

## SUMMARY OF THE FSN FORUM DISCUSSION

### TRAINING MANUALS / TRAINING RESOURCES ON FOOD SECURITY FROM 5<sup>TH</sup> TO 16<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2008

Proceedings available at

[http://km.fao.org/fileadmin/user\\_upload/fsn/docs/PROCEEDINGS\\_TrainingManualsFS.doc](http://km.fao.org/fileadmin/user_upload/fsn/docs/PROCEEDINGS_TrainingManualsFS.doc)

Reference materials provided by FSN Forum members following Mr Acosta's (FAO Mozambique) query requesting food security manuals successfully used in other countries to train civil servants at provincial and district level on food security issues.

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#### I. TRAINING MANUALS AND TECHNICAL GUIDES

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- **Formation de partenaire en Sécurité Alimentaire**, Oxfam GB. Training materials on food security, livelihoods and nutrition. They give an overview of conceptual frameworks, on PRA methods, and move into the project cycle management and use of this information. It is only available **in French** (S. Pietzsch):

[http://km.fao.org/fsn/resources/fsn\\_viewresdet.html?no\\_cache=1&r=489&nocache=1](http://km.fao.org/fsn/resources/fsn_viewresdet.html?no_cache=1&r=489&nocache=1)

- **Implications of Economic Policy for Food Security: A Training Manual**, Thomson, A. and Metz, M., for FAO and GTZ, 1998. Training manual prepared for the Agricultural Policy Support Service, Policy Assistance Division, Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations and the Deutsche Gesellschaft für Technische Zusammenarbeit (GTZ), Rome, 1998, (M. Metz):

<http://www.fao.org/docrep/004/x3936e/x3936e00.htm>

- **Measuring Nutritional Dimensions of Household Food Security. Technical Guide**, Morris, S.S., IFPRI, 1999 (I. Proietti):

[http://km.fao.org/fsn/resources/fsn\\_viewresdet.html?r=498](http://km.fao.org/fsn/resources/fsn_viewresdet.html?r=498)

- **Rapid Appraisal Methods for the Assessment, Design, and Evaluation of Food Security Programs. Technical Guide**. Bergeron, G., IFPRI, 1999 (I. Proietti):

[http://km.fao.org/fsn/resources/fsn\\_viewresdet.html?r=499](http://km.fao.org/fsn/resources/fsn_viewresdet.html?r=499)

#### II. READING MATERIALS FOR TRAINING ON FOOD SECURITY

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- **Food Security Indicators and Framework for Use in the Monitoring and Evaluation of Food Aid Programs**, Fanta (Food and Nutrition Technical Assistance) Project, 1999 (I. Proietti):

[http://km.fao.org/fsn/resources/fsn\\_viewresdet.html?r=500](http://km.fao.org/fsn/resources/fsn_viewresdet.html?r=500)

- **Standard Analytical Framework For Food Security And Vulnerability Assessment**, WFP, 2008, (I. Proietti):

[http://km.fao.org/fsn/resources/fsn\\_viewresdet.html?r=183](http://km.fao.org/fsn/resources/fsn_viewresdet.html?r=183)

- **Measuring Vulnerability to Food Insecurity**, Scaramozzino, P., FAO, ESA, 2006, (I. Proietti):

[http://km.fao.org/fsn/resources/fsn\\_viewresdet.html?r=177](http://km.fao.org/fsn/resources/fsn_viewresdet.html?r=177)

- **Seguridad Alimentaria y nutricional. Conceptos Básicos**, Programa Especial para la Seguridad Alimentaria (PESA) Centroamérica, 2006. It is only available in Spanish (I. Proietti):

[http://km.fao.org/fsn/resources/fsn\\_viewresdet.html?r=186](http://km.fao.org/fsn/resources/fsn_viewresdet.html?r=186)

### III. TRAINING COURSES

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- **Achieving Food And Nutrition Security, Actions to Meet the Global Challenge, A Training Course Reader**, In Went, Feldafing, Klennert, Klaus (ed.), 2005, (M. Metz);

[http://km.fao.org/fsn/resources/fsn\\_viewresdet.html?r=492](http://km.fao.org/fsn/resources/fsn_viewresdet.html?r=492)

- Four training modules for distant learning on "**Formulation and Implementation of Food Security Policies**" developed by the EC-FAO Food Security Information for Action Programme are being finalised at the moment. These training modules will be posted on FAO's website. Please contact Cristina Petracchi ([Cristina.Petracchi@fao.org](mailto:Cristina.Petracchi@fao.org)) to find out about the publication date. (M. Metz)

### IV. WEB-SITE RESOURCES

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- **EC-FAO Food Security website** with many food security related training materials in English: [http://www.foodsec.org/tr\\_res.htm](http://www.foodsec.org/tr_res.htm) (D. Melvin)

- **FSN Forum site**, the Capacity development page offers several **training materials on food security and nutrition** (I. Proietti):

[http://km.fao.org/fsn/resources/capacity\\_development/training\\_materials\\_fs.html](http://km.fao.org/fsn/resources/capacity_development/training_materials_fs.html)

- **IFPRI website, Training Materials on Food and Nutrition Policy**. Several training materials about food and nutrition policy (I. Proietti):

[http://km.fao.org/fsn/resources/fsn\\_viewresdet.html?r=496](http://km.fao.org/fsn/resources/fsn_viewresdet.html?r=496)