

Theme 3

Ensuring sustainability and resilience within agriculture and food systems

- Overview of G7 discussions and France's experience -

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Overview of G7 discussions (2016):

G7 Vision for Action on Food Security and Nutrition

Agenda 2030 and SDG 2: End hunger, achieve food security and improved nutrition and promote sustainable agriculture

COP 21, Paris Climate Agreement: $\frac{3}{4}$ of NDCs refer to measures on agriculture

Transformation of agriculture: requires responsible and sustainable investments.

Overview of G7 discussions (2016):

G7 actions in this area under the Vision for Action

1) Mainstream **climate-smart practices** in agriculture and food security programs

3) Disseminate the use of **practical guidance to operationalize VGGT and CFS-RAI principles** (Analytical Framework for responsible Land-Based Agricultural Investment and OECD-FAO Guidance for responsible Agricultural Supply Chains)

2) Enhance research and **knowledge exchange for climate change**, natural resources management and agriculture, (e.g. GACSA, CGIAR Research Program on Climate Change and Food Security and 4/1000)

Overview of G7 discussions (2016):

G7 actions in this area under the Vision for Action

4) Responsible investment for disaster-resilient quality infrastructure, across food value-chains

6) Promote climate risk management approaches for the most vulnerable (social protection measures, Climate Risk Early Warning Systems Initiative, Climate Risk Insurance Initiative)

5) Support local food security and nutrition plans to improve food security and nutrition and economic opportunities across the rural-to-urban spectrum

G7 actions in Promoting responsible investments

- **Elmau's indicator 2-3** : G7 donors' performance standards for ODA-supported investment instruments are reviewed to be aligned with the VGGT and the Principles for Responsible Investment in Agriculture and Food Systems
- Global Donor Working Group on Land: design of **Analytical Framework for Responsible Land-based Agricultural Investment**
- **G7 Land Partnership** : France's experience with Senegal

G7 actions on Enhancing sustainable agricultural and climate-smart practices

- **Elmau's indicator 2-4** : Percentage of resources committed to agriculture that includes climate adaptation and/ or mitigation objectives
- G7 Niigata Agriculture Ministers' Meeting Declaration : **G7 follow-up side-event during COP22** to follow initiatives which address climate change issues such as GACSA and 4per1000
- **Mainstream climate-smart practices – France experience:**
Support **agroecological transition** (8M€ support to ECOWAS program on CSA)
- **4 per 1000 initiative:** implement practical programs for carbon sequestration in soil and an evolution of farming methods and support research cooperation on carbon storage in soils) <http://4p1000.org/>