886,693 1,523,857; DfID

432,075 666,461

Recipient: AUC

Implemented by: AfDB Approved: 27 Jan. 2010

**Duration**: Planned 21 months from Grant

Signature.

Objective: Enable African decision-makers to: i) establish a strategic framework for the development of regional and continental water infrastructure, based on a shared development vision, strategic objectives and sector policies; ii) establish a TWR infrastructure investment programme around priorities established by Basin Organisations and Regional Economic Communities (RECs); and iii) prepare an implementation strategy and processes

Activities: i) diagnosis, analysis and preparation of a vision and draft framework and programme for infrastructure development in Africa; ii) review and development of a strategic framework, infrastructure development programme, a priority action plan and implementation strategies; and iii) secure ownership of the study results through high-level meetings and workshops at the sector, regional and continental levels.

Expected Results: The project will promote the joint development of shared waters in African and put in place an agreed upon programme for improvement of regional TWR infrastructure and services. It will focus political will, promote regional integration, facilitate the development of legal and regulatory frameworks, put in place effective global/regional partnerships, and support the leveraging of investments to bridge the water infrastructure gap in the continent.

**Status:** Grant Effective as of 14 Dec.2010 and awaiting first disbursement.

## **Burkina Faso**

Feasibility and design study of storm water drainage and solid waste management systems in Ouagadougou.

Financing:

-kind).

Recipient: Ministry of Finance.

Implemented by: Ouagadougou City

Authorities.

Approved 29Apr08.

Duration Planned 20 months.

Objectives: Contribute to the improvement of public health and hygiene conditions for the underprivileged social layers of Ouagadougou, and safeguarding of the environment.

Infrastructure investments consist of: extension of the city sanitary landfill, closure and removal of all illegal garbage dumps, rehabilitation of the main storm water channel, and upgrading road networks and associated storm water drainage systems;

Activities: (i) feasibility and design studies, environmental impact assessment and tender documents; (ii) improving capacity of the city authorities to govern and finance the infrastructure O&M by strengthening technical, managerial, and public communication capabilities; and (iii) establishment of a credit mechanism for independent service providers.

Expected Results: The project will prepare the technical, financial, and institutional basis for sustainable sanitary and drainage infrastructure development under an overall planning framework. It will also create a basis for implementation of the identified infrastructure investments in Ouagadougou

and it will involve identification of prospective financial sources and arrange a donor meeting to mobilise the required funding.

*Status:* Ongoing with 1<sup>st</sup> disbursement 26Jan2009.

*Interim Results:* (i) Studies completed and technical reports under finalization. and (ii) Short term plan for training elaborated.

## Cameroon

Inventory of rural water supply and sanitation infrastructures.

Financing:

kind not quantified.

**Recipient:** Government of Cameroon.

*Implemented by*: Department of Water and Hydrology (DHH) of the Ministry of

Energy and Water.

Recipient: Government of Chad. Implemented by: Dept. of Hydraulics of the Ministry of Water. Approved: 27Dec07 Study duration: Planned 6 months.	systems and water resources in the country; (ii) development of a database and training in its use; and (iii) reinforcing the institutional capacity to use the database for planning purposes.	prepare investment plans to attract financing from potential donors.	
Congo (Brazzaville)  Study for the expansion and rehabilitation of water supply and sanitation services in Brazzaville and Pointe Noire.  Financing: -kind).  Recipient: Gov. of Congo. Implemented by Ministry of Energy and Water.  Approved 11July07.  Duration: Planned 20 months from approval, actual 30 months.	Objectives: Carry out an institutional and technical diagnostic and prepare priority works for water supply, sanitation, storm water drainage and solid wastes in Brazzaville and Pointe Noire to meet MDG 2015 and African Water Vision 2025 targets.  Activities: (i) assessment of existing situation; (ii) feasibility study to assess various options; (iii) detailed study and preparation of selected alternatives, with environmental impact analysis and priority investment plan; (iv) resource mobilisation; and (v) capacity building of sector institutions.	Expected Results: Improved institutional and technical framework of the sector leading to financing of priority projects. The expected medium term impacts/outcomes of these and other project facilitated sector investments include: meeting of WSS needs; improvement in the management of the water supply and sewerage systems; reduction of flooding risks; improvements in solid waste disposal; and reduced incidence of water borne diseases.	Status: Project activities completed Q4-2009.  Results Achieved: The project has led to an improved institutional framework and financing of priority WSS projects. An Investment Programme was prepared  million was at detailed project design level. obilized in a March 2009 roundtable for priority WSS investments.
Egypt Comprehensive Study and Project Preparation for the Rehabilitation of the Nubaria and Ismailia Canals. Financing: Egypt in-kind contributions not quantified. Recipient: Gov. of Egypt. Implemented by: Ministry of Water Resources and Irrigation (MWRI). Approved 18Oct07. Study duration Planned 26 months.	Objectives: Seek technically feasible and economically and socially viable solutions for efficient water control and system management to reduce water shortages and water-logging in the two canal systems.  Activities: (i) inventory of the major hydraulic works; (ii) production of pre-feasibility study reports for canal improvements; (iii) preparation of technical proposals for major infrastructure investments; (iv) semi-detailed designs and contractual documents for canal improvements, including full environmental and social impact assessment and management plan; (v) mobilisation of financial resources.	Expected Results: Investments of  be made by the AfDB for the rehabilitation and upgrading of 244 km of canals, along with additional amounts from other sources. As a result, an increased volume of water and area of irrigable land will be made available, along with solutions for efficient water control and system management. This will directly benefit an estimated 1.3 million families and 2000 industries in the two canal command areas.	Status: Ongoing with 1st disbursement 6Nov2008  Interim Results: Finalization of the procurement of the consultancy services.
Egypt  Master plan for the rehabilitation / replacement of major hydraulic structures on the Nile.  Financing:	Objectives: Assess and design improvements of major hydraulic structures and thus contribute to objective will be attained through: (i) Preparation of a Master Plan for the rehabilitation/	Expected Results: i) Funds mobilized for the rehabilitation /replacement of hydraulic structures on the Nile; ii) Improved water use efficiency and productivity on the Nile in Egypt.	Status: Grant Agreement signed 5Apr10. Awaiting evidences for Grant Effectiveness to be submitted by the Recipient.

Egypt in-kind, MIC- TAF  Recipient: Gov. of Egypt.  Implemented by: Ministry of Water Resources and Irrigation (MWRI).  Approved 3Nov09.  Study duration Planned 36 months.	replacement of major hydraulic control structures on the Nile; and (ii) Preparation of a capital investment project for one priority major structure in order to facilitate the mobilisation of funds for implementation.  *Activities: (i) site investigations, development of a Geographic Information System (GIS) and Strategic Environmental Assessment (SEA). (ii) safety evaluations and development of a decision support system; (iii) development of a master plan and preparation of detailed designs for one priority major structure.		
Gabon  Updating of urban storm-water drainage infrastructure development studies in Libreville  Financing: AWF  Recipient: Ministry of Public Works, Infrastructure and Construction  Implemented by Ministry of Public Works, Infrastructure and Construction Approved 15Jun09.  Duration Planned 16 months.	Objectives: To contribute to the improvement of the living conditions of the population in three key river basins (Gué-Gué, Lowé-IAI and Terre Nouvelle basin) of Libreville by updating of stormwater drainage studies.  Activities: i) preparation of feasibility study reports; ii) updating of detailed designs; iii) training of personnel of the Government Administration and local NGOs; iv) updating of tender documents for the infrastructure investments; v) procurement of software and computer for the sanitation data base; vi) creation of a sanitation data base; and vii) establishment of a financing plan for sanitation infrastructure	Expected Results: At the end of the project, the Government will have documents necessary (feasibility study reports, detailed designs and tender documents) for mobilizing the funds required to implement the infrastructure investments.	Status: Ongoing with 1st disbursement 30Aug2010.
Lake Victoria Basin Commission (LVBC)  Water and sanitation initiative: Preparation of investment plan for 15 centres.  Financing: (in-kind).  Recipient: East Africa Community (EAC) Secretariat.  Implemented by LVBC as executing agency in collaboration with UN-Habitant.  Approved 2Mar08.  Study duration Planned 7 months.	Objectives: Identify an integrated package of interventions for the long term development of WSS and environmental management services in 15 high priority secondary towns/centres, including water supply and sanitation improvements, solid waste management, and drainage improvements in key areas.  Activities: (i) needs assessment and impact appraisal of options; (ii) formulation and validation of an investment plan; (ii) preparation of detailed designs and tender documents for immediate works; (iv) preparation of implementation and financing plan; and (v) institutional analysis and capacity building.	Expected Results: The 15 project towns/centres are expected to meet MDG targets for water supply, sanitation and health through execution of immediate works and provision of adequate funding for longer term improvements. As well, lake water quality will be improved, contributing to the management of its sensitive ecology.	Status: Activities completed with 4 <sup>th</sup> and final disbursement made on 24 September 2010  Results achieved: The planed study reports, investment/financing plans, and detailed design and tender documents for the development of water supply and sanitation infrastructure were prepared and a review workshop carried out. The project has already resulted in the ap million investment project by the AfDB in 2010.

#### Lesotho

Development of planning framework for rural water and sanitation.

### Financing:

-kind).

**Recipient:** Dept. of Rural Water Supply and Sanitation (DRWS).

*Implemented by* DRWS in coordination with local government authorities.

Approved 11May07.

Study duration Planned 6 months.

*Objectives:* Assist sector agencies to better manage the development and operation of WSS facilities based on a sound strategic investment plan, and a comprehensive underlying database and planning framework.

Activities include: (i) preparation of geo-referenced database of community water and sanitation conditions; (ii) development of cost estimating model based on local unit costs; and (iii) strengthening capacity of communities and support agencies to use the planning framework; and (iv) preparation of investment plans for the rural WSS sector aimed at meeting the MDG (2015) and National Vision 2020

Expected Results: The project will catalyse an increase in the flow of funding to the sector based on improved donor confidences and a solidly founded investment programme. Sector agencies will have the increased capacity to make use of these funds to plan and implement water and sanitation projects based on detailed knowledge of community level needs, and costs of maintenance and expansion.

