


March 2011

	منظمة الأغذية والزراعة للأمم المتحدة	联合国 粮食及 农业组织	Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations	Organisation des Nations Unies pour l'alimentation et l'agriculture	Продовольствен ная и сельскохозяйств енная организация Объединенных Наций	Organización de las Naciones Unidas para la Agricultura y la Alimentación
---	--	--------------------	---	---	---	--

## COUNCIL

### Hundred and Forty-first Session

Rome, 11-15 April 2011

### Calendar of FAO Governing Bodies and Other Main Sessions 2011-2013

1. As requested by the Council at its Sixty-sixth Session (June 1975), a schedule of Governing Bodies sessions for the following biennium is submitted for approval, and reviewed at subsequent sessions of the Council as required. The Secretariats of FAO, IFAD and WFP, in an endeavour to harmonize the sessions of the respective Governing Bodies which require the participation of Permanent Representatives in Rome, jointly prepare this calendar of main sessions.
2. A Revised Calendar of FAO Governing Bodies and other Main Sessions for 2011 is given in Annex A for information. Changes from Appendix I to the Final Report of the Hundred and Fortieth Session of the Council (29 November -3 December 2010) are marked with an asterisk.
3. The Provisional Calendar for 2012-13 is set out in Annex B. At the time of compilation of this document data was not available on the dates of sessions of the IFAD Audit and Evaluation Committees for 2012-13.
4. The Council at its Hundred and Forty-second Session (4-5 July 2011) will be requested to approve formally the Provisional Calendar for 2012 and take note of the proposed Calendar for 2013.

## ANNEX A

## Provisional Calendar of FAO/IFAD/WFP Governing Bodies and Other Main Sessions 2011

		2011		
<b>JANUARY</b>	<b>29 COFI</b>	<b>31/01-04/02</b>		
<b>FEBRUARY</b>	<b>105 PC*</b> <b>136 FC*</b> <b>137 FC*</b> WFP IFAD/GC * IFAD/IX(1)*	<b>8-9</b> <b>8-9</b> <b>10-11</b> 14-18 19-20 21		
<b>MARCH</b>	66 IFAD/EC* <b>92 CCLM</b> <b>138 FC</b> <b>106 PC</b>	3 <b>7-9</b> <b>21-25</b> <b>21-25</b>		
<b>APRIL</b>	<b>141 CL</b> 67 IFAD/EC*	<b>11-15</b> 18 19-20		
<b>MAY</b>	118 IFAD/AC* IFAD/EB* <b>107 PC*</b> <b>139 FC*</b>	3 9-13 <b>16-17</b> <b>30-31</b>		
<b>JUNE</b>	WFP IFAD/ IX(2)* 68 IFAD/EC* 119 IFAD/AC* <b>37 C</b>	6-10 13-14 16 20 <b>25/06-02/07</b>		
<b>JULY</b>	<b>142 CL</b> <b>34 CODEX*</b> 69 IFAD/ EC	<b>4-5</b> <b>4-9 (Geneva)</b> <b>12-13</b>		
<b>AUGUST</b>				
<b>SEPTEMBER</b>	120 IFAD/AC* IFAD/EB* UNGA <b>93 CCLM</b>	8 12-16 13 <b>21-23</b>		
<b>OCTOBER</b>	70 IFAD/EC* <b>140 FC</b> <b>108 PC</b> WFD <b>37 CFS</b> IFAD/ IX(3)*	7 <b>10-14</b> <b>10-14</b> 17 (Monday) <b>18-22</b> 24-25		
<b>NOVEMBER</b>	WFP 121 IFAD/AC* <b>143 CL</b>	14-17 18 <b>21-25</b>		
<b>DECEMBER</b>	71 IFAD/EC* IFAD/EB* IFAD IX(4)*	2 12-14 15-16		

Easter: 24 April 2011  
 Ramadan: 1-30 August 2011  
 Eid Al-Fitr: 30 August 2011  
 Eid Al-Adha: 6 November 2011

APRC	Regional Conference for Asia and the Pacific	FC	Finance Committee
ARC	Regional Conference for Africa	IFAD/AC	IFAD Audit Committee
C	Conference	IFAD/EC	IFAD Evaluation Committee
CCLM	Committee on Constitutional and Legal Matters	IFAD/EB	IFAD Executive Board
CCP	Committee on Commodity Problems	IFAD/GC	IFAD Governing Council
CFS	Committee on World Food Security	IFAD/IX	IFAD IX Replenishment Session
CL	Council	LARC	Regional Conference for Latin America and the Caribbean
COAG	Committee on Agriculture	NERC	Regional Conference for the Near East
CODEX	Codex Alimentarius Commission	PC	Programme Committee
COFI	Committee on Fisheries	UNGA	United Nations General Assembly (Opening)
COFO	Committee on Forestry	WFD	World Food Day
ERC	Regional Conference for Europe	WFP	World Food Programme Executive Board

