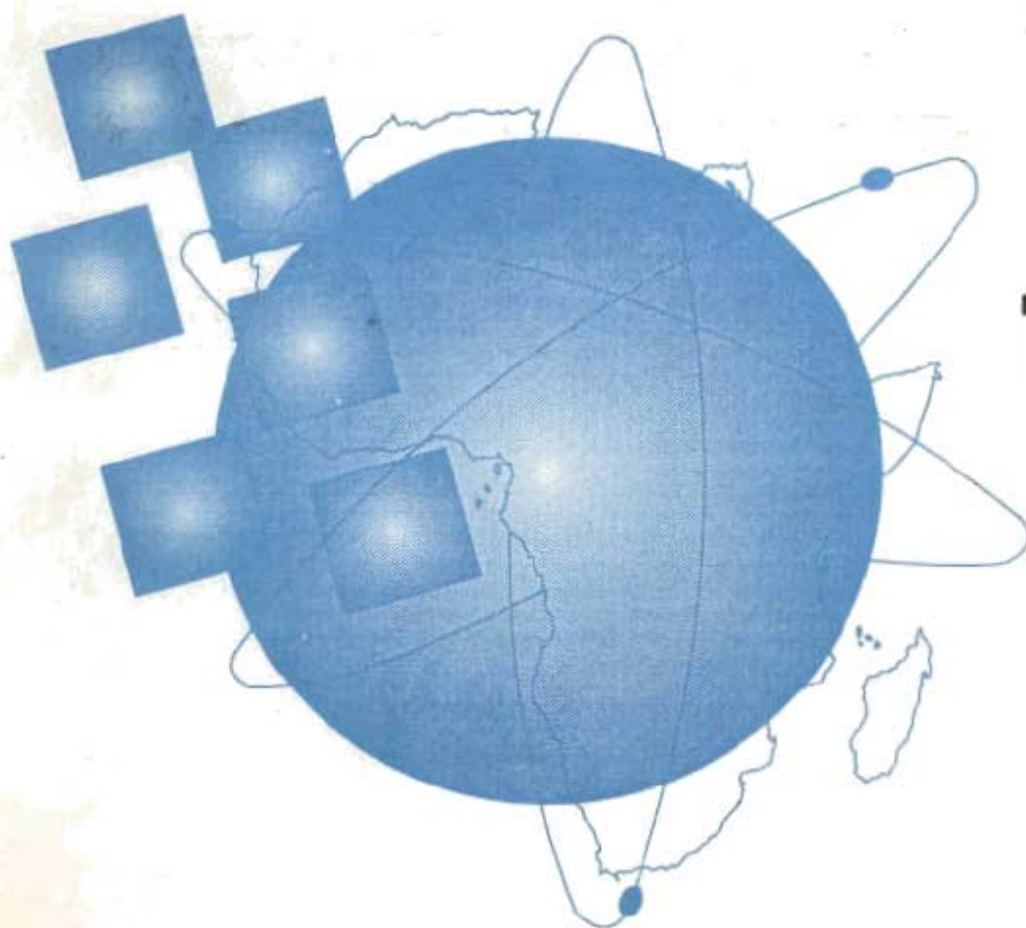


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Preface

This is the first regional issue of the Directory of African Development Institutions published by the Pan African Development Information System (PADIS). Directories concerning institutions which were published prior by PADIS to this issue contained information only on ECA-sponsored institutions.

At the request of the Standing Committee on Harmonization and Standardization of Documentation and Information Systems at Regional and Sub-regional Institutions in Africa, the scope of the Directory widened beyond the ECA sponsored institutions. To prepare this volume, questionnaires were sent to national, regional, international, private and public institutions in and outside of Africa. The reaction of African institutions was positive, and the Directory's data base now comprises records on over 140 development institutions. More records are being added as completed forms continue to arrive.

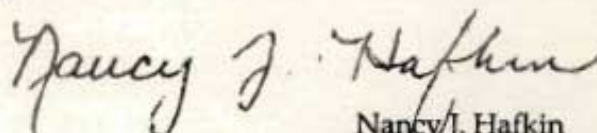
We should like to assure those institutions who have completed the questionnaire, but who do not figure in the present volume, that the information supplied has already been entered in our data base and will be published in subsequent volumes.

The present issue of the Directory is in English because the majority of respondents described their objectives and activities in English. However, if users demand a French version of the Directory, PADIS will be glad to produce this as well as to produce bi-lingual editions of future issues of the Directory.

While much progress has been achieved since the creation of the Development Institutions' data base *PADinst*, there are still many institutions in Africa qualifying for the data base which do not figure in it because they have not had the opportunity to complete the questionnaire. Your assistance in identifying such institutions would be greatly appreciated; for this purpose we have inserted a copy of the questionnaire for African Development Institutions with this issue. Additional copies may be requested from PADIS.

We hope that this Directory will be of use to African States and that it will allow them to widen the scope of their cooperation.

I should like to thank all those who have contributed to the preparation and publication of this Directory.



Nancy J. Hafkin
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(PADIS)
United Nations
Economic Commission for Africa (ECA)

Technical Notes

The Directory of African Development Institutions is composed of four parts:

Institution Index
 Subject Index
 Country Index
 Index of Parent Organizations.

The **Institution Index** provides a profile of the institutions, their objectives and activities, arranged alphabetically by name of institutions. For institutions situated in anglophone countries the English name of the institution is used as the sorting key; for institutions situated in francophone countries the French name is used. Wherever existing the official translation into the respective other language is given. Each entry comprises the following information:

Name of institution	In full, as provided; acronyms are added where officially existing. In francophone countries the French version of the name is used for alphabetical sorting in the institution index.
Translated name of institution	Wherever an official translation exists, the translation in English or French is given.
Address	Mailing address of the institution as provided; additional information can include: telephone, fax number, telex, and telegram. Telephone and fax numbers are preceded by the country code (indicated by the + sign) and, where applicable, by the area code in brackets.
Name of Director or Head	Name as provided
Year of establishment of Institution	Year as provided
Major Donor of Finance	Institutions, groups and other type of donors as provided
Member States of Institution	Country codes according to International Organization for Standardization (ISO) Alpha-2 Country Code ¹ , or names/acronyms of other members as provided
Type of institution	Indication whether institution is public, private, parastatal, non-profit, profit making, or other

Parent Organization	If any, as provided
Number of professional staff	Number as provided
Working Languages	According to ISO Language Code ²
Geographical coverage	Geographical coverage of institution
Objectives	Objectives of the institution as provided by the institution
Activities	Activities of the institution as indicated by the institution
Type of information service	If any: as provided
Name of information service	If any: as provided
Title and periodicity of publications	If any: as provided
Descriptors	Key words used to establish the English terms in the subject index

The **Subject Index** is provided to facilitate the location of institutions in the institution index on the basis of their objectives and fields of activities. The subject index uses the descriptors of the United Nations *Macrothesaurus*³.

A **Country Index** has also been included to facilitate access to the information contained in the institution index.

Finally, the **Index of Parent Organizations** allows for easy reference to parent organizations for those institutions which have such backstopping.

To assist in the use of the four indexes, keys to various codes and abbreviations have been provided as follows:

- Country codes, alphabetically by code
- Country codes, alphabetically by country
- Codes for institutions' working language
- Acronyms.

References

¹ISO 3166-1988 (E): *Codes for the representation of names of countries*.

²ISO 639-1988 (E): *Codes for the representation of names of languages*.

³*Macrothesaurus for information processing in the field of economic and social development*, third edition, New York, United Nations, 1985.

- 1 ——— 011 **African Regional Centre for Engineering Design and Manufacturing (ARCEDEM)**
- 2 ——— *Centre Régional Africain de Conception et de Fabrication Techniques (CRACFT)*
- PMB 19
U.I. Post Office
Ibadan, Nigeria
Tel.: +234 (22) 71-01-81/1 Telex: 31167 ARCEDEM NG 20311
TDS IBA NG Telegram: ARCEDEM IBADAN NG
- 3
- Head of institution:* Dr. M. Farouk Abdel-Rahman
- Year of establishment:* 1980 *Major donor(s):* Federal Government of Nigeria, contributions from member States, grants from international bodies and friendly countries.
- Member State(s)/institution(s):* BI BJ CG DZ EG GH GN HV KE
KM LR MA ML NE NG RW SD
SL SN TG TZ ZM ZR
- 4
- Parent Organization(s):* UNECA *Working language(s):* EN FR
- 5
- Geographic coverage:* Africa
- 6 ——— □ To design, develop and adapt machinery and equipment to develop of prototypes of machines and equipment; to offer and promote engineering consultancy services within the African region.
- 7 ——— ○ Designing and developing agricultural machinery; manufacturing spare parts, machine components and complete machinery; testing and experimentation of materials, components and machines; training and extension services on machine designing, industrial management.
- Type of information system:* Production of databases of experts and of institutions in engineering design and manufacturing; publication of ARCEDEM bulletin; advisory and referral services.
- Name of information system:* ARCEDEM-DIS
- Publications:*
- ARCEDEM Bulletin (French and English) (Quarterly)
- 8
- 9 ——— ♦ /engineering design/, /manufacturing/, /training/, /agricultural machinery/, /industrial equipment/, /prototypes/
- 10 ——— *ISN:* 5

- 1 Record number
- 2 Name of institution, acronym and translated name (if any)
- 3 Address, including telephone, fax, telex, and telegram
- 4 Member States/institutions (for countries: ISO Alpha-2 Country Code)
- 5 Working languages (ISO Code)
- 6 Objectives
- 7 Activities of institution
- 8 Name of publication(s) and periodicity
- 9 Descriptors available for retrieval through a computer
- 10 Internal Sequence Number

Institution Index

- 001 **African Airlines Association (AFRAA)**
Association des Compagnies Aériennes Africaines

P.O. Box 20116

Nairobi, Kenya

Tel.: +254(2) 33-55-28 Telex: SITA NBOXAEC

Head of institution: Semret Medhane

Captain Mohammed

Year of establishment: 1968 Major donor(s): Member States' contributions

Member State(s)/institution(s): AO BI BJ CF CG CI CM DJ DZ EG ET
 GA GH GN HV KE LR LY MA MG
 ML MR MW MZ NE NG RW SD SL
 SN SO SZ TD TG TN TZ UG ZM ZR
 ZW

Working language(s): EN FR Geographic coverage: Africa

□ To promote and develop safe, regular, economical and efficient air transport services to, from, within and through Africa; to study associated problems; to foster closer cooperation among African air transport enterprises; to promote inter-African commerce and tourism; to serve as a common forum to voice views of member airlines on matters and problems of common interest; to provide assistance in obtaining easier movement of passengers, cargo, mail and aircraft of member airlines; to promote the more rapid development of air navigation, communication and air transport facilities in Africa.

○ Research bureau; standardization of training syllabi; cooperation in technical fields.

Publications:

AFRAA Bulletin (Monthly)

♦ /air transport/, /regional cooperation/, /commercial enterprises/, /tourism/, /air traffic/

ISSN: 79

- 002 **African Association for Literacy and Adult Education (AALAE)**
Association Africaine pour l'Alphabétisation et l'Education des Adultes

Old East Bldg.

Tom Mboya St.

P.O.Box 50768

Nairobi, Kenya

Tel.: +254(2) 22-254 Telex: 2261 OLDEAST

Head of institution: A. Edward Ulzen

Year of establishment: 1984 Major donor(s): Membership contributions; governments and private grants

Member State(s)/institution(s): BI BW CI CM EG ET GA GH GM GN
 GW KE LR LS MG ML MU MW NE
 NI RW SD SL SN SO SZ TD TG TZ UG
 ZM ZR ZW

Number of staff: 11 Working language(s): EN Geographic coverage: Africa

□ To promote research on the problems of adult education; to act as a clearing house for information; to publish and promote publication of material contributing to the goals of the association

○ Organising conferences, seminars, study groups; regional workshops, research and feasibility studies; exhibitions.

Publications:

AALAE Newsletter (3 per year)

Journal of the AALAE (2 per year)

♦ /literacy/, /adult education/, /educational development/, /research/, /training/

ISN: 54

003 African Association for Public Administration and Management (AAPAM)

Association Africaine d'Administration et de Gestion Publiques

P.O.Box 61862

Nairobi, Kenya

Tel.: +254(2) 51-72-00

Head of institution: Mutahaba Gelase

Yayha

Year of establishment: 1971 **Major donor(s):** Member States' contribution

Member State(s)/institution(s): BW EG GM KE LR LS MW NG SC SD SL SN SZ TZ UG ZM

Parent Organization(s): UNECA **Working language(s):** EN FR
Geographic coverage: Africa

□ To provide senior officials with opportunities for exchanging ideas and experiences to foster professionalization of public administration and management in Africa; to promote the study of professional techniques and to encourage research, in particular African administrative problems.

○ To organize seminars, workshops and conferences on topical issues; annual roundtable conferences; to provide consultancy services and promote inter-country schemes for exchange of public servants and managers.

Publications:

AAPAM Newsletter (Quarterly)

♦ /public administration/, /management development/, /management techniques/

ISN: 80

004 African Centre for Applied Research and Training in Social Development (ACARTSOD)

Centre Africain de Recherche Appliquée et de Formation en Matière de Développement Social (CAFRADES)

P.O. Box 80606

Tripoli, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya

Tel.: +281(21) 83-36-40, 83-08-47 **Telex:** 20582 UNDEVPRO

Head of institution: Yassin Elkabir

Year of establishment: 1977 **Major donor(s):** Member States' contributions; OAU; UNECA

Member State(s)/institution(s): AO BF BI BJ CF CM DZ EG ET GH GM
GN GQ KE LR LY MA ML NE SD SL
SN TG UG ZR

Parent Organization(s): UNECA **Working language(s):** AR EN FR
Geographic coverage: Africa

□ To contribute to formulation of development programmes in Africa; to coordinate research and training in social development programmes, adopting an interdisciplinary approach and encouraging independent, indigenous intellectual efforts based on real needs and priorities.

○ Provides training of high-level personnel; executes research programmes, including promotion of rural development programmes; assists national universities and institutes in the field of training; develops indigenous teaching and research materials; initiates and maintains relations with similar institutes within and outside the region; organizes seminars and provides documentation service.

Publications:

ACARTSOD Newsletter (Semi-annually)
Directory of Training and Research Institutions for Social Development in Africa (1983)
Social implications of the Lagos Plan of Action for the economic development of Africa, 1980-2000
The Lagos Plan of Action: prospects and social consequences in implementation

♦ /surveys/, /research/, /training/, /social development/

ISN: 1

- 005 **African Cooperative Savings and Credit Association (ACOSCA)**
Association des Coopératives d'Épargne et de Crédit d'Afrique (ACECA)

P.O.Box 43278
Nairobi, Kenya

Year of establishment: 1968 **Major donor(s):** Member states' contribution

Member State(s)/institution(s): BF BG BW CI CM ET GH KE LR LS
MU MW NG RW SC SL SN SZ TG TZ
UG ZM

Number of staff: 15 **Working language(s):** EN FR **Geographic coverage:** Africa

□ To promote and organize national cooperative savings and credit organizations; to provide financial assistance and services; to deliver promotional and technical information and services; to maintain a climate for cooperative savings within the public conscience; to deliver technical services to national cooperatives savings and credit organizations on the promotion of their member cooperative savings and credit societies, etc.

○ Receives assistance, subsidies, donations, inheritance, requests; attracts and mobilizes financial and technical resources for members; negotiates loans; makes loans to affiliate members.

Publications:

ACOSCA Newsletter (6/year)
ACOSCA 5-Year Development Plan

♦ /savings/, /credit cooperatives/, /marketing/, /technical cooperation/, /investment promotion/, /loans/

ISN: 9

006 African Groundnut Council (AGC)
Conseil Africain de l'Arachide (CAA)

Trade Fair Complex
P.O.Box 3025
Lagos, Nigeria
Tel.: +234 (1) 88-09-82 Telex: 21366 AFNUCO NG

Head of institution: Mour Mamadou Samb

Year of establishment: 1964 *Major donor(s):* Member States' contribution

Member State(s)/institution(s): GM ML NE NG SD SN

Working language(s): EN FR *Geographic coverage:* Groundnut producing African countries

□ To organise, through joint action, the protection of the price of groundnuts on the world market; to promote the consumption of groundnuts and their products and resolve the different problems relating to the production, handling, and export of this oilseed; to encourage the exchange of technical and scientific information pertaining to the production and use of groundnuts; to promote solidarity among member States, particularly in favour of those states most adversely affected by natural or accidental conditions.

○ Organizing annual meetings: Council of Ministers, Council of Representatives; Economic and Commercial Committee, Scientific and Technical Committee, Finance and Administrative Committee.