*Status:* Ongoing with 1<sup>st</sup> disbursement 8June2009

*Interim Results:* Study under way. Inception report prepared March 2010.

#### Liberia

Monrovia expansion and rehabilitation of three county capitals water supply and sanitation study.

### Financing:

-kind).

**Recipient:** Gov. of Liberia, Ministry of Finance.

*Implemented by* Liberia Water and Sewerage Corporation (LWSC).

Approved: 22Jan08.

Duration: Planned 15 months.

Objectives: Develop plans for the rehabilitation and expansion of water supply and sanitation systems to meet 2025 demands in Monrovia and three county capitals (Kakata, Zwedru and Buchanan), including preparation of economically and technically sound priority projects to facilitate the process of mobilising the necessary investments.

Activities consist of: (i) feasibility study; (ii) detailed designs and preparation of tender documents; and (iii) resource mobilization efforts.

Expected Results: The study addresses the urgent need for reliable and affordable WSS service provision to the 1.75 million people living in Monrovia and three county towns who are largely without access to WSS services due damages suffered to water infrastructure as a result of the civil war. As a result, coverage is planned to increase from the current 22% with access to safe water and 15% basic sanitation, to 45% by year 2010 and 100% by year 2025 for both WSS.

*Status:* Ongoing with 2<sup>nd</sup> disbursement 27Apr2010.

Interim Results: Draft final detailed design reports and tender documents being finalised. Revised investment requirements amounting to about US\$267 million will be presented in a government-led multisectoral donor roundtable meeting with date to be announced. Of this requirement, AfDB will launch a \$40 million investment project in October 2010.

#### Malawi/Tanzania

Detailed Design of Songwe River Basin Development Programme (SRBDP)

Financing: AWF

1,226,295; Gov. Of Malawi: 407,610; and

**Recipient:** The Governments of the United Republic of Tanzania and the Republic of Malawi

*Implemented by*: Joint Steering Committee and Committee of Officials

**Objective:** Create an effective enabling environment for TWRM in the Songwe River Basin, including preparation of joint investment projects for implementation.

Activities: (i) preparation of a shared Vision to 2050; (ii) updating of the SRBDP; (iii) updating feasibility studies, detailed designs and preparation of investment projects; (iv) Strategic Environmental & Social Assessment (SESA) and Environmental & Social Impact Assessment (ESIA); (v) institutional development including establishment of a River Basin Commission,

Expected Results: The project will put in place the mechanisms for improved cooperation and governance of the Transboundary water resources. The development of the Songwe river basin will lead to: (i) increased access to electricity for the populations in the basin and the entire two countries; (ii) increased access to water supply; (iii) reduced frequency of floods and risks of overtopping of flood plain; and (iv) increased irrigated land and crop yield. Over the long term, the project will facilitate realisation of the Shared Vision

*Status:* Grant Agreement and MOU under preparation.

Approved: 25 May 2010 Duration: Planned 32 months	preparation of instruments for IWRM, and capacity building.	2010 - 2050 in terms of reduced poverty and increased resilience of basin population to changing natural and socio-economic conditions.	
Mozambique Preparation of the national rural water supply and sanitation programme (NRWSSP). Financing: -kind not quantified. Recipient: National Directorate of Water (DNA) Implemented by the DNA. Approved 21Dec06. Duration Planned 18 months, actual 33 months.	Objectives: Review the current implementation of RWSS services and prepare a comprehensive and well coordinated programme for immediate implementation throughout the country.  Activities include: (i) undertaking an assessment of the current situation; (ii) developing RWSS services demand assessment and investment forecasts; (iii) formulation of institutional arrangements and legal frameworks; (iv) designing a capacity building strategy; (v) preparing the country RWSS investment program and priority action plan; and (vi) establishing a financial strategy for the sector.	efforts to improve the rural water supply and sanitation situation and meet national and MDG targets. The preparation of a NRWSSP will promote common approaches and harmonized development assistance under a SWAP. The study will also facilitate institutional strengthening and capacity building efforts, and will assist the Government to catalyse the necessary resources.	Status: Project activities completed Q3-2009.  Results Achieved: The NRWSSP and operation manual have been completed as planned. The project has already enabled pledges of USD 128.4 million towards Phase 1 of the Program (with a total cost of USD300.0 million), of which \$111.0 million is from development partners and \$17.4 million from the Government of Mozambique. The project has also facilitated institutional strengthening and capacity building efforts.
Mozambique Integrated study and project preparation for COFAMOSA irrigation project. Financing: 1,178,367, -kind). Recipient: Gov. of Mozambique. Implemented by Ministry of Agriculture through the National Directorate of Hydraulics. Partners include farmers groups, private sugar companies, PETROMOC. Approved: 22Nov07. Duration Planned 13 months.	Objectives: Undertake feasibility study and project preparation to enable the mobilization of funds for the development of 10,000 ha irrigated farmland. Sugar cane has been proposed in the pre-feasibility study as the main crop to be grown in the area to supply cane for sugar/ethanol production.  Activities: (i) analysis of technical, institutional, economic, social, environmental and financial aspects of the project; (ii) preparation of semidetailed designs and bill of quantities; (iii) assessment of Public-Private-Partnership models between the GoM, independent farmers, sugar companies, and PETROMOC (national petroleum company); and (iv) organization of a financial resources mobilization workshop.	Expected Results: The study will result in the catalysing of investments for the development of 10,000 ha of irrigated farm land under a PPP arrangement. As well, utilization of water resources and water infrastructure will be optimized, and agricultural productivity will be increased through the production of high value crops under irrigation.	Status: Ongoing with 1st disbursement 26Mar2009  Interim Results: Additional investments committed by Spain which required revision/rationalisation of study.
Southern Africa Development Community (SADC) Support to SADC regional water supply and sanitation programme Financing: AWF	Objective: Establish a regional framework for effective water supply and sanitation planning and management to facilitate SADC Member States to achieve the water supply and sanitation MDGs by 2015.  Activities: i) Financing needs analysis,	Expected Results: The project is designed to assist SADC Secretariat to commence implementation of the WSS Programme that was developed in 2004 (and validated in 2008), provides a strong platform for joint actions and strengthens the long term cooperative framework for water resources	Status: Grant Effective as of November 2010.

Recipient: SADC Secretariat Implemented by SADC Secretariat Approved 5Jun09. Duration Planned 27months.	developing approaches and promoting options to improve water financing; ii) Institutions - strengthening national WSS institutions through reforms, HR development, sector coordination and enhanced stakeholder participation; iii) Infrastructure development support - improving the planning, implementation and management of regional and local infrastructure projects; iv) M&E - formulating and implementing a harmonized monitoring framework; and v) Developing a regional knowledge management programme.	management. It will allow regional countries to leverage funding, implement WSS projects more effectively and learn/share knowledge in a more systematic fashion.	
Senegal  Ziguinchor sanitation master plan study.  Financing: -kind).  Recipient: Gov. of Senegal.  Implemented by ONAS (National Office of Sanitation) in collaboration with the Ziguinchor City Council.  Approved 20Dec06.  Duration Planned 21 months.	Objectives: Improve the sanitation and drainage situation in different districts of Zinguinchor.  Activities: (i) preparation of a Master Plan including the development of an overall investment plan for sanitation, wastewater treatment and storm water drainage up to 2025; (ii) feasibility studies and designs for priority projects; (iii) promotion and demonstration of innovative on-site sanitation technologies; and (iv) identification and mobilisation of funding partners.	Expected Results: The project has a high strategic importance as it is based on an innovative approach to urban sanitation using ecological on-site solutions combined with a limited sewerage network and wastewater treatment. Potential cost savings using the optimized on-site sanitation technologies are very substantial. The project will also help resolve the environment issues generated by poor wastewater management, reduce the severity of flooding caused by heavy rains, and mobilize funding for planned investments.	Status: Nearing completion with 2 <sup>nd</sup> disbursement 14June2010. Audit report under finalization.  Interim Results: (i) Studies on institutional, organisational, economic and financial aspects of sanitation completed; (ii) Strategies for management of storm and waste water completed; (iii) Master plan for sanitation under preparation; (iv) Construction of pilot sanitation infrastructures underway.
Seychelles  Water supply development plan 2008- 2030.  Financing: -kind).  Recipient: Gov. of Seychelles.  Implemented by the Water and Sewerage Division of the Public Utilities Corporation.  Approved 3Apr08.  Duration Planned 17 months.	Objectives: The project is primarily intended to formulate a Water Supply Development Plan for the three main islands of the Seychelles in order to attract the necessary water project investments to meet demands up to the year 2030. It will also improve performance and service delivery of the PUC WSD and improve demand-side management to reduce water usage.  Activities: (i) Preparation of Water Supply Development Plan to 2030 and a priority investment programme to 2015; (ii) identify and implement measures to reduce overall water demand, and (iii) improve performance and service delivery of the Public Utility Corporation.	Expected Results: The overall goal is to mobilise adequate financing to ensure the availability of adequate and affordable water up to the year 2030 to meet the needs of population, industry and tourism. It will also results in WSS services more effectively and satisfactorily delivered to all consumers, and a reduced demand for water as a result of conservation, reuse, reduced UFW, appropriate tariffs and public awareness.	Status: Ongoing with 1st disbursement 26Jan2009 Interim Results: Consultant has submitted inception and phase 1 reports.

