



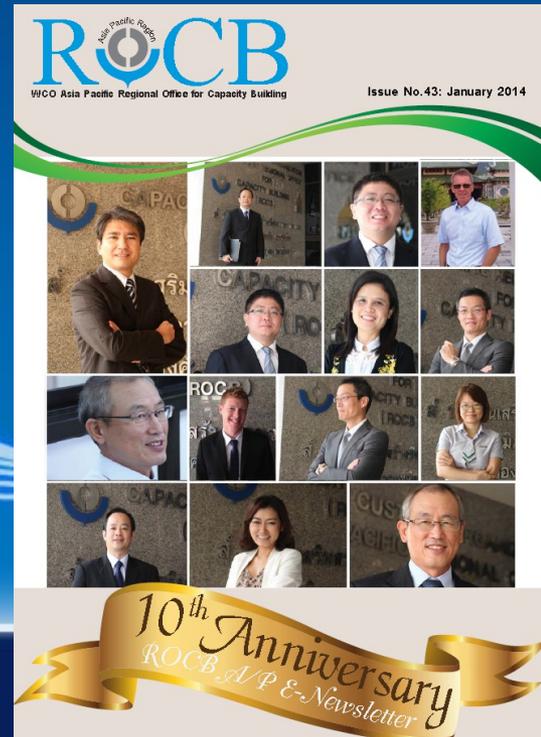
Capacity Building Program for the SCS

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Topics

1. A/P Regional CB Structures
2. CB Program for the SCS
3. “Food for thought” for the Further Improvement of A/P
Regional CB

1. A/P Regional Capacity Building(CB) Structures



WCO A/P Region (33 Members) as of May 2014



ROCB A/P

Established in Thailand in Sep. 2004

Better planning and delivery of CB in A/P region

Operated by members' voluntary contribution

8 full-time staff (CN, HK, JP(2), KR, TH(3)) (as of May 2014)

Work with WCO, VC, RTCs, Development Partners, RILO and Regional Members

- Widely recognized as “**Most successful ROCB of the world**”

ROCB A/P : Four Pillars

Mission

To assist building capacity of Members to realize efficient and effective Customs

**Implementation of
WCO Conventions,
Instruments and
Tools**

**Enhance
Collaboration with
Development
Partners**

**Improve CB Needs
Analysis, Delivery
and Management**

**Enhance
Communication &
Information Sharing**



A/P Regional CB Strategy in 2012/14 and beyond

- Enhanced Strategic Collaboration with DPs
- Multi-year Result-oriented Activities

e.g. Tailor-made national follow up based on findings

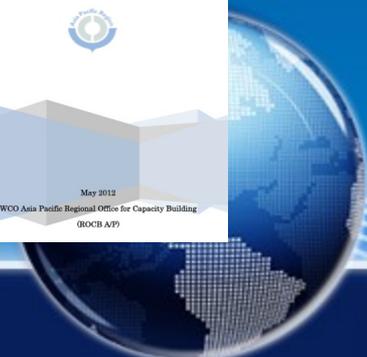
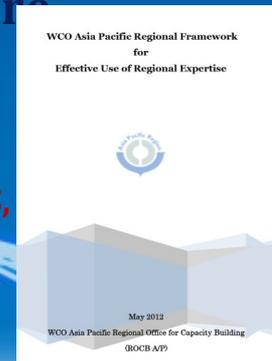


Strong Need and Ownership !

- Further Utilization of Regional/National Expertise for More Sustainable HRD

e.g. Pool of regional experts, Collaboration of ROCB-RTCs, Cing Train-the-Trainer WS,

