



**Twenty third meeting of the Executive Committee of the Warsaw International Mechanism for Loss and
Damage associated with Climate Change Impacts**

30 September – 2 October 2025

Note by the technical expert group on comprehensive risk management for item 8

1. The table below sets out the second plan of action of the expert group on non-economic losses, for October 2025 – October 2027 (tbc), which identifies activities that will contribute to the implementation of workstream (c) of the five-year rolling workplan¹ of the WIM Executive Committee, related to comprehensive risk management, including by maximizing synergies among relevant stakeholders and processes.
2. The ExCom may wish to consider the proposed desired impacts, deliverables, details, leads, contributors and indicative timeframe contained in the table, and provide further guidance, if any, to the expert group with a view to finalizing the draft plan of action for endorsement by the ExCom.

¹ See document FCCC/SB/2022/2/Add.2, annex I.

Draft fourth rolling plan of action of the technical expert group on comprehensive risk management (October 2025 – October 2027 tbc)

The table below sets out the plan of action of the technical expert group on comprehensive risk management, covering October 2025 – October 2027 (tbc), which identifies the work of the technical expert group on comprehensive risk management that will contribute to the implementation of the work of the ExCom related to comprehensive risk management, including by maximizing synergies among relevant stakeholders and processes. In case not finalized, the details indicated with square brackets will be removed on the version to be presented for endorsement at ExCom 23, noting the placeholder for further deliverables (see the bottom of the table).

Desired impact (The impacts aimed to be achieved by developing the products/undertaking the activities)	Type A deliverables (Type A products (to be published with the WIM branding) that contribute to achieving the desired impacts)	Details (Focus of the deliverables)	Lead(s)	Contributors/ partners	Indicative time frame	Notes, and other related outputs (Types B, C products, if any)
Advancing knowledge and understanding of comprehensive risk management approaches to inform national responses to loss and damage	1. 'How-to' series of knowledge products (e-products, with option of printable version)	1.1 Integrating specific loss and damage considerations in national/sectoral policies, and in programming/project development, with attention to applicability of methods, tools, approaches, actions in specific contexts and according to different national capacities	MCII	IISD	(tbc)	Type C: CRM policy assessment tool (UNDRR) Type B: Supplementary CRM guidelines on application of climate information for planning (UNDRR)
		1.2 Methodological frameworks for assessing loss and damage (economic and non-economic) in: a) Agri-food systems b) Non-economic losses (shared with NEL EG)	a) FAO (tbc) b) UNDRR	a) David b) NELs expert group	a) 2025 - 2026 b) 2026	Methodological framework to assess ecosystem-related losses (shared with NEL EG) (UNEP, UNU-EHS, UNDRR) – Type B; Joint product with NEL EG (note: check correspondence of KP type against NELs PoA)
	2. Explainer	Continuum of actions between adaptation to climate change and responses to losses and damages	NRDC	IISD, WFP	2026 - 2027	Scientific paper with further details
Enhancing the accessibility of existing knowledge and information for	3. Policy briefs	3.1 Evidence-based insights into risk layering guidance ('rollover' activity 4 from the previous PoA) (tbc)	IIASA	UNDRR, MCII, David Stevens (tbc)	End 2025 (after COP)	Scientific paper on risk layering guidance (Type C – tbc)

effective dissemination		3.2 Social protection in the context of comprehensive risk management for preventing or responding to loss and damage ('rollover' activity 9 from the previous PoA).	IIASA	SOEs expert group	End 2025	Scientific paper on social protection (Type C – tbc)
4. 'Bite-size' communication materials	4.1 Outreach products presenting the knowledge products developed in the "How-to" series (Activity 1)	<i>Leads of the respective "How-to-Series" knowledge products</i>	a) UNEP, UNU-EHS b) David c) NELs expert group	a) 2025 -2026 b) (tbc) c) (tbc)		
				4.2 Knowledge products and guidance on early warning systems		
				UNDRR, WMO		
				2025-2027		
				Type C: Global status of early warning systems		
				UNDRR, WMO		
				2026		
				Type B: Child-centric early warning systems		
				WMO		
				2025-2027		
				Type C: Guidance on hydrometeorological information and observations		
				UNDRR, WMO		
				2025-2026		
				Type B: Dashboard on early warning systems		
Enhancing the uptake and application of technical guides and knowledge products developed under the WIM, focusing on comprehensive risk management	5. Capacity-building and awareness-raising activities to apply comprehensive risk management approaches (webinar, training courses, workshops, etc.)	5.1 Outreach and awareness-raising – webinars and other types of online/e-modalities, focusing on: a) 'How-to' series products developed in #1 above b) [Placeholder for specifying topics by experts interested in lead/co-lead]	a) Lead/co-leads of How-to series b) ...	[Santiago network member OBNEs; SPREP] (tbc)		
				2025 - 2027		

	5.2 Hands-on in-person, hybrid and online training courses and workshops on: a) <i>[Placeholder for specifying topics by experts interested in lead/co-lead]</i> b) ...	UNDRR	2026	Type B: CRM Thought leadership course 2.0
			2025-2026	Type C: Global report on CRM (UNDRR)
	5.3 Dissemination of knowledge products and other resources at the local, national, and regional level	UNDRR, UNDP, WMO	2025-2027	Type B: Tracking loss and damage data
		WMO	2025	Type C: Guidance for implementation of the WMO Catalogue of Hazardous Events
Placeholder for further deliverables pending the WIM Review outcomes from COP 30/CMA				