La Gogue dam, Seychelles  Swaziland  Lower Usuthu Smallholder Irrigation  Project ± Phase II Preliminary Studies  Financing:  196 062  Recipient: Government of Swaziland	Beau Vallon WWTP  Objectives: Carry out the preparatory work necessary for the implementation of LUSIP Phase II.  Activities: (i) water resources development feasibility studies and plans; (ii) environmental and social impact assessment; (iii) financial and economic analysis of Phase II; (iv) detailed	Anse Boileau desalination plant, Mahé  Expected Results: The study will enable the GoS to secure financing for LUSIP Phase II from a number of donors and proceed with the physical implementation of the project. The infrastructures to be developed, including irrigation systems and water supply and sanitation facilities, are expected to contribute towards the sustainable.	Water meters for house connections, Water Development Plan, PUC Seychelles  Status: Grant Agreement signed 17Feb2010. Awaiting evidences for Grant Effectiveness to be submitted by the Recipient.
Implemented by SWADE Approved 29May09 Duration Planned 18 months.	designs and tender document preparation for irrigation infrastructure and water supply and sanitation facilities; and (v) organization of a	to contribute towards the sustainable development of the agricultural sector and poverty reduction in rural Swaziland.	
Tanzania  Arusha Strategic Sanitation Plan Preparation.  Financing: -kind).  Recipient: Arusha Municipal Council (AMC)  Implemented by the AMC in collaboration with the Arusha Urban Water and Sewerage Authority (AUWSA), in collaboration with UN- Habitat and Danida.	Objectives: Endow the Arusha Municipal Council (AMC) and its partners involved in the provision of sanitations services with a broad set of strategies and a detailed implementation plan to improve the functioning of services for sanitation, solid waste, storm water drainage, and drinking water supply.  Activities include: (i) development of a Strategic Framework proposing a range of preferred service options and approaches; (ii) pilot works to demonstrate the variety of available technologies and to generate demand; and (iii) an implementation plan and investment programme.	Expected Results: The preparation of a comprehensive and coherent strategic sanitation plan will lead to increased sanitation and urban environmental management investments which adequately address the demands of the inhabitants of the municipality. Most significantly it will provide the AMC and AUWSA a basis to seek funding from external and internal sources.	Status: Ongoing with 1 <sup>st</sup> disbursement 9Apr2009.  Interim Results: Development of strategic sanitation plan is underway.

Approved 22Nov07.		
Duration Planned 12 months.		

# IMPROVING WATER KNOWLEDGE

Water Resources Information Ma	nagement		
Project Details	Objectives and Main Activities	Expected results	Status and Actual/Interim Results
Summary of Water Resources Information	on Management Projects		
Ten projects approved. Total AWF grants by regional organisations and 4 by government, with most projects involving partners in various roles and capacities.	Objectives: Improving information on national (3 projects) and transboundary (5) surface water (7) and groundwater resources (2).  Activities typically include: establishment or strengthening of hydrological observation systems (4) or water information systems (2); strengthening data generation and management capabilities (8); capacity building of sector institutions (8); studies on various socialeconomic, gender, environmental issues (2); and support to research and knowledge activities (2).	Expected Results: include (i) improved hydrological data and information systems for better planning and management of national and transboundary water resources; (ii) strengthened institutional capacity for information management; (iii) better knowledge on key water issues.	Status and Actual Results: Three projects completed, resulting in: (i) enhanced knowledge of the North-Western Sahara aquifer system through the use of satellite data; (ii) improved information and knowledge on the water resources of the Congo River Basin; (iii) increased availability of good quality hydrological data and information for the Niger Basin, and improved capacity to make use of this data for WRM.
CICOS (International Commission of Congo-Oubanguie-Sangha basin) Strengthening the information and knowledge capacity of CICOS for the water resources management of the Congo River Basin.  Financing: -kind).  Recipient: CICOS. Implemented by: CICOS Secretariat in collaboration with GTZ, SADC, CICOS Basin Countries (Cameroon, Central African Republic, DRC, Angola, Burundi, Tanzania, Rwanda and Zambia).  Approved: 17May07.  Duration: Planned 12 months.	Objectives: Improve the water management of the Congo River Basin by strengthening the database, information and knowledge about the Congo River, and reinforcing the capacities of CICOS for the collection and management of hydrological data and water resources information.  Activities: (i) Development of a centralised system under CICOS for the collection, evaluation and management of the data and hydrological information; (ii) Establishment of a hydrological observation system through the rehabilitation and installation of the HYCOS stations and training of hydrological services staff; and (iii) Preparation of a comprehensive study to gather reliable socio-economic and gender baseline information, as well as on the biodiversity and aquatic resources.	Expected Results: Contribute to the sustainable management of the Congo basin though improved knowledge on the water resources of the Congo basin, with data and information necessary for the planning and development of the water resources of the river basin made available. The project will also provide much needed inputs into the development of the AWF funded project Strategic Action Plan for the Congo basin (see TWRM section above).	Status: Activities completed in 4 <sup>th</sup> quarter 2010.  Results Achieved: (i) design of an information system (SIBCO); establishment of the protocol framework for data sharing amongst the Member States; and Creation of a Web site (www.CICOS.info); (ii) acquisition and establishment of HYCOS stations at key hydrological reference sites, and training of national technicians; (iii) improved knowledge of socio-economic and gender condition, as well as of biodiversity and aquatic resources.

Ethiopia  Support to the development of water information and knowledge management systems.  Financing: , Govkind).  Recipient: Ministry of Water Resources (MoWR).  Implemented by: MoWR with potential partners UNICEF, UNECA, WSP.  Approved 2Oct06.  Duration Planned 18 months.	Objectives: Water Information and Knowledge management systems to provide reliable and timely qualitative and quantitative data and information for water sector planning and management.  Activities: (i) support to the establishment of National water information system; (ii) strengthen water quality data generation and management; (iii) reinforce water research and knowledge management; (iv) support the establishment of groundwater database; and (v) upgrade and expand ICT infrastructure capacity.	Expected Results: As a result of the project, Ethiopia will have a much better capacity to manage its water resources through a better coordinated information and knowledge environment. The timely availability of reliable information will improve decision making on water issues, enhance planning and design of water sector activities, and help ensure effective implementation of the Ethiopian IWRM Plan.	Status: Nearing completion with 3 <sup>rd</sup> and final disbursement 17aug2010  Interim Results: The water information system has been developed and national consensus on implementation reached in a workshop. ICT for data transfer and management established for the Ministry of Water Resources. Strengthening of Water Quality data and information, and research on key water topics, are underway.
IGAD (Inter Governmental Authority on Development)  Mapping, assessment and management of transboundary water resources in the IGAD sub-region.	<i>Objectives:</i> Strengthen the regional capacity to provide hydrological data and information services, and to develop cooperation mechanisms for water resources management amongst IGAD member countries.	Expected Results: IGAD and its member countries will have an increased knowledge of, and enhanced capacity to manage their trans-boundary water resources, which will serve as a basis for equitable sharing of	Status: Ongoing with 2 <sup>nd</sup> disbursement 14July2010.  Interim Results: preparation of thematic maps is also underway. Preparation of national reports for 5 of the 7 countries
-kind).  Recipient: IGAD.  Implemented by: OSS (Sahara and Sahel Observatory), in collaboration with WMO and IGAD Basin Countries (Djibouti, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Kenya, Somalia, Sudan and Uganda).  Approved: 9Jan07.	Activities: (i) Assessment of data, information and knowledge of the transboundary water resources; (ii) Socio-economic and environmental analysis; (iii) Preparation of digitalized thematic maps and GIS; and (iv): National and Sub Regional capacity building to implement and operate an integrated sub-regional transboundary water resources management process.	water among riparian countries. It will enable the IGAD countries to produce reliable and easily accessible information respectively for each transboundary water system; prioritise and plan joint development of shared transboundary aquifer basins; and initiate joint arrangements for implementation of transboundary water development activities under a shared vision.	completed by national consultants and validated in National Workshops
Duration: Planned 24 months.			
Mali Support to IWRM Implementation Financing: AWF : 148 500 (in-kind), Recipient: des Finances	Objective: Reinforce water resource information management capacities and improve the allocation of water resources  Activities: (i) support the establishment of the National Water Information System (SINEAU) and hydrological networks; (ii) assessment and	Expected Results: (i) a better understanding of national water resources and improved adaptability to climatic change impacts thanks to the increased availability of water resource data and strengthened information management capacities; (ii) increased socioeconomic impacts from hydraulic	Status: Grant Agreement signed 28May10. Awaiting evidences for Grant Effectiveness to be submitted by the Recipient.

reactivation of the Water Resource Management

Commission; (iii) capacity building of DNH and SINEAU management and technicians; (vi)

Implemented by:

installations due to the improved allocation

of available water resources.

