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## Platform for Agricultural Risk Management



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Dear Partners

We are pleased to share with you our latest news and results achieved in the last 3 months to promote Agricultural Risk Management (ARM) for sustainable agricultural growth, food security and improved livelihoods of small-scale farmers.

Enjoy your reading!

### OUR RESULTS



#### [A new market risk mitigation programme for the Government of Niger](#)

The **Platform for Agricultural Risk Management (PARM)**, through the **High Commission for 3N Initiative (HC3N)**, is supporting the **Government of Niger** in the development of a bankable investment programme to help mitigate market risks of agricultural commodities, increase resilience and adaptive capacity of small agricultural producers. (...)

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#### [COP27: Strengthening farmers' resilience through climate risk insurance - who pays and how?](#)

Climate risk insurance was spotlighted during a side-event hosted by **PARM/INSURED at the COP27 IFAD pavilion** in Sharm el-Sheikh on 17 November, Solutions Day. Experiences on premium financing and subsidies were shared from the work of INSURED and its partners.

[Relive the full session](#)



## [PARM and MINAE join efforts to strengthen local capacities in Madagascar](#)

In Madagascar, **PARM**, in close collaboration with the **Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock (MINAE)**, trained over 40 actors from universities, rural training centers, producers' organizations, financial institutions and government entities in ARM, on 24 November 2022.

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## [Agricultural Risk Management: FARM-D has launched a new Community of Practice](#)

The Forum for Agricultural Risk Management in Development (FARM-D), hosted by PARM, has officially launched its **new Community of Practice** on 1 December 2022: a global interactive space for **exchanges and peer-to-peer support on ARM**, that brings practitioners together to share knowledge and advocate best practices for ARM in developing countries. [SIGN UP TODAY!](#)



## [Agricultural risks and solutions - capacity development and institutionalization: IFAD staff introduced to the topic](#)

On 2 December, PARM hosted an **online training to introduce the concept of agricultural risk** to IFAD staff and discuss the tools that are available to tackle multiple risks - environmental risks, market risks, social risks, etc. in a holistic approach. The session also explored the institutionalization of ARM into university curricula and the practices of the private sector for a lasting impact.



## [INSURED panel at the International Conference on Inclusive Insurance 2022 in Jamaica](#)

On 26 October, **INSURED** participated in a panel within the [International Conference on Inclusive Insurance 2022](#) hosted by the Munich Re Foundation, a Microinsurance Network and the Insurance Association of Jamaica. The conference brought together over 400 experts from 50+ countries to discuss and identify ways of **accelerating growth and economic viability in inclusive insurance** for emerging markets.

## SPECIAL INSIGHT



## [PARM Art Challenge and Food Heroes Exhibition - After movie](#)

From 1 to 21 June 2022, PARM organized the exhibition "**FOOD HEROES: The heroes of food security and sustainable agriculture**" in the Botanical Garden of Cheick Anta Diop University (UCAD) of Senegal, as part of the Dakar Biennale DAK'ARTOFF 2022, one of the major contemporary African art exhibitions. The exhibition took place thanks to the collaboration with IFAD and the Ministry of Agriculture, Rural Equipment and Food Sovereignty (MAERSA) of Senegal.

## LATEST PUBLICATIONS



### [PARM Niger Factsheet](#)

A summary of the progress and results of PARM's process and activities in Niger. [*French version*]

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## LOOKING AHEAD...

2022 marked an important year for PARM: thanks to the support of our donors, we continued to deliver our demand-driven services to **assist governments in managing agricultural sector risks**. PARM maintained **policy dialogue** to pave the way for the PARM process in the target countries, strengthened the country engagements on ARM, providing **technical assistance, capacity development** and **knowledge management** support while bringing forward the ARM agenda at the global level. PARM also fostered **new partnerships** and provided ARM practitioners with an interactive space to learn and exchange on ARM, through the **new FARM-D Community of Practice**, among others achievements.

We look forward to new and even more ambitious results in 2023, to better manage risks and improve small-scale producers' livelihoods!



Happy  
New Year

2023



## Partner with us!

Partnerships are crucial to building the ARM agenda. Are you an active player in the agriculture sector and risk management? Come partner with us to **turn risks into opportunities** and move towards new horizons. Contact the [PARM Secretariat](#) to explore partnership opportunities.



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