Publications:

Groundnut Review
Groundnut Newsletter

♦ /groundnuts/, /agricultural markets/, /industrial crops/, /price policy/

ISN: 49

007 African Institute for Higher Technical Training and Research
Institut Africain de Formation Technique Supérieure et de Recherches

P.O. Box 53763
Nairobi, Kenya
Tel.: +254 (1) 33-56-61 Telex: 22529 CAPA MM

Head of institution: Jasper K. Kioko

Major donor(s): Member States' contributions

Member State(s)/institution(s): EG GH KE LR ML NE NG SD SL SN
TD UG ZM ZR

Type of institution: Public; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): UNECA *Number of staff:* 3 *Working language(s):* EN FR *Geographic coverage:* Africa

□ To develop technological manpower for Africa's development and to assist member states in the development of natural resources, industry and technology.

○ Agricultural engineering and food technology; technical teachers training; mechanical engineering; electrical engineering; electronics; communication technology.

Publications:

Research material (Periodically)

♦ */technological institutes/, /engineering/, /agricultural engineering/, /food technology/, /natural resources/, /manpower planning/, /training/*

ISN: 28

008 African Network of Scientific and Technological Institutions (ANSTI)

Réseau Africain d'Institutions Scientifiques et Techniques (UTIONS)

c/o ROSTA, Standard Street

P.O.Box 30592

Nairobi, Kenya

Tel.: +254 (1) 25-861 Télex: 22275 NAIROBI

Year of establishment: 1980 **Major donor(s):** UNDP, Federal Republic of Germany

Member State(s)/institution(s): BF BI BJ BW CF CG CI CM ET GA GH GM GN KE LR LS MG ML MW MZ NE RW SL SN SZ TD TG TZ UG ZM ZR ZW

Number of staff: 3 **Working language(s):** EN FR **Geographic coverage:** Africa

□ To bring about close and active collaboration between African engineering, scientific and technological institutions with regard to post-graduate training and research.

○ Offering post-graduate training fellowships, and finance staff exchange. Organizing scientific seminars and workshops.

Publications:

ANSTI Newsletter

African journal of science and technology

♦ */research centres/, /scientific research/, /technical cooperation/, /educational institutions/, /training assistance/*

ISN: 84

009 African Postal Union (AFPU)

Union Postale Africaine (UPAF)

26 July Street

Cairo, Egypt

Tel.: +20 (1) 91-08-93 Telegram: UPAFRIC

Head of institution: Diara Sidiki

Year of establishment: 1961 **Major donor(s):** Member States' contributions

Member State(s)/institution(s): BI EG GH GN GW LR LY ML MR SD SO ZR

Working language(s): AR EN FR

□ To improve postal services between member States; to secure collaboration between them in the creation of other useful services.

Publications:

African Postal Review

♦ /postal services/, /regional cooperation/

ISN: 69

010 African Regional Aquaculture Centre (ARAC)

P.M.B. 6165

Port Harcourt, Rivers State, Nigeria

Year of establishment: 1979 **Major donor(s):** UNDP, FAO, Federal Government of Nigeria

Member State(s)/institution(s): BF CF CI CM GA GH KE LS MG MU
MW NG SD SL SN TZ UG ZM

Number of staff: 17 **Working language(s):** EN **Geographic coverage:** Africa

□ Through research and training, to develop a sound technical base for organized growth of aquaculture; to increase food production in the form of finfish and/or shellfish; to promote rural employment and to make aquaculture a strong medium to increase foreign exchange.

○ Organizing research programmes on selected systems of aquaculture to increase its development in the region.

♦ /aquaculture/, /fish culture/, /shellfish culture/, /fishery research/, /food production/, /rural development/

ISN: 46

011 African Regional Centre for Engineering Design and Manufacturing (ARCEDEM)

Centre Régional Africain de Conception et de Fabrication Techniques (CRACFT)

PMB 19

U.I. Post Office

Ibadan, Nigeria

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Head of institution: Dr. M. Farouk Abdel-Rahman

Year of establishment: 1980 **Major donor(s):** Federal Government of Nigeria, contributions from member States, grants from international bodies and friendly countries.

Member State(s)/institution(s): BI BJ CG DZ EG GH GN HV KE KM
LR MA ML NE NG RW SD SL SN TG
TZ ZM ZR

Parent Organization(s): UNECA **Working language(s):** EN FR **Geographic coverage:** Africa

□ To design, develop and adapt machinery and equipment; to develop prototypes of machines and equipment; to offer and promote engineering consultancy services within the Africa region.

○ Designing and developing agricultural machinery; manufacturing spare parts, machine components and complete machinery; testing and experimentation of materials, components and machines; training and extension services on machine designing, industrial management.

Type of information system: Production of databases of experts and of institutions in engineering design and manufacturing; publication of ARCEDEM bulletin; advisory and referral services. **Name of information system:** ARCEDEM-DIS

Publications:

ARCEDEM Bulletin (French and English) (Quarterly)

♦ /engineering design/, /manufacturing/, /training/, /agricultural machinery/, /industrial equipment/, /prototypes/

ISN: 5

012 African Regional Industrial Property Organization (ARIPO)

Organisation Régionale Africaine de la Propriété Industrielle

9 Gordon Avenue

P.O.Box 4228

Harare, Zimbabwe

Tel.: +263 (0) 79-43-38/9 Telex: 24063 ZW Telegram: ARIPO

Head of institution: A.R. Zokonda

Year of establishment: 1976 **Major donor(s):** Member States' contributions and fees from patent and industrial applications

Member State(s)/institution(s): GH GM KE LS MW SD SL SO SZ TZ
UG ZM ZW

Parent Organization(s): UNECA **Number of staff:** 5 **Working language(s):** EN **Geographic coverage:** Africa

□ To modernize, harmonize and develop industrial property laws of member States; to foster the establishment of a close relationship between member States in matters related to industrial property; to assist its members in the acquisition and develop technology relating to industrial property.

○ Technical missions to member states; organizing conferences, workshops, seminars, etc.

Type of information system: Dissemination of patents and other technological information to researchers and individuals **Name of information system:** AFPAT Data Base (African Patents Data Base)

Publications:

Annual report (yearly)

Conference proceedings

Council session reports (yearly)

Patent and Industrial Design Journal (quarterly)

♦ /industrial property/, /patents/, /industrial engineering/, /laws/, /technical cooperation/, /technical assistance/

ISN: 29

013 African Regional Organization for Standardization (ARSO)

Organisation Régionale Africaine de Normalisation (ORAN)

Muindi Mbingu Street

P.O.Box 57363

Nairobi, Kenya

Tel.: +254 (2) 33-08-82, 33-08-95 Fax: +254 (2) 21-87-92 Telex: 22097

ARSO Telegram: ARSO

Head of institution: Zawdu Felleke

Year of establishment: 1977 **Major donor(s):** BF CI CM EG ET GH GN GB KE LR LY MW MU NE NG SN SD TG TZ TN UG ZM ZR ZW

Member State(s)/institution(s): BF CI CM EG GH GN GW KE LY MU MW NE NG SD SN TG TN TZ UG ZR ZM ZW

Type of institution: Parastatal; Inter-governmental

Parent Organization(s): UNECA **Number of staff:** 6 **Working language(s):** EN FR **Geographic coverage:** Africa

□ To promote standardization activities in Africa; to elaborate regional standards; to promote social, industrial and economic development; to provide consumer protection and human safety by advocating and establishing activities concerning standardization in Africa and to promote the harmonization of views of its members and their contribution and participation at the international level in the field of standardization.

○ Conducts training programmes in the field of standardization, quality control, certification and metrology; assists member States in the development of their national machineries for standardization, quality control, certification and metrology; prepares and issues African regional standards; co-ordinates the views and participation of member States in international standardization activities; undertakes promotional activities and operates regional networks on standards, documentation and information services.

Type of information system: Operates and co-ordinates a network of documentation and information systems on standards **Name of information system:** ARSO Documentation and Information System (ARSO-DIS)

Publications:

ARSO Newsletter (Bi-annual)

Catalogue of African Regional Standards (Annual)

Directory of experts on standardization, quality control and metrology (Bi-annual)

Directory of National Standards Bodies of ARSO member States (Bi-annual)

♦ /standardization/, /quality control/, /metrology/, /harmonization/, /information networks/

ISN: 8

014 African Reinsurance Corporation (ARC)

Société Africaine de Réassurance

46 Marina

P.M.B. 12765

Lagos, Nigeria

Tel: +234 (1) 66-32-82; 66-33-23; 66-34-41 Telex: 22647 (AFRICA)NG

Telegram: AFRICA RE LAGOS *work*

Head of institution: Eyessus Wolde Zafu

Year of establishment: 1976 **Major donor(s):** Share capital paid up by member States and ADB

Member State(s)/institution(s): BF BI BJ CF CG CI CM DZ EG ET GA GH GM GN GW KE LR LY MA MG ML MR MU NE NG RW SD SL SN SO SZ TD TG TN TZ UG ZM ZR

Parent Organization(s): ADB **Number of staff:** 24 **Working language(s):** EN FR **Geographic coverage:** Africa

□ To foster the development of the insurance and reinsurance industry in Africa; to promote growth of national, sub-regional and regional underwriting and retention capacities and to support African economic development

○ Transacting reinsurance business in all classes of insurance; creating and administering pools for various risks; assisting in the establishment and operations of national, sub-regional and regional insurance and reinsurance institutions; investing its funds in Africa; promoting the continent's economic development; providing technical assistance to African countries; promoting contacts and business cooperation among insurance and reinsurance institutions in Africa.

♦ /insurance/, /credit insurance/, /investment guarantees/

ISN: 51

015 Agence Pan-Africaine d'Information (API)
Pan African News Agency (PANA)

Fann-Mermoz
P.O.Box 4056
Dakar, Senegal
Tel.: +221-25-61-20/1 Telex: 21647 OR 21647

Head of institution: Auguste Mpassi-Muba

Year of establishment: 1979 **Major donor(s):** Member States' contributions, UNESCO, OPEC

Member State(s)/institution(s): OAU member States

Parent Organization(s): OAU **Number of staff:** 72 **Working language(s):** AR EN FR PT **Geographic coverage:** Africa

□ To promote the aims and objectives of the OAU; to give information about Africa and assist in the liberation struggle of African people; to promote an effective exchange of information among member States; to work for subregional and regional integration of African countries.

○ Editorial activities; covering of main events of interest to Africa; transmitting of daily news about Africa; editing and publishing of documents of all kinds on the African media.

Type of information system: News stories, bulletins, features and special reports

Publications:

PANA Review (Quarterly)
News Stories (Daily)
Bulletins, special reports and features (Weekly)

♦ /data transmission/, /communication/, /information exchange/, /news/

ISN: 72

016 Arid Lands Information Center (ALIC)

845 N. Park Ave.
Tucson, Arizona USA
Tel.: +1 (602) 621-7897 Fax: +1 (602) 621-3816 Telex: 1561507 ARI-DUT
Telegram: ARIDLANDS

Head of institution: Barbara Hutchinson

Year of establishment: 1968 **Major donor(s):** State of Arizona, Contracts and Grants

Type of institution: Public; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): University of Arizona, Office of Arid Lands Studies, USA **Number of staff:** 3 **Working language(s):** DE EN ES FR HU UR **Geographic coverage:** Global

□ To provide a variety of services to the University, the public sector, and governmental agencies including library functions, specialized bibliographic searching and compilation, documents delivery and research support activities; to disseminate information on all aspects of arid lands, including desertification, biology, geology, land evaluation, pedology agricultural and non-agricultural utilizations, sociology, anthropology, and related environmental topics.

○ Working with the United Nations Development Programme to compile a World Desertification Bibliography; providing technical assistance to special libraries worldwide with activities ranging from the installation of in-house computer systems to evaluating and organizing document collections; serving as the North American Office for CABI.

Publications:

Arid Lands Newsletter (Semi-annually)

♦ /arid zone/, /desertification/, /forest management/, /remote sensing/, /agro-forestry/, /agricultural management/, /information services/, /environmental management/

ISN: 11

017 Association des Organisations Africaines de Promotion Commerciale (AOAPC)

Association of African Trade Promotion Organization (AATPO)

9 Rue Antaki

B.P. 23

Tangiers, Morocco

Tel.: 212 (9) 41-536, 41-687 **Telex:** AOAPC 33695 M. **Telegram:** 4/697

Head of institution: Roland E. Ubogu

Year of establishment: 1974

Member State(s)/institution(s): CM DZ EG ET GA GH KE LR LY MA
ML NE RW SD SN SO SZ TG TN UG
ZM ZR

Parent Organization(s): UNECA **Working language(s):** AR EN FR
Geographic coverage: Africa

□ To foster regular contact among African States in trade matters and to assist in harmonization of their commercial policies in order to promote intra-African trade; to bring together African business organizations and business persons.

○ Cooperating with national, subregional and regional organizations dealing with trade related matters; organizing meetings and seminars.

Publications:

Flash (6 per year)

African Trade (6 per year)

Directory of Trade Information Sources in Africa (Periodically)

Directory of Main Trading Organizations of African Countries (Periodically)

African Trade Perspectives
Monograph on African countries

♦ /commercial policy/, /trade promotion/, /trade development/, /international trade/, /foreign trade/, /regional cooperation/

ISN: 63

018 Association for Social Work Education in Africa (ASWEA)

Association pour l'Enseignement Social en Afrique (AESA)

Addis Ababa University
P.O. Box 1176
Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
Tel.: +251 (1) 12-68-27

A **Head of institution:** ~~Arega Yirnam~~ *Syoun G. Selassie*

Year of establishment: 1971 **Major donor(s):** Institutional membership dues; grants from international donor agencies; individuals associate members; Member States contributions

Member State(s)/institution(s): BF BJ BW CI CM KE LR LS LY MG ML MU NE NG RW SD SN SO SZ TG TN UG ZM ZR

Number of staff: 4 **Working language(s):** EN FR

□ To promote teaching and standards in the field of social development in Africa; to establish and maintain higher standards among institutions engaged in different levels of social work; to promote the exchange of information and experience in social work education among social work educators in Africa; to promote co-operation between schools of social work, institutions and centres carrying out national programmes of education in the field of social services and social development.

○ Maintaining social work schools training centres; organizing staff exchange programme; providing documentation and information; facilitating production, distribution and use of indigenous teaching materials; providing library services; organizing workshops, seminars and conferences; executing case studies.

Publications:

Conference proceedings
Seminar reports
Workshop reports

♦ /social work/, /social research/, /social development/, /educational planning/, /teaching/, /regional cooperation/, /social services/

ISN: 67

019 Association of African Central Banks

15, Bd Roosevelt
Dakar, Senegal

Head of institution: A.B. Taylor

Member State(s)/institution(s): BI CM DZ EG GH GM KE LY MA MG MU MW NG RW SD SL SO TN TZ UG ZM ZR

Parent Organization(s): UNECA **Working language(s):** EN FR
Geographic coverage: Africa

□ To promote cooperation in monetary, banking and financial matters in the Africa region; to assist in the formulation of general policies to be followed by African States in concluding payments and financial agreements among themselves; to assist in establishing monetary and financial stability in the Africa region; to examine international economic and financial arrangements in which African countries have an interest.

○ Collecting and disseminating data on sub-regional payment systems; the role of financial institutions in mobilizing domestic resources; financing of exports-tied aid and private investments.

♦ */banking/, /financial management/, /financial policy/, /financial institutions/, /regional cooperation/*

ISN: 42

020 Association of African Tax Administration

P.O.Box 3001

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

Tel.: +251 (1) 51-72-00, Ext 487

Year of establishment: 1980 *Major donor(s):* Member States' contributions

Member State(s)/institution(s): BJ BW DZ EG ET GA GM HV KM LR
ML NE TG TN UG ZM ZR

Type of institution: Public; Non-profit

Working language(s): EN FR *Geographic coverage:* Member States of UNECA and OAU

□ To promote cooperation in the field of taxation policy, legislation and administration among African countries; to study tax systems, policies and tax administration; to promote training and research facilities and institutions for tax administrators.

○ Holding meetings of technical and administrative personnel in tax administration for exchange of ideas and experiences; organizing seminars and training workshops on aspects of taxation policy, legislation and administration; collecting and disseminating information on tax policy, legislation and administration; collaborating with other organizations in the field of taxation; carrying out functions relating generally to the overall improvement of the capabilities of tax administrators and taxation systems and policy of member states.

♦ */tax administration/, /taxation/, /tax systems/, /public administration/, /regional cooperation/*

ISN: 22

021 Autorité de la Route Trans-Africaine Mombasa-Lagos (TAHA)

Mombasa-Lagos Trans-African Highway Authority

P.O. Box 3001

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

Tel.: +251 (1) 51-72-00, Ext 388 Telex: 21029ET

Year of establishment: 1981 *Major donor(s):* Member States' contributions

Member State(s)/institution(s): BI CF CM GA GQ KE NG RW SD TD
UG ZR

Type of institution: Public; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): UNECA **Working language(s):** EN FR
Geographic coverage: BI CF CG CM GA GQ KE NG RW SD TD UG ZR

□ To promote development of interstate links in order to facilitate trade and travel and foster integration of Africa.