Approved: 7 Jan 2010  Duration: Planned 30 months from Grant Signature.	assessment of financing mechanisms for SINEAU.		
NBA (Niger Basin Authority) Support for Niger Basin HYCOS Project. Financing: -kind), NBA countries -kind), Recipient: NBA. Implemented by: NBA and the NHS of each member country (Benin, Burkina, Niger, Nigeria, and Chad), in partnerships with WMO, AFD, IRD, AGRHYMET. Approved: 6Oct06. Duration: Planned 24 months.	Objectives: Promote more effective water development within the Niger Basin by the NBA and the member states, through increased availability of good quality hydrological data and information, and improved national/regional capacity to make use of this data for water resources planning.  Activities: (i) enhancing the hydrological network through the upgrading of the Niger HYCOS; (ii) strengthening the National Hydrological Services (NHS); (iii) building the capacity of the NBA; and (iv) strengthening hydrological forecasting services.	Expected Results: A system in place that provides reliable and easily accessible information on water resources of the basin that will serve as a basis for equitable sharing of water among riparian countries, sectors and users. The project will also enable NBA and the National Hydrological Services (NHS) of the member states to collectively provide hydrological information and forecasting services that will contribute to the achievement of the Shared Water Vision at river basin, national and local levels.	Status: Project activities completed in 2010.  Results Achieved: (i) 105 hydrological stations repaired or constructed, data reliability assessed; (ii) regional hydrological information system installed and operational with regular updating of hydrological data, iii) new web portal for the hydrological observatory developed and operational, iv) the capacity building programme implemented with the organization of 8 training sessions of trainers, 70 sessions organized in the Niger basin countries and 7 sessions on using of new generation technical equipment and software for management of databases.
SSO (Sahara and Sahel Observatory)  IWRM of the Lullimenden and Taoudeni Acquifer Systems and Niger River Basin (GIRESAIT).  Financing: AWF -kind), member countries -kind).  Recipient: SSO Implemented by: SSO with member countries (Algeria, Benin, Burkina Faso, Mali, Mauritania, Niger, Nigeria)  Approved: 18 Jan. 2010  Duration: Planned 24 months	Objective: Evaluate the water potential and define the elements to monitor all groundwater resources of the Lullimenden and Taoudeni Acquifer Systems, and the Niger River, to assist the member countries in the elaboration of future development plans by taking account of the vulnerability of these systems to climate changes.  Activities: (i) improvement of knowledge and monitoring of the water resources of the Iullemeden - Taoudéni /Tanezrouft aquifer systems; (ii) analysis and management of transborder risks, and installation of a framework for dialogue amongst member countries; (iii) reinforcement of management capacities and sensitisation of the public	Expected Results: (i) Improved living conditions and food security through a regulated withdrawal and use of the groundwater and surface water resources; (ii) An enabling environment for investments due to the integrated management of water resources of the aquifers and the Niger river; (iii) Methods to monitor water resources vulnerability and the impacts of the climatic changes are defined and implemented; and (iv) The actors of the sector are aware and have the capacities necessary to carry out integrated management of surface and groundwater resources.	Status: Grant Agreement signed 2July2010. Awaiting evidences for Grant Effectiveness to be submitted by the Recipient.
SSO (Sahara and Sahel Observatory) Geo-Aquifer: North-Western Sahara aquifer system knowledge and water resources management improvement using satellite imagery. Financing:	Objectives: Create an information and knowledge base to support sustainable transboundary groundwater resources management of the SASS aquifer at national and sub-regional level.  Activities will enhance information and	Expected Results: The project will provide valuable information and support to ensure the equitable and optimal use of the available water resources to meet both water supply and agricultural needs, and the preparation of joint programs for the	Status: Project activities completed Q4-2009.  Results Achieved: Expected outputs have been realised. The project has built country capacity in the use of satellite data; equipped them with tools to better assess

-kind).	knowledge of the aquifer through the use of	mutually profitable development of this	water uses (i.e. digital terrain, land use and
Recipient: Sahara and Sahel Observatory (OSS).  Implemented by: OSS with support from the European Space Agency (ESA).  Partners: Algeria, Tunisia, Libya.  Approved 26Dec06.  Duration Planned 24 months, actual 36 months.	satellite data and digital cartography; develop a database and decisions support tools; build the capacity of the ministries and agencies in charge of water, environment and agriculture to use these geo-scientific data management techniques and tools; support research and studies; and reinforce partnership and cooperation among the three countries.	important shared groundwater resource. It will build country capacity in the use of satellite data; equip them with tools to better assess water uses; and promote dialogue between the countries concerned on options for the development of their water resources.	land cover model); and promoted dialogue between the countries concerned on options for the development of their water resources. It has also facilitated a leveraging FFEM funds.
Togo Development of an integrated water information system. Financing:  Recipient: Ministry of Finance. Implemented by: Water and Sanitation Director General (DGEA) of the Ministry of Water, Energy and Mines Approved 12Jan09 Duration: Planned 30 months	Objective: Develop and operationalise a national water information system.  Activities: (i) improve and extend water data and information facilities of the Ministry of Water Resources and allied organisations; (ii) maintain and upgrade the existing hydrological and climatic observation networks; (iii) build capacity of staff for water data and information management, and (iv) improve coordination of water sector information management.	Expected Results: The project will systematise and rationalise the management of various aspects of the water information chain, as envisaged in the national IWRM plan. It will contribute to more efficient water resources planning, management and development through the availability of reliable data and information.	Status: Project launched 21 Nov. 2010, with first disbursement 14 Dec. 2010.
Tunisia National water information system (SINEAU). Financing:  Recipient: Ministry of Development and International Cooperation (MDCI) Implemented by: Ministry of Agriculture and Water Resources (MARH). Approved 22Dec09. Duration Planned 36 months.	Objectives: Optimize the integrated management of surface and ground water resources through the establishment of an operational national water information system.  Activities include: (i) development of the SINEAU and 3 subsystems (SYGREAU, SISOL and COPEAU); (ii) strengthen the capacities of the national structures involved in the production, management and use of water data and information systems; and (iii) integration of all water users and suppliers of data within the SINEAU.	Expected Results: (i) The national water information system integrating the 3 subsystems is developed, operational and accessible through the SINEAU web portal. This will enable a better understanding of the current status and future development of es, thereby facilitating informed decision-making for the sustainable management and protection of surface and ground water resources and their associated investments; (ii) national technical capacities in the use, management and maintenance of the SINEAU will be strengthened, and (iii) the required financial resources to enable integration of all key uses and supplies of water information and data will be mobilised.	Status: Grant Agreement signed 23Nov.2010. Awaiting evidences for Grant Effectiveness to be submitted by the Recipient.

### **VBA** (Volta Basin Authority)

Support to the VBA for implementation of the Volta-HYCOS.

Financing: AWF

(French Global Environment Fund)

-kind)

Recipient: VBA.

Implemented by: VBA.

Approved 9Jan09

**Duration** Planned 22 months

*Objectives:* Enable VBA and the National Hydrologic Services (NHS) of the member states to deliver appropriate hydrological information services to users.

Activities: (i) Upgrading of the hydrometric network; (ii) Development of regional hydrological information system for the Volta Basin; (iii) Strengthening each NHS; and (iv) Building the capacity of the Volta Basin Authority.

Expected Results: Upgraded and consolidated basin-wide hydrological observation network and information system providing easily accessible information for all users thus contributing to better regional cooperation, and more effective water resources planning and development.



**CEDARE** (Center for Environment and Development for the Arab Region and Europe)

Water MDG's Monitoring and Evaluation

in North Africa.

Financing: AWF -kind), ot

Recipient: CEDARE

Implemented by: CEDARE
Approved: 27 April 2010
Duration: Planned 24 months

*Objective:* Establishment and strengthening of harmonised water sector monitoring, evaluation and reporting systems in the region.

*Activities:* (i) assessment of existing M&E systems in North African countries;

(ii) standardizing and harmonizing national and N-AMCOW M&E systems and reporting mechanisms; and (iii) preparation of a North African M&E action plan and program.

Expected Results: Increased national and regional capacity to undertake M&E through the establishment of mechanisms that allow N-AMCOW to annually report on the status of the water sector within North Africa, using harmonized and comparable information generated by standardized data

M&E systems. This will enable countries and N-AMCOW to track water resources management and the achievement of the MDGs related to water and sanitation, and provide the information necessary for improved planning, management and mobilisation of resources for water development.

*Status:* Awaiting signature of Grant Agreement by Recipient.

# **Knowledge Generation and Dissemination**

Project Details Objectives and Main Activities Expected results Status and Actual/Interim Results

**Summary of Knowledge Generation and Dissemination Projects** 

Approved 29Sept08.  Duration: Planned 66 months.			Professional Master-11 students)
Ghana Reoptimisation of the Operations of the Akosombo and Kpong Dams Financing: AWF Recipient: Water Resources Commissions (WRC) Implemented by: WRC and partners Approved: 2Aug10 Duration: 36 months	Objective: Produce a technically and economically feasible reoperation plan which will retain existing benefits of Akosombo and Kpong operations while improving livelihoods and ecosystems functions.  Activities include: (i) define restoration flow targets to restore ecological functions & livelihoods; (ii) construct & evaluate operational scenarios to achieve the target flows; (iii) construct a model of the power generation & distribution system (grid) to evaluate technical & economic feasibility; (iv) evaluate the operationally feasible scenarios for economic feasibility; (v) estimate the effects of reoperation of Akosombo and Kpong dams on public health; (vi) conduct experimental reoperation, demonstration and monitoring; and (vii) carry out global learning program	<ul> <li>Expected Results:</li> <li>Restored downstream ecosystems and human livelihoods;</li> <li>Continued protection of the downstream communities from the larger flood events;</li> <li>Increased total electric power output of the dams;</li> <li>Increased reliability of water supply for hydropower generation;</li> <li>Reduced incidence of water borne disease vectors.</li> </ul>	Status: Awaiting signature of Grant Agreement by Recipient.

