

## AGENDA

### Mission to Ecuador Agenda: Building a Pilot National EW-MFA

**November 11<sup>th</sup> -15<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

**Location:** Quito (Ecuador)

Day 1	Monday, November 11, 2024
8:30 – 9:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Participants register</li> </ul>
9:00 – 9:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Welcome to all institutions by Nathalie Aguirre (UTPL), Holger Zambrano (MAATE) and Javier Neme (UNEP)</li> </ul>
09:45 – 10:05	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mission overview presented by Mónica Luz (UNEP's consultant)</li> </ul>
10:05 – 10:25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Presentation by Jaqueline Guevara (MAATE) and Paloma Paredes (INEC) on the current status of environment statistics and environmental accounting in Ecuador</li> </ul>
10:25 – 10:40	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Coffee break</li> </ul>
10:40 – 11:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Presentation on EW-MFA framework, methodological tools and data requirements by Mónica Luz</li> </ul>
10:00 – 11:40	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Working groups on data providers and sources identification. Identification of existing data gaps</li> </ul>
11:40 – 12:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Closing workshop by Holger Zambrano (MAATE), David Salazar (INEC) and Javier Neme (UNEP)</li> </ul>
12:00 – 14:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lunch break</li> </ul>
14:00 – 16:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><u>Session 1</u>: Collaborative work with the Environmental Information and Education Direction team from the MAATE. Discussion about workshop outputs, including potential data providers and data sources</li> </ul>
16:00 – 16:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wrap-up &amp; review of the day's progress</li> </ul>

**Location:** Technical University of Loja (Av. 6 de Diciembre N31-50, Quito 170517).

<b>Day 2</b>	<b>Tuesday, November 12, 2024</b>
10:30 - 12:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Session 2</u>: Analysis of available data provided by MAATE</li> </ul>
12:00 - 14:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lunch break</li> </ul>
14:00 - 19:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Presentation of the report “GEO 2024” by the MAATE</li> </ul>

**Location:** Cultural Center Pedro Vicente Maldonado (El Dorado, Quito 170517)

<b>Day 3</b>	<b>Wednesday, November 13, 2024</b>
09:00 - 10:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Session 3</u>: Meeting with the Ministry of Energy and Mines (Environmental Monitoring Direction). Presentation of the EW-MFA and discussion about data availability and additional data sources.</li> </ul>
10:00 - 10:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Coffee break</li> </ul>
10:15 - 12:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Session 4</u>: Meeting with the Ministry of Environment, Water and Ecological Transition (Forestry Direction) and the Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock (Forestry Production Sub-Secretary). Presentation of the EW-MFA and discussion about data availability and additional data sources</li> </ul>
12:30 - 14:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lunch break</li> </ul>
14:30 - 16:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Session 5</u>: Meeting with the Central Bank of Ecuador: Sub-Management Office of Short-Term Statistics (STS) and National Accounts and Sub-Management Office of Statistics Information. Presentation of the EW-MFA and discussion about data availability and additional data sources</li> </ul>
16:00 - 16:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wrap-up &amp; review of the day’s progress</li> </ul>

**Location:** Ministry of Environment, Water and Ecological Transition (Av. Toledo N22-286, Quito 170517).

<b>Day 4</b>	<b>Thursday, November 14, 2024</b>
09:00 - 10:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Session 6</u>: Meeting with the Ministry of Environment, Water and Ecological Transition: Solid Waste Management and Inclusive Circular Economy Project and the Association of Equatorian Municipalities (AME). Presentation of the EW-MFA and discussion about data availability and additional data sources.</li> </ul>

10:00 - 11:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Session 7</u>: Meeting with the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO). Presentation of the EW-MFA and discussion about data availability and additional data sources.</li> </ul>
11:00-12:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Session 8</u>: Meeting with Ministry of Environment, Water and Ecological Transition (Climate Change Sub-Secretary) and the Geological and Energy Research Institute (Innovation Sub-Secretary). Presentation of the EW-MFA and discussion about data availability and additional data sources.</li> </ul>
12:00 – 13:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Session 9</u>: Meeting with the National Statistics and Census Institute (Agricultural Statistics Direction). Discussion about data availability and additional data sources.</li> </ul>
13:30 – 14:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lunch break</li> </ul>
14:30 - 16:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Session 10</u>: Meeting with the Agency of Water Regulation and Control (Drinking Water Direction). Presentation of the EW-MFA and discussion about data availability and additional data sources.</li> </ul>
16:00 - 16:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wrap-up &amp; review of the day's progress.</li> </ul>

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<b>Day 5</b>	<b>Friday, November 15, 2024</b>
09:00 - 10:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Session 11</u>: Meeting with the Ministry of Agriculture Livestock (General Coordination Office of National Information). Presentation of the EW-MFA and discussion about available data at the Ministry of Agriculture</li> </ul>
10:30 - 10:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Coffee break</li> </ul>
10:30 – 12:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Session 12</u>: Collaborative work with NSA team about data availability</li> </ul>
12:00 - 14:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lunch break</li> </ul>
14:00 - 15:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Final discussion, feedback session and preparation for debriefing</li> </ul>
15:00 - 16:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Debriefing - Presentation of mission findings, recommendations and work plan by Mónica Luz to the MAATE Environmental Information and Education Director</li> </ul>

**Location:** Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock (Av. Rio Amazonas, Quito 170517) and Ministry of Environment, Water and Ecological Transition (Av. Toledo N22-286, Quito 170517).