

SUMMARY FOR DECISION-MAKERS

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What is it?

- Shortened editions of IHDP's major publications and reports
- Scientific knowledge distilled down to the most applicable and critical findings



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Structure

- 1. Preface
- 2. Background
- 3. Key Questions
- 4. Conclusion
- 5. Key Findings and Recommendations

Who is involved?

- Secretariat
- IHDP project(s)
- Editorial advisory board
- Science writer
- Designer

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Who will read it?

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- Policy community
- UN network
- IHDP global network



WHAT WE HAVE SO FAR



Satoyama-Satoumi Ecosystems and Human Well-Being

Socio-ecological Production Landscapes of Japan

JAPAN SATOYAMA SATOUMI ASSESSMENT Summary for Decision Makers





Work in progress

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- Green Economy
- Food Security



WHAT WE PROPOSE

An SDM by GWSP in collaboration with the Global Land Project (GLP)

Торіс

Land degradation and droughts - specifically about the issues relevant for the policy agenda:

- Droughts and their relation to water systems
- Droughts and their impact on human security
- Droughts and their impact on land
- Droughts and their impact on food security

Objectives

To emphasize the policy-relevance of the topic

To make decision-makers aware of the interlinkages between the above

To not only to illustrate latest findings but also to show a positive example of the integration of two research areas, as this is the way we are moving forward with IHDP/Future Earth

Timeline

Ready by late 2013





THANK YOU!