

Africa – EU Space Programme - Strengthening Early Warning in Africa (AESPP- SEWA)

Request for Expression of Interest

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1. Background to the Request for Expression of Interest

1.1 Global Gateway African-EU Space Partnership Programme

Strengthening Early Warning in Africa (SEWA) is an Action of the [Africa-EU Space Partnership Programme](#) (AESPP), which aims to enhance strategic cooperation between Africa and Europe on the use of space-based technologies and services in Sub-Saharan Africa. AESPP is embedded in the [Global Gateway](#), the European Union's (EU) strategy to boost smart, clean and secure connections in the digital, energy and transport sectors, and to strengthen health, education and research systems across the world. The Global Gateway is led by the European Commission's [Director-General for International Partnerships](#) (DG INTPA).

AESPP has three Components:

1. EU–Africa Space Partnership: Supporting institutional collaboration and decision-making processes;
2. Space and the Green Transition: Focus on early warning - developing space-based services, applications, and tools to strengthen early warning systems for hazardous weather and climate-related events;
3. Space and the Private Sector: Increasing the capacity and skills of the private sector, stimulating growth in the space industry, and expanding the data economy.

1.2 Strengthening Early Warning in Africa

Africa faces a disproportionate burden from climate change and adaptation costs (Source: <https://wmo.int/news/media-centre/africa-faces-disproportionate-burden-from-climate-change-and-adaptation-costs>). With increasing frequency and intensity of extreme weather events, the ability to predict and prepare through effective early warning systems is crucial.

In response to Component 2, AESPP-SEWA (hereafter referred to as SEWA) was initiated in January 2025. SEWA will be jointly implemented over 4 years by the [African Union Commission](#) (AUC), the [European Centre for Medium-Range Weather Forecasts](#) (ECMWF), and the [European Organisation for the Exploitation of Meteorological Satellites](#) (EUMETSAT).

ECMWF activities under SEWA will stimulate the use of ECMWF, [Copernicus](#) (the Earth observation component of the EU's space programme), and other data generated by European stakeholders, with the aim of co-developing Impact-based Forecast (IbF) demonstration services and tools at a regional level in Sub-Saharan Africa, with African partners. The use of cloud computing and storage resources is envisaged to allow these tools to be developed close to data generated and/or stored at ECMWF's data centre. Through technical advice and co-designed train-the-trainer activities, actual uptake will be further enhanced.

2. Purpose of the Request for Expression of Interest

ECMWF will issue a competitive Call for Proposals in 2026 with the aim of funding four grants for European and African partners to co-develop testbeds – the Regional Pilots – that showcase demonstration IbF services and tools at regional level. Testbeds here refer to a simulation of how the demonstration IbF services and tools could function to support operational early warning, although operationalisation itself is not the target. For more information on ECMWF and SEWA, see <https://www.ecmwf.int/en/about/what-we-do/environmental-services-and-future-vision/strengthening-early-warning-africa>.

The purpose of this Request for Expression of Interest (EoI) is:

- To engage potential applicants with an interest in participating in the forthcoming competitive SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals for the award of four grants, expected to be launched in June/July 2026;

- To gain insights into the available expertise, competences and skills and – when needed – to facilitate networking among interested entities to strengthen collaboration and preparedness ahead of the SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals.

All entities interested in the forthcoming SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals are encouraged to respond to this Request for EoI. Entities – who submitted the EoI – will be invited to participate in a SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals Information and Networking Session planned in March 2026.

Interested and eligible entities are not required to have formed a consortium to reply to this Request for EoI. Where consortia have been formed, each individual institution should still submit their own EoI, allowing ECMWF to gain a comprehensive overview of the skills and experience of all the interested organisations. Participation in the SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals will still be possible for eligible entities who do not respond to this Request for EoI.

3. Outline of the SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals

The indicative and overarching aims of the SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals are provided here to set the context for this Request for EoI. ECMWF reserves the right to update this prior to the issue of the SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals.

The SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals will specify that regional pilots are developed to demonstrate IbF services and tools using a ‘testbed’ approach that clearly shows how they could be applied in an operational setting to support early warning. The IbF services and tools should utilise weather, hazard, exposure, and vulnerability information to forecast impacts. The regional pilots will be developed for four regions of Sub-Saharan Africa: Eastern, Central, Western, and Southern (including the Indian Ocean Islands). Full operational deployment is not the target, and regional pilots should only focus on ‘upstream’ aspects of the IbF and warning value chain, excluding dissemination of warnings and associated communication.

Co-design of the regional pilots by African and European entities is required to ensure that the regional pilots are compatible with users’ requirements for support on early warning. These users may include, for example, National Meteorological and Hydrological Services (NMHSs), Regional Specialised Meteorological Centres (RSMCs) and other knowledge centres in Africa. The requirements of stakeholders such as the AUC, African Ministerial Conference on Meteorology (AMCOMET) and the World Meteorological Organization (WMO) must also be considered. Engagement with these users and stakeholders for the purpose of co-designing the regional pilots will be facilitated by the Regional Climate Centres (RCCs), including the Indian Ocean Commission (IOC). The RCCs, including the IOC, have a mandated role in SEWA to act as co-ordinators at regional and continental levels, to be responsible for engagement on co-design, to facilitate uptake of the regional pilots, and to ensure knowledge transfer between African entities. This approach will assure sustainability and African ownership, which is a vital component of SEWA.

African-European partnership will ideally be strengthened and formalised through the award of grants to consortia of African and European entities as a result of the SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals. Close and active partnership will ensure the delivery of effective impact-based forecasting demonstrations that could support early warning in Sub-Saharan Africa. It will facilitate the use of European data, infrastructure and expertise on early warning within the regional pilots, which should use all, or a selection of, the following:

- Data and products from ECMWF and European NMHSs;
- Copernicus data (e.g. the Copernicus Climate Change Service, Copernicus Atmosphere Monitoring Service, Copernicus Emergency Management Service, Copernicus Land Monitoring Service);
- Nowcasting data provided by the African Meteorological Satellite Applications Facility (AMSAF)/EUMETSAT.

Effort will also be made to include local or regional data, such as observations, and/or Limited Area Models (LAMs) depending on the scope of the pilot. Additional sources could include data or tools from [GMES&Africa](#), ClimSA and others.

The focus of the regional pilots on IbF makes it essential that existing data on vulnerability and exposure (e.g. [CEMS Human Settlement Maps](#)) are integrated into the demonstration services and tools. The regional pilots must take into account potential infrastructure limitations in some areas of Africa, particularly those related to computing power and internet access. It is envisaged that the regional pilots will be deployed on the [European Weather Cloud \(EWC\)](#) to bring computation close to data and ease the processing load for African countries.

Regional pilots should build on, strengthen and complement existing African forecasting and warning systems, tools, and research, as well as European infrastructure and programmes, with the aim of delivering the most sustainable and tangible benefits possible to early warning in Sub-Saharan Africa. Although the creation of the regional pilots will focus on utilization and compilation of existing tools and systems, novel development can be incorporated as required.

ECMWF and its partners will define the SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals specification using information provided by an ongoing scoping study. The study will identify existing African forecasting and warning architecture that the regional pilots should align with, as well as priority hazards and timescales. At this stage, it is envisaged that all, or a selection of the following activities will be needed to support the creation of the regional pilots:

- Identifying and understanding potential users of the regional pilots (e.g. NMHSs, RSMCs and other knowledge centres in Africa) and mapping of stakeholders in early warning (e.g. AUC, AMCOMET and WMO);
- Determining risks and impacts based on data for the selected hazards, vulnerability and exposure, including an assessment of uncertainty;
- Producing example IbF services and developing tools such as risk matrices, intervention mapping and (GIS based) visualizations.

Verification/evaluation of regional pilot outputs, including quality assessment and analysis of user feedback, are fundamental.

Priority hazards are still to be finalised and will be set out in the specification of the SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals. However, it is anticipated that, for each region, one or two hazards will be included from the following list of [UN Early Warning for All](#) (EW4All) and other identified priorities:

- Flash floods;
- Riverine floods;
- Drought/dry spells;
- Heatwaves;
- Tropical cyclones;
- Thunderstorms;
- Wildfires/smoke;
- Dust storms.

Timescales considered could range from nowcasting, through medium-range, to sub-seasonal and seasonal forecasts.

