

REPUBLIC OF RWANDA



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Expected output is a **comprehensive disaster risk profile for Rwanda**, detailing the risk index par district and per hazard among 5 selected hazards (floods, droughts, earthquakes, storms and landslides) in Atlas form. This must take in account the expected loss/damages per scenarios and proposes the mitigation measures required per hazard.



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Development of Comprehensive
(National and Local)
Disaster Risk Profiles for enhancing
Disaster Management in Rwanda Project

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PROJECT OVERVIEW

Project Background

The “Development of comprehensive disaster risk profiles for enhancing disaster management in Rwanda” project is one of 5 components of the UNDP Project which aims to assist the Government of Rwanda in building national capacities for disaster risk management through advisory, policy and technical support to render fully operational an effective disaster management system at the national, sector and district levels. It is its Output 3 that aims to establish a functioning national disaster risk assessment and monitoring system (DRAMS).

The Project complements the UNDAF 2008-2012, in its Result 5: “Rwandan population benefits from economic growth and is less vulnerable to social and economic shocks” outcome 1 “Effective national disaster management established and operational”. The Project duration is twelve months.

Source of Funds

- Funding from the EU/ACP
- WB/GFDRR as Funding Custodian
- Request Submission by MIDIMAR through UNDP

General Objective

To assist the Government of Rwanda to conduct a comprehensive and nationwide assessment of the existing risk with the view of determining the Disaster Risk Profile of the Country.

Specific Objectives

To contribute to a better assessment of the selected hazards at local scale.

To define a set of indicators to assess population vulnerability.

To develop a risk assessment methodology, which can allow to update the risk profiles of selected hazards.

To produce a disaster risk profile of Rwanda in Atlas format, detailing the risk index per districts, the expected loss/damages per scenario.

To propose the mitigation measures required per hazard.

To enhance the DRM system by training of stakeholders up to local level.

Expected Results

To develop a methodology adapted to the Rwandan context to assess the selected hazards, to evaluate the vulnerability of population to those hazards.

The methodology should be modifiable to be adapted to new situations and allow to update disaster risk profile of a given hazard and specific area.

To produce a comprehensive disaster risk profiles at local level in atlas format, representing different index of disaster risk per hazard at district level.

In terms of capacity building, the Project will produce training modules on disaster risk assessment, and conduct training sessions for different actors at national and district level.

To develop a Rwanda Risk Assessment guideline.