# **ANNEX 3: PROJECT CATEGORISATION MATRIX**

	Ponoficiar:*	Loyal of Project Activity or Impact		gthening Sovernand			tments to ater Need		Finance	Impr K	oving V nowled	
	Beneficiary*	Level of Project Activity or Impact	NWRM	TWRM	Service Delivery	wss	Product. Uses	Prep.	Base	Info. Mgmt.	M&E	Know- ledge
TO	TALS as of	++ Primary Type of Intervention	11	7	1	8	5	20		10	2	2
end	l Sept. 2010	+ Significant Project Component or Impact	13	8	9	17	11	13	32	14	9	18
1	Burkina Faso	Capacity Building for Decentralised IWRM	++							+		
2	Burundi	Formulation of IWRM plan	++						+			
3	CAR	Institutional Support to Water and Sanitation Sector	++					+	+	+		
4	Gambia	Support to National Water Sector Reforms	++							+		
5	Kenya	Integrated Watershed Management of Kiboun and Tende River Basins	++				+			+		
6	Liberia	Water Sector Reform and Capacity Building Study	++		+			+	+	+	+	
7	Mauritania	Formulation of IWRM and land use plan	++					+		+		
8	Morocco	Artificial Recharge of Haouz Groundwater Aquifer	++							+		
9	Namibia	Development of an IWRM Plan	++					+	+	+	+	
10	Niger	Preparation of IWRM Action Plan	++					+	+			
11	Senegal	Implementation of the IWRM action plan	++					+	+	+		
12	ANBO	Support to the Development of African Network Of Basin Organisations (ANBO)		++							+	+
13	Burundi / Rwanda	Bugesera Trans-boundary IWRM Development & Conservation Project		++								
14	CICOS	Preparation of the Strategic Action Plan for IWRM of the Congo River Basin		++				+	+			
15	ECCAS/ CEEAC	Institutional Support for Implementation of ECCAS Regional Water Policy		++				+		+		
16	LCBC	Preparation of Lake Chad Basin Water Charter		++						+		
17	OMVG	IWRM in the Kayanga Geba River Basin		++			+			+		
18	Volta Basin	Support for the creation of the Volta Basin Authority		++								
19	WOP-Africa / AfWA	Water Operators Partnership			++				+			+
20	Ethiopia	Utilisation of Solar and Wind Energy for Rural Water Supply				++		+				+
21	Ghana	Improved Sanitation and Water Supply Service Delivery to the Urban Poor			+	++	+	+	+			+
22	Ghana	Design for Reuse Harvesting Effluent and Nutrients from Sanitation Facilities				++	+		+			+
23	Kenya	Kisumu District primary schools water and sanitation project				++						+
24	Malawi	CCODE (NGO) - WSS and Low Income Community Development				++			+			+
25	Uganda	Roof catchment rainwater harvesting and management				++						+
26	Uganda	Integrated WSS Services for the Urban Poor in Kagugube Parish, Kampala				++						+
27	Zimbabwe	Chitungwiza Water and Sanitation Rehabilitation Project			+	++		+	+			
28	Botswana	Pandamatenga: Development of Improved Agricultural Water Control and Management Systems					++	+				
29	Djibouti	Water harvesting project for water supply and agriculture in rural districts	+			+	++	+		+		+
30	Rwanda	Pilot Project for the Introduction of Water Harvesting Technique in Bugesera	+			+	++					+
31	South Africa	Integrated Water Harvesting Project, Mpumalanga	+				++					+
32	Zambia	Increased Access to Affordable Innovative Irrigation Systems for Small and Medium Scale Farmers					++		+			+

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	Beneficiary	Project name	NWRM	TWRM	Service Delivery	wss	Product. Uses	Prep.	Base	Info. Mgmt.	M&E	Know- ledge
33	African Union Commission	Programme for Infrastructure Development in Africa Transboundary Water Resource Infrastructure Study.		+				++	+			
34	Burkina Faso	Feasibility and design study of stormwater drainage and solid waste management systems in Ouagadougou			+	+		++	+			
35	Cameroon	Inventory Of Rural Water Supply and Sanitation Infrastructures	+			+		++			+	
36	CAR	Support to a water supply and sanitation study and priority investment project preparation in 16 district capitals				+		++	+			
37	Chad	Institutional support for rural water supply and sanitation inventory	+			+		++			+	
38	Congo Brazzaville	Study on Rehabilitation and extension of Water supply and sanitation services in Brazzaville & Pointe Noire			+	+		++	+			
39	Egypt	Comprehensive studies and project preparation for the rehabilitation of the Nubaria and Ismailia canals					+	++	+			
40	Egypt	Preparation of a Master plan for the Rehabilitation and the Replacement of Major hydraulic Structures	+				+	++	+			
41	Gabon	Updating of Urban Storm-Water Drainage Studies in Libreville				+		++	+			
42	Lake Victoria Basin Commission	Water & Sanitation Initiative: Preparation of Investment Plan for 15 Centres				+		++	+			
43	Lesotho	Development of planning framework for rural water supply and sanitation	+			+		++			+	
44	Liberia	Study for the expansion of Monrovia WSS system and rehabilitation of water supplies of three country capitals			+	+		++	+			
45	Malawi / Tanzania	Detailed Design of Songwe River Basisn Development Programme		+		+	+	++	+			
46	Mozambique	Preparation of the National Rural Water Supply and Sanitation Programme	+		+	+		++	+			
47	Mozambique	Integrated Study and project preparation for COFAMOSA irrigation project					+	++	+			
48	SADC	Support to SADC Regional Water Supply and Sanitation Programme	+	+		+		++	+		+	+
49	Senegal	Ziguinchor Sanitation Master Plan Study				+		++	+			+
50	Seychelles	Water Supply Development Plan 2008 2030			+	+		++	+		+	
51	Tanzania	Arusha strategic sanitation plan preparation			+	+		++	+			
52	Swaziland	Lower Usutu Smallholder Irrigation Project - Phase II Preliminary Studies					+	++	+			
53	CICOS	Strengthening the Information and Knowledge Capacity of CICOS for the WRM of the Congo Basin		+						++		
54	Ethiopia	Support to the development of water information and knowledge management systems	+							++		+
55	IGAD	Mapping, Assessment and Management of Transboundary Water Resources in the IGAD Sub Region		+						++		
56	Mali	Support to IWRM Implementation	+						+	++		
57	NBA	Support for Niger Basin HYCOS project		+						++		
58	SSO	Geo-Aquifer: North-Western Sahara Aquifer System WRM Improvements using Satellite Imagery		+						++		+
59	SSO	IRWM of the Aquifer Systems and Niger River Basin (GIRESAIT)		+						++		
60	Togo	Development of an Integrated Water Information System	+							++		

61	VBA	Support to the VBA for Implementation of Volta HYCOS		+				++		
62	Tunisia	National Water Information Systems (SINEAU)	+			+	+	++		
63	Malawi	Strengthening Water Sector Monitoring and Evaluation	+					+	++	
64	CEDARE								++	
65	Multi-country	Strengthening water and environmental engineering capacity in fragile states	+							++
66	Ghana	Reoptimisation of the operations of the Akosombo and Kpong Dams	+			+				++

<sup>\*</sup>The order of the projects matches that of Project Portfolio shown in Annex 2 to facilitate cross reference.

# ANNEX 4: PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION AND DISBURSEMENT STATUS

	Beneficiary	Project name	Grant amount	Date of Approval / Effective- ness	Total Amount Disbursed	Disburse- ment Dates	Percent Disburse -ment		AWF PCR Completed	Final Audit Completed	Project Closed	Case Study and knowledge products prepared	Comments	
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# A4.1 Projects with all activities completed (listed by date of last disbursement)

6 Cor	Burundi mpleted in 20	Burundi	480,000	09-May-07	480,000	31-Mar-09	100%	No				
		management improvement Formulation of IWRM plan for		1-Sep-06		21-June-07						
5	SSO	Geo-Aquifer: North-Western Sahara Aquifer System water resources	487,800	26-Dec-06 23-Mar-07	487,800	12-June-07 22-May-09	100%	Yes	In process		Y	
4	Mozambique	Preparation of the National Rural WSS Programme	486,233	21-Dec-06 07-Dec-07	485,790	1-Apr-08 23-Feb-09	100%	Yes		Y		
3	Congo	Support to WSS policy and priority investments preparation in Brazzaville & Pointe Noire	1,418,235	11-Jul-07 12-Nov-07	1,419,000	3-Dec-07 13-Feb-09	100%	Draft		Y		
2	Kenya	Kisumu District primary schools water and sanitation project	229,000	19-Dec-06 21-May-07	228,606	21-May-07 16-Sept-08	100%	Yes	In process		Y	
1	Volta Basin	Support for the creation of the Volta Basin Authority	165,000	25-Mar-06 20-Apr-06	165,000	May 2006	100%	Yes	In process		Y	

<sup>8</sup> NBA Support for Niger-

	Beneficiary	Project name	Grant amount	Date of Approval / Effective- ness	Total Amount Disbursed	Disburse- ment Dates	Percent Disburse -ment		Delayed Project (see definition)	Eligible for Cancellation (see definition)	Comments
A4.2	2 Projects	ongoing and expected to be con	npleted in 2	011 (listed	by percent	disbursemer	nt)				
1	Rwanda	Introduction of water harvesting techniques in Bugesera	450,000	22-Dec-06 14-Aug-07	450,000	28-Sept-07 30-July-10	100%	Υ			
2	Ethiopia	Support to the development of water information and knowledge management systems	500,000	2-Oct-06 14-May-07	500,000	25-June-07 2-Mar-09 17-Aug-10	100%	Υ			
3	Chad	Institutional support for rural water supply and sanitation inventory	470,265	27-Dec-07 30-Dec-08	470,265	24-Feb-09 18-Sept-10	100%	Y			
4	LCBC	Preparation of Lake Chad Basin Water Charter	890,000	30-May-07 31-July-07	890,000	27-Aug-07 22-Nov-10	100%	Υ			
5	Senegal	Implementation of the IWRM action plan for Senegal	1,580,000	28-Aug-07 13-May-08	1,580,000	8-Oct-08 12 Dec-10	100%	Υ			

#### Projects ongoing and expected to carry over into 2012 (listed by date of last disbursement) A4.3

1	Cameroon	Inventory of rural water supply and sanitation infrastructures	469,486	22-Dec-06 13-July-07	299,997	27-Aug-07	64%	Υ	Y	Yes (but contract recently signed with consultant)	Delays in procurement of consultancy services.
2	Djibouti	Water harvesting project for rural water supply and agriculture	1,937,000	29-Jan-08 13-May-08	774,680	12-Sept-08	40%		Υ	Yes (but request for disbursement submitted Dec.10)	Delays in procurement of consultancy services
3	Egypt	Studies for the rehabilitation of the Nubaria and Ismailia canals	1,900,090	18-Oct-07 16-Oct-08	899,910	6-Nov-08	47%	Υ	Υ	Yes (but contract recently signed with consultant)	Delays in procurement of consultancy services
4	Mozambique	Study and project preparation for COFAMOSA irrigation project	1,178,367	22-Nov-07 11-Feb-09	404,709	26-Mar-09	34%	Υ	Υ		Revision of study required to accommodate additional investments by Spain
5	Tanzania	Arusha strategic sanitation plan preparation	654,000	22-Nov-07 20-Nov-08	300,000	9-Apr-09	46%	Υ	Y		Delayed delivery of consultancy outputs.
6	Multi- country	Strengthening water and environmental engineering capacity	1,990,000	29-Sep-08 26-Feb-09	820,958	8-Jun-09	41%		Y		Five year project duration planned
7	Lesotho	Development of planning framework for rural water supply and sanitation	398,842	11-May-07 19-Nov-08	282,775	8-Jun-09	71%	Υ	Y		Delays in procurement of consultancy services
8	OMVG	Development of IWRM Plan for the Kayanga Geba Basin	1,585,000	9-Jan-09 7-Oct-09	510,000	4-Dec-09	32%		Y		Delays in procurement of consultancy services
9	Morocco	Artificial recharge of Haouz Water Table	1,892,500	12-Jan-09 15-Dec-09	815,555	27-Jan-10	43%				
10	Liberia	Water sector reform and capacity building study	1,694,000	13-Jan-09 8-Dec-09	1,048,740	15-Feb-10	62%				
11	Zambia	Affordable and innovative irrigation systems for small scale farmers	719,191	12-Nov-09 8-June-10	391,821	29-June-10	52%				
12	Ethiopia	Use of solar and wind energy for rural water supply	1,991,880	12-Jan-09 27-Apr-10	298,782	8-June-10	14%				
13	CAR	Support to water and sanitation sector reforms	1,961,000	2-Jul-09 30-Apr-10	716,000	14-Jul-10	37%				
14	IGAD	Mapping, assessment and management of transboundary water resources	1,831,600	9-Jan-07 15-Aug-07	1,095,750	6-Sept-07 14-Jul-10	60%	Υ			
15	Ghana	Effective innovative WSS management	1,979,000	18-Sep-09 05-May-10	593,700	27-Jul-10	30%				

