Strengthening international cooperation based on the principle of common and shared responsibility: Achievements from Africa and the Middle East

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I. UNODC presence in Africa

• 4 major Regional Offices: Eastern, Southern, West and North Africa and the Arab States;
• 1 Country Office for Nigeria;
• 1 Office for the GCC Region;
• 26 Programme Offices.

II. Programme delivery in Africa

• 2016: approx. USD 79 million
• 2017: expected USD 85 million

III. Staff

• 77 international staff
• 362 local staff
• Total: 439 staff in Africa
Technical assistance to Member States through cooperation with relevant United Nations entities and international and regional organizations (I)

**Regional Programmes**
- RP for the Arab States
- RP for Southern Africa
- RP for Eastern Africa
- RP for West Africa

**Collaboration with Regional Organisations**
Examples of activities:

- National Drug Legislations in Cote d'Ivoire, the Gambia and Sierra Leone;
- West African Epidemiology Network;
- Development of the East African Community organizational strategy for HIV and key populations;
- Development of the African Union compendium of good practice on health and drugs in Africa;
- National Drug Control Master Plan in Nigeria and development of Master Plans in Mauritius and Ethiopia;
- Drug treatment centre in Senegal as part of the West African Network of Drug Dependence Treatment Centres.

Technical assistance to Member States through cooperation with relevant United Nations entities and international and regional organizations (II)
Examples of support to collaboration between agencies, projects, programmes and initiatives:

- CRIMJUST and WACAP (shown here)

- CGCC-CCICD and the Paris Pact Initiative as well as the Indian Ocean Forum Maritime Crime
Technical assistance to Member States through cooperation with relevant United Nations entities and international and regional organizations (IV)

Example of cooperation in development and implementation: the AIRCOP project
North/South-South/South Cooperation (I)

Recent examples of activities include:

- West African network of Central Authorities and Prosecutors against organized crime
- Judicial Cooperation Agreement between Chad, Mali and Niger
North/South-South/South Cooperation (II)

Other recent examples of activities include:

- Regional Border Control Programme in the Middle East and North Africa;
- The Sahel Programme;
- Global Container Control Programme;
- Networking the Networks initiative.

- Inter-regional Conference on addressing and countering the drug problem through the sharing of best practices.
Exchange of information, good practices and lessons learned (I)

Examples of activities include:

Example of cooperation in development and implementation: the WACI project
Exchange of information, good practices and lessons learned (II)

Other recent examples of activities include:

- HIV and AIDS prevention, treatment, care and support in prisons settings project in 10 Sub-Saharan countries;
- Collaboration with the Naufar Wellness and Recovery Centre.

Asset Recovery Inter-Agency Network for Southern Africa (shown here)
Thank you!

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