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IDMP IN THE HORN OF AFRICA

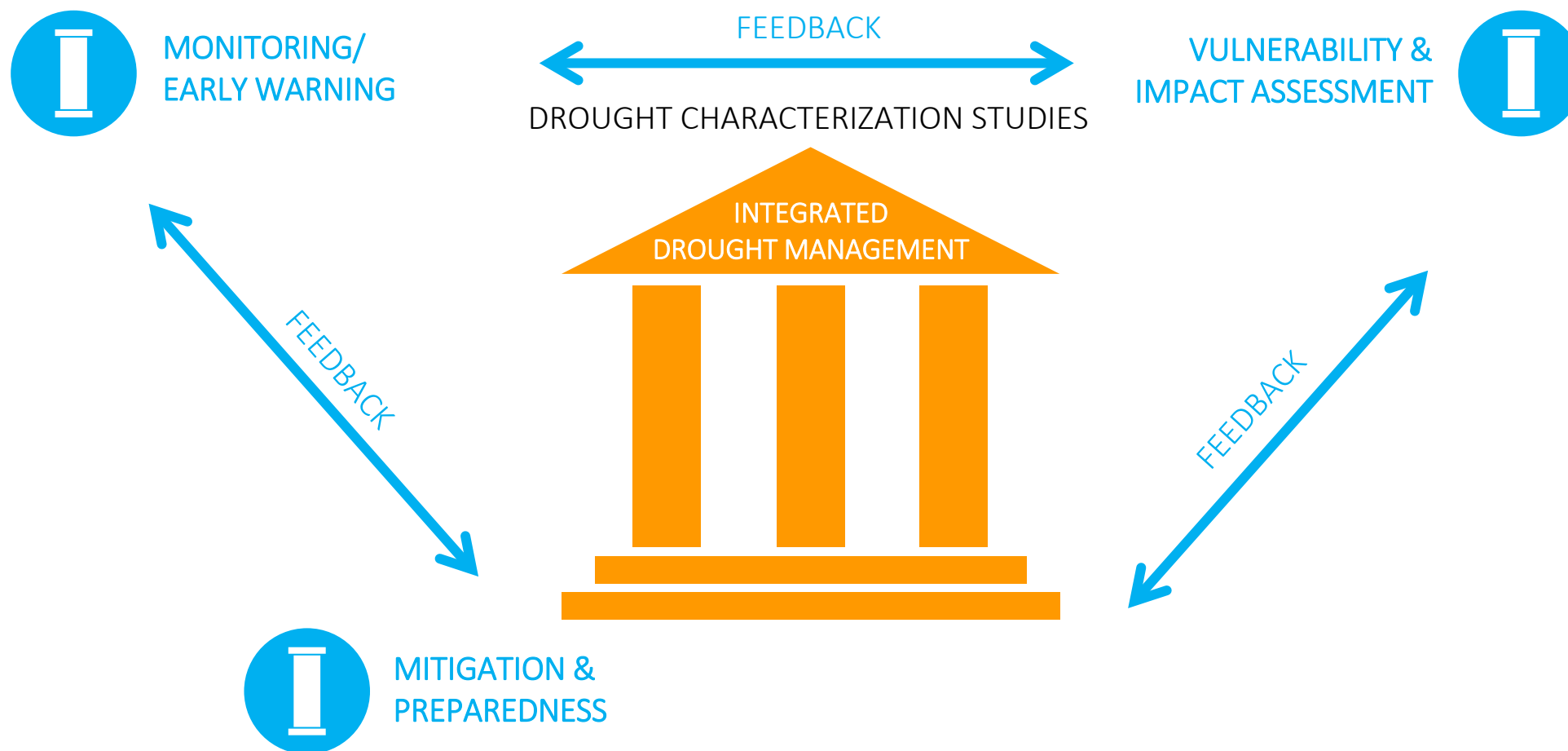
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- **Focus:** To promote drought resilience of countries, communities and ecosystems in the Horn of Africa
- **Project Scope:** 8 countries i.e. Djibouti, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Kenya, Somalia, South Sudan, Sudan and Uganda
- **Vulnerability to drought in HOA:** High
- **Drought Impacts:** On food security, social stability, environment and the economies of countries
- **Strategy:** Engaging key stakeholders in the region: i.e. Regional Economic Communities (RECs e.g. IGAD), governments (IDDRSI focal points) and partners contributing to droughts in the region.

