



**SMM basin consultative workshop
SMM Investment Strategy and Institutional Framework,
January 25th-26th 2018, Entebbe, Uganda**

Intended outputs for DAY 2:

- An agreed set of principles, pillars and project prioritisation criteria to be proposed at the 2nd SMM Stakeholders' workshop (core elements of the Draft Basin Investment Framework)
- An agreed long list of investment projects for further stakeholder-inclusive prioritisation work
- Agreed elements of the draft roadmap for the development of a full Basin Investment Strategy to be further discussed at the 2nd SMM Stakeholder's workshop

Intended outputs for DAY 3:

- An agreed set of functions for the future institutional mechanism to be proposed at the 2nd SMM Stakeholders' workshop
- An agreed assessment of the extent to which the current options for the future institutional mechanism would be able to carry out the required functions

Day 1 – Wednesday January 24th 2018	
	Participants travel and check in at hotels in Entebbe in the evening
Day 2 – Thursday 25th January 2018	
8:00-8:30	Participants' Registration
8:30-9:00	<p>Session 1. Workshop opening <i>Chair: IGAD Secretariat</i></p> <p>Welcoming remarks by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SMM Riparian States Representatives – Gladys, Kenya and Callist, Uganda • IGAD Secretariat – Fred Mwangi • International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN) – Isabelle Fauconnier • United Nations Economic Commission for Europe (UNECE) – Chantal Demilecamps <p>Round of introductions Workshop objectives and agenda – Fred/John</p>
9:00-10:00	<p>Session 2A. Introduction to the SMM Basin Investment Strategy Process <i>Chair: TAC Kenya</i> <i>Introduction and facilitation: Roberto</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation (20 minutes) <p>[The introductory presentation will touch upon the following issues:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The 2008 SMM investment and development strategy ○ Conclusions from the 2017 SMM Basin Stakeholders Workshop ○ Need for a Roadmap for Developing a Basin Investment Strategy ○ Agreeing a Basin Investment Framework as a First Step for the Development of a Full Basin Investment Strategy ○ Implications of the Investment Framework discussions for the Institutional Framework <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moderated discussion (20 minutes) • Conclusions (5 minutes)
10:00-11:00	<p>Session 2B. Mapping of projects and their benefits <i>Chair: TAC Kenya</i> <i>Introduction and facilitation: Simon</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation (20 minutes) -- the SMM updated full list of investment projects and their benefits • Plenary discussion (35 minutes)

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conclusions (5 minutes)
11:00-11:30	Coffee break
11:30-13:00	<p>Session 2C. Contents of a Basin Investment Framework for the SMM <i>Chair: TAC Uganda</i> <i>Introduction and facilitation: Roberto</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation (25 minutes) <p>[The presentation will touch upon the following issues:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Institutional and policy context ○ Goal ○ Principles ○ Strategic pillars ○ Criteria for selecting projects] • Moderated discussion (50 minutes) • Conclusions (5 minutes)
13:00-14:00	Lunch break
14:00-15:30	<p>Session 2D. Analysis and prioritization of mapped projects <i>Chair: TAC Uganda</i> <i>Introduction and facilitation: Simon</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to group work (5 minutes) [groups will mix countries] • Group work on the establishment of a long list of 8-10 priority investment projects (60 minutes) • Presentation on group work on prioritized investment projects (20 minutes) • Plenary discussion and finalization of proposed long list of 8-10 projects (60 minutes) • Conclusions (5 minutes)
15:30-16:00	Coffee break
16:00-17:00	<p>Session 2 D continued</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation on group work on prioritized investment projects (20 minutes) • Plenary discussion and finalization of proposed long list of 8-10 projects (60 minutes)
	<i>End of Day 1</i>

Day 3– Friday 26th January 2018	
8.30-9.15	<p>Session 3A. Background to the future SMM Institutional Framework for Transboundary Cooperation <i>Chair: TAC Kenya</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to the session (5 min) - Isabelle • Roundtable presentations on the following issues (30 min) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Conclusions of past studies about a future institutional mechanism for the SMM (5 mins) Fred - Functioning of the PMU and current scope of the MoU between Kenya and Uganda (5 mins) Cosmus - Update on the NELSAP handover process (5 min) – Tola - Roles of transboundary institutional mechanisms around the world (5 min) – Chantal - Current institutional frameworks for the basin in Kenya (5 min) – Kenya representative - Current institutional framework for the basin in Uganda (5 min) – Uganda representative • Q&A (10 min)
9:15-10:15	<p>Session 3B. Defining the future SMM Institutional Mechanism <i>Chair: TAC Uganda</i> <i>Introduction and facilitation: Isabelle</i></p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to the session (15 min) Bridging multi-level national governance processes in transboundary contexts • Group work (45 min): What mechanisms to align multi-level institutional processes for transboundary cooperation? How can we ensure that the SMM institutional mechanism is for transboundary cooperation is stakeholder inclusive and operates across all of the appropriate levels of governance?
10:15-10:45	Coffee break
10:45-12:00	Session 3B (cont.) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Group presentations (10 min) • Moderated discussion (45 min): What type of institutional mechanism for transboundary cooperation is required in the SMM basin? What steps should be followed to put it in place? • Conclusions (5 min)
12:00-13:00	Session 2E. Towards a Roadmap for the Development of the SMM Basin Investment Strategy <i>Chair: TAC Uganda</i> <i>Introduction and facilitation: Roberto</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation (15 minutes) <p>[The introductory presentation will touch upon the following issues:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Shape of the Basin Investment Strategy: Investment Framework and Investment Plan - Key steps - Stakeholders to be involved - Implementation in light of institutional arrangements in the short, medium and longer term - Timing - Funding issues] • Plenary discussion (40 minutes) • Conclusions (5 minutes)
13:00-13:30	Session 4. Meeting conclusions, recommendations for the 2nd SMM stakeholders workshop, and closing remarks <i>Chair: IGAD Secretariat</i> Synthesis: Isabelle/Fred <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - TAC Uganda - TAC Kenya - IUCN - UNECE
12:30-14:30	Lunch
	<i>End of meeting</i>