



Food and Agriculture
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Regional Inception Workshop

“Lifecycle Management of Pesticides and
Disposal of POPs Pesticides in Central Asian
countries and Turkey”

Concept note

Background

FAO promotes the sustainable intensification of crop production. This approach requires the integration and harmonization of all appropriate crop production policies and practices aimed at increasing crop productivity. Projects implemented by FAO keeps the vision of creating “a world free from hunger where food and agriculture contribute to improving the living standards of all, especially the poorest, in an economically, socially and environmentally sustainable manner”. Current project in the region will lead to create sustainable instrument in pesticide management to avoid further accumulation of obsolete pesticides. Project consists with 4 components and it’s objective is to reduce POPs releases from obsolete pesticide stockpiles and contaminated sites and strengthen the capacity for the sound management of pesticides. Turkey has important role to increase awareness in drawing road map for sustainable pesticide lifecycle and Hazardous Waste management

Objective:

Regional Inception Workshop aims to create a mutual cooperation mechanism among countries and plan future roads map together with the country's representatives on lifecycle management of pesticides and disposal of POPs pesticides.

Expected out puts:

- Central Asian countries and Turkey strengthened their knowledge on lifecycle management of pesticides and disposal of POPs pesticides.
- Created clear direction and roadmap for regional collaboration.

Participants:

National representatives of Central Asian Countries and Turkey on pesticide management and plant protection Unit

Venue:

Ankara, Turkey
Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations
Sub-regional Office for Central Asia (FAOSEC)

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