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SPC Work Plan in Tokelau



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The following table lists key work areas that SPC is undertaking in 2017 in cooperation with Tokelau. The country-specific work listed here complements other SPC work undertaken at a regional level to benefit the people of Tokelau and achieve its national development priorities. SPC's key regional work is presented in the Pacific Community Results Report.

SPC development objective	Divisional business plan objective	Status	Outputs taking place or expected to commence this year	Programme/Project
Goal 1: The Pacific region and its people benefit from inclusive and sustainable economic growth				
Fisheries				
Strengthen sustainable management of natural resources (fisheries, forestry, land use, agriculture, minerals, water)	Enhance data collection and provide data management services for fisheries and marine ecosystems	Ongoing	Provision of new and updated internet-based tools to acquire and manage tuna fishery data	GEF, programme funding, E-Reporting and E-Monitoring
		Ongoing	Support provided to users of SPC-developed Tuna Fisheries Data Management Systems, through the Ocean Fisheries Programme (OFP) Helpdesk via 'Slack' online collaboration platform	GEF, programme funding
		Ongoing	Purse-seine or longline logsheet data processed at SPC on behalf of member countries	Core, GEF, programme funding
		Completed	Participants attended 11th Tuna Data Workshop. Support provided to prepare and submit national annual catch estimates	Tuna Data Workshop (WCPFC Capacity building)
		Completed	Country assisted with Western and Central Pacific Fisheries Commission (WCPFC) reporting obligations, particularly with WCPFC Annual Report Part 1 (related to its fleet's activities in the WCPFC Convention Area)	Core, GEF, programme funding
		Ongoing	Provision of tuna fishery data summaries responding to various ad hoc national requests (e.g. for access negotiation briefs, etc.)	Core, GEF, programme funding
	Support capacity development in fisheries and aquaculture among PICTs	On Track	Training in fish aggregating device (FAD) rigging, deployment and FAD fishing skills and small-boat safety	FAD training assistance (Funded by MFAT under PFTP, ADB under post-disaster projects or cost-shared with recipient PICT)
	Provide analyses and advice for evidence-based fisheries management	Ongoing	Ongoing work provided in oceanic fisheries as the 'science provider' to the WCPFC (includes WCPFC members and participating territories)	WCPFC
		Ongoing	Scientific analyses, advice and technical support provided to Pacific Islands Forum Fisheries Agency (FFA)	Core, programme funding
		Ongoing	Analyses and support provided to Parties to the Nauru Agreement (PNA) for Vessel Day Scheme (VDS) and wider fishery management decision-making	Programme funding
		Ongoing	Scientific analyses, advice and technical support provided to the Tokelau Arrangement	Core, programme funding, MFAT

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		Ongoing	Analyses and outreach in support of the development of harvest strategies for WCPO tuna stocks	WCPFC, MFAT
		Ongoing	Secure national web pages delivering country-specific scientific advice on the status of oceanic fisheries resources updated and enhanced	GEF
Development statistics				
Strengthen access to and use of development statistics in policy development and monitoring progress	PICTs have the technical capacity to manage and implement all core statistical collections, including key administrative databases, as required by national development plans, including national strategies for the development of statistics	Completed	Technical assistance provided for compilation of the trade database - Data source identified and methodology to be used set	DFAT-Strengthen Pacific Statistics_2016-2017
		Completed	Rebased consumer price indices; compilation manual produced - New weights for Consumer Price Index (CPI) derived and item list updated	DFAT-Strengthen Pacific Statistics_2016-2017
		On Track	First ever Tokelau International Merchandise Trade Statistics disseminated	DFAT-Strengthen Pacific Statistics_2016-2017
Goal 2: Pacific communities are empowered and resilient				
Human rights, gender equality, cultural diversity and opportunities for young people				
Advance social development through the promotion of human rights, gender equality, cultural diversity and opportunities for young people	Effective shared agendas, regional platforms and institutions	On Track	Report of recommendations from the regional conference of Pacific women and Ministers and Senior Government Officials Meeting (2-5 October 2017)	Progressing Gender Equality in PICTs

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Goal 3: Pacific Island people reach their potential and lead long and healthy lives				
Non-communicable diseases and food security				
Improve multi-sectoral responses to non-communicable diseases and food security	Strengthen high political leadership and ownership at national and regional level	Completed	Support Tokelau Non-communicable Disease (NCD) Summit	PHD Policy Planning and Regulation (PPRP activity 7.1.1)
		Completed	Support advocacy meeting as part of NCD Summit	PHD Policy Planning and Regulation (PPRP activity 7.1.1)
	Build PICTs capacity and knowledge for effective implementation and action	Ongoing	Information, education and communication resources needs identified, and information distributed	PHD Policy Planning and Regulation (from PPRP activity 7.4.6)
Education quality				
Improve education quality	Improve performance of teachers and principals	On Track	Support countries' development of monitoring and evaluation tools to track progress of education strategic plan	Pacific Benchmarking for Education Results
		On Track	National and regional benchmarks and enabling policies are in place to improve education system performance	Pacific Benchmarking for Education Results
	Strengthened national accreditation and assessment systems	On Track	Enhanced alignment of agency quality assurance strategies with the Pacific Qualifications and Accreditation Framework (PQAF)	EQAP Accreditation
	Raising of student achievement in literacy and numeracy	On Track	Improved capacity for development of intervention resources and consequently for teaching of literacy and numeracy	Regional Qualifications and Assessment for Learning
		On Track	Capacity enhanced for unpacking learning outcomes, and development and identification of skills bands for consistency of teaching and assessment	Regional Qualifications and Assessment for Learning
		On Track	Technical assistance provided in the assessment and monitoring of early grade reading assessment	Improving Literacy and Numeracy
	Strengthening of national accreditation and assessment systems	On Track	Enhanced alignment of agency quality assurance strategies with PQAF	EQAP Accreditation
		On Track	Relevant technical and advisory support provided for accrediting agencies and education and training institutions	EQAP Accreditation