

Desk Review of Initiatives on Stocktaking of DRR Interventions in Asia and Pacific



ISDR Asia Partnership

What is the expected outcome?

Output 2

Regional Stock take;
System on DRR
interventions in all sub
regions of Asia and
Pacific



- Who are the partners involved in DRR?
- What are they working on (Thematically)?
- Where are they working (Geographical coverage)?
- Which geographical areas needs more level of interventions?
- Which thematic area should receive more focus?
- Which sub regions we could learn from?
- In which geographical area more financial resources are being put in? Where not?
- In which thematic area there is more partners involved? Which all needs stronger partnership?
- In which area (geographical/thematic) we can partner with others to scale up?

**These are the type of
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should answer**

Why this review?

- Who are the partners involved in DRR?
- What are they working on (Thematically)?
- In which geographical areas are they working (Geographical Coverage)?
- Which geographical areas need more level of intervention?
- Which geographical areas have more focus?
- Which geographical areas are we working in?
- In which geographical areas more financial resources are being put in? Where are partners?
- In which thematic area there is more partnership?
- In which area (geographical/thematic) we can partner with others to scale up?

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Type of information required

Actors

Location

Thematic intervention

Amount of funding

Duration of intervention

Type of outputs

Thus look at various stocktaking initiatives which have collected such type of information

Hence the desk review

What did the review look at?

More than 15 initiatives on Stocktaking/Mapping /Systems of DRR interventions

Objective of the initiative

Geographical coverage of the initiative

Final output of the initiative (study, report, on line system)

Start and Completion Date and Implementation Date

Current status of the initiative (if it is aimed to be a system)

What sort of answer did the system provide?

Is it a one off exercise or is a system which is being maintained and used

Table 1: Inventory of initiatives on stocktaking of DRR interventions

| Sl. No. | Name of the initiative | Implementing Organization | When was the initiative carried out/started | Is the initiative currently being maintained | Objective of the initiative | Brief Description | Coverage of the initiative | Output | Available on Website |
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| Global | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | IRP Capacity Building Database | International Recovery Platform (IRP), Database managed by International Labour Organisation (ILO) | | | To provide an open, clear and user-friendly inventory of available resources worldwide, with a special emphasis on training offerings and knowledge tools at international, regional, national and local level | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provides a list of institutions working in the field of disaster management with a specific focus on training and capacity building for disaster risk reduction. Search of organizations by name, geographical area, country and focus | Global | Web based searchable database | http://irp-capacitybuilding.delnittcilo.net/home |
| 2 | Financial Tracking System | UN/OCHA | | | To analyse aid and monitor accountability among humanitarian actors, by clearly indicating to what extent a certain population receives humanitarian relief aid, and in what proportion to needs | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Database which records all reported international humanitarian aid Offers a series of standard tables that show humanitarian aid flows in various formats, and also allows users to produce custom financial tables on | Global | Web based searchable database | www.reliefweb.int/FIS |

Initiatives captured in the review included....

- **Global Initiatives**
 - Capacity Building for DRR in Recovery Management, IRP
 - Financial Tracking System of UN/OCHA
 - HFA Monitor by UN/ISDR

Initiatives captured in the review included....

- **Regional Initiatives**

- Various stocktaking under Pacific Disaster Net by SOPAC
- Stocktaking of DRR initiatives based on Delhi Declaration by UN/ISDR
- Matrix for mapping DRR and CCA by UN/ISDR
- Stocktaking of DRR initiatives under the KL Regional Action Plan by UN/ISDR and ADPC
- Regional Synthesis Report on HFA Implementation in Asia and Pacific - An Overview of Reports by Countries up to 2007 by ADRC, ADPC and ISDR
- CBDRM Database by ADPC
- Stocktaking of Capacity Building Initiatives in Asia and Pacific by ADPC

Initiatives captured in the review included....

- **National Initiatives**

- Disaster Risk Reduction Database; Indonesia and Sri Lanka Who does What, Where by UNDP
- Stocktaking of DRR initiatives as part of development of National Action Plans on DRR, Cambodia, Indonesia, Myanmar

Studied the scope of each of the initiative...

IRP Database



Type of information it provides

Which organizations are working on DRR in different regions of the world?

