The 10-Year Framework of Programmes on Sustainable Consumption and Production (10YFP)

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The 10YFP will encompass capacity building, technical and financial assistance to developing countries for this shift. The 10 YFP will develop, replicate and scale up SCP and resource efficiency initiatives, at national and regional levels, decoupling environmental degradation from economic growth, and promoting a transition to a green economy.

“Fundamental changes in the way societies produce and consume are indispensable for achieving global sustainable development.... Governments, relevant international organizations, the private sector and all major groups should play an active role in changing unsustainable consumption and production patterns;” (A/CONF.216/5, para 1.a)

“Sustainable consumption and production as an overarching objective of and essential requirement for sustainable development.
What is the 10YFP?

It is a global framework of action to enhance international cooperation to accelerate the shift towards SCP in both developed and developing countries. The framework will support capacity building, and facilitate access to technical and financial assistance for developing countries for this shift. The 10YFP will develop, replicate and scale up SCP and resource efficiency initiatives, at national and regional levels, decoupling environmental degradation and resource use from economic growth, and thus increase the net contribution of economic activities to poverty eradication and social development. The framework will encourage innovation and cooperation among all stakeholders.

All actors from all countries can be involved in the implementation of the 10YFP activities: government, private sector, civil society, researchers, UN agencies, financial institutions, and other major groups.
10YFP main objectives

Accelerate the shift towards SCP in all countries by supporting regional and national policies and initiatives.

Support capacity-building and facilitate access to financial and technical assistance for developing countries, to implement SCP activities at all levels.

Increase RE and decouple economic growth from environmental degradation, creating decent jobs and contributing to poverty eradication and shared prosperity.

Serve as an information and knowledge sharing platform on SCP to enable all stakeholders to exchange policies, tools, initiatives and best practices, enhancing cooperation.
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Programmes will ensure MULTI-STAKEHOLDER participation. Each of them will have a Multi-stakeholder Committee with regional balance that will support the implementation and delivery of the programmes, as well as the fund raising and coordination with the 10YFP Secretariat, Board and Trust Fund.

Status of the Programmes:
The next steps on the 10YFP programmes are as follows.

Sustainable Public Procurement (SPP): The Sustainable Public Procurement Initiative (SPPI) is preparing a proposal for the 10YFP programme which will be released for public consultation by the end of the year, with launch expected early in 2014. The focus of the programme is likely to be: (1) developing a vision for SPP and defining purchasing principles; (2) monitoring SPP/GPP implementation and assessing impacts; (3) addressing barriers to SPP implementation and proposing/disseminating innovative solutions; (4) promoting collaboration with the private sector; and (5) cooperating for SPP implementation.

Consumer Information: a stock taking analysis, including interviews of key organizations and stakeholders working in the area of consumer information, and an on line global survey (160 responses), have been undertaken. A proposal will be circulated to experts, 10YFP national and stakeholder focal points and the UN Inter-agency Coordination Group by the end of the year. The programme may focus on the following objectives: i) easy, practical and sustainable choice by consumers, through ii) provision of accessible, reliable and verifiable life cycle based sustainability information by market suppliers.

Sustainable Tourism: a Global Survey on Sustainable Tourism yielded 370 responses from the full range of stakeholders. Preliminary findings were presented at the 92nd Session of the OECD Tourism Committee (October 2013, Paris) and at the UN Expert Group Meeting on Ecotourism, Poverty Reduction and Environmental Protection (October 2013, New York). 10YFP programme areas may include: i) Tourism/ Destination Planning, ii) Tourism Investment; iii) Tourism Monitoring and Evaluation, iv) Tourism Operations and Management. A proposal will be ready for public consultation in the first quarter of 2014.

Sustainable Buildings and Construction The SBCI Symposium (25-26 November 2013, Paris, France) served as a platform for early discussions, and highlighted the importance of sustainable social housing and energy efficiency as potential activities of the Programme, in addition to policy development, and resource efficiency in construction along the supply chain. The first draft concept for a programme is currently being developed.

Sustainable Lifestyles and Education: consultation with key stakeholders and partners on this programme has been initiated, and will be concluded in early 2014, with the launch of the programme expected in mid-2014.
**Status of the 10YFP programmes development**

- **STEP 1 - Stock Taking & Consultations**
  - **Sustainable Food Systems**
    - New programme area approved in March 2014
  - **Sustainable Buildings and Construction**
    - Stock taking exercise and consultations underway
  - **Sustainable Lifestyles & Education**
    - Expert meeting Dec. 2013 - Online survey in May 2014
  - **Sustainable Tourism**
    - Regional consultations and online survey 2013 -2014
    - Concept note being finalised – launch in SIDS conf, Sept 2014

- **STEP 2 & 3**
  - Concept notes, lead actors & MAC

- **STEP 5 – Launching!**

- **Consumer Information**
  - Launched 1 July, HLPF, NY
  - Co-lead Indonesia (MoE), Germany (BMU), Consumers Int

- **Sustainable Public Procurement**
  - Launched on 1st April 2014
  - Co-lead by UNEP, KEITI & ICLEI
The members of the 10YFP Board have also highlighted the **need to address better consumption issues, food waste and food losses**, and have requested their full integration in the full programme proposal to be developed.

Conceptual framework – showing how shift to SCP patterns delivers those benefits

Case studies – approx 20 out of 150 currently being screened

Quantification of gains – key element of case studies

Based on SCP approach – supply & demand and life cycle approach to reducing impacts/securing gains

Scaleable and replicable – criterion for case studies