



**A Regional / Community Approach to
Conservation and Development
Interventions at the Livestock /
Wildlife Interface**

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Approximately 50% of land
degradation in Africa are from
overgrazing

24% are from activities related to
crop production



AU-IBAR is the FOCAL POINT for UNCCD's
Thematic Programme Network 3

*"Rational use of Rangelands and
Development of Fodder Crops"*



Livestock-Wildlife Interface

An expansive area comprising the
major rangelands (pastoralism)

At very high risk of land degradation



Key Focus areas/activities under TPN3

- sustainable biodiversity
- environmental conservation
- livestock/wildlife conflicts
- land degradation



CURRENT PROPOSAL

Dryland Livestock Wildlife Environment Interface Project

Location: Kenya - Ewaso Nyiro Basin

Burkina Faso - Arly SE



Main Goals

To develop models and approaches to stabilize livestock/wildlife populations

To enhance capacity for management at the livestock-wildlife interface



Objectives:

- Development of a replicable model for management at the livestock-wildlife interface
- Training and awareness creation of national focal points and institutions on management at the interface



Objectives:

Compiling of database for the model from available information from other studies and pilot activities set up by the project

Capacity enhanced for dissemination of the livestock-wildlife model through the TPN3 network in Africa



Activities

Identify and follow-up on areas with improved land use and minimal land degradation

Generate a database on water distribution, use and water-use conflicts in wet-dry ecosystems- assessment of up/down stream issues on shared river basins



Activities

Establish a database on the status of non-sustainable wildlife and natural resource utilization

Through TPN3 framework empower the local communities to use their natural resources sustainably



Activities

To evaluate utilization of grazing resources around concentration zones in dry season areas

Measures to control bush meat trade by improving policies

Through the TPN3 framework disseminate need for and advocate for participatory development



Outputs

- A replicable model for the management of the interface produced
- Database on success stories on the management of the interface
- Enhanced capacity for African Focal Points in management of the interface



Outputs

Improved land use and land degradation minimised

Pastoral livelihoods improved

Sustainable utilisation of livestock and wildlife resources



Collaborating Institutions

UNEP

ILRI

IUCN

WWF

TERRA NUOVA

Wildlife Departments

Livestock Departments

Local Communities

NGOs

ETC