













Today, IPCC reports and various recent climatic events underline the extreme vulnerability of the Caribbean territory:

More powerful extreme weather events

Increasing temperatures

More frequent and intense droughts; more intense rainfall.

Increasing coastal erosion

Rising sea levels, risk of seawater intrusion and soil salinization

The agriculture and food sectors are directly exposed and particularly vulnerable to these hazards.

In 2017 a series of hurricanes hit the Caribbean, decimating large numbers of farms, destroying homes and power installations and drowning hectares of market garden crops. Hurricane Maria was particularly disastrous for Dominica.

In 2020, a severe drought followed by heavy rains caused flooding and landslides in Martinique, weakening farms.

Storm Fiona in 2022 caused damage to many crops in Guadeloupe.

These events threaten the local economies and weaken farms and agricultural productions.

In 2015, the Small Island Developing States of the Caribbean mobilized strongly for the Paris Agreement and the limitation of global warming to 1.5°C. Today, the INTERREG CarNet'Adapt project aims to build on this momentum.





MULTI-STAKEHOLDER NETWORK

Produce and share knowledge. data and experience on climate change

Collectively enhance the skills of

Reinforce the ability to work together on a Caribbean scale

Promote the integration of climate change adaptation into operational and





SHARING KNOWLEDGE

CENTRALIZING

DATA:

- **Mapping** inspiring projects
- Mapping technical and financial tools available in our territories
- A vulnerability and climate profile for each territory

SHARING AND PROMOTING THESE PRODUCTIONS

Within the network

On our website: www.carnetadapt.org





COLLABORATE AND **DEVELOP SKILLS**

The first phase of CarNet'Adapt will involve a program of concrete actions. Its highlights are listed below:

JULY TO SEPTEMBER 2023

Network co-construction workshops

SEPTEMBER 2023

Official network launch

Webinars on climate change adaptation techniques:

13TH SEPTEMBER 2023

Agriculture: Natural approaches to crop protection and soil conservation

4TH OCTOBER 2023

Food : Risk management - solutions to supply shortages

OCTOBER 18TH AND 19TH 2023

A study trip to Saint Lucia

NOVEMBER 2023

Climate change adaptation training for local authorities

NOVEMBER 21ST TO 23RD 2023

A network meeting seminar

WHO IS THE NETWORK FOR?



AGRICULTURE AND FOOD PROFESSIONALS:

Producers, agro-processors, distributors, etc.

PROFESSIONALS INVOLVED IN THESE ISSUES:

Local authorities, funding bodies, research organizations, civil society organizations, professional training organizations.

Provide tools

Draw inspiration Inform

Collaborate

Grow Dialogue

Gather



AN INTER-REGIONAL, PARTNERSHIP-BASED PROJECT









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Unite Caribbean, a Caribbean consulting firm:



Synergiles, Guadeloupe's innovation cluster:



IICA, the Inter-American Institute for Cooperation on Agriculture, is the specialized agency for agriculture of the Inter-American System;



CARDI, the Caribbean Agricultural Research and Development Institute.