What is their 'Focus' area of work in relation to different phases of disasters namely; Prevention, Preparedness, Early Recovery, Response etc. ?

Studied the scope of each of the initiative...

Stocktaking by UNESCAP and UNISDR

| Cross cutting issues | | Activity No. |
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Type of information it provides

Information on the activity: title, duration, location, amount, agency, partners

Mapping the activity against the HFA indicators and Nairobi Work Programme

Mapping the activities (specific to CCA) against cross cutting issues

Studied the scope of each of the initiative...

CBDRM Database by ADPC, ESCAP, ECHO



Type of information it provides

Name of programs and projects on CBDRM

Which organizations are implementing programs and projects on CBDRM

Details on Training Courses on CBDRM
List of experts on CBDRM

Good practices and tools on CBDRM
Publications on CBDRM

Studied the scope of each of the initiative...

Who does What Where,
Indonesia, UNDP

A screenshot of the 'Who does What Where, Indonesia, UNDP' search interface. The interface includes a search bar, a list of search filters (Hyogo Priority, Hyogo Subpriority, 2008 Plan Training, Consortium Disaster Education), and a section for 'Organization Details' with radio buttons for 'Hyogo Framework Response', 'Project Identification', 'Priority Response Sheet', 'Organization Profile', and 'Contact List'. A blue arrow points from the search bar area towards the right.

Type of information it provides

Projects being implemented against the five HFA priorities for action

Projects being implemented under various sectors (e.g. coordination, education, environment, logistic, health etc)

Projects being implemented by various organizations (name of the organization)

Projects being implemented in different location (province, district)

Projects being implemented by various type of organizations (government, donor, UN Agency, INGO, National NGO, University etc)

Typical features of stocktaking

| Name of Initiative | Location | Information is provided for Projects/ | Information is provided for | Information is presented against a framework | Classification based on DM phases | Other classification | Information on project amount | Information on Donor | Information on Implementing Agency | Information on Time line | Type of Outputs (Online/Report/Excel Sheet) | Remarks |
|---|----------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------|---|---|
| Capacity Building for DRR in Recovery Management (IRP) | | | | | | | | | | | | Factors Search by local area, DM is not on |
| Financial Tracking System (UN/ISDR) | | | | | | | | | | | | Mechanism, City, Progress on |
| HFA Monitor (UN/ISDR) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Capacity Statement (SOPAC) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pacific Disaster Net (SOPAC) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Stocktaking of DRR initiatives based on Delhi Declaration | | | | | | | | | | | | Stocktaking to take against initiative, does not give info. |
| Matrix for mapping DRR and CCA (UNESCAP and UN/ISDR) | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Nairobi Work Programme 2009 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Excel Sheet | Stocktaking to take stock of initiatives/actions against HFA and Nairobi Work Programme |

- Location of intervention
- Information by Programs/Projects
- Information by Action/Activities
- Information against a framework e.g. HFA
- Classified under the phases of DM
- Project Amount
- Information on donor, implementing agency, partners
- Outputs in form of studies/online tools

Typical Scope of the stocktaking

| Name of Initiative | What are the different projects being implemented in an area | Who are the partners involved in DRR? | What are they working on (Thematic ally)? | Where are they working (Geographical coverage)? | Which geographic areas needs more level of intervention considering its level of | Which thematic area should receive more focus? | Which all initiatives from other sub-regions we could learn from? | In which geographic area more financial resources are being put in? | In which thematic area there is more partners involved? Which all needs | In which area we can partner with others to scale up? (Geographical/Thematic) |
|--------------------|---|---------------------------------------|---|---|--|--|---|---|---|---|
| CBDRR | Typically Database of organizations working in DM.....sometimes database on interventions related to specific themes such as CBDRR, Capacity Building etc.. | | | | | | | | | |
| IRP | Stock take against some particular framework .. In this case it is more of stock take of outcomes..... | | | | | | | | | |
| IRP | Lot of times undertaken as a base work for developing some specific output.. Hence one off excel sheet exercise and not updated..... | | | | | | | | | |
| IRP | Information provided but no visual representation hence not easy for analysis.... | | | | | | | | | |
| IRP | Provides information on the project but not necessarily the outputs developed under the project which could be used by other partners..... | | | | | | | | | |

To learn more from experiences in the Pacific.....