



WORKSHOP

Save Water Reuse Water: The ACCBAT Strategic Project

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In 1993, the United Nations General Assembly declared March 22, World Water Day in order to increase knowledge and awareness on issues related to water and the importance of the sustainable management of water resources. Each year, the Day is celebrated with local, national and international initiatives on specific aspects on water.

Since many countries bordering the Mediterranean Basin are in a state of physical water scarcity, it is extremely important to strengthen the discussion and cooperation among different stakeholders for the promotion of an increased water use efficiency the in Mediterranean.

Thus, to this end, the Conference will gather institutional representatives and experts from Ministries of Agriculture and Environment of Italy, Jordan, Lebanon and Tunisia, European and Italian Institutions representatives and entities working in the water management sector.

It will also be presented an example of international cooperation on water management: The ACCBAT Strategic Project, funded by the EU under the ENPI CBC Med Programme. It is conceived to respond to an improved water demand management and ensure water needs of the agricultural sector through the increase of water-use efficiency and use of treated wastewater. Pilot actions, reinforcement of capacity building and training will be the key activities to achieve this objective.



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