○ Developing of missing road links, harmonization of customs, and immigration procedures and traffic regulations.

♦ /motor ways/, /transport/, /transport planning/, /trade/, /regional cooperation/

ISN: 30

022 Banque Africaine de Développement (BAD)
African Development Bank (ADB)

Avenue Joseph Anoma

B.P. 1387

Abidjan 01, Côte d'Ivoire

Tel.: +225-32-07-11; 32-50-10 Telex: AFDEV 23717; 23498

Head of institution: Babacar N'Diaye

Year of establishment: 1963

Member State(s)/institution(s): AO AU BE BF BI BJ BR BW CA CF CG
 CH CI CM CV DE DJ DK DZ EG ET
 FI FR GA GB GH GM GN GQ GW IN
 IT JP KE KM KR KW LR LS LY MA
 MG ML MR MU MW MZ NE NG NL
 NO PT RW SA SC SD SE SL SN SO ST
 SZ TD TG TN TZ UG US YU ZM ZR
 ZW

Parent Organization(s): UNECA **Working language(s):** EN FR
Geographic coverage: Africa

□ To contribute to the economic development and/or social progress of its members, individually and/or jointly.

○ Finances projects which concern several member States or which are designed to make their economies increasingly complementary and bring about an orderly expansion of their foreign trade; selects, studies and designs projects, enterprises and activities contributing to such development; mobilizes resources for the financing of projects; promotes investment in Africa of public and private capital; provides technical assistance for the study, preparation, financing and execution of projects.

Publications:

ADB News (Monthly)

ADB Quarterly Review (Quarterly)

Annual Compendium of Statistics (Annually)

Annual Review of Post-Evaluation Reports (Annually)

♦ /development banks/, /project financing/, /investments/, /investment promotion/, /technical cooperation/, /project design/

ISN: 3

023 Banque Arabe Pour le Développement Economique en Afrique (BADEA)

B.P. 2640

Khartoum, Sudan

Tel.: +249 (11) 73674/73709/70498 Fax: +249 (11) 24948/22739 Telegram: BADEA

Type of institution: Private; Profit-making

Working language(s): AR

□ Gives priority to projects encouraging Arab investments and expansion in Africa

○ Availability of a fund for the preinvestment study as a subsidy which will be included in the loan in case the project is implemented.

♦ /loans/, /agriculture/, /industry/

ISN: 31

**024 Banque Centrale des Etats de l'Afrique de l'Ouest (BCEAO)
Central Bank of West African States**

Avenue du Barachois

B.P. 3108

Dakar, Senegal

Tel.: +221-27-372 Telex: BECEAO 1354 SG - 3155 SG

Head of institution: V.K. Alipin

Year of establishment: 1955

Member State(s)/institution(s): BF BJ CI NE SN TG

Working language(s): FR Geographic coverage: West Africa

□ To act as a bank of issue for member States of the West African Monetary Union.

○ To issue monetary devices that are legal currency and tender in member States.

Publications:

Bulletin mensuel d'information (Monthly)

♦ /central banks/, /development banks/, /regional cooperation/

ISN: 90

025 Banque de Développement des Etats de l'Afrique Centrale (BDEAC)

B.P. 1177

Brazzaville, Congo

Tel.: +242-81-02-12 Telex: 5306

Member State(s)/institution(s): AO BF BE CF CG CM DE FR GA ID
KW

Type of institution: Private; Profit making

Working language(s): FR Geographic coverage: Africa

□ Priority to economic integration projects; infrastructure, agriculture, productive sectors.

ISN: 32

026 Banque des Etats de l'Afrique Centrale
Bank of Central African States

P.O.Box 1917

Yaounde, Cameroon

Tel.: +237-23-40-30; 22-25-05 Telex: 8343 KN Telegram: 4030

Head of institution: Casimir Ote Mba

Year of establishment: 1972

Member State(s)/institution(s): CF CG CM GA GQ TD

Type of institution: Public; Non-profit

Working language(s): FR *Geographic coverage:* Central Africa

□ To promote monetary cooperation among member countries

○ To issue the CFA and implement monetary policies defined by the board for its members

Publications:

Bulletin de la Banque des Etats de l'Afrique Centrale (Monthly)

♦ /investment banks/, /development banks/, /monetary agreements/

ISN: 112

027 Banque Ouest-Africaine de Développement (BOAD)
West African Development Bank

68, Avenue de la Libération

B.P. 1172

Lome, Togo

Tel.: +228-21-42-44; 21-59-06 Telex: 5289 BOAD TG / 5336 BOAD TG

Head of institution: Abou Bakar Baba-Moussa

Year of establishment: 1973 *Major donor(s):* Member States' contribution

Member State(s)/institution(s): BF BJ CI ML NE SN TG

Type of institution: Public; Non-profit

Number of staff: 58 *Working language(s):* FR *Geographic coverage:* West Africa

□ To promote balanced development in member States and to achieve economic integration in West Africa by financing priority development projects.

○ Industries and agro-based industries; rural development (including rural water supply); basic infrastructure as well as modern infrastructure; telecommunications; energy.

Publications:

Activities report (yearly)

BOAD-INFO Bulletin d'information (Semi annually)

♦ /economic development/, /development banks/

ISN: 33

028 Bureau Africain des Sciences de l'Education (BASE)

African Bureau of Educational Sciences

B.P. 2014

Kisangani, Zaire

Tel.: +243 (27) 58-24-73 Telex: 16 BAS KGNZR

Head of institution: A. S. Mungala

Year of establishment: 1973 *Major donor(s):* Member States' contributions, Government of Zaire

Member State(s)/institution(s): AO BE BF BI BJ BR BW CA CF CG CI
CM DE DZ EG ET FI FR GA GB GH
GW KE LR MA MG ML MR MU MW
MZ NE NG NL RO RW SD SL SN SZ
TD TG TN TZ UA UG US ZM ZR ZW

Number of staff: 42 *Working language(s):* EN FR *Geographic coverage:* Africa

□ To stimulate the expansion of educational research at all levels; to promote regional and subregional scientific cooperation; to aid African states to harmonize educational, scientific and technical research activities; to coordinate activities of national research centres and institutes.

○ Undertaking research in the fields of education and productive work; educational planning; teacher training and continuing education; education and cultural identity; other activities include: pre-school education; training in research on education in Africa; organization of scientific conferences; seminars and colloquia.

Publications:

Bulletin d'information (Quarterly)

Annuaire africain des sciences de l'éducation (3 per year)

Revue africain des sciences de l'éducation (3 per year)

Répertoire africain des institutions de recherche (Annual)

♦ /educational sciences/, /educational research/, /regional cooperation/, /training/

ISN: 53

029 Cairo Demographic Centre (CDC)

Centre Démographique du Caire; Al-Markaz Addimography Bilkahira

2 Lebanon St.

Mohandiseen

P.O.Box 73

Cairo, Egypt

Tel.: +20 (2) 34-62-00-2; 34-66-37-3; 34-79-24-8 Telex: 92034 DP UN

Telegram: DEMOGRAPHIA

Head of institution: Sohhi Abdel-Hakim

Year of establishment: 1963 *Major donor(s):* Government of Egypt, United Nations, USAID and IDRC

Type of institution: Public; Non-profit

Number of staff: 24 *Working language(s):* EN *Geographic coverage:* Africa, Asia and Pacific

□ To provide demographic training to persons working in the field of population; to undertake research in population related fields; to provide advisory services in population and related fields to interested governments and other organizations.

- Educational courses, research and training for students sent by member countries; to organize conferences, seminars, symposia on demographic related topics.

Publications:

CDC Newsletter (Bi-annual)
 CDC Information Bulletin (Annually)
 CDC Research Monograph Series (Annually)

- ♦ /demographic analysis/, /demographic statistics/, /population information/
 ISN: 85

030 Central African Mineral Resources Development Center (CAMRDC)
Centre de Mise en Valeur des Ressources Minerales d'Afrique Centrale

P.O.Box 579
 Brazzaville, Congo
 Tel.: +242-81-19-16

Head of institution: Chatue K. Célestin

Member State(s)/institution(s): CF CG CM GQ TD ZR

Type of institution: Intergovernmental

Working language(s): FR **Geographic coverage:** CF CG CM GQ TD ZR

- To provide information on the development of mineral resources, practical resources in geology and mining and specialized laboratory services.

- Provides advisory services on planning, implementation and evaluation of geological, geophysical and hydro-geological prospecting and exploration projects and on technical and economic feasibility studies on the development of mineral resources; organizes practical courses for technicians and professionals in related fields.

- ♦ /mineral resources/, /geology/, /mining/, /courses/, /laboratory services/
 ISN: 147

031 Centre Africain d'Etudes Monétaires (CAEM)
African Centre for Monetary Studies (ACMS)

15, Bd. Roosevelt
 P.O. Box 1791
 Dakar, Senegal
 Tel.: +221-21-38-21 Telex: 3256 CAEM SG

Head of institution: Andrew K. Mullei

Year of establishment: 1975 **Major donor(s):** Members of Association of African Central Banks

Member State(s)/institution(s): All members of Association of African Central Banks (AACB); Co-operating African Development Bank (ADB); Arab Bank for the Economic Development of Africa (BADEA).

Type of institution: International; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): Association of African Central Banks (AACB)

Working language(s): EN FR **Geographic coverage:** Africa

□ To enable African countries to coordinate strategies in international monetary affairs; to promote better understanding of banking and monetary matters.

○ Research and training

Type of information system: Briefs, reports and publications

Publications:

Financial News Analysis (Monthly)

Financial Journal (Semi-annually)

♦ */international monetary relations/, /banking/, /training/, /research/*

ISN: 2

- 032 **Centre de Coordination des Recherches et de la Documentation en Sciences Sociales en Afrique Sub-Saharienne (CERDAS)**
Centre for the Coordination of Social Research and Documentation in Africa South of the Sahara

B.P. 836

Kinshasa XI, Zaire

Tel.: +243 (12) 30-123 Telex: 242

Head of institution: Mpekese Bongoy

Year of establishment: 1964 *Major donor(s):* UNESCO, Government of Zaire

Working language(s): EN FR *Geographic coverage:* East Africa

□ To promote regional cooperation between social science research and documentation institutions, to contribute to development of the social sciences.

Publications:

CERDAS liaison

Directories

Proceedings of meetings

♦ */information services/, /research/, /social sciences/, /regional cooperation/*

ISN: 91

- 033 **Centre for African Family Studies (CAFS)**

P.O. Box 60054

Nairobi, Kenya

Telex: 22703 INFED

Head of institution: Prof. K.E. de Graft-Johnson

Year of establishment: 1975

Member State(s)/institution(s): All Anglophone and Francophone countries of Africa south of the Sahara

Number of staff: 17 *Working language(s):* EN FR *Geographic coverage:* Africa South of the Sahara

□ To train and educate people in Sub-Saharan Africa to promote family planning and family welfare; to raise awareness among public leaders and decision-makers on the importance of family planning as a component to development; to train managers, supervisors and middle level personnel engaged in family planning and other social development programmes; to carry out research and assemble information in popu-

lation and family planning; to provide technical assistance to family planning associations and relevant organizations to upgrade their competence and improve their training programmes.

○ Courses: population and development aimed at introducing the issue of population growth and its implication for social developments with the role of family planning in regulating population growth stressed; family life education; contraceptive technology update; management of family planning programmes; family planning communications; training of trainers in clinical family planning; village persuaders: a communication strategy for rural development; integrated family welfare; women and health project; carrying out operations research to enable family planning programme managers as well as those in population-related areas to make informed decisions pertaining to the operations of their programmes.

Type of information system: Computerized information service

Name of information system: INMAGIC bibliographic package

Publications:

CAFS Newsletter (Twice a year)

CAFS Prospectus (yearly)

♦ /family planning/, /development education/, /training/, /social development/, /information services/

ISN: 132

034 Centre for African Studies (CAS)

Centre d'Etudes Africaines; Centro de Estudos Africanos

University Campus

P.O.Box 1993

Maputo, Mozambique

Tel.: +258-74-27-31 Telex: 6-594 mjust MO

Head of institution: Sergio Vieira

Year of establishment: 1976 *Major donor(s):* SIDA, SAREC, NORAD, Ford Foundation

Member State(s)/institution(s): MZ

Number of staff: 15 *Working language(s):* EN PT *Geographic coverage:* MZ

□ Study of socio-economic conditions in Mozambique and in the Southern African region as a whole

○ Undertakes studies on the development of Southern Africa from the mid 1970s to the future, on the post-Apartheid situation; class transformations in the Mozambican agrarian structure; socio-economic changes in Mozambique since independence; security and development in Southern Africa; gender and development studies.

Publications:

African Studies (Annual)

We Shall Never Forget (Annual)

Bibliographies

Research Documents

♦ /economic conditions/, /social conditions/, /social classes/, /research centres/

ISN: 106

035 Centre for Social Science Research and Documentation for the Arab Region (ARCSS)

Zamalek P.O.

Cairo, Egypt

Tel.: +20 (2) 34-70-019 Fax: +20 (2) 34-70-019 Telegram: NASOGRI

Head of institution: Dr. Ahmed M. Khalifa

Year of establishment: 1978 Major donor(s): UNESCO, Government of Egypt

Member State(s)/institution(s): ALECSO, ECWA, EG, IQ, KW, SA, TN, UNESCO

Parent Organization(s): UNESCO Working language(s): AR EN FR

Geographic coverage: Regional (covering the Arab Region)

□ To promote regional co-operation between documentation and research institutions in the Arab Region, paying special attention to the development of social methodologies and to the compilation and documentation of materials.

○ Improving the contribution of the social sciences to development efforts being carried out in the Arab Region. Its services are directed towards the following potential users: institutions and centers, decision makers and researchers in the Arab Region and abroad

Type of information system: Providing proper accessibility to social science information maintained in ARCSS data base files Name of information system: SDI

Publications:

ARCSS Newsletter (in Arabic and English) (3 times a year)

♦ /research/, /regional cooperation/, /social development/ /information services/

ISN: 117

**036 Centre Regional Africain pour l'Energie Solaire
African Regional Centre for Solar Energy**

Blvd. de l'Uprona

P.O. Box 1950

Bujumbura, Burundi

Tel.: +257 (2) 24941 Fax: +257 (2) 24941 Telex: 5078 DP BDI

Head of institution: Essam Mitwally

Year of establishment: 1982 Major donor(s): Member States' contribution

Member State(s)/institution(s): AO BI CG CI CM DJ EG GA GH GN GQ HV LY ML NE NG SD SL TG UG ZM ZR

Type of institution: Public; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): UNECA Working language(s): EN FR

□ Development and utilization of renewable sources of energy in general and of solar, wind and biogas energy in particular; to promote multilateral co-operation with regard to the practical use of solar energy and other renewable sources of energy; to work towards the establishment of a data bank in solar energy and its derivatives, to disseminate the results of solar energy studies.

○ Assistance to member States in planning strategies in the field of renewable solar energy, formulating project documents for financing; introducing non-conventional energy technologies based on available resources; establishing manufacturing capabilities on national, subregional and regional scales with appropriate technologies; linking member States in a network; training engineers and technicians in project formulation and execution; arranging and convening conferences, workshops and seminars.

Type of information system: Department of Documentation and Information Data Processing, utilizing a micro-computer.

Publications:

A Who's Who in the field of solar energy in Africa (Updated biennially)

The solar energy magazine of Africa - Sema (Semi-annually)

♦ /solar energy/, /multilateral relations/, /regional cooperation/, /research centres/, /energy/, /wind/, /biogas/, /renewable resources/, /information dissemination/

ISN: 43

037 Centre Régional Africain de Technologie (CRAT)
African Regional Centre for Technology (ARCT)

Avenue Cheik Anta Diop

B.P. 2435

Dakar, Senegal

Tel.: +221-25-77-12/3 Telex: 61282 CRATEC SG

Head of institution: B.J. Olufeagba

Year of establishment: 1977 *Major donor(s):* Member States' contributions, UNDP, UNIDO and IDRC

Member State(s)/institution(s): BF BI BJ CM CV DZ EG ET GH GN
GQ KE LR MA MR MU MZ NE NG
RW SD SL SN SO TG TZ UG ZM ZR

Parent Organization(s): UNECA *Number of staff:* 10 *Working language(s):* EN FR *Geographic coverage:* Africa

□ To contribute to the development and use of technology within member States by assisting, through national centres, in the development of indigenous technologies and the negotiation of imported technologies.

