



Ministry of
Agriculture



**Tanzania Post-harvest Management Platform (TPMP)
The 2nd National Post-harvest Management Conference:
“Reducing post-harvest losses for enhanced food security and export trade”**

Date: 18th - 19th March 2020

Venue: MLT10 (New Lecturer Theatre) - Sokoine University of Agriculture.

TENTATIVE PROGRAM

Time	Agenda	Responsible
DAY ONE - 18th MARCH 2020		
0800-0830	Arrival and registration	SUA, TPMP & ANSAF
0830-0840	Welcoming	College of Agriculture - SUA TPMP Chairperson
0840-0845	General remarks	Felix Bachmann, Country Director, HELVETAS Tanzania
0845-0905	Key take away from implementation of the Grain Postharvest Loss Prevention Project (GPLP), Tanzania	Ms. Shamim Daudi, Deputy Team Leader GPLP, Dodoma
0905-0915	The Tanzania Post-Harvest Management Platform and Overview of the last PHM conference	TPMP-Secretary, Honest Mseri
0915-0925	Remarks	Embassy of Switzerland to Tanzania
0925-0935	Remarks	Vice chancellor SUA
0935-0045	Remarks	Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture.
0945-1015	Keynote speech and official opening	Guest of Honor Hon. Japhet Hasunga (MP) Minister for Agriculture
1015-1020	Vote of thanks	Mr. Audax Rukonge, Executive Secretary- Agricultural Non-State Actors (ANSAF)
1020-1100	Group photo & Health / Tea break	All

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1100-1120	Experiences and lessons learned on PHM business – Agro-dealers and metal silo artisans	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Simon Semgwen, Establishment and operation of Kilosa District Forum, Chairperson 2. Mariam Mbwambo, Agro-dealer from Kongwa 3. Angela Msangi, Agro-dealer from Mbulu
1120-1140	Government initiatives to reduce post-harvest losses, status and plans for national PHM strategy implementation	Dr. Honest Kessy, MoA
1140-1210	Panel discussion PHM, Food security and Industrialization (chairperson)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ms. Bertha Mjawa 2. Prof. Bendantunguka Tiisekwa, Sokoine University of Agriculture. 3. Clepin Josephat, Project Coordinator TANIPAC 4. Dr. Osman Mushtaq, University of Dar es Salaam. 5. Liston Njoroge, AGRA 6. Abel Lyimo, RUDI 7. Ms. Josephine Kaiza, BRiTEN
1200-1230	Discussions Exhibitions	Facilitator/all
1230-1430	Lunch and exhibitions	All
Parallel Session – Two rooms (Lecture Room 8 and Lecture Room 9)		
	Venue: MLT 09 Chairperson: Dr. Mushtaq Osman Rapporteur: (Theme 1 & 2)	Venue: MLT 10 Chairperson: Prof Valerian Silayo Rapporteur: (Theme 3&4)
1400-1415	Paper 1: Good pre- and post-harvest practices to fight against aflatoxin and fumonisin contamination in Tanzania By: *Richard, Raphael Madege, Analice Kamala, Martin Kimanya, Bentantuka Tiisekwa, Bruno De Meulenaer, and Geert Haesaert	Paper 2: Performance of Low-Cost Postharvest Handling Technologies on Quality of Tomato (<i>Solanum lycopersicum</i>) Fruits Harvested at Three Maturity Stages By: *Ramadhani O. Majubwa, Theodosy J. Msogoya and Hosea D. Mtui
1415-1430	Discussions	

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1430-1445	Paper 3: Piloting rapid loss appraisal tool for assessment of postharvest losses in smallholder maize and sunflower producing areas in Tanzania By: *Nicholaus M. Kuboja, Nathaniel Mtunji, Zira Mavunganidze, and Mariam Mtunguja	Paper 4: Parboiling: an innovative technology of minimizing nutrient and postharvest losses? By: Theodos Msogoya and *Theresia Jumbe
1445-1500	Discussions	
1500-1515	Paper 5: Awareness, Handling and Storage Factors associated with Aflatoxin Contamination in spices marketed in Dar es Salaam, Tanzania. By: *Sambwe Fundikira. M. Kimanya, Sarah DE SAEGER and J. K Mugula	Paper 6: Factors influencing use of improved postharvest storage technologies among small scale maize farmers: A case of Kilolo district, Tanzania By: Twilumba Joseph Kadeha, Athman Kyaruzi Ahmad, *Gosbert Lukenku Shausi
1515-1530	Discussions	
1530-1545	Paper 7: Climate change and its impact on food security and mycotoxins contamination in tropical countries By: *Suleiman Rashid, and Jamal Kussaga	Paper 8: Assessment of harvesting and post-harvest handling practices on organically grown cloves and black pepper in Tawa Ward, Morogoro By: *Beatha T. Mkojera and Bernard Chove
1545-1600	Discussions	
1600-1615	Paper 9: Are the post-harvest losses of Nile perch value chain in Lake Victoria in Tanzania a driver of using pesticides for fish storage By: *Wenaty, A., Mdegela, R. and Chove, B	Paper 10: The potential of greenhouse drying in reducing postharvest losses and improve product quality of sun-dried sardines (<i>Rastrineobola argentea</i>) from Lake Victoria, Tanzania. By: *Davis Chaula, Henry Laswai, Bernard Chove, and Robinson Mdegela
1615-1630	Discussions	
DAY TWO - 19th MARCH 2017		
0800-0815	Arrival and registration Exhibitions	SUA, TPMP & ANSAF
0815-0830	Recap	- Lead facilitator
0830-0900	Feedback from Break away sessions	Group chairs and the lead facilitator
0900-0930	The use of Hermetic Bags for on-farm storage solution for grains and pulses against pests: Adoption experience and challenges in Tanzania	Ladislaus Ngigo, PPTL and Shine Yudathadey, A to Z

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0930-1000	An economic assessment of government incentives needed to promote wide scale utilization and local manufacture of hermetic storage technologies.	AGRA/ANSAF
1000-1030	Plenary discussion	Lead facilitator
1030-1100	Healthy/Tea break	All
1100-1130	Biological Control of Aflatoxin and good Post-Harvest Management.	Shine Yudathadey Leon, National Sales and Marketing Manager for AgroZ Products at A to Z Textile
1100-1130	Aflatoxin problem and its socio-economic impacts	Clepin Josephat, Principle Chemist and Project Coordinator TANIPAC/Ministry of Agriculture
1130-1200	Plenary Discussion	- Lead facilitator/all
1200-1230	Nexus between Food safety, post-harvest management and export trade.	TANTRADE
1230-1300	Reaction from RCT, EAGC and TAHA and plenary discussion	TAHA, RCT, EAGC and lead facilitator
1300-1400	Lunch	All
1400-1430	Synthesis of the way forward/action	Lead facilitator
1430-1500	Take home message	TPMP chairperson
1500-1530	Closing	Vice Chancellor SUA

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