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	Beneficiary   Project name	Grant amount	Status	Start-up Delays	Delayed Project	Project Eligible for Cancellation	Comments
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# Definitions:

- 1. Start-up delays:
  - a. Signature: more than 6 months from approval;
  - b. Effectiveness: more than 6 months from signature;
  - c. First disbursement: more than 3 months from effectiveness
- 2. Ageing project: More than 3 years old
- 3. Delayed Projects:
  - a. Not declared effective in 18 months; or
  - b. 50% not disbursed in 2 years from Grant Effectiveness; or
  - c. No disbursements in past 12 months
- 4. Eligible for cancellation:
  - a. Not effective in 24 months; or
  - b. No disbursements in past 24 months.

# ANNEX 5: IMPROVING PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION AND DISBURSEMENT

	Actions to be taken by the AWF in 2011
GRANT PREPARAT	TON AND FULFILMENT OF CONDITIONS FOR FIRST DISBURSEMENT
Reduce the delay for preparation and signature of the Grant Agreement	<ul> <li>Work more closely with Bank GECL to expedite preparation of Grant Agreements</li> <li>Continue to seek the involvement of AfDB Field Offices to expedite signature by Recipient.</li> </ul>
Reduce delays by Recipient to fulfil the conditions precedent to Grant Effectiveness	<ul> <li>Minimise and harmonise conditions precedent to Grant Effectiveness in all Grant Agreements.</li> <li>Where necessary and appropriate, include more flexible conditions for Grant Effectiveness to enable Recipients to open a Special Account in local currencies.</li> <li>Report monthly on fulfilment of Grant Effectiveness conditions to highlight projects requiring additional attention.</li> <li>Support Recipients in fulfilment of conditions for Grant Effectiveness.</li> </ul>
Reduce the delay by the Bank in making first disbursement	Support Recipients in making a request for first disbursement.
PROJECT IMPLEM	ENTATION AND SUPERVISION
Use of more responsive procurement procedures	<ul> <li>Increase use of national procurement procedures and post procurement review, as permitted within the AWF/Bank procedures.</li> <li>Encourage advance procurement actions (before 1<sup>st</sup> disbursement).</li> </ul>
Reinforce Recipient capacity to implement projects	<ul> <li>Systematically organise launching mission for new projects.</li> <li>Organise training workshops on procurement and disbursement for new projects as required.</li> <li>Encourage Recipient Project Implementation Units to work closely with Field Offices and locally recruited AWF procurement support specialists.</li> <li>Increase accessibility to AWF/Bank procedures by placing guidelines, tools, FAQ etc. on AWF website.</li> </ul>
Increase capacity of AWF to undertake procurement functions	<ul> <li>Strengthen AWF procurement capacity and response time through the recruitment of a full time Procurement Officer, and in the interim continue to use the services of a Procurement Consultant.</li> <li>Provide ongoing procurement training to AWF Task Managers.</li> <li>Delegate Bank Field Office staff to undertake project procurement support functions.</li> <li>Outsource procurement support functions to local procurement specialists, particularly where Field Offices don t exist or have limited capacity to provide support.</li> </ul>
Improve project supervision	<ul> <li>Ensure minimum of one supervision per project per year.</li> <li>Involve Bank Departments and Field Offices experts to undertake supervision missions and to be on call to provide project related technical support services.</li> <li>Outsource supervision to local consultants where Field Offices don t exist or do not have the capacity to provide technical support.</li> <li>Preparation and timely submission of project reports to be improved (see below) since good reporting will facilitate desk supervision.</li> <li>Explore options for AWF/representative attendance at project steering committees meeting, which will encourage preparation of progress reports, and facilitate joint monitoring and resolution of problems.</li> <li>Increase number of AWF Task Managers since the number of projects per Task Manager is too high, limiting AWF ability to supervise.</li> <li>Make better use of the Bank s network of field offices and support from other Departments.</li> </ul>

Reporting	<ul> <li>Consider options to simplify project reporting requirements, with more focused and result oriented reporting formats and reduced numbers of reports, yet maintaining emphasis on quality.</li> <li>Assess options to link second and subsequent disbursements to submission of progress reports.</li> <li>In the situation where the capacity of Recipient/PIA is limited, which hinders their preparation of progress reports, explore options to provide support such as through project consultants.</li> </ul>						
Cancellation	<ul> <li>Review and adapt AfDB procedures for project cancelation, and use this option as appropriate to expedite project implementation.</li> <li>Cancel non-performing projects, which will also send a clear message to other problem projects.</li> </ul>						
PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT							
Develop more responsive portfolio monitoring mechanisms	Produce Quarterly Project Implementation Review report which summaries status and develops action plans for each project						

# ANNEX 6: STATUS OF AUDITING OF AWF PROJECTS

A5.1 Phase 1: Status of Award of Audit Contracts and Execution of Audits on AWF Projects as at 31 December 2010

# A5.2 Phase 2 : Audit Groups and Status of Recruitment for AWF projects as at 31 December 2010

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## **ANNEX 7: PROJECT RELATED MISSIONS IN 2010**

Type of Mission	Country	Mission Dates							
Project / Activity	Country	Jan. Feb.							

Strengthening water and environmental engineering capacity	Burkina Faso			14-18				
PCR for Volta Basin project	Multi				15-20			
Water Supply Development Plan	Seychelles					9-15		
Monrovia Expansion and three county capitals water and sanitation rehabilitation study	Liberia					10-20		
Water Sector Reform Study	Liberia					10-20		
Integrated Water Harvesting Project Mpumalanga	South Africa					20-24		
Chitungwisa water and sanitation project	Zimbabwe					31-	-06	
PCR for Niger HYCOS project	Niger						29-	-1
Inventaire des infrast	Cameroon				·			19-23

## **ANNEX 8: ORGANISATIONAL ACTIVITIES IN 2010**

Towns of Assistan	Carreton	No. of	MISSION DUICS											
Type of Activity	Country	Per- sons	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Dialogue and Review (5 events)														
Stakeholders Workshop AWF Operational Effectiveness Assessment	South Africa	4				26-27								
AMCOW TAC and EXCO Meeting	South Africa	6/2							26-30				22-26	
AWF Governing Council Meeting	Cape Town	6/6							29				24	
Conferences/Workshops (15 events)														
INBO/ANBO Annual assembly	Senegal	2	13-23											
<ul> <li>The UN Water - Africa 6th Meeting on Agenda</li> <li>Framework for cooperation and partnership for implementation of the Sharm El Sheik road map as indicated in and Reporting Actions to the African Union</li> </ul>	Ethiopia	1	25-27											
AMCOW partners meeting for reviewing the AMCOW Strategic Plan and Triennial Work Programme	Kenya	1			23-26									
Transboundary Water Management and Poverty Reduction workshop hosted by SIDA	Kenya	1				15-16								
Participation in a workshop on the transfer of water from Oubangui to Lake Chad	Chad	1				24-	-08							
Workshop on launching of a partnership between AfDB and ONEP for monitoring and evaluation	Morocco	1					19-22							
Sixth World Water Forum Kick-off Meeting	France	3						3-4						
2010 TWAS Frontier in Water and Sanitation: A Workshop for Water Engineers and Scientists from Developing Countries	China	1								16-20				
Global Water Partnership Technical Committee and Stakeholder Forum Meeting	Sweden	1								30-	-4			
Stockholm World Water Week	Sweden	4									5-10			
IWA Water Congress	Canada	2									19-24			
PIDA Workshop	Multi	2/1							28-30		29-30			
EADI-OWAS/AWF IWRM Seminar	Cameroon	2												12-18
International Conference "Transboundary Aquifers : challenges and new Directions" at UNESCO Headquarters in Paris	France	2												06-10
Resource Mobilisation (3 events)														
Conf. on Financing WRM (OECD)	France	1			15-16									

Workshop on Financing water in Central

### **ANNEX 9: PERFORMANCE INDICATORS**

# A9.1 OPERATIONAL PERFORMANCE INDICATORS (DEVELOPMENT EFFECTIVENESS) $^{1}$

Components/Outputs	Performance Indicators	2010 Targets (Cumulative unless noted)	Results to end 2010 <sup>2</sup>
Improved Water Governance	e		
NWRM Progressive adoption of IWRM policies and institutional frameworks, and preparation of strategies and implementation plans in RMCs	Progress in supporting RMCs to strengthen or develop effective IWRM policies, strategies and institutions.	AWF supporting national IWRM in 15 RMCs	Two NWRM projects completed and 9 projects ongoing. 13 other projects with relevant activities. Expected/actual results include (i) improved capacity for planning and implementation; (ii) IWRM plans owned and endorsed by all stakeholders; (iii) enhanced regulatory performance for licensing and compliance control; (iv) mobilisation of adequate financing for implementation of IWRM: (v) improved knowledge and monitoring of water resources;

water resources; and (vii) improved environmental

management and conservation.