Collaborative efforts with participants etc

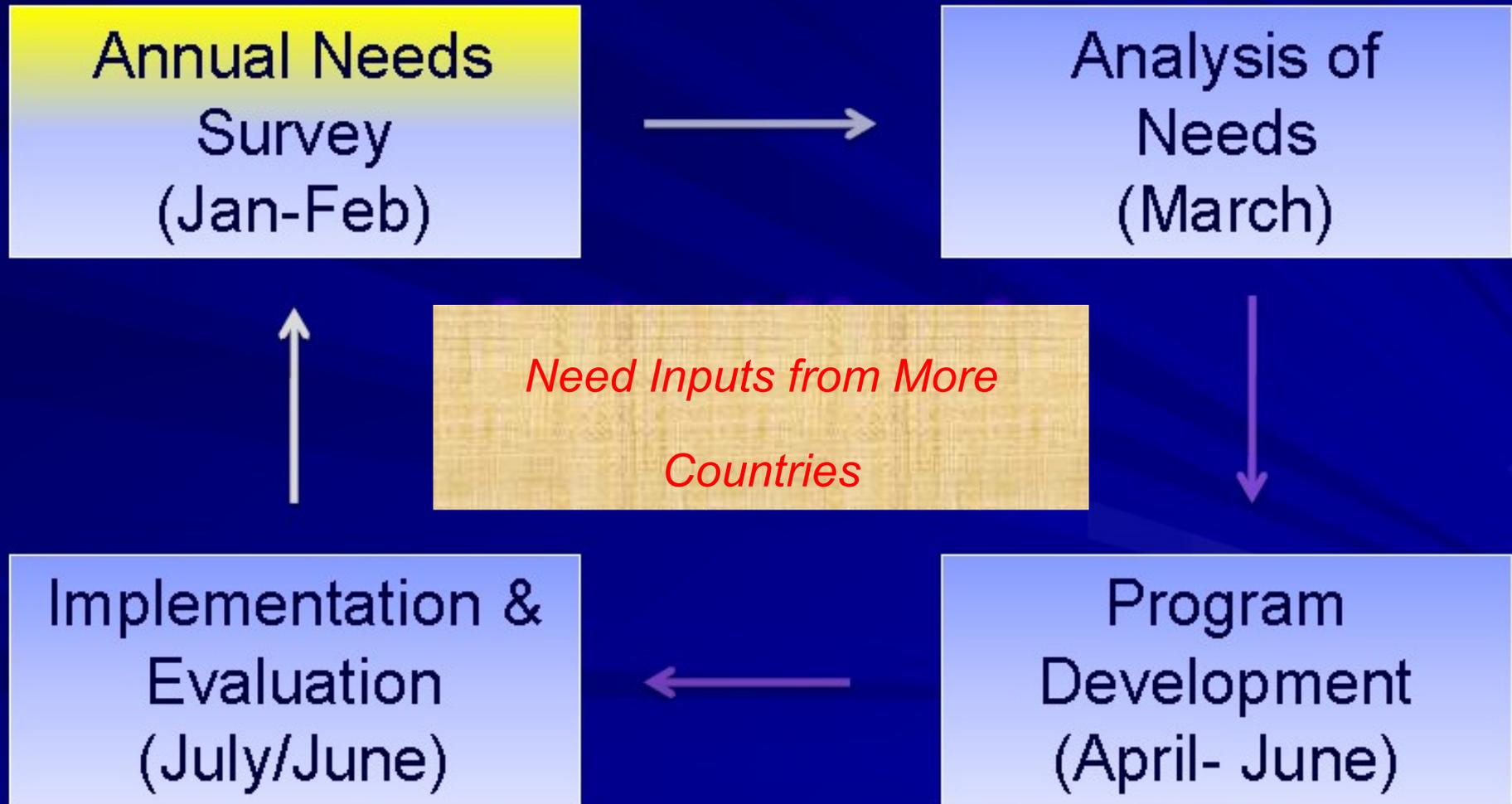


2. Capacity Building (CB) Program for the SCS



CB Planning in A/P

- Widely known as good practice of the world -



2014 – Needs Survey Findings

Needs Survey 2014

WTO ATF

PCA

AEO

Single Window

Risk Assessment

Human Resource

- ✓ Regional - National
- ✓ Accreditation of experts
- ✓ Collaboration with DPs



Multi-year SASEC TF Project

(Valuation and PCA)

1. Target Countries :

6 SA Countries

2. Objectives:

A: Improved valuation control via PCA

B: Pool of experts for Sustainable CB

Time	Place	Action (under ADB Fund)
Feb 2014	Sri Lanka	1 st Regional WS
~ Dec 2014	P	National Follow-up Missions/Workshops (Depending on each country's Action Plan (except for Maldives and Sri Lanka)
Late 2014	Maldives	2 nd Regional WS
2015 ~ 2017	P	2 nd ~ National WS & Monitoring

"Joint Coordinated Project with ADB !"



3. “Food for Thought”

for the Further Improvement of
Regional Capacity Building



Key for the success

“3Ps !”



Important Role of Participants

~ to enjoy full benefit ~

- 1. Good Nomination
 - 2. Communication
- Support

- 1. Clear Instruction
- 2. Good Preparation

Before

Benefit "as Customs" not "as Individual"

- 1. Active Participation
- 2. Sharing Problems
and/or Practices

After

- 1. Report and Share
- 2. Follow-up work by
Participants

Thank you for your attention

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