



WIO Stocktaking Meeting

*Towards an Ecosystem-Based Management Programme
For the western Indian Ocean Region*



REGIONAL STOCKTAKING MEETING 29 March 2010, Nairobi, Kenya

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. Welcome address by Kenya - Host country
2. Introduction to the Provisional Agenda - Facilitator
3. Keynote Presentations: Towards an integrated management of the Western Indian Ocean ecosystem – benefits and opportunities of Ecosystem-Based Management:
 - a. The benefits of the Ecosystem-based Management (EBM) compared to business-as-usual – Invited speaker.
 - b. EBM/LME management in the regional context – Invited speaker
 - c. GEF approach to EBM approach: TDA/SAP procedure as a tool to operationalize the EBM approach to LME management - Al Duda (GEF Secretariat)
4. Current status of implementation of the GEF Western Indian Ocean Ecosystem-Based Management process:
 - a. UNEP/GEF Project “Addressing land based activities in the Western Indian Ocean” (WIO-LaB) WIO-LaB – Project Manager UNEP/GEF WIO-LaB Project
 - b. South Western Indian Ocean Fisheries Project (SWIOFP) – Regional Executive Secretary
 - c. The Agulhas and Somali Current Large Marine Ecosystems Project (ASCLME) – Regional Director
5. Roadmap towards a Western Indian Ocean Sustainable Ecosystem Approach Programme
 - a. Overview of TDA/SAP process - ASCLME Project Director
 - b. Staged SAP implementation: advanced implementation of WIO-LaB SAP - Project Manager UNEP/GEF WIO-LaB Project
 - c. Policy and Governance Assessment - ASCLME Policy and Governance Coordinator
 - d. National inter-ministerial coordination.
 - e. Building partnerships
6. The way forward
7. Closing Remarks