

**AGENDA FOR THE 8TH MEETING OF THE
TASK FORCE FOR UPDATING AND MAINTENANCE OF
MULTILINGUAL TECHNICAL DICTIONARY (TF-MTD)**

03 September 2024, 10:30-12:00 hours
Sydney, Australia

Strategy Theme: Natural Resources

Year of establishment: 2016

Mandate: (a) To identify priority chapters and terms frequently referred/ consulted by AWM professionals; (b) To consult/invite professional organizations to collaborate in enriching chapters/terms; (c) To identify experts/work bodies to review terms/chapters; (d) To encourage NCs in preparation and building of additional translations along with English/French; (e) To identify interesting pictures/diagrams suitable to illustrate various terms, where required, and (f) To make it accessible on web/ mobile.

Website: http://icid-ciid.org/inner_page/128

TF-MTD Agenda Item 1: Summary update

1. At the India meeting, Chair Dr. Watanabe presented the action taken report on the decisions and proposals of the working group at its last meeting. The membership of the task force is given in **Annex 1** (refer to the electronic version for the latest list). New nominations, if any, for the membership received, will be dealt suitably after the meeting.

TF-MTD Agenda Item 2: Further progress of MTD

2. In March 2024, the ICID Central Office requested members of the task force to update the terms of MTD (<https://icid-ciid.org/mtd/login.php>) related to their chapters and share the same with the Chair and the ICID Central Office. The priority list of MTD topics is available in **Annex 2**. Chair will provide further updates at the meeting.

TF-MTD Agenda Item 3: Translation of MTD in various local languages

3. In March 2024, the ICID Central Office requested members of the task force to consider the future need to translate the MTD terms updated in English in different languages considering the current state of MTD usage and recent developments. Chair will provide further updates at the meeting.

TF-MTD Agenda Item 4: Dissemination and maintenance of MTD

4. MTD has been maintained in a database managed by the ICID Central Office and is available on the ICID website <https://icid-ciid.org/mtd/display.php?lang=en>. Individual requests from the users as and when received are also processed regularly.

TF-MTD Agenda Item 5: Any other business (with permission of Chair)

5. **ICID Members' Profile Section:** As a new initiative, ICID has launched a new website (<https://icid-ciid.org>) as part of ICID's 70th Anniversary Celebration to meet the new web technologies. One of the web features provides WG members access to their profile section using their dedicated account. ICID CO vide email dated 9 July 2021 <<https://icid.bmeurl.co/C7D4D2E>> informed all members on how to access their accounts and change their password to maintain accuracy. Members are requested to review and update their information using their credentials and help us to maintain accurate information. For more information, please refer to inside back cover page.

6. **Register on World Irrigation Projects (WIP):** ICID has taken the initiative to document the development of irrigation projects in the world by establishing an online Register on "World Irrigation Projects (WIP)". WIP will fulfil the need for a much-awaited global repository of information in systematic irrigation and agricultural water management. Irrigation projects having 5000 Hectares and above of Gross Command Area can submit their information for inclusion in the register. The irrigation projects approved by the National Committee/ ICID Central

Office for inclusion are entitled to Certification. Members are requested to encourage all irrigation project owners, managers, and researchers across the world and especially in our member countries for contributing to the register.

This facility is also extended to non-member countries if the information is received from an authorized agency. The review process and other details are outlined on the portal < <https://wip.icidevents.org/> > in detail.



NOTES FOR CHAIRPERSON:

1. Draft minutes of this meeting to be submitted to ICID Secretariat at Sydney, Australia after the meeting.
2. Chair to participate and present the TF report to PCTA meeting on 06 September 2024.

A. Attendance of members at 2022 and 2023 meetings

Sr. No.	Members	Member from	2022		2023		Remarks
			Self	Contributed	Self	Contributed	
1	VP Dr. Tsugihiko Watanabe, Chair (Japan)	2022	•		•		
2	VPH Dr Ding Kunlun (China)	2017					
3	Ms. Mary Jean M. Gabriel (South Africa)	2017					
4	Dr Yu-Chuang Chang (Chinese Taipei Committee)	2017			•		
5	Dr. A.K. Randev (India)	2017					
6	VPH Dr. Willem Vlotman (Australia)	2022					
7	VPH Ian Makin (UK)	2017					
8	Dr. Masaomi Kimura (Japan)	2020	•		•		
9	Representative of FAO						
10	Representative of IWMI						
11	Representative of ADB						



PRIORITY WISE LISTING OF MTD CHAPTERS

Category 1	Category 2	Category 3
(5) Head works; (WG-IDM)	(2) Hydrology; WMO, UNESCO, IAHS	(1) General (statistics, units, etc.);
(6) Design of irrigation canals; (WG-IDM)	(3) River hydraulics;	(4) Reclamation;
(7) Canal structures; (WG-IDM)	(10) Pumping stations (lifting devices);	(14) Construction materials;
(8) Project water management; (WG-IDM)	(18) Soil and water conservation;	(15) Construction techniques and equipment;
(9) Wells and drilling;	(22) Systems analysis;	(19) Environmental impacts;
(11) Irrigation systems and distribution of irrigation waters; (WG-IOA)	(24) Project planning;	(21) Computer technology;
(12) On-farm water management; (WG-SON-FARM)		(23) Hydraulic research;
(13) Design and construction of drainage systems; (WG-LDRG)		(25) Climate change
(16) Automation in irrigation, drainage and flood control systems; (WG-M&R)		
(17) Operation, maintenance and management; (WG-M&R and IDM)		
(20) Flood control; (WG-CAFM)		