○ Programme of work, conceived within Lagos Plan of Action, includes development of indigenous technological capabilities; human resources development and utilization; rural development; technological contributions to priority sectors of socio-economic development; strengthening information and data bases on technological requirements and natural resources and their exploitation.

Type of information system: Development information; industrial, technological information *Name of information system:* ARCTIS

Publications:

African Technodevelopment Bulletin (Bi-annual)

Alert Africa Newsletter (Quarterly)

INFONET Bulletin (Bi-annual)

♦ /science and technology/, /resource utilization/, /industrial information/, /human resources/, /rural development/, /economic and social development/, /data banks/

ISN: 6

038 Centre Régional d'Energie Solaire (CRES)
Regional Center for Solar Energy Research

P.O.Box 1872
Bamako, Mali
Telex: 418 insect

Head of institution: Abdoussaleur Ba

Year of establishment: 1979 *Major donor(s):* CEAO; Islamic Development Bank; Arab Development Bank

Member State(s)/institution(s): BF CI MA ML NE SN

Parent Organization(s): UNECA *Working language(s):* FR

□ To conduct research in the application of solar and other renewable energy resources; to produce on an industrial scale solar energy equipment; to participate in the formation of a global energy strategy.

○ Training; information and documentation on solar and renewable energy; construction of equipment.

♦ /research/, /solar energy/, /energy resources/, /training/, /renewable energy services/

ISN: 74

039 Centre Régional de Télédétection (CRTO)
Regional Remote Sensing Centre

B.P. 1762
Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso
Tel.: +226 (3) 30-01-99/30-02-04/30-06-35 Telex: CRETED 5322 BF

Head of institution: Dr. Leon Okio

Year of establishment: 1977 *Major donor(s):* Contributions by member States; IGO - Relations donor agencies: Fonds d'Aide et de Coopération, FAO, UNDP, Commission of the European Communities, European Space Agency; NGO donor agencies: John Paul II Foundation for the Sahel, IDRC, USAID.

Member State(s)/institution(s): BJ CG CI CM DZ GH GN HV LR ML MR NE SL SN TG

Type of institution: Parastatal

Working language(s): EN FR *Geographic coverage:* West Africa North Africa (partial) and Central Africa (partial)

□ To facilitate and promote member states use of remote sensing through: operation and maintenance of a receiving station; reproduction and dissemination of data to users; extension to users of facilities for data and analysis; developing a program for training and assistance to users.

○ Promotion of user assistance (122 projects completed in training, consulting, demonstration); training courses on agricultural statistics, cartographic interpretation of population statistics, urban and rural analysis, drilling and well location, organisation of regional conferences, seminars, symposia, and workshops; acquisition, archiving, processing and dissemination of remote sensed data.

Type of information system: User assistance library for analysing information and promotion of the transfer of scientific knowledge and technology related to remote sensing both inside and outside the region through continued development of information exchange.

Publications:

Africa pixel (half-yearly journal)

♦ /remote sensing/, /archives/, /information services/, /training/

ISN: 134

040 **Chambre de Compensation de l'Afrique Centrale**
Central African Clearing House

Rue du Docteur Janot

B.P. 1917

Yaoundé, Cameroun

Tel.: +237-22-25-05 Telex: BANETAC 8343 KN

Year of establishment: 1979 **Major donor(s):** Member States' contributions

Member State(s)/institution(s): CG CF CM GA GQ TD ZR

Working language(s): FR

□ To promote the use of the currencies of the participants in zonal trade; to achieve economies in the use of currency reserves; to encourage monetary cooperation among participating countries.

○ Channels all current transactions between nationals of participating countries, except those specified by the Exchange and Clearing Committee. In the case of intergovernmental grants and loans, the contracting parties may decide, after consultation with their central banks, to route these transactions through the clearing house.

♦ /monetary agreements/, /regional cooperation/, /currencies/, /economic cooperation/, /trade policy/

ISN: 73

041 **Comité Permanent Consultatif du Maghreb (CPCM)**
Permanent Consultative Committee of the Maghreb (PCCM)

14 Rue Yahya Ibn Oumar

Mutuelleville, Tunisia

Telex: 337

Year of establishment: 1964 **Major donor(s):** Member States' contribution

Member State(s)/institution(s): DZ MA TN

□ To promote economic cooperation in the Maghreb.

○ To act as a consultative and technical organ for the purpose of the studying problems affecting economic cooperation in the Maghreb and to propose to the Conference of Ministers all measures which reinforce this cooperation and realize the establishment of the Maghreb Economic Community.

♦ /economic cooperation/, /economic development/

ISN: 82

042 Comité Permanent Inter-Etats de Lutte Contre la Sécheresse dans le Sahel (CILSS)

Permanent Inter-State Committee for Drought Control in the Sahel (ICDCS)

B.P. 7049

Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso

Tel.: +226 (3) 34-25-2 Telex: 5263 COMITER OUAGA

Year of establishment: 1973 *Major donor(s):* Member states' contributions

Working language(s): FR *Geographic coverage:* Sahel-Zone countries

□ To organize joint efforts to control drought and its effects in the Sudan-Sahel zone; to alert the international community to the problems of drought.

○ Maintains specialized institutes whose task is to coordinate member countries in research and training areas linked with programmes for drought control and the development of the Sahel.

♦ */Sahel/, /drought/, /weather control/, /environmental management/*

ISN: 100

043 Commission de l'Aviation Civile Africaine (CAFCAC)

African Civil Aviation Commission (AFCAC)

15 Bd de la République

P.O.Box 2356

Dakar, Senegal

Tel.: +221-26-071 Telegram: AFCACSEC

Year of establishment: 1974 *Major donor(s):* Member States' contribution

Member State(s)/institution(s): AO BF BI BN CF CG CI CM DZ EG ET
GA GH GM GN KE LS LY MG ML SD
SO SZ TD TG TN TZ UG ZM ZR ZW

Working language(s): EN FR

□ To provide members with a framework for coordination and cooperation in all civil aviation activities; to promote coordination and better utilization and development of African air transportation systems; to encourage the application of International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) standards and recommendations.

○ Development of optimal services in Africa; elaboration and revision of legal documents; formulation of plans for operation of air services including standardization of flight equipment and ground services.

Publications:

Reports of sessions/seminars/symposia

♦ */air transport/, /regional cooperation/*

ISN: 52

044 Communauté Economique des Etats d'Afrique Centrale (CEEAC)

Economic Community of Central African States (ECCAS)

P.O. Box 2112

Libreville, Gabon

Tel.: 2690

Head of institution: Lunda Bululu

Year of establishment: 1983 **Major donor(s):** Member States' contributions

Member State(s)/institution(s): BI CF CG CM GA GQ RW ST TD ZR

Type of institution: Public; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): UNECA **Working language(s):** EN ES FR PT

Geographic coverage: Central Africa

□ To promote economic integration among its member states.

○ Carrying out studies in the area of agriculture, industry, trade, transport, money and finance, etc.

Type of information system: Documentation Centre

Publications:

Official gazette (Quarterly)

♦ */economic integration/, /regional cooperation/, /economic cooperation/*

ISN: 45

045 Communauté Economique des Pays des Grands Lacs (CEPGL)

Economic Community of the Great Lakes Countries

P.O. Box 58

Gisenyi, Rwanda

Tel: 7075

Head of institution: David Mpufubura

Year of establishment: 1976 **Major donor(s):** Member States' contributions

Member State(s)/institution(s): BI RW ZR

Parent Organization(s): UNECA **Working language(s):** FR **Geographic coverage:** Central Africa

□ To bring about economic integration and to ensure the security of member States; to create a framework for coordination and harmonization in the various areas of social, economic, commercial and scientific development in the region; to promote and intensify commercial exchanges and the free movement of persons and goods.

○ Monetary arrangement among central banks signed; agreements on specific arrangements within the Convention on free movement of business persons and postal organization signed; establishment of specialized technical commissions for political and judicial matters, social and cultural matters, economic matters, etc.

Publications:

CEPGL Quaterly Review (Quarterly)

Journal Officiel de la CEPGL (Annually)

♦ */economic cooperation/, /economic integration/, /economic agreements/, /economic development/, /regional cooperation/, /regional integration/*

ISN: 78

046 Conseil Africain de la Comptabilité (CAC)
African Accounting Council (AAC)

17 Av du Pont
Bldg SNC2
B.P. 11223
Kinshasa, Zaire
Tel.: +243 (12) 23-448 Telex: CNETAT 21 369

Head of institution: Kinzonzi Mrutukidi Nginduk

Year of establishment: 1979 *Major donor(s):* Member States' contributions; donations; income from publications

Number of staff: 10 (part time) *Working language(s):* EN FR *Geographic coverage:* Africa

□ To promote accounting harmonization to facilitate the circulation of management information among African countries; to promote and carry out studies and research in accountancy and related fields.

○ Providing a permanent source of assistance to bodies in member countries dealing with standardization of accounting, and to African countries and institutions concerned with this question.

Publications:

CAC information and liaison bulletin (every 2 months)
African Accounting Magazine (quarterly)

♦ /accounting/, /management information/

ISN: 60

047 Conseil de l'Entente
Entente Council

B.P. 3734
Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire
Tel.: +225-33-28-35, 33-10-01, 33-11-49 Telex: 3558

Head of institution: Paul Kaya

Year of establishment: 1959 *Major donor(s):* Member States' contribution

Member State(s)/institution(s): BF BJ CI NE TG

Working language(s): FR *Geographic coverage:* West Africa

□ To promote economic development of the region; to harmonize and strengthen policies and economies of member States

○ To create rural development projects; to cooperate in regional telecommunications network

Publications:

Entente Africaine (Quarterly)
Annual activity report (Annual)

♦ /regional cooperation/, /economic development/, /horizontal cooperation/

ISN: 105

- 048 Conseil de l'Entente - Fonds d'Entre-aide et de Garantie des Emprunts**
The Entente Council - Mutual Aid and Loan Guaranty Fund
- B.P. 3734
 Abidjan 01, Côte d'Ivoire
 Tel.: +225 33-10-01; 33-28-35 Telex: 23558 Telegram: FOND ENTENTE
- Head of institution:* Paul Kaya
Major donor(s): Member States' contributions
Member State(s)/institution(s): BF BJ CI NE TG
Type of institution: Public; Non-profit
Working language(s): FR *Geographic coverage:* West Africa
- ☐ To promote economic development of the region.
☐ Guarantees productive loans contracted by member states, public institutions or parastatals and the private enterprises of member states; seeks financing for the rural development projects, hydro-projects, industrial projects and renewable energy projects.
- Publications:*
Rapport d'activités (Annual)
Revue Entente Africaine (Semi-annually)
- ♦ /development projects/, /loans/
 ISN: 37
- 049 Conseil pour le Développement de la Recherche Economique et Sociale en Afrique (CODESRIA)**
Council for Development of Economic and Social Research in Africa (CODESRIA)
- B.P. 3304
 Dakar, Senegal
- Head of institution:* Thandika Mkandawire
Year of establishment: 1973 *Major donor(s):* SAREC
Member State(s)/institution(s): All African social science research institutes
- Type of institution:* Private; Non-profit
Number of staff: 3 *Working language(s):* EN FR *Geographic coverage:* Africa
- ☐ Research; dissemination of research; publications and supporting student researchers financially.
☐ Social science in general.
- Type of information system:* Documentation and information center
Name of information system: CODESRIA Documentation and Information Center
- Publications:*
Africa Development (Quarterly)
- ♦ /research centres/, /research programmes/, /development research/, /research fellowships/, /information services/
 ISN: 120

050 Crop Support Services Division

Victoria

P.O. Box 166

Mahe, Seychelles

Tel.: +248-78-252 Fax: +248-5245 Telex: 2418 MIAFI SZ

Head of institution: F.J. Racombo

Year of establishment: 1987 Major donor(s): Government of Seychelles

Type of institution: Public; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, Seychelles Number of staff: 10 Working language(s): EN Geographic coverage: SC

□ To consolidate agricultural development in the country; to identify constraints in agriculture and find appropriate solution to them; to identify and maintain continuous availability of agricultural inputs in the country; to raise the competence level of local crop producers.

○ Evaluatory trials of vegetables, tropical and sub-tropical fruits, tuber crops and cash crops varieties; trials for pesticides, fertilisers and cultural practices; phytopathology and entomological research; laboratory diagnosis of soil and plant problems prior to provision of remedial action; works in apiculture and mechanisation; regular visits to farmers whereby technical assistance is provided; production of quality seedlings for national distribution, etc.

Type of information system: Through extension service (no computerisation)

♦ /agriculture/, /crops/, /research/, /agricultural management/, /Seychelles/

ISN: 15

051 Desert Locust Control Organization for Eastern Africa (DLCO-EA)

Organisation de Lutte Contre le Criquet Pèlerin dans l'Est Africain (OLLPEA)

P.O. Box 4255

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

Tel.: +251 (1) 61-14-75/77 Telegram: DESLOC

Head of institution: Adefris Bellehu

Year of establishment: 1962 Major donor(s): Member States contribution and other sources

Member State(s)/institution(s): DJ ET KE SD SO TZ UG

Number of staff: 182 Working language(s): EN FR Geographic coverage: East Africa

□ To promote effective control of desert locusts, especially the "schistocerca gregaria F" and also the "locusta migratoria migratoriodes" in the Eastern region; offers services in the co-ordination and reinforcement of national action against desert locusts in the region.

○ Maintains reserves of vehicles, insecticides and other anti-locust equipment to supplement national efforts, as well as air unit for survey and control; conducts operational research and training programmes; assists members in monitoring and extermination of other migratory pests, including the army worm, qualea and tse-tse.

Publications:

Desert locust situation report (Monthly)
Periodic technical reports

♦ */locusts/, /pests/, /natural disasters/, /plant protection/*

ISN: 86

052 Development Documentation Centre (DDC)

Centre de Developement de Documentation

Youvi Building, 6th floor, Room - M611

Brookfields

Freetown, Sierra Leone

Tel.: 41500 exts: 241, 377 Telex: 3584 Mindev SL

Head of institution: Fatamatta Deen (documentalist/librarian)

Year of establishment: 1985 **Major donor(s):** UNESCO/UNDP Project Funding

Member State(s)/institution(s): None

Type of institution: Private; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): Ministry of National Development and Economic Planning, Sierra Leone **Number of staff:** One librarian and two library assistant **Working language(s):** EN **Geographic coverage:** SL

□ To contribute to the socio-economic development and regional co-operation by means of facilitating access to exchange and use of information resources and experiences available within the country and the region; to provide access to information on development in Sierra Leone to those involved in national planning and the implementation of development projects, in particular government officials and international experts; to channel information and experience on development projects of interest to Sierra Leone from other countries and facilitate the exchange of information with other developing countries; to upgrade the use of information provided by international, in particular United Nations, organizations.

○ Basic library and documentation services in the subject areas of: macroeconomics and overall aspects of development; agriculture; forestry; fisheries; works; telecommunication; meteorology; civil aviation; energy/power; small scale industry; mining; health and education. Other areas of activities includes the creation of a bibliographic data base using Mini-Micro CDS/ISIS software.

Type of information system: Library and documentation service

♦ */information services/, /development planning/, /national planning/, /Sierra Leone/*

ISN: 143

053 East African Development Bank (EADB)

4 Nile Avenue

P.O.Box 7128

Kampala, Uganda

Tel.: +256 (41) 23-00-21/25 Telex: 61074 EADEVBANK

Head of institution: G.F. Mbowe

Year of establishment: 1967 **Major donor(s):** ADB, IBRD, Swedish Government, Norwegian Government, Swiss Government, FMO-Switzerland, SIFIDA, Morgan Grenfell, U.K., European Investment Bank,

Banque Generale, Banque Vernesey Commerciale de Paris, Skanska Banken and Equator Bank.

Member State(s)/institution(s): KE TZ UG

Number of staff: 43 *Working language(s):* EN *Geographic coverage:* KE TZ UG

□ To provide financial and technical assistance to the industrial and agro-industrial sectors, tourism and infrastructure including transport and telecommunications of member states.

Publications:

Annual report (Annually)

♦ /development banks/, /development projects/, /banking/, /technical assistance/

ISN: 34

054 East African Tuberculosis Investigation Centre (EATIC)
Centre de Recherche sur la Tuberculose de l'Afrique Orientale

P.O. Box 47855

Kampala, Uganda

Telex: 22272 Telegram: TUBERCULE

Head of institution: Kent W. Pierce

Year of establishment: 1953 *Major donor(s):* Government of Kenya

Member State(s)/institution(s): KE UG TZ ZM

Parent Organization(s): East African Community (EAC) *Working language(s):* EN *Geographic coverage:* East Africa

□ To develop new diagnostic and curative approaches to the tuberculosis problem with special reference to East African and other developing countries; to conduct research on tuberculosis and other respiratory diseases.