\* Change compared to Calendar submitted to the previous Council session

## ANNEX B

### Provisional Calendar of FAO/IFAD/WFP Governing Bodies and other Main Sessions 2012-2013

		2012		2013
<b>JANUARY</b>	<b>27 ARC</b>	<b>30/01-3/02</b>		
<b>FEBRUARY</b>	WFP IFAD/GC <b>31 NERC</b>	13-17 20-24 <b>26/02-01/03</b>	IFAD/GC WFP <b>96 CCLM</b>	11-15 18-22 <b>25-27</b>
<b>MARCH</b>	<b>31 APRC</b> <b>94 CCLM</b> <b>32 LARC</b>	<b>12-16</b> <b>19-21</b> <b>26-30</b>	<b>143 FC</b> <b>111 PC</b>	<b>18-22</b> <b>18-22</b>
<b>APRIL</b>	IFAD/EB <b>28 ERC</b>	9-13 <b>16-20</b>	IFAD/EB <b>146 CL</b>	8-12 <b>22-26</b>
<b>MAY</b>	<b>141 FC</b> <b>109 PC</b> <b>69 CCP</b> <b>23 COAG</b>	<b>7-11</b> <b>7-11</b> <b>21-23</b> <b>23-26</b>		
<b>JUNE</b>	WFP <b>144 CL</b>	4-8 <b>11-15</b>	WFP <b>38 C</b> <b>147 CL</b>	3-7 <b>15-22</b> <b>24-25</b>
<b>JULY</b>	<b>35 CODEX</b> <b>30 COFI</b>	<b>2-7 (Rome)</b> <b>9-13</b>	<b>36 CODEX</b>	<b>1-6 (Geneva)</b>
<b>AUGUST</b>				
<b>SEPTEMBER</b>	<b>95 CCLM</b> IFAD/EB UNGA <b>21 COFO*</b>	<b>10-12</b> 10-14 18 24-28	UNGA IFAD/EB <b>97 CCLM</b>	17 16-20 <b>23-25</b>
<b>OCTOBER</b>	<b>142 FC*</b> <b>110 PC*</b> <b>38 CFS</b> <b>WFD</b>	<b>8-12</b> <b>8-12</b> <b>15-20</b> <b>16 (Tuesday)</b>	<b>WFD</b> <b>39 CFS</b> <b>144 FC</b> <b>112 PC</b>	<b>16 (Wednesday)</b> <b>14-19</b> <b>21-25</b> <b>21-25</b>
<b>NOVEMBER</b>	WFP <b>145 CL</b>	5-9 <b>26-30</b>	WFP <b>148 CL</b>	4-8 <b>25-29</b>
<b>DECEMBER</b>	IFAD/EB	10-14	IFAD/EB	9-13

Easter: 8 April 2012  
 Ramadan: 20 July – 18 Aug. 2012  
 Eid Al-Fitr: 19 August 2012  
 Eid Al-Adha: 26 October 2012

Easter: 31 March 2013  
 Ramadan: 9 July – 7 August 2013  
 Eid Al-Fitr: 8 August 2013  
 Eid Al-Adha: 15 October 2013

APRC	Regional Conference for Asia and the Pacific	FC	Finance Committee
ARC	Regional Conference for Africa	IFAD/A	IFAD Audit Committee
C	Conference	C	
CCLM	Committee on Constitutional and Legal Matters	IFAD/EC	IFAD Evaluation Committee
CCP	Committee on Commodity Problems	IFAD/EB	IFAD Executive Board
CFS	Committee on World Food Security	IFAD/G	IFAD Governing Council
CL	Council	C	
COAG	Committee on Agriculture	IFAD/IX	IFAD IX Replenishment Session
CODEX	Codex Alimentarius Commission	LARC	Regional Conference for Latin America and the Caribbean
COFI	Committee on Fisheries	NERC	Regional Conference for the Near East
COFO	Committee on Forestry	PC	Programme Committee
ERC	Regional Conference for Europe	UNGA	United Nations General Assembly (Opening)
		WFD	World Food Day
		WFP	World Food Programme Executive Board

\* Change compared to Calendar submitted to the previous Council session