
Final Workshop of the project Minamata Initial Assessment (MIA)



Background

The project “Strengthen National Decision Making Towards Ratification of the Minamata Convention and Build Capacity Towards Implementation of Future Provisions” is an initiative funded by the Global Environment Facility (GEF); with the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) as GEF Agency and the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR) executing activities; working in close collaboration with the relevant entities at the country level.

Project objective

Undertake a Minamata Initial Assessment (MIA) to enable the Governments of the People’s Republic of Bangladesh, the Republic of Guinea-Bissau, the Islamic Republic of Mauritania, the Republic of Mozambique, and, the Independent State of Samoa, to determine the national requirements and needs for the ratification of the Minamata Convention on Mercury (the Convention) and to establish a national foundation to undertake future work towards the implementation of the Convention.

Objectives of the Final Workshop

- Reviewing and sharing the results of the MIA project to measure the progress made and explore opportunities for its enhancement and implementation;

- Identify lessons learned and good practices that can be shared among participating countries;
- Provide technical training on areas that are still challenging in the MIA development process.

Workshop country representatives:

- Bangladesh
- Guinea-Bissau
- Mauritania
- Mozambique

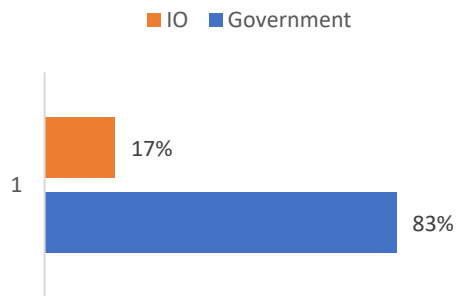
IO: UNDP, UNIDO

Total of participants: 12

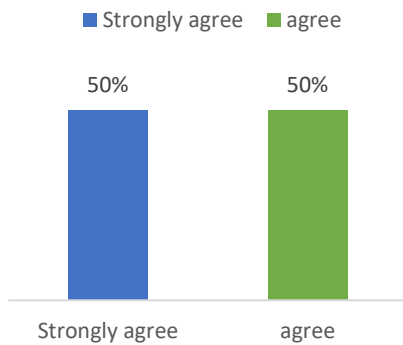


At a glance: Final Workshop Evaluation

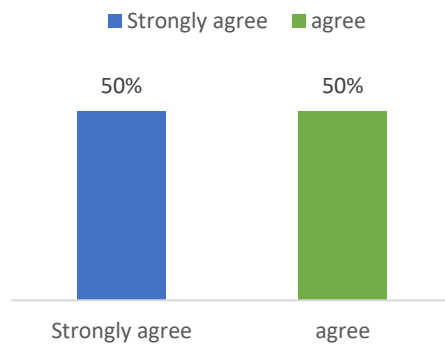
Participants work sector



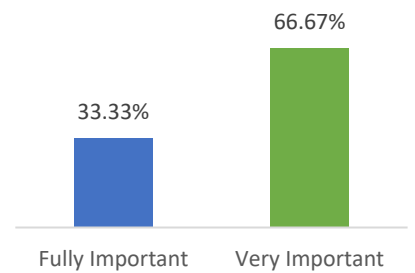
Overall the workshop was very useful



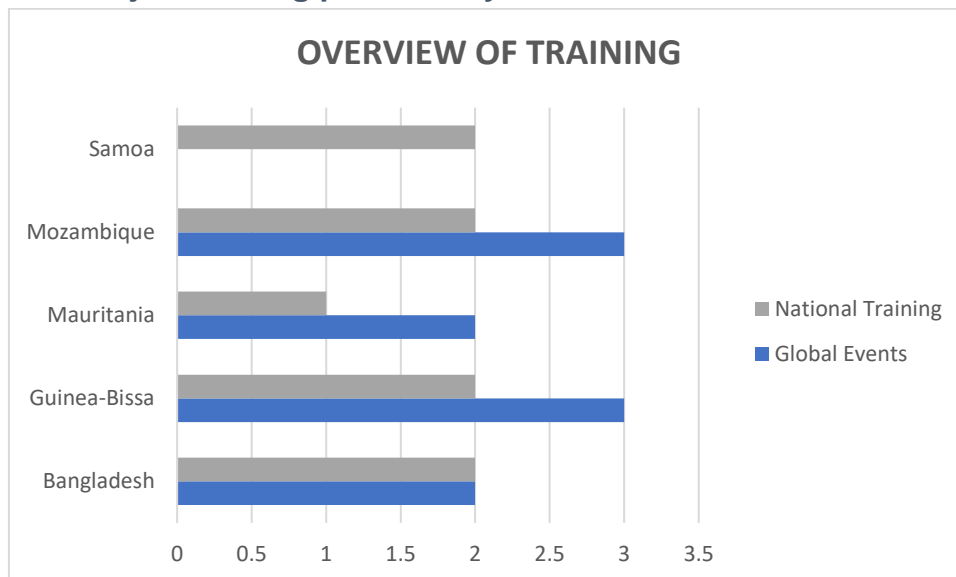
I will recommend this workshop to a colleague



How important are the knowledge/skills acquired in the event to your job success?



MIA Project training provided by UNITAR:





Total of stakeholders trained during the project: 180