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Drought Information System approved by EUROCLIMA +

Within the component "Reduction and Management of Disaster Risk: droughts and floods" of EUROCLIMA+ program financed by the European Community, the project named "Design and initial implementation of drought information system (monitoring, prediction, preparation and mitigation of impacts) for southern South America" – SISSA was selected to be financed.

Drought is the most damaging natural disaster and at the same time it is the most difficult to identify, monitor, analyze and manage. In the context of climate change the consequences of this phenomenon will be exacerbated since it is expected to increase the frequency and intensity of dry events.

SISSA project will provide useful information for decision-making like governments and non-governmental, public and private institutions, and will contribute to the design of public policies, planification and preparation actions aimed to mitigate damages, increasing resilience and reducing vulnerability against drought and natural disasters with the greatest economic impact. In the first three years, SISSA will focus on the study of drought impacts on three socioeconomic sectors: agricultural production, hydroelectric power generation and fluvial transport of goods and merchandise.

Project information:

<http://euroclimaplus.org/index.php/es/riesgo>

<http://euroclimaplus.org/index.php/es/proyectos-riesgo/item/472-sistema-de-informacion-sobre-sequias>



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