○ Development of short-course chemotherapeutic regimens (tuberculosis) and mass case-finding approaches.

Publications:

Annual reports (Annually)

Research findings in specialized journals

♦ /research/, /medical research/, /diseases/, /tuberculosis/

ISN: 89

055 Eastern and Southern African Management Institute (ESAMI)

P.O. Box 3030

Arusha, Tanzania

Tel.: +255 (57) 2881 Fax: +255 (57) 7776 Telex: 42076 ESAMI TZ

Head of institution: Kasuka S. Mutukwa

Year of establishment: 1980

Member State(s)/institution(s): Institutions and individuals of the following countries: AO BW DJ ET KE KM LS MG MR MW MZ SC SOSZ TZ UG ZM ZW

Parent Organization(s): UNECA *Number of staff:* 35 *Working language(s):* EN *Geographic coverage:* East Africa

□ To improve top managerial performance through management development programmes, training, research and consultancy.

○ Promotes and organizes training courses, workshops, seminars and symposia; serves as specialized regional centre and focusses in particular on the management of public enterprises in strategic sectors such as finance, transport and communications, materials, natural resources, science and technology, health administration and hospitals, industrial and agro-industrial planning, municipal and local authorities, human resources; consultancy services; action oriented research.

Type of information system: Library

Publications:

ESAMI Review (Quarterly)

♦ /management/, /training/, /research/, /technical cooperation/

ISN: 10

056 Eastern and Southern African Mineral Resources Development Centre (ESAMRDC)

Centre de Mise en Valeur des Ressources Minérales de l'Afrique de l'Est et du Sud

Kikuyu Avenue

P.O.Box 1250

Dodoma, Tanzania

Tel.: +255 (61) 20-364 Telex: 53324 MADINI TZ

Head of institution: J.E.N. Kagule-Magambo

Year of establishment: 1976 *Major donor(s):* Member States' contributions

Member State(s)/institution(s): AO ET KM MZ TZ UG

Type of institution: Intergovernmental; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): UNECA *Number of staff:* 6 *Working language(s):* EN FR PT *Geographic coverage:* East Africa

□ To accelerate economic development of the subregion by increased exploitation of minerals through provision of advisory services for mineral exploration and development; short practical courses and seminars of a professional nature; specialized laboratory services; services for collection, processing and dissemination of information services to promote technical cooperation among subregional and other countries.

○ Mineral exploration and evaluation; exploration and evaluation; prefeasibility studies; mine and mineral process design studies; training of personnel; software collection and exchange; information and data gathering, processing and dissemination.

Type of information system: Software exchange; dissemination of bibliographic abstracts

Publications:

Newsletter

Bibliographies (Bi-annual)

Abstracts

♦ /mineral resources/, /advisory services/, /laboratory services/, /technical cooperation/, /computer programmes/, /resources exploitation/, /resources evaluation/

ISN: 7

057 Eastern and Southern African Preferential Trade Area (PTA)
Zone d'Echanges Préférentiels pour l'Afrique Orientale et Australe (ZEP)

PTA Secretariat
P.O. Box 30051
Lusaka, Zambia
Tel.: +260 (1) 22-97-25 Telex: ZA 40127

Head of institution: B.W. Mutharika

Year of establishment: 1981 *Major donor(s):* Member States' contributions

Member State(s)/institution(s): BI DJ ET KE KM MU MW MZ RW SL
SO SZ TZ UG ZM ZW

Parent Organization(s): UNECA *Number of staff:* 26 *Working language(s):* EN FR PT *Geographic coverage:* Eastern and Southern Africa

□ To promote cooperation in all fields of economic activity; to achieve sustained transformation of the structure of production of national economies of the PTA sub-region, from low productivity economies producing mainly unprocessed and semi-processed products for export to developed countries to high productivity and dynamic economies producing consumer and capital goods for national markets and the sub-regional market.

○ Promotion of intra-subregional trade in commodities originating in the subregion and creation of institutional mechanisms including monetary arrangements for facilitating intra-subregional trade; inter-country cooperation and specialisation in the rationalisation of existing national excess capacity and high-cost industries, and the development of basic and strategic industries, using agricultural raw materials and minerals produced within the subregion, currently exported to developed countries, for the production of consumer goods, capital and intermediate goods to be traded among PTA member states; inter-country cooperation and specialisation in agricultural development with particular emphasis on food security and production of staple food crops, livestock and fisheries, and cooperation in research in these subsectors; cooperation in the improvement of existing inter-country transport links in all subsectors, and where necessary, creation of new inter-country transport links, to facilitate intra-PTA trade and economic integration between the countries of the subregion; cooperation in the development and exchange of technical and professional skills, including the creation of subregional consultative services in key sectors, based on skills available in the subregion; cooperation and collective action in the mobilisation of financial and material resources - both from within and outside the subregion - for the implementation of the PTA.

♦ /trade preferences/, /trade relations/, /trade promotion/, /economic cooperation/, /international trade/, /monetary policy/

ISN: 139

058 Ecole Supérieure Inter-Africaine de l'Electricité (ESIE)
InterAfrican Electrical Engineering College (IEEC)

B.P. 311
Bingerville, Côte d'Ivoire
Tel.: +225-30-33-12; 30-33-14 Telex: 37100 ESIE-CI

Head of institution: François Acho Achiepi

Year of establishment: 1979 *Major donor(s):* UPDEA

Type of institution: Private; Non-profit

Number of staff: 36 **Working language(s):** FR EN **Geographic coverage:** Africa

□ To train in Africa highly skilled bilingual engineers, to be immediately operational upon completion of their studies; to promote training in industry for professionals of electricity companies.

○ Organizing courses leading to a graduate degree in engineering.

♦ /electrical engineering/, /electrical industry/, /training centres/

ISN: 50

- 059 **Economic Community of West African States (ECOWAS)**
Communauté Economique des Etats de l'Afrique de l'Ouest (CEDEAO);
Comunidad Economica para el Africa Occidental

6 King George V Road

P.M.B. 12745

Lagos, Nigeria

Tel.: +234 (1) 63-68-41 Telex: ECOWAS 22633 NG

Head of institution: Abass Burdu

Year of establishment: 1975 **Major donor(s):** Member States' contribution

Member State(s)/institution(s): BF BJ CI CV GH GM GN GW LR ML
 MR NE NG SL SN TG

Parent Organization(s): UNECA **Number of staff:** 41 **Working language(s):** EN FR **Geographic coverage:** West Africa

□ To promote cooperation and development in all fields of industry, transport, telecommunications, energy, agriculture, natural resources, commerce, monetary and financial questions, and in social and cultural matters for the purpose of raising the standards of living, of fostering closer relations among its members and of contributing to the progress and development of the African continent.

○ Initiates and implements programmes for the West African sub-region in the following areas: trade and customs, fiscal and monetary areas, transport, communication; industrial, agricultural, energy, social and cultural matters.

Type of information system: SDI, indexing, referral service, inter-library cooperation exchanges, loans

Publications:

Official Journal of ECOWAS (2/year)

♦ /economic agreements/, /economic cooperation/, /regional cooperation/, /trade/, /technical cooperation/, /international relations/

ISN: 26

- 060 **Federation of African Chambers of Commerce**
Fédération des Chambres de Commerce Africaines

P.O.Box 3001

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

Tel.: +251 (1) 51-72-00, Ext 272 Telex: 21029 UNECA

Head of institution: Chief Adeyeni O. Lawson (President)

Year of establishment: 1983

Member State(s)/institution(s): BJ CF CM DJ DZ ET EG GA GW HV
KE MR NE NG SD SN TD TG TN UG
ZM ZW

Type of institution: Private; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): UNECA **Working language(s):** EN FR AR
Geographic coverage: Africa

☐ To promote trade and investment cooperation among business operators in African countries.

☐ Trade promotion; investment promotion; transit and transport promotion.

Publications:

African Trade Directory (Updated biennially)

♦ /trade/, /trade promotion/, /investment promotion/, /regional cooperation/, /chambers of commerce/

ISN: 24

061 Fédération panafricaine des syndicats de l'agriculture (FEPASA)
Pan African Federation of Agricultural Trade Unions (PAFATU)

1293 rue Benissam Gbikpi
B.P. 7138
Lomé, Togo
Tel.: +228-21-62-59

Head of institution: Kwaku Halijah

Year of establishment: 1981 **Major donor(s):** Member States' contributions; subscriptions; gifts; legacies; proceeds from magazine sales

Member State(s)/institution(s): BJ CG CI DZ EG ET GH GM GN KE
LB LY MG ML MU NE NG SL SN SO
TG ZM

Working language(s): AR EN FR

☐ To represent and defend the interests of agricultural, forestry, fisheries and veterinary workers of Africa; to build and maintain trade union unity amongst rural workers' organizations; to promote cooperative and economic ventures such as consumers cooperatives, credit unions, and agricultural extension services.

Publications:

The Africa Granary

♦ /agriculture/, /forestry/, /fisheries/, /rural workers/, /trade unions/, /regional cooperation/, /labor force/, /trade unionism/

ISN: 71

062 Fonds Africain de Garantie et de Coopération Economique (FAGACE)

The African Guarantee and Economic Cooperation Fund

B.P. 2045
Cotonou, Benin
Tel.: 30-03-76; 30-08-77 Telex: 5024

Head of institution: Jacques Nignon

Year of establishment: 1977 **Major donor(s):** Member States' contribution

Member State(s)/institution(s): BJ CF CI NE RW SN TG

Number of staff: 15 **Working language(s):** FR **Geographic coverage:** Central Africa, West Africa

□ To contribute to the individual and collective economic and social development of member States; to guarantee loans issued or received by states, public institutions or parastatals, international organizations and private enterprises in Africa; to grant interest bonuses and extensions of credit terms; to finance specific interventions on loans and subsidies; to subscribe shares in national or regional enterprises which are economically and financially profitable.

○ Development projects yielding economic and financial profits for States and public communities; small scale and middle scale ventures for agricultural and industrial investments; national infrastructure or infrastructure in several member States; close relations with subregional development institutions within AIRFD.

Publications:

Annual report (yearly)

* /economic cooperation/, /loans/, /development aid/

ISN: 36

063 Fonds Africain de Garantie et de Coopération Economique
African Fund for Guarantee and Economic Cooperation

B.P. 2045

Cotonou, Bénin

Tel.: 300376-300877-300521 Telex: 5024

Head of institution: Amadou Boukar

Year of establishment: 1977

Member State(s)/institution(s): BF BN CI CF NE RW SN TG

Number of staff: 24 **Working language(s):** FR

□ To contribute to the economic development and social progress of member States by facilitating access to sources of finance.

○ Provides loan guarantee, discount credit and loan extensions.

* /economic cooperation/, /loans/, /financial terms/, /financial aid/

ISN: 64

064 Fonds Africains de Développement (FAD)
African Development Fund (ADF)

B.P. 1387

Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire

Telex: 3717/3498 AFDEV

Year of establishment: 1972

Member State(s)/institution(s): AR AT BE BR CA CH DE DK ES FI FR
IN IT JP KR KW NL NO PT SA SE GB
YU

Type of institution: Private; Non-profit

Working language(s): EN FR **Geographic coverage:** Africa

□ To assist the African Development Bank in making an effective contribution to the economic and social development of the bank's

member countries and promoting cooperation and increased international trade to provide member States with loans.

○ Sectorial emphasis for loans are made in the fields of agriculture, transportation, telecommunications, electricity water, supplies, sanitation and industry and development banks.

♦ */financial institutions/, /trade promotion/, /loans/, /regional cooperation/, /international trade/, /sectoral development/, /international loans/*

ISN: 65

065 Fonds de Coopération, de Compensation et de Développement de la Communauté Economique des Etats de l'Afrique de l'Ouest

B.P. 2704

Lome, Togo

TeL: +228-21-68-64

Member State(s)/institution(s): BF BJ CI CV GH GM GW LR ML NE
NG SN SL TG

Type of institution: Private; Profit making

Working language(s): FR EN *Geographic coverage:* West Africa

□ Regional projects; priority to projects included in the development plan of the concerned country; rural development, industry, transport, communications and energy, housing and urbanization, education and public health.

○ Engineering service rendered by the fund, technical assistance; loans for the feasibility studies.

♦ */loans/, /economic integration/, /regional cooperation/*

ISN: 35

066 Fonds de Développement de la Communauté de l'Afrique de l'Ouest

West Africa Economic Community Development Fund

c/o CEAO

rue destenaves

B.P. 643

Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso

TeL: +226 (3) 32-214/33-860 Telex: 5212 UV

Year of establishment: 1973

Working language(s): FR

□ To provide compensation for certain trade losses; to finance economic development projects; to provide resources reserved for the industrially less developed countries and for projects of community interest.

♦ */development banks/, /aid financing/, /development projects/*

ISN: 47

067 Fonds de Solidarité Africain (FSA)

African Solidarity Fund

P.O.Box 382

Niamey, Niger

TeL: +227-72-26-32; 72-26-33; 72-26-34 Telex: 5247 SOLAF

Head of institution: Christian Bouchard Ovenga

Year of establishment: 1976 **Major donor(s):** Member States' contribution

Member State(s)/institution(s): BI BF BJ CF CI FR GA ML MU NE RW SN TD TG

Type of institution: Public; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): Conference of Head of States of French Speaking Countries **Number of staff:** 7 **Working language(s):** FR **Geographic coverage:** Central Africa, West Africa

□ To facilitate the economic development of the member States through the participation in the financing of specific investment projects; priority is given to countries that are most unfavoured by structural factors (land-locked countries not endowed with energy or natural resources).

○ Interest rate subsidy in respect of project loans given on certain conditions (alleviate interest rates burden); loan guarantees; extension of the duration of certain loans.

Publications:

Activity report

♦ /loans/, /development aid/, /financing/, /regional cooperation/

ISN: 38

068 Fonds de Solidarité et d'Intervention pour le Développement de la Communauté Economique des Etats de l'Afrique de l'Ouest (FOSI-DEC)

B. P. 2529

Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso

Tel.: +226 (3) 33-47-94; 33-47-33 Telex: 5342

Member State(s)/institution(s): BF BJ CI ML MR NE SN

Type of institution: Private; Profit making

Working language(s): FR **Geographic coverage:** West Africa

□ Priorities to regional projects and to least developed member States for industry, agriculture, trade and social projects.

○ Financing feasibility studies; beneficiaries must provide 20% of the study cost; all the study costs.

♦ /regional development/, /loans/

ISN: 39

069 Food Research Institute (FRI)

P.O. Box M.20

Accra, Ghana

Tel.: 77-73-30; 77-647 Fax: FOODSEARCH

Head of institution: K.K. Eyeson

Year of establishment: 1965 **Major donor(s):** Ghana Government

Type of institution: Parastatal; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): Council for Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) **Number of staff:** 3 **Working language(s):** EN **Geographic coverage:** GH

□ To carry out research into and advice on problems relating to food technology, food industries and food marketing; to advise the Govern-

ment on its food policy, to do all such other things as appear to the Council for Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) to be relevant or conducive to the attainment of all or any of the above objectives.

○ Cereal processing and preservation; grain legume, fish and meat handling, root and tuber crops, oils and oilseeds processing and preservation; development of products; storage of staple crops and vegetables; solar energy technology and applications; collaborative research projects: AAU, UNU, EC, ARCT, FAD, DAPIT, IPS; Netherlands/Ghana Regional Training and Applied Research Project for artisanal fish processing in West Africa; consultancy service.

Type of information system: Reference; loan; photocopying; current awareness; SDI, statistical and scientific information; orientation for users. *Name of information system:* FRI: Scientific Information Division system

Publications:

A guide to the use of FRI library
List of research reports/publications
A summary of research activities
Newsletter
Annual Reports (Quarterly)
List of research projects; 1985-81, 1982-87, 1988
Annual review seminar

♦ /research/, /food industry/, /food technology/, /marketing/, /research centres/, /Ghana/

ISN: 127

070 Institut Africain d'Informatique (IAT)
African Institute of Informatics

P.O.Box 2263
 Libreville, Gabon
 Telex: 5573 Go

Head of institution: Kouassi Freitas

Year of establishment: 1972 *Major donor(s):* Member States' contributions; Government of France

Member State(s)/institution(s): BF BN CF CG CI GA NE TD TG SN

Number of staff: 50 *Working language(s):* FR

□ To carry out education, training and research in the field of data processing.