#### **Strengthening the Financial Base**

#### Increased Access to Financing

Improved availability and access to funds by private sector, government and other subsovereigns bodies. Overall amounts of water sector investments in RMCs and RECs arising from AWF facilitation activities. Relevant activities included in 30 projects. Results related to increased availability of investment financing include (i) projects prepared for immediate funding; (ii) investment plans prepared for national or regional programmes; (iii) strategies established to mobilise required resources and prospective funding sources identified; (iv) -table or resources mobilization workshops organised to secure financial commitments. This has lead to about million in funds mobilised so far from 4 AWF project / programme preparation and 3 other projects.

Results related to increased access to financing include (i) use of micro-financing or revolving loan funds for household WSS facilities or agricultural infrastructure and equipment for small-holder farmers, and (ii) credit mechanisms for private sector WSS servic536(m)134.470 (

# A9.2 ORGANISATIONAL PERFORMANCE INDICATORS (INSTITUTIONAL EFFECTIVENESS) bu

Components/Outputs	Performance Indicators	2009 Actual	2010 Targets (end of year)	Results to end Dec. 2010		
Organisational Activities						
Portfolio Management						
Processing: Projects efficiently prepared and appraised by AWF	Progress in achieving intended number of project approvals	14 projects approved	20 projects	9 projects approved, 9 under appraisal		
Start-up: Projects quickly achieving Grant Effectiveness	Lapse of time from approval to 1 <sup>st</sup> disbursement	9.0 months	8.0 months	10.6 months		
Implementation: Projects effectively supervised, monitored and evaluated by AWF	Project supervision ratio (number of supervision/launching missions vs. number of projects under execution (i.e Grant Effective but not completed) at any time in 2010)	0.5 (18 / 37)	0.5	0.6 (29 of 46 projects)		
and evaluated by AWF	Number of ongoing projects per task manager (i.e. projects approved but not closed before start of 2010)	5.7 (51 projects and 9 TM)	5.4 (75 projects and 14 TM)	11.0 (6 TM for 66 projects)		
Projects efficiently and effectively	Disbursement ratio (disbursements to projects in year vs. undisbursed balance at beginning of year).	0.39 (7.93/20.38)	0.42 (18.8/44.6)	0.28 (12.3/44.6)		
implemented by Recipients	Potential Problematic Projects (Not declared effective in 18 months or 50% not disbursed in 2 years from Grant Effectiveness)	4% (2 of 51 ongoing projects)	3%	17% (3 not effective an 6 with <50% disbursed of 52 projects not completed as of 31Dec.2010)		
Completion: Project completion reports (PCR) promptly prepared by AWF	Percentage of AWF PCR reports available upon completion	67% (4 of 6 projects completed in 2009)	100%	38% (3 of 8 projects completed in 2010)		
External Affairs						
Outreach: Staff routinely participating in conferences and workshops, or supporting AfDB participation	Number of conferences/workshops which each staff member participates in, on average.	1.8 (63 staff participations in 35 events)	2.3	2.4 (52 staff participations in 23 events)		
AWF supporting AMCOW Strategic Initiatives	% of staff time spent on supporting strategic initiatives or responding to special requests from AMCOW	Approx. 5%	5%	Approx. 5%		
<u>Human Resources</u>						
Adequate human resources in place	Number of staff vs. total planned at end of year	80% (16 staff of 20 planned)	100%	57% (12 staff of 21 planned)		
Staff turnover low to ensure institutional memory and continuity in operations	Number departures/transfers vs. total staff at beginning of year	20% (2 management vs. 10 staff)	15%	25% (4 professionals vs. 16 staff)		
Financial Management						
Sustainable financing committed over the upcoming 3 years	Amount of funds committed vs. planned needs over the upcoming 3 years	43% for 2010-2012	50% for 2011- 2013 Program	Funding needs to be redefined as part of preparation of Strategic Plan 2012-2016.		
Administrative budget utilized as planned	Percentage utilized vs. planned	60% of AWF budget 84% of AfDB budget	90%	52% of AWF budget 92% of AfDB budget		

Staffing and administrative costs in-line with the number of ongoing projects

# A9.3 PROCESS INDICATORS (DELIVERABLES)

Components	Deliverable for 2010	Results to end of December 2010
Identification	5 project identification missions	One identification mission.
	Revised application format for proposals and concept papers	Pending
	Use of AWF website for proposal requests	Pending
Screening	12 screening meetings with 2 to 3 proposals reviewed per meeting	12 screening meetings and 28 proposals reviewed
Preparation	5 preparation missions	3 preparation missions
Appraisal	20 projects appraised	9 projects approved and 9 under appraisal.
11	15 appraisal missions	6 appraisal missions
Launching	10 launching missions	8 launching missions covering 9 projects
Supervision	25 supervision missions	18 supervision missions covering 20 projects
Disbursement		
Audits of projects	6 audit firms recruited	Pending
	Revised procedures for project auditing	Pending
Completion	16 Project Completion Reports prepared	One completed and two under review
	8 project completion missions	4 completion missions to prepare AWF PCR and case studies.
Operational support	Revised Operational Procedures and Operations Manual	Draft revision of Manual prepared
	2 procurement workshops for Recipients	Pending
	Revised Operational Strategy including revised Performance Monitoring Framework	Under preparation
	8 Bank Field Offices supporting AWF projects	12 Bank Field Offices with OWAS staff supporting AWF projects
External Assessments	Management response to Operational Effectiveness Assessment	Draft prepared
Knowledge	Knowledge Action Plan	Prepared as part of 2011 Work Plan
Management	2 knowledge products	6 completed (four project case studies and two others M&E and Gender)
Gender and Social Equity	Guidelines to mainstream gender and social equity concerns in all AWF projects	Completed
Reporting	2 reports for Board approval (Annual report, Work Plan and Budget)	Both under preparation
	4 reports for information (mid-year progress, two for OSC, resource mobilisation)	Jan-Sept. Progress report completed, resource mobilisation completed.
GC and OSC meetings	2 Governing Council meetings (1 ordinary, 1 extraordinary)	One extra-ordinary held in South Africa, and ordinary held in Addis Ababa
	2 Oversight Committee meetings	Pending
Outreach and Partnerships	Participation in 6 international/regional conferences, 15 workshops/meetings	Participation in 23 conferences/workshops.
Communications	Comprehensive update of AWF website	In progress with support of Consulting Firm
	24 entries in AfDB Bank in Action website; 12 press releases;	25 entries in AfDB Bank in Action website
	AWF brochure published	Completed
AMCOW Strategic	4 meetings with AMCOW TAC or EXCO	3 meetings with AMCOW TAC or EXCO
Initiatives	2 high level papers for AMCOW	One M&E report published.
Human Resources Management	6 full-time professional staff recruited	Recruitment on hold pending clarification of medium term funding and preparation of Strategic Plan.
	17 individual consultants recruited	4 long term and 5 short term consultants recruited
Resource Mobilisation	Donors roundtable	Pending completion of AWF Strategic Plan 2012-2016
	5 resource mobilisation meetings with non- regional countries, 5 with RMCs	3 conferences/workshops attended
		Decision taken not to engage an Ambassador

### **ANNEX 10:HIGHLIGHTS FROM AWF PROJECTS**

#### AWF SUPPORT FOR THE CREATION OF THE VOLTA BASIN AUTHORITY

#### Project background

In July 2004, the six riparian countries of the Volta

Ghana, Mali and Togo agreed to establish a Volta Basin Authority (VBA) in response to the need for joint transboundary water resources management within the basin. The process began with the creation of the Volta Basin Technical Committee (VBTC) in November 2004, whose mandate was to pave way for the development of the VBA. The VBTC developed a memorandum of understanding for the creation of the VBA which was signed by the Ministers in charge of water resources in the six riparian countries in December 2005. In the same month of December 2005, the Volta basin riparian states through Burkina Faso (since it chaired the VBTC), submitted a formal request for Euro 165,000 to AWF to support the process leading to the creation of the VBA. The total request was to support the further elaboration of the draft convention and statutes and also facilitate national and regional consultations within the basin.

#### **Project Objective**

In the first quarter of 2006, the African Water Facility (AWF) approved the grant whose purpose was to facilitate the development of an agreed Convention between the six riparian countries for the creation of VBA, which would eventually be signed and adopted by the Volta Basin Council of Ministers Conference. Furthermore, the grant was meant to facilitate the

basis for the ratification of the Convention followed by the establishment of VBA.

#### **Project outcomes**

The project was implemented from April 2006 to December 2006 and all the programmed project outputs and results were achieved at 100% level. The principal outcomes of the project were:

- (i) An agreed Convention between the six Volta basin countries was signed by the Ministers in July 2006, and eventually adopted by the heads of state in January 17th 2007.
- the ratification of the Convention following the establishment of VBA was developed.
- (iii) The VBA organogram and staff position profiles; staff and finance regulations for the authority were elaborated
- (iv) Modalities for sharing the Country contributions towards the VBA annual budget were developed.

#### Key lessons learned

The AWF Support was particularly effective in catalysing the process leading to the creation of the VBA. The lessons learned from this particular AWF intervention include the following:

- (i) Clarity of what the basin actors wanted helped the success of the AWF Support project a great deal. The AWF joined a process that had progressed considerably for some time. By the time AWF came on board, the basin state actors had already drafted a consultation roadmap leading to the adoption of the VBA convention.
- (ii) Political commitment was crucial for the success of the creation of the Volta Basin Authority.
- (iii) The timing of the VBA creation was right to coincide with heightened global interest in IWRM.
- (iv) Basin wide programs even before the creation of the formal transboundary Institution add value. The IWRM basin programmes run by international institutions did a lot in creating the necessary awareness and proving the necessary science to dispel misunderstanding about the shared Volta Water resources thus paving the way for easier negotiations that lead to the adoption of the VBA convention
- (v) The project is a good example of how AWF, by providing highly targeted and timely funding, can facilitate the implementation of important political, consultative and institutional building processes in the view of creating efficient transboundary water management institutions.
- (vi) The project demonstrated the flexibility of AWF to respond to urgent funding requests in a timely manner.

