

TOPIC SESSION REPORT	Chair: Saskia Castelein (WHO/WSSCC/WSP/UNICEF) Lesha Witmer (WfWW).....	Reporter: Christophe Le Jallé (pS-Eau) and
<p>Theme 2: Advancing Human Development and the MDGs</p> <p>Thematic coordination group:</p>	<p>Thematic coordination lead:</p> <p>Organization: UN Water.....</p> <p>Name contact person: Pascuale Steduto.....</p> <p>e-mail:</p>	
<p>Topic 2.1: Ensuring water, sanitation and hygiene for all</p> <p>- ensuring adequate infrastructure</p> <p>- protecting public health in the short term</p> <p>Topic Main Question:</p> <p>How can everybody in the world have sustainable safe water and adequate sanitation and hygiene?</p> <p>Topic coordination group:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - WHO - UNICEF - WSP - WSSCC - pS-Eau / French coalition for water 	<p>Topic coordination lead:</p> <p>Organization: ... WHO/WSSCC/WSP/UNICEF/pS-Eau.....</p> <p>Name contact person: Piers Cross (to be confirmed)</p> <p>e-mail:</p>	
<p>Key Topic Issues:</p> <p>Consistent monitoring for progress on the MDGs</p> <p>Empowering stakeholders to community development</p> <p>Expediting access to water and sanitation</p> <p>Keeping sanitation high on the agenda</p>		

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<p>Title:</p> <p>Consistent monitoring for progress on the MDGs</p>	<p>Question :</p> <p>Where are we on the MDG target 10? (mapping of the situation and of the ODA)</p> <p>How to improve the MDG monitoring for WASH sector at international, national and local levels?</p> <p>Who should monitor ? What ? And Why?</p> <p>What are the obstacles to gather information?</p> <p>How to use monitoring to set up WASH national policies and as a tool to improve the service</p> <p>How new IT can help the monitoring system (eg GPS)?</p> <p>Check Regional sensitivity: high – medium - low</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Google / Nokia --> NWP - Natal govt - Local govt - donors - JMP / GTZ - Water integrity network - IBM <p>Check Balance Regions: OK – Not OK Equity: Gender – Youth – Ind. People</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Stockholm Water Week - Launch of the global corruption report 2008 focus on Water 	<p>Organizations:</p> <p>Name contact person:</p> <p>e-mail:</p> <p>TBC</p>

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<p>Title:</p> <p>Empowering stakeholders to community development</p>	<p>Question :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - What are proven strategies and approaches to effectively involve all local stakeholders, notably local communities / and users in the all process ? How do take into account the cultural aspects relating to technological choices? How can we strengthen Local Government for improving WASH service delivery? How facilitate stakeholders to be able to make informed choices? How to ensure that education, training & instruction are incorporated in projects? Demand driven approach vs supply led approach ? <p>Check Regional sensitivity: high – medium - low</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - LG associations - and all the local stakeholders - civil society organisations - training and capacity building institution / resource centres (SoK) - IFI <p>Check Balance Regions: OK – Not OK Equity: Gender – Youth – Ind. People</p>	TBC	<p>Organizations:</p> <p>Name contact person:</p> <p>e-mail:</p> <p>WWF JICA</p>

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<p>Title:</p> <p>Expediting access to water and sanitation</p>	<p>Question :</p> <p>What elements are required to go from project approach to sustainable services? What are the different approaches for scaling up?</p> <p>Role of capacity building to empower national local governments in their service delivery?</p> <p>How to transfer knowledge and experiences to local authorities and communities?</p> <p>How to improve partnership between operators?</p> <p>How can we involve local entrepreneurship?</p> <p>How financing institution (micro-finance / local banks) can contribute to empowering community development?</p> <p>How school sanitation and hygiene promotion can be tools to scaling up?</p> <p>Check Regional sensitivity: high – medium - low</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - "WSSCC scaling up thematic group" - finance institutions - operators / SSIP - medias - DWAF (South Africa) - SuSanA <p>Check Balance Regions: OK – Not OK Equity: Gender – Youth – Ind. People</p>	TBC	<p>Organizations:</p> <p>Name contact person:</p> <p>e-mail:</p> <p>IRC Center for community health research (India) ONEP (Morocco)</p>

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<p>Title:</p> <p>Keeping sanitation high on the agenda</p>	<p>Question :</p> <p>How do we convince politician and decision makers of the economic benefits of sanitation?</p> <p>What is the main requirements and obstacles to develop national sanitation policies?</p> <p>How to translate political commitments into concrete action?</p> <p>What are the main stakeholders to be targeted to promote sanitation?</p> <p>How do we promote sanitation to different stakeholders?</p> <p>What were the achievement and shortfalls of the IYS (International year of sanitation), and how can we build upon them now?</p> <p>Check Regional sensitivity: high – medium - low</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - IYS task force - Politicians (not only from sanitation sector) - Professional lobbyist / Media - SDC - BPD - Seine Normandie water basin Agency <p>Check Balance Regions: OK – Not OK Equity: Gender – Youth – Ind. People</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Africasan - Sanitation in periurban areas (IRC, Nov 08) - TICAD, Tokyo international conference on African development, meeting in Japan before the G8 	<p>Organizations:</p> <p>Name contact person:</p> <p>e-mail:</p> <p>JICA</p> <p>IYS task force</p> <p>Samir Bensaïd (WWC - Sanitation)</p> <p>Monitoring group of AWG</p> <p>French Coordination for Water (AESN)</p>