○ Seminars and courses; training for computer programmers and analysts

♦ /data processing/, /training/, /information processing/, /research/

ISN: 81

071 Institut Africaine de Développement Economique et de Planification (IDEP)
African Institute for Economic Development and Planning (AIEDP)

P.O.Box 3186
 Dakar, Senegal
 Tel.: +221-23-10-20 Fax: +221-21-21-85 Telex: 51579 IDEP SG

Head of institution: Jeggan C. Senghor

Year of establishment: 1962 **Major donor(s):** African member States; UNDP; UNFPA; Bilateral donors

Member State(s)/institution(s): All UNECA member States

Parent Organization(s): UNECA **Number of staff:** 15 **Working language(s):** EN FR **Geographic coverage:** Africa

□ To promote economic development and planning in the African region.

○ Research, training and consultancy in economic development and planning.

♦ /economic development/, /economic planning/, /development research/

ISN: 107

072 Institut de Formation et de Recherche Démographiques (IFORD)
Regional Institute for Demographic Training and Research

B.P. 1556

Yaounde, Cameroun

Tel: +237-22-24-71 **Fax:** +237-22-18-73 **Telex:** 8441 KN (MULPOC); UNDP 8304 KN

Head of institution: Daniel M. Sala-Diakanda

Year of establishment: 1972 **Major donor(s):** UNFPA

Member State(s)/institution(s): BI BJ CF CG CI CM DJ DZ GA GN HV
KM MA MG ML MR MU NE RW SN
TO TG TN ZR

Parent Organization(s): UNECA **Number of staff:** 6 **Geographic coverage:** 25 francophone African countries

□ To train demographers for member States; to promote demographic research and population activities in member States; to promote technical and scientific cooperation in population activities throughout Africa.

○ Training mainly at post-graduate level; conducting seminars, workshops, conferences; promotion of individual and/or collective research activities at the institute and within member states; rendering advisory services on population issues to member States and/or organisations upon request; running a specialized library.

Publications:

Bulletin de liaison de démographie africaine (3 per year)

Les annales de l'IFORD (2 issues)

IFORD biblio-info (3 per year)

♦ /research/, /training/, /demographic statistics/, /population/, /research methods/

ISN: 118

073 Institute for African Studies

P.O. Box 30900

Lusaka, Zambia

Tel: +260 (1) 28-28-80/1 **Telex:** ZA44370

Head of institution: Dr. Oliver Saasa

Year of establishment: 1938 **Major donor(s):** Government of Zambia

Type of institution: Public; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): University of Zambia **Number of staff:** 12
Working language(s): EN **Geographic coverage:** Zambia Southern Africa

□ To undertake research, both self-initiated as well as commissioned studies; research parameters include theoretical or concepts building and problem solving or consultancy; current emphasis is on socio-economic issues pertaining to national development.

○ Economic and labour research programme: macro-economic research; sectoral economic research; project planning, monitoring and evaluation; labour, unemployment, trade union, human settlement, etc. Regional Development Research Programme: development policy, urban planning, communication, rural development, ecology and environment. Health promotion research programme. Cultural research programme. Information and documentation.

Type of information system: Surveys on information needs; current awareness programme; compilation of bibliographies; literature surveys.

Publications:

African Social Research (Bi-annual)

Zambian Papers (Irregular)

Research notes and comments (Monthly)

♦ /research/, /development research/, /research centres/, /research methods/, /Zambia/

ISN: 131

074 Inter-Governmental Authority on Drought and Development (IGADD)

P.O. Box 2653

Djibouti, République de Djibouti

Tel.: +253-35-40-50 Telex: 5978 DJ

Head of institution: David S. Muduuli

Year of establishment: 1986 **Major donor(s):** Member States

Member State(s)/institution(s): DJ ET KE SD SO UG

Type of institution: Public; Non-profit

Working language(s): EN FR **Geographic coverage:** Eastern Africa

□ To coordinate and supplement the efforts of member states to combat the effects of drought and other related disasters; to assist in development efforts; to help deal with the problems of medium and long term recovery rehabilitation; to appraise the international community of the severe problems caused by drought and other related disasters.

○ Emergency action, food security, water resources, desertification control, communications and transport, crops, livestock, fisheries, energy resources, manpower development, training and research.

Type of information system: Document delivery, SDI (in-house)

Name of information system: IGADD Documentation and Information Centre

Publications:

Workshop Proceedings (irregular)

Annual Report (Annual)

IGADD Newsletter (1st issue 1990)

♦ /information services/, /drought/, /natural disasters/, /food security/, /disaster prevention/, /development planning/, /inter-governmental organizations/
 ISN: 141

075 International Livestock Centre for Africa (ILCA)
Centre International pour l'Élevage en Afrique (CIPEA)

P.O.Box 5689
 Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
 Tel.: +251-18-25-10, 18-32-15 Telex: ILCA ADDIS 21207

Year of establishment: 1974 *Major donor(s):* CGIAR

Working language(s): EN FR *Geographic coverage:* Africa

□ To assist national efforts to change production and marketing systems in tropical Africa to increase sustained yield and output of livestock products, to improve the quality of life of the people in the region.

○ Livestock research and service programmes for major ecological zones of Africa including pastoral and agropastoral systems in arid zones; coordinating the work of national research units in the field of trypanotolerance, animal nutrition and legume agronomy.

Publications:

ILCA Bulletin
Research reports
Annual reports
Newsletters

♦ /research centres/, /livestock/, /agricultural development/
 ISN: 93

076 Legal Resources Foundation

P.O.Box 918
 142 Victoria Street
 Harare, Zimbabwe
 Tel.: +263 (0) 72-82-11/3

Head of institution: Wilson Manase

Year of establishment: 1984 *Major donor(s):* Ford Foundation, NOVIB, CIDA

Member State(s)/institution(s): ZW

Number of staff: 9 *Working language(s):* EN Shona Ndebele *Geographic coverage:* ZW

□ To initiate and support projects which promote the development of legal resources in Zimbabwe through three operative arms.

○ Public legal education; training; library services; newsletter publication.

Type of information system: Exchange of legal information

Publications:

Bulletin of Zimbabwean Law (3 per year)
Legal Forum (Quarterly)

♦ /legal aspects/, /legal protection/, /legislation/
 ISN: 114

077 Mano River Union (MRU)

Union du Fleuve Mano

P.M.B. 133

Freetown, Sierra Leone

Tel.: 22-811 Telex: 3305 MARIUN SL

Head of institution: Ernest Eastman

Year of establishment: 1973 *Major donor(s):* Member States' contribution

Member State(s)/institution(s): GN LR SL

Working language(s): EN *Geographic coverage:* West Africa

□ To expand trade; to encourage productive capacity; to develop common policies and cooperation on harmonization of tariffs and regulations related to customs, qualifications and postal services; to promote joint development projects; to secure a fair distribution of the benefits from economic cooperation.

○ Establish a common external tariff; inter-union trade commenced 1 May 1981.

♦ */trade agreements/, /tariff agreements/, /tariff policy/, /regional cooperation/, /international trade/*

ISN: 75

078 Mount Makulu Central Research Station

Station de Recherche Centrale du Mont Makulu

Private Bag 7

Chilanga, Zambia

Head of institution: Imanga Kaliangile

Year of establishment: 1953 *Major donor(s):* Government of Zambia

Member State(s)/institution(s): ZM

Type of institution: Public; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): Ministry of Agriculture and Cooperative, Department of Agriculture, Zambia *Number of staff:* 200 *Working language(s):* EN *Geographic coverage:* ZM

□ To achieve self reliance in staple foods and provide raw materials for agro-industries; to expand the export market through increased production of export commodities in order to earn foreign exchange to promote village industries that depend on agricultural raw materials and thus create jobs for rural areas and improve rural standards of living and nutrition status.

○ Breeding for high yielding crop varieties of food, fibre, farming systems research; crops include: maize, wheat, sorghum, millet, rice, grain legumes, citrus, coffee, tea, oil crops, cotton, etc.

Type of information system: Library and documentation centre *Name of information system:* Library

Publications:

Annual reports (Irregular)

Miscellaneous technical reports (Irregular)

♦ */research/, /maize/, /wheat/, /sun flower/, /sorghum/, /millet/, /rice/, /cotton/, /food/, /cashew nut/, /Zambia/*

ISN: 142

079 National Institute for Pharmaceutical Research and Development
Institut National pour le Développement et la Recherche Pharmaceutique

P.M.B. 21

Abuja, Nigeria

Telegram: NIPRD-ABUJA

Head of institution: Prof. C.O.N. Wambebe

Year of establishment: 1987 Major donor(s): Federal Government of Nigeria

Member State(s)/institution(s): NG

Type of institution: Parastatal; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): Federal Ministry of Science and Technology

Number of staff: 55 Working language(s): EN Geographic coverage: Nigeria

□ To identify and conduct basic and applied scientific research into Nigeria's potential natural resources for drugs and pharmaceutical raw materials; to evaluate and develop methods; quality standards and specifications for the production and use of locally produced drug substances and pharmaceutical raw materials; to act as a drug information centre and as a national centre for drugs and pharmaceutical substances reference standard.

○ Conducting research into and developing drug substance and pharmaceutical agents particularly for tropical diseases from local materials; evaluating, preserving, purifying and standardising useful medicinal plant preparations into suitable and generally acceptable dosage form; conducting bio-pharmaceutical and pharmacokinetic studies on both imported and locally manufactured drug products; developing new or improved quality control methods for the production and use of pharmaceutical products.

Type of information system: Drug information centre and national centre for drugs and pharmaceutical substances; reference standard.

Publications:

Conference Proceedings

Seminar reports

♦ /pharmaceuticals/, /medicinal drugs/, /research/, /medicinal plants/, /information services/, /national planning/, /Nigeria/

ISN: 137

080 Organisation Africaine de Cartographie et de Télédétection
African Organization for Cartography and Remote Sensing

B.P. 102

Hussein Dey

Algiers, Algeria

Tel.: +213-77-79-34 Telex: 65474 AAC DZ

Head of institution: Fezzani Chedly

Year of establishment: 1988 Major donor(s): Member States' contributions

Member State(s)/institution(s): BF BI CF CG CI CM DZ EG ET GA GH
 GN KE KM LR LY MA MG ML MR
 MZ NG SD SL SN TG TN TZ UG ZR

Parent Organization(s): UNECA **Number of staff:** 2 **Working language(s):** AR EN FR **Geographic coverage:** Africa

□ To promote the development of cartography and remote sensing; to favour the exploration and development of surveys, cartography and remote sensing; to encourage the establishment of close relationships between members States; to disseminate information on Africa potentialities in this area.

○ Organizing conferences, seminars and workshops.

♦ /mapping/, /remote sensing/

ISN: 111

081 Organisation Africaine de la Propriété Intellectuelle (OAPI)
African Intellectual Property Organization (AIPO)

BP 887

Yaounde, Cameroon

Tel.: +237-22-39-11; 22-29-90 Telex: 8239 KN

Head of institution: Vincent Efon

Year of establishment: 1962 **Major donor(s):** Proceeds from fees; payment for services rendered; member States contributions

Member State(s)/institution(s): BF BJ CF CG CI CM GA ML MR NE
SN TD TG

Parent Organization(s): UNECA **Number of staff:** 77 **Working language(s):** EN FR **Geographic coverage:** Central Africa, West Africa

□ To protect industrial property by issuing titles of protection in order to encourage industrial creativity and inventiveness; to make known the origin of products to ensure their quality in the consumer's interest; to valorize national production principally from the primary sector; to disseminate scientific and technical knowledge contained in patent documents; to increase the general level of scientific and technical knowledge and to help member States in their effort to control the transfer of technology; to promote literary and artistic works and cultural heritage.

○ Issuing letters, patents and certificates of addition and utility models; filing and registration of trade marks, service marks, industrial designs, trade names, appellation of origins; researching on scientific and technical knowledge; publishing of titles of property delivered; promoting copyright and cultural heritage; organizing national and regional seminars and workshops on industrial and intellectual property.

Type of information system: Service of information and documentation on patents/DEDIB

Publications:

Official Bulletin on Industrial Property/BOPI (Quarterly)

Fascicules de Brevet d'Invention

Scientific and Technical Information Bulletin

♦ /intellectual property/, /industrial property/, /patents/, /promotion/, /research/, /publication/, /seminars/

ISN: 25

082 Organisation Africaine des Institutions Supérieures de Contrôle des Finances Publiques

African Organization of Supreme Audit Institutions (AFROSAL)

P.O. Box 288

Lomé, Togo

Head of institution: K. Aguey

Year of establishment: 1976

Working language(s): FR *Geographic coverage:* Africa

□ To promote cooperation among top-level audit institutions at regional level.

♦ */audit offices/, /auditing/, /regional cooperation/*

ISN: 59

083 Organisation Pan-Africaine des Femmes (OPF)

Pan African Women's Organisation (PAWO)

23 Bld. Colonel Amirouche

Algiers, Algeria

Head of institution: Fathia Bettahar

Year of establishment: 1962 *Major donor(s):* Member States' contributions

Member State(s)/institution(s): AO BF BI BJ BW CF CG CI CM CV DJ
DZ EG ET GA GM GN GQ GW KE
KM LR LS LY MA MG ML MR MU
MW MZ NA NENG RW SC SD SL SN
SO ST SZ TD TG TN UG ZA ZM ZR
ZW

Working language(s): FR AR EN *Geographic coverage:* Africa

□ To unite African women's organizations to allow an exchange of points of view and to undertake joint action; to promote human rights with a view to eliminating discrimination; to establish lasting relations of friendship and cooperation between women in Africa and throughout the world.

Publications:

African Women (Quarterly)

♦ */women's rights/, /women's participation/, /women's organization/*

ISN: 97

084 Organisation pour la Mise en Valeur du Fleuve Sénégal (OMVS)

Organization for the Development of the Senegal River

46 rue Carnot

B.P. 3152

Dakar, Senegal

Tel.: +221-22-36-79 Telex: 670 ORMIVAF SG

Head of institution: Ely Ould Allaf

Year of establishment: 1972 *Major donor(s):* Member States' contributions

Member State(s)/institution(s): ML MR SN

Working language(s): FR *Geographic coverage:* ML MR SN

□ To develop, by means of close cooperation among member States, the resources of the Senegal River Basin

○ Assisting in the construction of dams; undertaking agricultural development programme; producing hydroelectric power; installing industrial units; preparing training courses for small farmers.

Publications:

Fleuve Sénégal (French)

♦ /river basins/, /irrigation development/, /water management/

ISN: 96

**085 Organization africaine des bois (Oab)
African Timber Organization (ATO)**

B.P. 1077

Libreville, Gabon

Tel.: +241-73-29-28 Telex: OAB 5620 GO

Head of institution: Gahuranyi Tanganika

Year of establishment: 1976 **Major donor(s):** Member States' contribution

Member State(s)/institution(s): AO CF CG CI CM GA GH GQ LR NG
ST TZ ZR

Working language(s): EN FR ES PT **Geographic coverage:** Central Africa, West Africa

□ To allow member States to study and coordinate the ways and means of ensuring an optimum development of their forest and timber products; to ensure a continuous exchange of information among member States and rural support concerning their forestry management, timber marketing and industrialization policies; to coordinate the commercial policies, particularly in regard to prices, products designations, terminology, grading and standardization; to study the freight rates and shipping procedures and promote negotiations in this regard.

○ All areas of forestry including training.

Type of information system: Computerized information service

Publications:

OAB Information (6 per year)

♦ /timber/, /forest resources/, /forestry research/, /forest management/, /marketing/, /price policy/

ISN: 68

086 Organization for the Management and Development of the Kagera River Basin (KBO)

Organisation pour l'Aménagement et le Développement du Bassin-de la Kagera (OBK)

B.P. 297

Kigali, Rwanda

Tel.: +250-21-74 Telex: 567 OBK-RW

Head of institution: Jean Bosco Balinda

Year of establishment: 1977 **Major donor(s):** Member States' contributions, UNDP

Member State(s)/institution(s): BI RW TZ UG

Parent Organization(s): UNECA **Working language(s):** FR EN
Geographic coverage: BI RW TZ UG

□ To achieve the integrated development of the water and land resources of the Kagera River Basin; to train nationals to carry out such development; to reinforce existing cooperation between participating Governments through regional development of Basin's resources.

○ To develop hydropower and irrigated agriculture, livestock and forestry resources; to protect the environment, transport and communication; to organize training.

♦ /irrigation development/, /water management/, /river basins/

ISN: 95

087 Organization Interafricaine du Café (OIC)
Inter-African Coffee Organization (ICO)

B.P. V 210

Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire

Tel.: +225-21-61-31; 21-61-85 Telex: 22406

Head of institution: Arega Worku

Year of establishment: 1960 **Major donor(s):** Members' dues in proportion to coffee exports during previous year

Member State(s)/institution(s): AO BI BJ CF CG CI CM ET GA GH GN
GQ KE LR MG MW NG RW SL TG TZ
UG ZM ZR ZW

Number of staff: 3 **Working language(s):** EN FR **Geographic coverage:** Africa

□ To study common problems concerning African coffee, including production, processing and marketing in order to ensure the smooth disposal of production and the optimum level of selling prices; to collaborate with national, regional and international organization with similar aims.