IDMP HOA Highlights 2016-2017



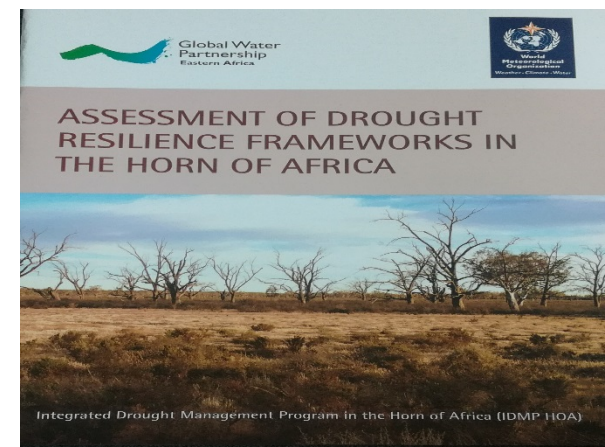
1. *Regional and Transboundary cooperation*

- *Support to strategic interventions* e.g. targeted conferences to influence actions in support of the development of new and improvement of existing national policies and strategies on drought management
- Support drought management frameworks at country level

2. *Capacity building in the HOA region*

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Support to capacity building training of key institutions in applying appropriate tools for Drought Risk Management (DRM)

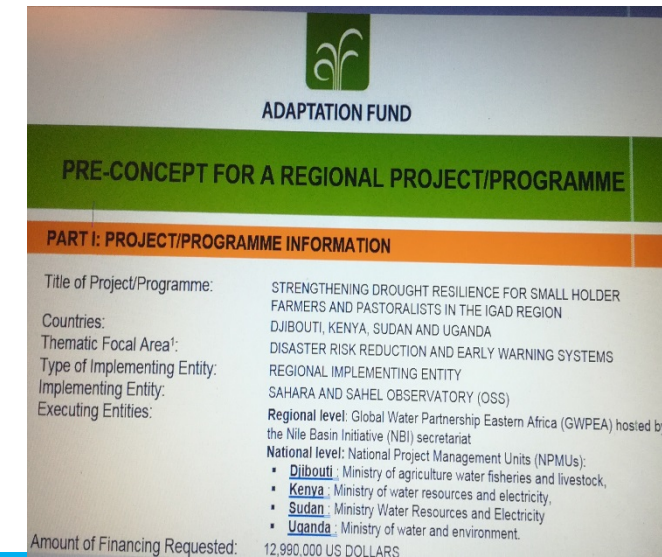


3. Knowledge Management on Integrated Drought management in the IGAD region

Cascading knowledge on drought management- Share lessons and best practices in drought management e.g. from case studies within the region

4. Partnerships and Sustainability Strengthened

- Resource mobilization for drought management- Creating cohesive action in the region towards a common cause. Fundraising for regional project to promote drought resilience amongst the most affected/vulnerable communities in the IGAD region



The focus will be to:

A) Support the three pillars of integrated drought management

- i) Drought monitoring and early warning systems;
- ii) Vulnerability and impact assessment; and
- iii) Drought preparedness, mitigation, and response

B) Strengthen linkages with other on-going programmes

- Water, Climate and Development Programme (WACDEP).
- The global component of the IDMP and the Associated Programme on Flood Management



C. Support countries in implementation of global and regional frame works and commitments

- Paris Agreement commitments on Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs).
- Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction
- The Windhoek declaration on enhancing drought resilience in Africa
- SDG commitments for countries



Connections and Strategic Opportunities for IDMP HOA

- Support review of the Policy instruments and strategies in the countries- these also include drought management guidelines/plans
- Opportunity to create linkages with policy instruments e.g. Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction and the Windhoek declaration to enhance drought resilience in Africa
- Support to the implementation of the Paris Agreement commitments on Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs).
- Existence National Adaptation Plans (NAPs) and /or National Adaptation Frameworks of the HOA countries
- Support to the achievements to be made by countries on SDGs commitments

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