#### **Future Outlook**

The young VBA has already demonstrated its relevance to the basin, given its impacts at national and regional scales. Like any other young institution, it is facing some institutional growth challenges, the major one being the lack of financial contributions by some of the member states to the annual VBA budget. This challenge is solvable provided there is ample political commitment by the member states. Once the financing challenge is resolved, the remaining challenges such as staffing, incomplete VBA structures, lack of communication strategy will be routine ordinary operational issues that can be pragmatically resolved.

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# URBAN POOR IN KAGUGUBE PARISH, KAMPLALA, ENJOY ACCESS TO WATER AND SANITATION SERVICES THROUGH AWF INTERVENTIONS

#### **Project justification**

AWF provided a grant of

Water and Sewerage **Corporation (NWSC)** to undertake an integrated project of water and sanitation services to the mainly low-income community of Kagugube Parish, Kampala, in 2008. Whilst the project would contribute to poverty reduction and improve health outcomes, it had an important objective of providing lessons in the delivery

ever increasing slums created by rapid urbanisation.

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residents did not have direct access to

- 100 per 20-litre jerrycan (US\$1.25-2.5/ m³) to resellers, against the

the population did not own, or share a toilet facility and many claimed to rely on the limited number of public commercial toilets, which cost upwards of UGX100-200 per visit. Open defecation was common.

#### **Key features of project**

Participatory approaches were used to deliver the 27 prepaid water dispensers, 26 VIP toilets, 2 Double Vault, 1 Waterborne and 1 Ecosan toilet and were operational as of August 2010. Due to limited space, up to 6 households were grouped to use communal toilets. Success was achieved largely through substantial engagement with landlords (who provided land for a period of 20 years), a functional Project Steering Committee (whose remit includes overseeing management of the facilities), and a strong IEC campaign, that included an educational tour of Kisenyi/Ndeeba, a low income community in Kampala that had benefited from a similar intervention funded by the KfW (German Government).

#### **Benefits from project**

Accessibility and reliability: Residents now have 24 hours supply of water. Access to sanitation has also improved considerably. The non-payment of bills to the utility by standpipe attendants which often led to disconnections no longer exists.

Affordability: Water is dispensed directly at an affordable social tariff of UGX19.5/20-litre jerrycan (UGX995/m³). Other domestic users pay UGX1,500/m³. However, whilst access to sanitation has improved, the rate set by the community for using the facilities is of concern, as is

the case in Kampala generally. For individuals who use public toilets daily, UGX3,000 could be spent on visits to the toilet every month, with a similar amount for the use of showers, bringing the total to UGX6,000. For many residents this could be up to 10% of monthly income. To alleviate this, the water tariff could be increased a bit to subsidise the use of toilets (where O&M costs justify this).

strong performing utility (NWSC) that created confidence in its ability to deliver services; (ii) a functional unit within the utility to drive the pro-poor agenda; (iii) substantial knowledge of informal communities from block mapping of urban poor coverage in all the Zones in Kampala; and (v) the availability of funding support and goodwill of the donor community. These drivers still exist and will continue to drive sustainability.

#### Lessons

Kagugube has demonstrated that ZKHUHWKHUH DZLOO WKHUH DZD Given political will, innovation and strong community sensitisation, the poor can be given access to services in a manner that suits their supply and payment choices.

Available evidence shows that the urban poor in

At the pro-poor tariff for water dispensed at PPMs, the utility more than covers its cost of production (including depreciation) of around UGX 550/m<sup>3</sup>.

#### Can NWSC multiply interventions?

NWSC is undertaking a number of pro-poor interventions, which are driven by the lessons from Kagugube and the earlier Kisenyi/Ndeeba project. It unable to fund these projects on its own and is using donor support. This stems from undertakings with Government which commits it to fund capital projects

# ENHANCING CHILD EDUCATION THROUGH IMPROVED WATER, SANITATION AND HYGIENE DELIVERY SCHOOLS

#### **Project justification**

a part, has some of the worst socio-economic indicators in the country, notably: the highest incidence of poverty (60%), highest prevalence of HIV/AIDS (14%), highest infant and child mortality rates. It is also among the lowest in coverage for water (27%) and sanitation (10%). On a positive note, the province has a high primary school attendance (86.3%) which is above the national average (78.8%). However WSS facilities in schools are inadequate, and unsuitable local conditions and insufficient budgeting

Kisumu Project was designed to contribute to addressing these concerns in 6 primary schools and to draw lessons for subsequent interventions.

In 2008, the AWF supported a partnership of 2 NGOs -Horizont3000 and Support for Tropical Initiatives in Poverty Alleviation (STIPA) - with a grant of to undertake the project.

#### Project objectives and results

The 3 key objectives of the project were: (i) improved knowledge about hygiene and environmental sanitation; ((ii) improved access to water supply and ECOSAN toilets; and (iii) improved capacity to manage, maintain and scale up the project model in the district and beyond. Natural conditions in the Kisumu area reasonable rainfall, frequent flooding, and unstable soils justified the choice of ECOSAN and Rainwater Harvesting (RWH) to deliver cost-effective facilities to the selected schools. Altogether there were 3,200 pupils and 75 teachers who were direct beneficiaries of the Project, whilst in total over 30,000 people benefited in the 6 communities were impacted through sanitation and hygiene promotion.

Each of the 6 beneficiary schools had  $2 \times 25 \text{ m}^3$  water storage tanks, 2 ECOSAN toilets and one composting

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shed. The impact of the project is already showing in: improved hygiene practices (70% of children wash hands after using the toilet); improved water

supply (reliable access almost all year round); improved sanitation (90% of children use ECOSAN toilet); sharply-reduced absenteeism; increased enrolment (13%), especially among girls (17%); and community adoption of hygiene and improved sanitation practices.

#### What do we know now?

The true test of success of
the project lies in the
extent to which its
findings can feed into
district and national level
planning, inform policy
and engender increased adoption of the ECOSAN and
RWH technologies. A number of conclusions and
observations can be made in this respect:

- The 2 NGOs delivered the project professionally and in a timely manner. This presents them (and NGOs generally) as effective partners in implementing interventions in rural and poor communities.
- vying for space and attention. Thus sufficient visibility should is needed for projects activities that are expected to inform sector policy and national programmes, as the Kisumu Project was conceived to do:
- 3. The Kisumu Project set out to demonstrate costeffective and viable options of WASH delivery to schools and associated communities. Local Government officials in the Ministries of Education, Health, Water and Irrigation and the Lake Victoria South Water Board are very pleased with the results and are willing to promote its uptake.
- 4. AfDB and its Field Offices can play a significant role in disseminating the results by (i) bringing the lessons learned to the attention of Government of Kenya through its regular meetings with Partners; and (ii) incorporating the technologies and lessons into projects funded by the Bank itself.
- 5. ECOSAN and RWH are concepts which have greater environmental value to society than to individuals or households who are to benefit from it; therefore GoK and partners should spend more resources in promoting the concepts.

### GEOAQUIFER: AMELIORATION DE LA CONNAISSANCE ET DE LA GESTION CONCERTEE DU SYSTEME AQUIFERE DU SAHARA SEPTENTRIONAL PAR AGES SATELLITAIRES.

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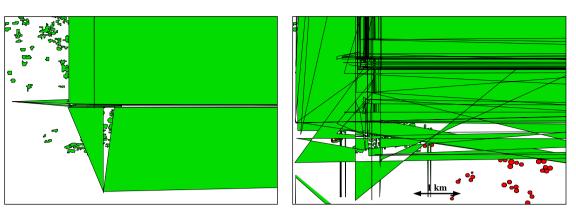


Figure 2 : Zone témoin de Oued Souf ; Occupation des sols respectivement en 1987 et 2007.

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du SASS, et contribuer à mettre en oeuvre des stratégies visant à assurer une gestion coordonnée, équitable et responsable des ressources en eau.

pour le mécanisme de concertation du SASS. En pratique, les problèmes rencontrés par les différents pays pour la : la pratique du partenariat, du

travail en commun et des formations suivies ensemble au cours du projet ont renforcé la solidarité et la conscience que

une activité utile, nécessaire et incontournable. Par des activités quotidiennes et des résultats pratiques et concrets, Geoaquifer illustre ainsi les principes énoncés dans les textes fondateurs du Mécanisme de concertation du SASS.

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### ANNEX 11: FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2010

CONTRIBUTIONS (Euros)			AWF Fund	d Account				In Kind Cont	tributions ***					Tot	al
	2010	2009	2008	2005-2007	Total	2010	2009	2008	2005-2007	Total	2010	2009	2008	2005-2007	Total
Cash Pledges	19 487 109	16 904 693	27 821 235	65 086 963	129 300 000	0	0	0	0	0	19 487 109	16 904 693	27 821 235	65 086 963	129 300 000
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Algeria	0	0	99 975	0	99 975	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	99 975	0	99 975
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France	0	0	0	9 600 000	9 600 000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9 600 000	9 600 000
Norway	2 519 844	2 340 139	2 189 981	3 738 721	10 788 685	0	0	0	0	0	2 519 844	2 340 139	2 189 981	3 738 721	10 788 685
Senegal	0	174 963	0	0	174 963	0	0	0	0	0	-	174 963	-	-	174 963
Spain	3 000 000	3 000 000	6 000 000	0	12 000 000	0	0	0	0	0	3 000 000	3 000 000	6 000 000	0	12 000 000
Sweden	0	4 725 025	2 632 450	4 838 149	12 195 623	0	0	0	0	0	-	4 725 025	2 632 450	4 838 149	12 195 623
UK	5 671 378	5 548 774	0	0	11 220 151	0	0	0	0	0	5 671 378	5 548 774	-	-	11 220 151
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