○ Collects and disseminates for the benefit of member States information relating to the production, processing and marketing of coffee; assists in research and development programmes with a view to improving the level of cultural practices prevailing in the territories of member States.

Publications:

African Coffee Bulletin (Quarterly)

Exporter Directory of African Coffee (Biennial)

♦ /coffee/, /agriculture/, /economic cooperation/, /regional cooperation/, /research/

ISN: 27

088 Pan African Institute for Development, East and Southern Africa (PAID-ESA)

P.O.Box 80448

Kabwe, Zambia

Tel: 22-36-51

Year of establishment: 1979 **Major donor(s):** NAID, EEC, CFTC, CIDA, USAID, Government of the Netherlands

Member State(s)/institution(s): BW ET KE LS MU MW MZ SC SD SO
SZ TZ UG ZM ZW

Working language(s): EN FR **Geographic coverage:** East Africa

□ To assist the economic, social and cultural development of African countries; to promote the training of Africans capable of taking responsibility at various levels for promoting the improvement of living standards

○ Training of senior officials in management; convening technical seminars and consultations for the preparation and implementation of operational projects.

♦ /development centres/, /training assistance/, /integrated development/

ISN: 98

089 Pan African Postal Union (PAPU)
Union Pan-Africaine des Postes (UPAP)

P.O. Box 6026
Arusha, Tanzania
Telex: 42096 PAPU TZ

Head of institution: Amoussou Comlanvi

Year of establishment: 1980 **Major donor(s):** Member States and other sources

Member State(s)/institution(s): AO BF BI BJ BW CF CG CI CM DZ EG
ET GA GH GM GN GQ KE KM LR LY
MG ML MW MZ NE NG SD SL SN
SO SZ TD TG TN TZ UG ZM ZR ZW

Parent Organization(s): OAU **Number of staff:** 10 **Working language(s):** EN FR **Geographic coverage:** Africa

□ To maintain and extend cooperation among member States for improvement and rational use of postal services; to harmonize tariff structures with a view to establishing tariffs compatible with good service and sound financial management; to promote the establishment of multi-national regional and sub-regional postal training institutes in Africa.

○ Publishing information and research materials on postal services for the benefit of member States; encouraging the exchange of information between staff and their administration; organizing regional conference, meetings, training programmes, seminars and workshops; seeking technical assistance from international organizations and developed countries in the interest of member States to develop and modernize postal service in Africa.

Publications:

Conference proceedings
Reports of activities

♦ /postal services/, /communication/, /mail/, /tariff policy/, /regional cooperation/

ISN: 76

090 Pan African Telecommunications Network (PANAFTEL)
Réseau Pan-Africaine de Télécommunications

P.O.Box 3243
Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

Head of institution: Gabriel Theodros

Year of establishment: 1973 **Major donor(s):** Bilateral and multi-lateral financing

Working language(s): EN **Geographic coverage:** Africa

□ To disseminate news on the social, economic, cultural and political situation in Africa, on regional cooperation in Africa.

○ To construct and maintain telecommunications networks including submarine and satellite circuits.

♦ /telecommunications/, /information dissemination/, /information networks/

ISN: 99

091 Port Management Association of Eastern and Southern Africa (PMAESA)

Association de Gestion des Ports de l'Afrique Orientale et Australe (AG-PAOA)

P.O. Box 99209
Mombasa, Kenya

Head of institution: Nega Aegere

Year of establishment: 1973 **Major donor(s):** Member States' contributions

Member State(s)/institution(s): DJ ET KE MG MU MW MZ SC SD SO TZ ZM

Type of institution: Intergovernmental; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): UNECA **Number of staff:** 1 **Working language(s):** EN FR **Geographic coverage:** East Africa

□ To seek improvement, co-ordination and standardization of Eastern/Southern Africa port operations and equipment services; to ensure the participation of other port institutions and government agencies in the field of maritime transport; to establish and maintain relationship with transport undertakings, institutions, etc; to provide a forum for the members of the association to exchange views on common problems.

○ Training of port personnel; improvement of port productivity; standardization of cargo handling equipment; harmonization of statistics and performance indicators; combating and prevention of port pollution.

Type of information system: Data collection and compilation from ports

Publications:

Performance report (Yearly)

♦ /ports/, /management/, /sea transport/, /standardization/, /training/

ISN: 12

092 Port Management Association of West and Central Africa (PMAW-CA)

Association de Gestion des Ports de l'Afrique de l'Ouest et du Centre (AG-PAOC)

12 Park Lane
P.O. Box 1113 Apapa
Lagos, Nigeria

Tel.: +234 (1) 87-79-77; 87-12-78; 87-41-08 **Telex:** 22008 AGPAOC NG
Telegram: PORTMANASS

Head of institution: Pap Njanko Njie

Year of establishment: 1972 **Major donor(s):** UNDP; other specialized UN agencies; IMO; UNCTAD; ILO

Member State(s)/institution(s): AO BJ CG CI CM GA GH GM GN GQ
LR MR NG SN SL TG ZR

Type of institution: Inter-Governmental Organization; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): UNECA **Working language(s):** EN FR

Geographic coverage: Central Africa, West Africa

□ To improve, coordinate and standardize African port operations; to increase the efficiency of their harbours for ships and other forms of transport in Africa by providing better equipment and services; to ensure, with the participation of other port and harbour authorities in similar institutions, associations, international organizations and governments the coordination and development of activities of the Association.

○ Meetings, symposia and seminars; implementation of joint port projects.

Publications:

PMAWCA Quarterly Newsletter (Quarterly)

♦ /ports/, /management/, /standardization/

ISN: 19

093 Regional Centre for Services in Surveying, Mapping and Remote Sensing (RCSSMRS)

Centre Régional de Topographie, Cartographie et Télédétection

Kasarani Road

P.O. Box 18118

Nairobi, Kenya

Tel.: +254 (2) 80-33-20/9 **Telex:** 25258 KEREKS KE **Telegram:** REG-SURVEY

Head of institution: S.L. Okec

Year of establishment: 1975 **Major donor(s):** Member States' contributions

Member State(s)/institution(s): AO BI BW DJ ET KE KM LS MG MU
MW MZ RW SC SD SO SZ TZ UG ZM
ZW

Type of institution: Intergovernmental; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): UNECA **Number of staff:** 15 **Working language(s):** EN FR **Geographic coverage:** East Africa

□ To provide services in the field of surveying, mapping and remote sensing; to provide training for nationals of member states; to carry out studies and research in surveying, mapping and remote sensing; to make available to member states test and research information; to provide advisory services upon request to governments of member states on problems relating to surveying, mapping and remote sensing.

○ Maintenance and calibration of surveying instruments; training and user facilities in remote sensing; preparation of maps from aerial photo-

graphy and satellite remote sensing; geodetic surveys and aerial photography.

♦ /geophysical surveys/, /mapping/, /remote sensing/, /training/, /research/, /technical cooperation/, /maintenance and repair/, /aerial surveys/

ISN: 14

094 Regional Centre for Training in Aerospace Surveys (RECTAS)

Centre Régional de Formation aux Techniques des Levés Aérospatiaux

P.M.B. 5545

Ile-Ife, Nigeria

Tel.: +234 (36) 23-00-50; 23-02-25 Telex: 34262 RECTAS NG Telegram: AEROCENTRE - IFE, NIGERIA

Head of institution: Prof. O.O. Ayeni

Year of establishment: 1972 Major donor(s): UNDP; EEC; Netherlands; France; Switzerland

Member State(s)/institution(s): BJ CM GH HV ML NE NG SN

Type of institution: Public

Number of staff: 10 Working language(s): EN FR Geographic coverage: Africa

□ To provide theoretical training in the fields of aerospace surveys, including photogrammetry, remote sensing, cartography and airborne geophysical surveys; to organise short courses, seminars and workshops with a view to promoting exchange of experience in the field of aerospace surveys; to render advisory and consultancy services to member states of ECA and their agencies.

○ Manpower training and technical services in aerospace surveys consisting of long-term and short-term training in photogrammetry and remote sensing as well as conducting consultancy services.

Type of information system: Information on students trained by RECTAS; management data base, library and documentation data base; cartography and remote sensing information data base; software on computer application in cartography and remote sensing. Name of information system: RECTADIS

Publications:

RECTAS Newsletter (annual)

♦ /training/, /remote sensing/, /aerial surveys/, /photogrammetry/, /research/, /regional cooperation/

ISN: 136

095 Regional Institute for Population Studies (RIPS)

P.O. Box 96

Legon, Ghana

Tel.: 774070 Telex: 2164 RIPS GH; 2195 DPAC Telegram: RIPS, Accra, Ghana

Head of institution: P.O. Ohadike

Year of establishment: 1971 Major donor(s): UNFPA, Ghana, Nigeria and other African member States of the Institute

Member State(s)/institution(s): BW ET GH GM KE LR LS LY MW NG SC SD SL SO SZ TZ UG ZM ZW

Type of institution: Public; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): UNECA **Number of staff:** 8 **Working language(s):** EN **Geographic coverage:** Africa

□ To train specialists in population studies; to provide advisory services on request; to undertake research; to publish results of research in population studies and related fields.

○ Training mainly at post-graduate level; conducting workshops/seminars/conferences; research by students, staff, and Institute; publications, advising on demographic data collection, analysis and evaluation; running specialized library.

Type of information system: Library Documentation Service **Name of information system:** Population and Social Sciences Library and Population Information & Documentation System for Africa

Publications:

Newsletter (Semi-annually)

Monographs (Irregular)

Working Papers (Irregular)

Bibliographic Series (Irregular)

♦ /population studies/, /further training/, /research/, /social sciences/, /population/, /demography/

ISN: 16

096 Research Council of Zimbabwe (RCZ)

P.O. Box 8510

Harare, Zimbabwe

Tel.: +263 (0) 70-05-73 **Telex:** 22141 Zimgov ZW **Telegram:** SECPRES

Head of institution: C.J. Chetsanga

Year of establishment: 1986 **Major donor(s):** Government

Type of institution: Public; Government Grant Aid

Working language(s): EN **Geographic coverage:** ZW

□ To promote, direct, supervise and co-ordinate research; to provide for the establishment of research councils and research institutes; to conduct research and for the control of such research institutes and research councils; to advise government on matters affecting over-all research policy.

○ Agriculture and national resources engineering and industry, health, geology, mining and metallurgy, remote sensing, social sciences and information.

Type of information system: Library

Publications:

Zimbabwe research index (Annual)

♦ /research/, /development research/, /Zimbabwe/

ISN: 129

097 Réseau Africain d'Information Administrative
African Network of Administrative Information (ANAI)

19, rue Abu-El-Ala-El Maari
 B.P. 310
 Tanger, Morocco
 Tel.: +212 (9) 36-601; 36-602 Telex: 33664 M.

Head of institution: E.S. Asiedu

Year of establishment: 1981 *Major donor(s):* Member states' contribution, UNDP, IDRC

Member State(s)/institution(s): BF BW CF CI CM DZ EG ET GA GH
 GM GQ KE LR LS LY MA MR MU NE
 NG SD SL SN SO SZ TD TG TN TZ
 UG ZR ZM

Parent Organization(s): CAFRAD/African Training and Research Centre in Administration for *Geographic coverage:* Africa *Working language(s):* AR EN FR

□ To provide relevant and accurate information in the field of development administration for administrators, policy-makers, planners, trainers and researchers.

○ To study and publish work on information sources and methodology.

♦ */information networks/, /information policy/, /development administration/*
 ISN: 87

098 Réseau d'Innovation Educative pour le Développement en Afrique
Network of Educational Innovation for Development in Africa (NEIDA)

P.O.Box 3311
 Dakar, Senegal
 Tel.: +221-22-50-82 Telex: 410

Year of establishment: 1977 *Major donor(s):* UNESCO, UNDP

Member State(s)/institution(s): BF BI BJ CF CG CM ET GH GM GW
 KE LR LSMG ML MR MU MZ NE NG
 SL SN TZ ZM ZR ZW

Parent Organization(s): UNESCO *Number of staff:* 6 *Working language(s):* EN FR *Geographic coverage:* Africa

□ To promote innovations to adapt educational systems to development needs of African member States; to unite individual educational initiatives in Africa.

○ To organize seminars, workshops; documentation and information services; inter-project visits; joint research on development activities; to improve educational systems.

Publications:

NEIDA Information (Quarterly)
 NEIDA Digest (2/year)
 Innovations and changes (Series)

♦ */educational innovations/, /educational projects/, /educational research/*
 ISN: 94

- 099 Scientific Technical and Research Commission of the Organization of African Unity (SRTC)**
Commission Scientifique Technique et de la Recherche pour l'Organisation pour l'Unité Africaine (CSTR)

Private Bag 2359
Lagos, Nigeria
Telegram: TECHNAFRICA

Head of institution: A.O. Williams

Year of establishment: 1965 *Major donor(s):* Member States' contributions

Member State(s)/institution(s): All OAU member States

Working language(s): EN FR

□ To ensure technical cooperation among member States.

○ Examines work carried out through its technical bodies; organizes symposia, meetings of experts and conferences through OAU; promotes joint scientific research and technical projects.

♦ */regional cooperation/, /scientific research/, /research projects/, /technical cooperation/, /research/*

ISN: 83

- 100 Southern African Regional Commission for the Conservation and Utilization of the Soil (SARCCUS)**
Commission Régionale de l'Afrique Meridionale pour la Conservation et l'Utilization du sol

Private Bag X 116
Pretoria 0001, South Africa
Tel.: 213 11 11 Telex: 3-756 SA

Head of institution: A.B. Bridgens

Year of establishment: 1950 *Major donor(s):* Member States' contribution

Member State(s)/institution(s): BW MW NA SL SZ ZA

Working language(s): EN FR PT *Geographic coverage:* East Africa

□ To promote closer technical cooperation among the territories comprising the Southern African region, with regard to the conservation, utilization and improvement of the natural resources; in particular control of soil erosion and conservation and improvement of soil, vegetation and water resources.

○ Organizing regional conferences, seminars, symposia, workshops.

Publications:

Conference proceedings
Seminar reports
Symposium reports

♦ */regional cooperation/, /resources development/, /soil management/, /technical cooperation/, /national planning/, /water resources/*

ISN: 4

101 Tanzania Library Services Board

P.O. Box 9283
Dar-Es-Salaam, Tanzania
Tel.: +255 (51) 26-121/2

Head of institution: Ezekiel E. Kaungamno

Year of establishment: 1963 **Major donor(s):** Government of Tanzania

Type of institution: Public; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): Ministry of Education, Tanzania **Number of staff:** 49 **Working language(s):** EN SW

□ Establish, maintain, and equip libraries in mainland Tanzania; set-up, establish, equip, manage, and maintain documentation centres; plan and co-ordinate library and documentation services in the United Republic of Tanzania.

○ Ordering, processing of books/documents; public library services to readers; consultancy and advisory service.

Type of information system: Lending reference service to children; documentation and information service; bibliographic services; postal library services; advisory and consultancy service.

Publications:

- Agricultural abstracts for Tanzania* (2 per year)
- Industrial abstracts for Tanzania* (2 per year)
- Educational abstracts for Tanzania* (2 per year)
- Directory of libraries in Tanzania* (Every 5 years)
- Union list of periodicals in Tanzania libraries* (1 every 5 years)
- Special subject bibliographies* (2 per year)
- List of practicing librarians* (Every 2 years)

♦ /public libraries/, /Tanzania/

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102 The Arab League Documentation and Information Centre (ALDOC)

Centre de Documentation et d'Information de la Ligue Arabe

Place Attahrir
Cairo, Egypt
Tel.: +20 (2) 75-05-11 Fax: +20 (2) 74-03-31 Telex: 9211 AL SUN

Head of institution: Mahmoud El-Baccouche

Year of establishment: 1981 **Major donor(s):** General Secretariat of the League of Arab States

Member State(s)/institution(s): Members of the League of Arab States (i.e. all Arab countries and Palestine)

Parent Organization(s): League of Arab States **Number of staff:** 68
Working language(s): AR EN FR **Geographic coverage:** Arab countries

□ To provide information support to the Arab League and its offices abroad as well as its specialized organizations; to develop a modern Regional Documentation Centre; to assist in co-ordination and co-operation efforts among Arab documentation centres, to promote the development of the information and documentation infrastructure in the Arab Region; to provide information services to all interested users in

the political and socio-economic fields and mainly in relation to Arab countries.

○ Collects, process, and disseminates selected data and information in the social, political, economic, and other fields relevant to overall integrated develops of the Arab Region; develops tools, systems, and manuals related to the use of the Arabic language in new technologies in the field of information and documentation; trains and provides assistance to Arab information centres; develops of the Arab Information Network (ARIS-NET).

