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## Enhancing G7 Accountability on Food Security - The G7 Accountability Framework agreed in 2015

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## Excerpts from G7 Leaders' Declaration 2015

### G7 Leaders' Declaration 2015, Chapter on Food Security

- “We will continue to (...) **strengthen the transparent monitoring of our progress.**”

### Annex to G7 Leaders' Declaration 2015, “Broad Food Security and Nutrition Development Approach”

- “To **ensure transparency, we will monitor and report on progress**, as is consistent with G7 accountability practices. We will (...) **monitor our progress through an accountability mechanism, building on previous G7 exercises.**”

## Implications of G7 Leaders' Communique




- Strengthen **transparency, monitoring and accountability** on G7 support to food security and nutrition;
- **Report within the overall G7 accountability framework** (G7 Progress Reports and its list of commitments, dealt with by G7 Accountability Working Group);
- **Build on previous G7 exercises** (including L'Aquila Food Security Initiative Financial Tracking).

## G7 Accountability Framework on Food Security and Nutrition developed in 2015

- Monitoring of **food security and nutrition situation**
- Qualitative/ quantitative reporting on **G7 policy commitments** -> „Score Card“
- Quantative reporting on **G7 financial support** -> financial reporting table (building on AFSI, currently being developed)
- Qualitative reporting through **narrative on G7 actions** -> description of approaches, priorities, best practices and results

## Smallholder incomes

**Goal Statement:** *“We aim to follow an integrated multi-sectoral approach to support rural areas in developing their potential, with **a particular focus on the rural poor, smallholder and family farmers.**”*

Name of indicator	Definition/Thresholds	Data Source
Percentage of G7 member programmes on agriculture and rural development that <b>include objectives and expected results to increase the incomes of smallholder farmers</b>	Number of committed G7 agriculture and Rural development programmes (CRS Code 311, 32161, 312,313, 43040) in partner countries with objectives and expected results to increase incomes of smallholders <i>Divided by</i> Total number of G7 agriculture and Rural development programmes (CRS Code 311, 32161, 312,313, 43040); <i>Multiplied by 100</i>	Self-reporting by G7 members
	less than 25% 	
	25-50% 	
	more than 50% 	

## Gender equality & women's empowerment

**Goal Statement:** *“Recognizing the **essential role of women** and youth, we aim to make them central to this broad approach, particularly by empowering them within agriculture and food systems and by supporting their active participation in agricultural and food value chains.”*

Name of indicator	Definition/Thresholds	Data Source
Percentage of resources committed to agriculture and food systems that <b>include specific gender objectives.</b>	Volume of commitments dedicated to CRS Code 310 (i.e. 311, 312, 313) that is targeted at gender equality and women's empowerment (OECD DAC marker for Gender equality and women's empowerment 1 or 2) <i>Divided by</i> Total volume of commitments dedicated to CRS Code 310 (i.e. 311, 312, 313); <i>Multiplied by 100</i>	OECD DAC database (OECD Stat)
	less than 30% with Marker 1 and 2	
	30-50% with Marker 1 and 2, with more than 0% with Marker 2 (“Principal”)	
	more than 50% with Marker 1 and 2, with at least 5% with Marker 2 (“Principal”)	

## Alignment with VGGT & RAI

**Goal Statement:** “We thus reaffirm our support for the **consistent implementation of and strive to alignment of our own ODA-supported investments with the Voluntary Guidelines on the Responsible Governance of Tenure of Land (...) (VGGT) and the CFS Principles for Responsible Investment in Agriculture and Food Systems (CFS-RAI)**. We furthermore strive to promote the conformance of private investments under the New Alliance for Food Security and Nutrition with these Guidelines and Principles.”

Name of indicator	Definition/Thresholds	Data Source
G7 donors' performance standards for <b>ODA-supported investment instruments are reviewed to be aligned with the VGGT and CFS-RAI.</b>	Performance standards for ODA-supported investment instruments are reviewed to be aligned with the VGGT and the CFS-RAI.	Self-reporting by G7 members
	No review of consistency with VGGT and the Principles ●	
	Review process started and ongoing ●	
	Review has taken place and standards are aligned with the VGGT ●	
	... and the Principles ●	

## Climate change adaptation and mitigation

**Goal Statement:** “We therefore commit to furthering means of sustainably increasing agricultural production and productivity and incomes while **adapting and building resilience to climate change and mitigating greenhouse gases**. We commit to promoting best practices for adaptation to climate change and take note of new initiatives, e.g. the Global Alliance for Climate Smart Agriculture.”

Name of indicator	Definition/Thresholds	Data Source
Percentage of resources committed to agriculture that <b>include climate adaptation and/or mitigation objectives</b>	Volume of commitments dedicated to CRS Code 311 that is targeted at climate adaptation and / or mitigation (OECD DAC marker climate change adaptation 1 or 2; mitigation 1 or 2) <i>Divided by</i> Total Volume of commitments dedicated to CRS Code 311; <i>Multiplied by 100</i> [NB on double-counting]	OECD DAC database (OECD Stat)
	less than 20% with Adaptation and/ or Mitigation Marker 1 and 2	
	20-40% with Adaptation and/ or Mitigation Marker 1 and 2	
	more than 40% with Adaptation and/ or Mitigation Marker 1 and 2	



## Nutrition

**Goal Statement:** *“We commit to following an integrated multi-sectoral approach to improving food security and nutrition, in an effort to achieve the internationally agreed World Health Assembly Global Targets to improve maternal, infant and young child nutrition. We welcome the N4G Compact, and **recognize the need to scale up further nutrition-sensitive and nutrition-specific interventions.**”*

Name of indicator	Definition/Thresholds	Data Source
1. Resources committed to <b>nutrition-specific interventions</b>	<b>1. Nutrition-specific:</b> A) Absolute levels of commitments for nutrition-specific interventions B) Percentage change in commitments for nutrition-specific interventions compared to baseline	Self-reporting based on N4G/SUN tracking of nutrition spending OECD DAC database (CRS Code 12240)
2. Resources committed to nutrition-sensitive interventions	<b>2. Nutrition-sensitive:</b> A) Absolute levels of commitments for nutrition-sensitive interventions B) Percentage change in commitments for nutrition-sensitive interventions compared to baseline (Nutrition-sensitive: methodology applied according to/equivalent with “SUN DONOR NETWORK Methodology and Guidance Note to Track Global Investments in Nutrition”)	

## LRRD

**Goal Statement:** *“We aim to better connect short-, medium- and long-term support, embedded within a comprehensive development strategy, in order to strengthen resilience. **Enhancing transition between relief and development** is key to increase effectiveness and sustainability. Our objective is to strengthen the absorptive, adaptive and transformative capacities of individuals, communities and countries in order to enhance their ability to cope with acute shocks or chronic stresses.”*

Name of indicator	Definition/Thresholds	Data Source
G7 strategic focus to <b>strengthen linkages between short-, medium- and long-term food security and nutrition support/programmes</b> and to enhance <b>transition between relief and development</b>	<b>Existence (in G7 member administrations) of a multi-sectoral strategy</b> to strengthen linkages between short-medium- and long-term food security and nutrition support, and its implementation.	Self-reporting by G7 members
	No Strategy	
	Process of strategy development ongoing	
	Strategy developed and being implemented	

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**Thank you!**