

# Questionnaire: Knowledge and skills on the Safe use wastewater in agriculture

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**Questionnaire**  
to support the  
**Individual's Capacity Needs Assessment**  
in the framework of the  
**Joint FAO/UNDP/UNESCO-IHE**  
**Capacity Development Project on**  
**Safe Use of Wastewater in Agriculture**  
**Phase I**

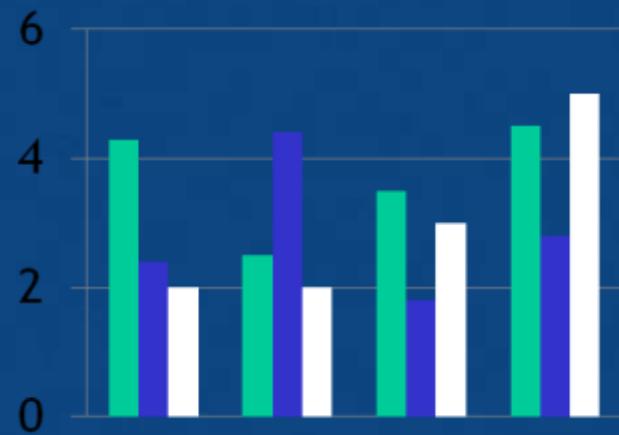
**General Objective of the Questionnaire**  
The Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO), the UN/World Decade for Descent and Capacity Development (UNW-DEC), and the United Nations University Institute for Water, Environment and Health (UNU-IWEH), in collaboration with non-governmental organizations, are compiling data on the existing knowledge and skills for the safe use of wastewater (including greywater) in agriculture.

The questionnaire is addressed to key institutions and organizations in developing countries or in countries in transition, with competencies on safe use of wastewater in agriculture. Your organization has been identified as one of these organizations. The aim of the questionnaire is to help in the identification and prioritization of the knowledge and skills on the safe use of wastewater in agriculture that individuals working in your organization may need.

## Why a Questionnaire

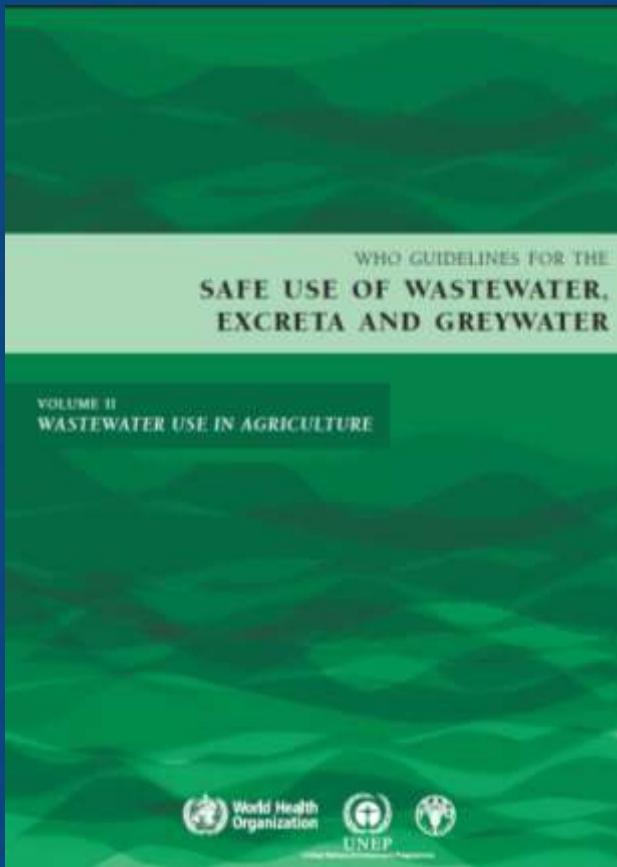
A good method to:

- Reach as many **organizations** in as many **countries** as possible
- Get **quantitative** information (data) to be analyzed.



# Questionnaire structure

## Guidelines 2006



- Health Risk Assessment and Health Based targets
- Health protection measures
  - Treatment
  - No-treatment
- Monitoring and system assessment

## Questionnaire structure

- Crop production aspects



- Environmental aspects



- Socio-cultural aspects



- Economic and financial considerations



- Policy aspects

## Types of questions

How are the current **knowledge** and **skills** of the pertinent staff in your organization in relation to...?

What is the **importance** of this subject for your organization?

Your Knowledge  
needs and  
priorities

UN knowledge  
products and  
methods



Gaps  
Assessment

# THANK YOU!