Type of information system: ALDOC provides answers to enquiries received, utilizing its library collections and through direct on-line search of its in-house data bases as well as international data bases to which it subscribes; ALDOC provides current awareness services including bibliographies, indexes, accession lists, etc.

Publications:

Press Clipping File (Weekly)
Contents of Current Periodicals (Bi-monthly)
Specialized Bibliographies (Irregular)
ARIS-NET Newsletter (Monthly)
Fahras (bibliographic bulletin sorted by facets) (Bi-yearly)
New Accession List

♦ /political conditions/, /social conditions/, /economic conditions/, /foreign relations/, /information/, /documentation/, /Arab countries/, /League of Arab States/

ISN: 116

103 Trans-East African Highway Authority
Autorité de la Route Trans-Est Africaine

P.O.Box 3001
 Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
 Tel.: +251 (1) 15-98-70 Telex: 21029 UNECA ET

Year of establishment: 1981 *Major donor(s):* Member States' contributions

Member State(s)/institution(s): BI EG ET KE MW MZ RW SD SZ TZ UG ZM ZW

Type of institution: Public; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): UNECA *Working language(s):* EN *Geographic coverage:* BI EG ET KE MW MZ RW SD SZ TZ UG ZM ZW

□ To develop interstate road links to facilitate trade and travel; to foster African economic integration.

○ Development of missing links; harmonization of customs and immigration procedures and traffic regulation.

Publications:

Report of Annual Meeting of Governing Council and Subsidiary Bodies

♦ /motor ways/, /transport/, /transport planning/, /trade/, /regional cooperation/

ISN: 23

104 Union Africaine des Chemins de Fer (UAC)

Union of African Railways (UAR)

869 Avenue Tombalbaye
Gombe
P.O. Box 687
Kinshasa, Zaire
Tel.: +243 (12) 23-861 Telex: 23861

Head of institution: J.M. Sahouegnon

Year of establishment: 1972 *Major donor(s):* Member States' contributions

Member State(s)/institution(s): AO BJ CG CI CM DJ DZ EG ET GA
GH GN HV KE LY MA ML MR MW
MZ NE NG SO SN SZ TD TG TN TZ
ZM ZR

Number of staff: 10 *Working language(s):* FR EN *Geographic coverage:* Africa

□ To study means for the unification of African railways; to improve existing railway services; to connect existing railways; to normalize and standardize railway equipment; to coordinate with other modes of transport.

○ Technical committees, seminars studies, information distribution.

♦ /railways/, /railway networks/

ISN: 77

105 Union des Administrations Portuaires du Nord de l'Afrique (UAPNA)

Port Management Association of North Africa (NAPMA)

52, Rue Ibn Charaf
Le Belvedere
Tunis, Tunisia
Tel.: +216 (1) 89-29-24 Telex: 15386

Head of institution: Yazid Allal

Year of establishment: 1975

Member State(s)/institution(s): DZ EG LY MA MR SD TN

Type of institution: Parastatal; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): UNECA *Number of staff:* 3 *Working language(s):* AR EN FR *Geographic coverage:* North Africa

□ To improve, coordinate and standardize African port operations; to increase the efficiency of their harbours for ships and other forms of transport in Africa by providing better equipment and services; to ensure, with the participation of other port and harbour authorities on similar institutions, associations, international organizations and governments, the coordination and development of activities of the Association.

♦ /ports/, /management/, /standardization/

ISN: 20

106 Union Douanière et Economique de l'Afrique Centrale (UDEAC)
Central African Customs and Economic Union (CACEU)

B.P. 969
 Bangui, République Centrafricaine
 Tel.: 61-09-22 Telex: 5254 CR

Head of institution: Ambroise Foalem

Year of establishment: 1964 *Major donor(s):* Member States' contribution

Member State(s)/institution(s): CF CG CM GA GQ

Parent Organization(s): UNECA *Number of staff:* 250 *Working language(s):* FR *Geographic coverage:* West Africa

□ To develop economic integration through the customs union by establishment of a common market and expansion of national markets; to harmonize development planning, industrial cooperation, transport, post and telecommunications, tourism and rural economy.

○ Establishing "taxe unique" (single tax) for domestic manufacturers with markets extending to several member States, thus exempting them from other duties and taxes; giving training courses and seminars on accounting and population problems for investment and multinational enterprises.

Publications:

Bulletin de liaison des statistiques de l'UDEAC
Journal Officiel de l'UDEAC
Bulletin d'Information de l'UDEAC (Quarterly)
Bulletin des Statistiques Générales (Quarterly)
Code des Douanes (Annual)
Tarif douanier (Annual)
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♦ /customs/, /economic integration/, /tariff policy/

ISN: 48

107 Union Monétaire Ouest Africaine (UMOA)
West African Monetary Union (WAMU)

Avenue G. Pompidou
 B.P. 3159
 Dakar, Sénégal

Year of establishment: 1962 *Major donor(s):* Member States' contribution

Member State(s)/institution(s): BF BJ CI ML NE SN TG

Parent Organization(s): Central Bank of the West African States
Working language(s): FR *Geographic coverage:* West Africa

□ To enforce rules governing the issue of a common currency which is entrusted to the Central Bank of West African States (BCEAO); to assist in the effective use of monetary resources of member countries.

○ To set up the BCEAO and West African Development Bank; to adopt standard regulations concerning financial relations with countries not members of WAMU; organization and supervision of distribution of credit, etc.

♦ /monetary areas/, /monetary systems/, /financial policy/, /monetary agreements/

ISN: 103

108 United Nations African Institute for the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders (UNAFRI)

P.O.Box 10590
Kampala, Uganda
Tel: +256 (41) 23-44-89

Head of institution: Femi Odekunle

Year of establishment: 1989 **Major donor(s):** UNDP

Member State(s)/institution(s): BI CG EG GQ GM GH GN LY MW
MA MZ NE NG RW SN SC SL SO SD
TG TN UG TZ ZR ZM ZW

Type of institution: International

Working language(s): EN FR **Geographic coverage:** Africa

□ To assist in the formulation of policies and programmes for the prevention of crime and the treatment of offenders in the context of overall national development planning; to design and conduct training programmes for different categories and levels of criminal justice and related personnel including policy makers, administrators, judges, prosecutors, lawyers, police and correctional officials, teachers, social workers, researchers, etc., with a focus on the training of trainers, through special inter-disciplinary courses, workshops, seminars, fellowships, internships and study tours, in order to upgrade the sector as well as to impart new knowledge and skills; to undertake policy-oriented studies and research on priority problems in the region including the collection of information on crime trends and their impact on development, on crime prevention and criminal justice policies and programmes in the region, in order to guide policy formulation and decision-making; to assist in the development of effective policies and programmes for the prevention and control of juvenile crime and delinquency and for the treatment of juvenile offenders.

○ Training, research, advisory services, and information networking in the area of crime and delinquency prevention and control.

Publications:

Newsletter, Journal, Monograph, Research Reports, Books.

♦ /crime prevention/, /juvenile delinquency/, /offenders/, /training/, /criminal law/, /penal sanctions/, /policy making/

ISN: 146

**109 United Nations Centre for Human Settlements "UNCHS" (Habitat)
Centre des Nations Unies pour les Etablissements Humains "CNUEH"
(Habitat)**

P.O. Box 30030
Nairobi, Kenya
Tel: +254 (2) 33-39-30; 52-06-00 Fax: +254 (2) 52-07-24 Telex: 22996
UNHAB KE Telegram: UNHABITAT

Head of institution: Arcot Ramachandran

Year of establishment: 1978 **Major donor(s):** UN, UNDP, member States

Member State(s)/institution(s): 58 member States

Type of institution: Public; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): United Nations System **Number of staff:** 85

Working language(s): EN FR **Geographic coverage:** Global

□ To harmonize human settlements activities in the United Nations system; to assist its 58 member governing body, the Commission on Human Settlements, in co-ordinating human settlements activities in the United Nations system; to execute human settlements projects; to provide the focal point for a global exchange of information about human settlements; to promote collaboration with the world scientific community and non-governmental organizations in human settlements and development efforts.

○ Researching human settlements planning and policies, shelter and community services; training on development of the indigenous construction sector, low-cost infrastructure, land; informing on finance for human settlements development, institutions and management; technical co-operation on all aspects of rural and urban settlements development; over 200 projects in 94 countries at the end of 1988, with an overall budget of US\$96,000,000 for the duration of the projects.

Type of information system: Research publications, films, audio-visuals, radio and TV programmes. **Name of information system:** HAB-DOC-UNCHS: computerized database, HSDB-Human settlements database (statistics)

Publications:

UNCHS *Habitat News and its supplements* (Three times a year)

UNCHS (*Habitat*) *Shelter Bulletin and its language supplements* (Three times a year)

♦ /human settlements/, /housing policy/, /homeless persons/, /appropriate technology/, /community development/, /low-cost housing/, /construction materials/

ISN: 140

110 University of Jos Library

Bauchi Road

P.O. Box 2084

Jos, Nigeria

Tel.: +234 (73) 55-930; 223, 273 Telex: 81136 UNIJOS Telegram: UNIJOS

Head of institution: B.V. Nwafor

Year of establishment: 1972 **Major donor(s):** Federal Government of Nigeria

Type of institution: Parastatal; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): University of Jos, Nigeria **Number of staff:** 15 **Working language(s):** EN

□ To provide a variety of resources, book and non-book alike, and ancillary services which support and extend the University's programmes of instruction and research; to achieve this, the library attempts to ensure a high degree of relevance of its collection to the need of the University community; to ensure maximum use of resources and facilities; to give quantitative reference and information services to clients; to join its staff with teaching colleagues in making the use of its resources an integral part of the educational process.

○ Acquisition and processing of book and non-book materials; maintenance of these materials including binding; reference services; teaching the use of library to students; issue of accession lists and some bibliographies.

Type of information system: Current awareness service; listings of the contents of journals; compiling reading lists.

Publications:

JULIA (6 per year)

♦ /educational institutions/, /public libraries/, /information services/, /Nigeria/

ISN: 122

111 Voluntary Organizations in Community Enterprise (VOICE)

16 Samora Machel

P.O.Box 8465

Harare, Zimbabwe

Tel.: +263 (0) 79-12-51/3

Head of institution: Z.M. Gamanya

Year of establishment: 1962 *Major donor(s):* Ford Foundation; Lutheran World Relief

Member State(s)/institution(s): ZW

Type of institution: Public; Non-profit

Number of staff: 9 *Working language(s):* EN *Geographic coverage:* ZW

□ To strengthen the capacities, effectiveness and efficiency of NGOs in Zimbabwe; to promote and facilitate co-operation and collaboration among NGOs and between NGOs and government.

○ Information sharing; research and evaluation; programme planning and implementation; policy development and advocacy training.

Publications:

Voice News and Views (bi-monthly)

♦ /community facilities/, /community development/

ISN: 113

112 West Africa Rice Development Association (WARDA)

Association pour le Développement de la Riziculture en Afrique de l'Ouest (ADRAO)

P.O.Box 1019

Monrovia, Liberia

Tel.: +231-22-14-66; 22-19-63 Telex: 4333 MONROVIA

Head of institution: Hyacinthe Leroux

Year of establishment: 1970 *Major donor(s):* Member States' contributions; Ford Foundation, CGIAR, IBRD

Member State(s)/institution(s): BF BJ CI CM GA GH GM GN GW LR ML MR NE NG SL SN TD TG

Number of staff: 252 *Working language(s):* EN FR *Geographic coverage:* East Africa, West Africa

□ To promote and increase the quantity and quality of rice produced in West Africa; to promote improved varieties and farming systems adapted to the region's agro-climate and social conditions.

○ Research comprising coordinated trials at a network of locations in West Africa and special projects to reinforce existing activities; collecting, classifying, indexing and publishing documents relevant to rice production in the region; operating advisory services and maintaining a library; processing statistical data on rice production in member countries

Publications:

WARDA Newsletter (Quarterly)
World Rice Reference for West Africa (Quarterly)
Rice Statistics (Annual)
WARDA Annual Research Report

♦ /rice/, /production diversification/, /production control/

ISN: 104

113 West African Clearing House (WACH)

Chambre de Compensation de l'Afrique de l'Ouest (CCAO)

13 Lamina Sankoh Street

P.V.B. 218

Freetown, Sierra Leone

Tel: 24485/86 Telex: 3368 WACH SL

Head of institution: C.E. Nemedi

Year of establishment: 1975 **Major donor(s):** Member of Association of Central Banks

Member State(s)/institution(s): BF BJ CI GB GH GM GN LR ML MR
NE NG SL SN TG

Type of institution: Multilateral; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): Association of African Central Banks **Number of staff:** 7 **Working language(s):** EN FR **Geographic coverage:** West Africa

□ To promote the use of members' currencies for sub-regional and other transactions; to realize savings in the use of the foreign reserves of members; to encourage members of the clearing house to liberalize trade among their respective countries; to promote monetary co-operation and consultation among members.

○ Promotion of trade and transactions in the sub-region; economic and monetary co-operation; economic integration.

Type of information system: Periodical seminars and workshops in member countries

Publications:

Annual report (Yearly)
Progress report (Bi-annually)

♦ /monetary agreements/, /regional cooperation/, /banking/, /promotion/, /foreign exchange reserves/, /trade liberalization/, /monetary systems/

ISN: 21

114 Women and Law in Southern Africa Research Project

P.O. Box 918
Harare, Zimbabwe
Tel.: +263 (0) 72-82-11

Head of institution: Alice Armstrong, Regional Coordinator

Year of establishment: 1988 *Major donor(s):* Ford Foundation, SAREC

Member State(s)/institution(s): BW, LS, MZ, SZ, ZM, ZW

Type of institution: Private; Non-profit

Parent Organization(s): Legal Projects Centre *Number of staff:* 7

Working language(s): EN *Geographic coverage:* BW LS MZ SZ ZM ZW

□ To investigate women's legal rights.; train researchers; develop appropriate methodologies; and disseminate information about women's legal rights.

○ Research, workshops, publications.

Type of information system: Resource centre on women and law in Southern Africa

Publications:

Newsletter (Quarterly)
Books, articles, conference reports, etc.

♦ /social research/, /research projects/, /women/, /women's rights/, /legal aspects/, /human rights/, /Southern Africa/

ISN: 125

115 Zone monétaire Centrafricaine
Central African Monetary Union

c/o BEACI B.P. 1917
Yaoundé, Cameroun
Tel.: +237-22-25-05 Telex: BANETAC 843 KN

Year of establishment: 1972

Member State(s)/institution(s): CF CG CM GA GQ TD

Working language(s): FR *Geographic coverage:* Central Africa

□ To harmonize monetary policies in the six member States; to control external payments and general exchange regimes.

♦ /monetary policy/, /monetary agreements/, /international monetary system/, /monetary areas/

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Acronyms

AAU	Addis Ababa University, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
ADB	African Development Bank, Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire
ALECSO	Arab League Educational, Cultural and Scientific Organization
ARCT	African Regional Centre for Technology, Dakar, Senegal
CAFRAD	Centre africain de formation et la recherche administratives pour le développement, Tanger, Maroc
CFA	Communauté financière de l'Afrique
CGIAR	Consultative Group for International Agricultural Research
CIDA	Canadian International Development Agency, Ottawa, Canada
ECOWAS	Economic Community of West African States, Lagos, Nigeria
ECWA	Economic Commission for Western Asia, Amman, Jordan
FAD	Fonds africains de développement
FAO	Food and Agricultural Organization, Rome, Italy
ICAO	International Civil Aviation Organization, Montreal, Canada
IBRD	International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, Washington, D.C., USA
IDRC	International Development Research Centre, Ottawa, Canada
IGO	Inter-governmental organization
ILO	International Labour Organization, Geneva, Switzerland
IMO	International Meteorological Organization
NORAD	Norwegian Agency for International Development, Oslo, Norway
OAU	Organization of African Unity, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
OPEC	Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries
SAREC	Sewdish Agency for Research Cooperation with Developing Countries, Stockholm, Sweden
SDI	Selective Dissemination of Information
SIDA	Swedish International Development Agency, Stockholm, Sweden
SIFIDA	Société internationale financière d'investissements pour le développement en Afrique
UN	United Nations
UNCTAD	United Nations Conference on Trade and Development, Geneva, Switzerland
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNECA	United Nations Economic Commission for Africa, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization, Paris, France
UNFPA	United Nations Population Fund, New York, USA
UNIDO	United Nations Industrial Development Organization, Vienna, Austria
UNU	United Nations University, Tokyo, Japan
UPDEA	Union of Producers, Conveyors and Distributors of Electric Power in Africa
USAID	United States Agency for International Development, Washington, D.C., USA



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