



Botswana Vulnerability Assessment Committee

Introduction to Practitioner Training
Programme

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Main objective

- To produce a pool of trained personnel with the necessary field and analytical skills for carrying out Vulnerability Assessment and Forecast
- Train new people that would participate in this year food security monitoring and analysis.

Programme outline

- LBVA concepts i.e. food security concepts, vulnerability concepts, calorie calculations etc.
- Training on problem specifications, how to use secondary data (triangulation), compilation of field and secondary data
- Training on BVAC Analysis spreadsheet and software
- Last day: course evaluation forms, formation of teams and areas to visit

WHAT YOU WILL BE ABLE TO DO AT THE END OF THIS COURSE

Understand how to use scenario forecasts system
and do VA – both for field work and analysis of the
findings

Style of the course

- Mixture of lectures, practicals and discussion
- Relaxed style – questions and comments encouraged

Training plan

- Agenda has been circulated
- Times
 - 8.30am to 12:30 pm (except for the first day will start 10:00 am)
 - 1:30 pm to 5:00 pm
 - Two short refreshment breaks, lunches

All sessions will start punctually

Housekeeping

- Registration
- Support
 - Administrative
- Materials provided

Housekeeping

- Arrangements for lunch
- Location of toilets
- Cell phones?
- Lets be punctual

Summary

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- What you will be able to do at the end of it
- Style of the course
- Housekeeping