

NEW BROCHURES



[African Roots and Tubers – Flash News No. 2](#)
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(4 pp.)



[The CASH+ approach in the Sahel as a tool to reinforce resilience in the Sahel](#)
Also available in [French](#)
(8 pp.)



[Conservation Agriculture](#)
(2 pp.)



[FAO Representation in Georgia: E-newsletter No. 28, 2017](#)
(Tbilisi, 3 pp.)



[FAO Philippines Newsletter. 2017, No. 2](#)
(Makati City, 12 pp.)



[FAO Somalia Famine Prevention and Drought Response Plan January–December 2017](#)
(12 pp.)



[FAO to protect chestnut forests in Turkey using classical biological control methods – Food chain crisis – Emergency Prevention System \(FCC-EMPRES\)](#)
(2 pp.)



[Intensification durable de la production du maïs chez les petits producteurs des départements de l'Alibori et du Borgou au Bénin](#)
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[AquaCrop, the crop water productivity model](#)
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[Common Oceans — ABNJ: Global sustainable fisheries management and biodiversity conservation in the areas beyond national jurisdiction](#)
(12 pp.)



[Newsletter FAO Afghanistan. No. 9, June 2017](#)
(Kabul, 4 pp.)



[FAO Myanmar Newsletter. 2017, No. 2](#)
(Yangon, 4 pp.)



[FAO SAP Newsletter – June 2017, No. 35](#)
(6 pp.)



[FAO/GIEWS Special Alert No. 339 – Global, 14 July 2017](#)
(8 pp.)



[FPMA Bulletin No. 6, 10 July 2017](#)
(18 pp.)



[Rural Institutions, Services and Empowerment Newsletter: May–June 2017, No. 2](#)
(2 pp.)

NEW BOOKS AND BRIEFS

AGRICULTURE



[FAO Food Chain Crisis Early Warning Bulletin, July–September 2017 No. 2](#)
Threats including African swine fever, avian influenza, locusts and wheat rust are foreseen in July–September 2017. This bulletin lists 28 pests and diseases and where they are expected. (40 pp.)



[Recent practices and advances for AMIS crop yield forecasting at farm and parcel level: A review](#)
New developments in forecasting food production reviewed here include a stronger presence of the private sector, changes to data collection and analysis methods, and more sophisticated modelling of food production. (68 pp.)

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT



Governance of food and nutrition security: factors for viability and sustainability. Case studies from seven Latin American countries

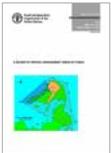
This book shows that to achieve the objective of overcoming hunger and malnutrition in Latin America, governance should aim to establish a space for agreement and rules of social harmony. (108 pp.)



Mountain Partnership Secretariat Annual Report 2016

A review of the Mountain Partnership Secretariat's work in 2016, advocating for global attention to the challenges facing mountain communities and ecosystems, and stronger investments to tackle rising food insecurity in these regions. (68 pp.)

FISHERIES AND AQUACULTURE



A review of the special management areas in Tonga

FAO's Special Management Areas (SMA) programme supports local communities in Tonga in managing coastal fishery resources. This review recommends enhancing the SMA unit at the ministry level and modifying SMA monitoring. (Apia, 54 pp.)



Doing aquaculture as a business for small- and medium-scale farmers

This training manual will help small and medium-scale fish farmers build their knowledge of basic technical principles of commercial aquaculture and apply them in their daily activities. (50 pp.)



West Balkans regional aquatic animal disease diagnostic manual

A reference for official veterinarians, veterinary inspectors and fish health experts to facilitate daily tasks at aquaculture farms in five Balkan countries and improve product compliance with common EU market standards. (100 pp.)

FOOD SAFETY AND NUTRITION



Development of voluntary guidelines for the sustainability of the Mediterranean diet in the Mediterranean region

Despite its proven benefits, the Mediterranean diet is losing ground in Mediterranean countries. This publication calls for action to promote this diet, explaining how it could contribute to the 2030 Agenda in this region. (154 pp.)



Fostering food purchase programmes in widespread poverty contexts

This paper presents the targeting process developed within local food purchase programmes in Niger and the use of preferential procurement for small-scale family farming food outputs. (26 pp.)



The science of food standards – Codex Alimentarius Commission Annual Report 2016/17

This publication showcases the steps – including executive, regional, and technical committees – taken by the Codex Alimentarius from September 2016 (CAC39) to July 2017 (CAC40) to achieve safe and quality food for all. FAO & WHO (60 pp.)

STATISTICS



Perspectives agricoles de l'OCDE et de la FAO 2017-2026. Chapitre spécial: Asie du Sud-Est

The 2017 edition of the OECD-FAO Agricultural Outlook, which provides market projections for major agricultural commodities, biofuels and fish, and a special feature on Southeast Asia, is now available in French. FAO & OECD (158 pp.)