4. Working with the African Regional Climate Centres

A requirement of the SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals will be a pre-defined role for the Regional Climate Centres (RCCs), including the IOC, to provide region-scale input.

The African Centre for Meteorological Applications for Development (ACMAD) will act as a continental scale coordinator and is therefore included in all four grants. The other RCCs, including the IOC, will be included in the respective grants, with a pre-defined proportion of the grant assigned to them, as defined by ECMWF. The details of their role and budget will be specified in the SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals.

The following bodies will be included as follows:

- [ACMAD](#) for continental Africa will be included in all the grants;
- [IGAD Climate Predictions and Applications Centre](#) (ICPAC) for Eastern Africa;
- [Centre Climatique Régional pour l'Afrique de l'Ouest et le Sahel](#) (AGRHYMET) for Western Africa;
- [Centre d'Application et de Prévision Climatologique de l'Afrique centrale](#) (CAPC-AC) for Central Africa;
- [Southern African Development Community – Climate Services Centre](#) (SADC-CSC) for Southern Africa and the [IOC](#) for the Indian Ocean Islands.

5. Desired capacities, expertise and skills

While the expected capacity, expertise and skills relevant for the SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals will be specified in the document itself when the Call is opened in June/July 2026, an initial indication is provided below as guidance in support of this Request for EoI.

Given the scope of the Africa-EU Space Partnership Programme, involvement of African and European eligible entities is strongly encouraged (see Section 6). As SEWA will be implemented at a regional level, regional centres of excellence (e.g. the RSMCs) are seen as key partners in addition to the RCCs. This should be complemented by the active involvement of users and stakeholders at national levels within the regions. As it falls within the exclusive competence and responsibility of individual countries to provide warnings in their territory, the role of NMHSs is essential in the protection of life and property in the context of high impact meteorological events. To establish peer-to-peer partnerships, NMHSs from both African and European countries are strongly stimulated to get involved.

Although further uptake and communication lines with 'downstream' users and stakeholders is not the focus of SEWA, involvement of selected downstream actors within interested national and local communities is advised to enhance relevance; examples include water basin management authorities, academia, NGOs and the private sector. International organisations with a mandate in early warning and strong expertise in sub-Saharan Africa are encouraged to get involved, be it as a partner or through overarching governance channels as managed by AUC within SEWA.

It will be an advantage for entities and consortia to have a range of skills spanning as many areas of the upstream warning value chain as possible. This includes data production and provision, impact modelling, operational forecasting and warning, user engagement, and verification/evaluation. Appropriate technical, computing and data handling skills will be beneficial and experience with cloud computing will be an additional advantage. Applicants are encouraged to adopt good software-engineering and reproducibility practices (e.g., version-controlled workflows, modular design, containerisation) to support long-term sustainability and knowledge transfer.

Another key element of the SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals will be the gender dimension, and interested entities are encouraged to start factoring this in as they prepare for their future submission.

Established partnerships or communities of practice between African and European institutes and entities will be beneficial. For European entities, substantial experience in working with African partners will be essential.

6. Eligible entities

For this Request for EoI, participation is open to legal entities, whether natural or legal persons, from and established in the ECMWF Member States, as well as to entities eligible for SEWA in accordance with Article 28 of the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument – Global Europe (NDICI). In detail:

- Any entity eligible in accordance with ECMWF's procurement and other relevant rules, including those established in ECMWF Member States (Austria, Belgium, Croatia, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, the Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Serbia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Türkiye and the United Kingdom) and ECMWF Cooperating States (Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Georgia, Hungary, Israel, Latvia, Lithuania, Montenegro, Morocco, North Macedonia, Romania and Slovakia).
- Entities eligible for SEWA in accordance with Article 28 of the NDICI Regulation for the participation under geographic programmes, as further detailed in the Annex A2a1 to the practical guide on Contract Procedures for European Union external action (PRAG) on EC programmes eligibility for the Multiannual Financial Framework 2021-2027.

The full eligibility requirements will be included in the SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals. ECMWF will reserve the right to exclude ineligible legal entities from the Call for Proposals at any point in time. All applicants to the Call must meet all eligibility criteria throughout the entire duration of the grant award procedures as well as throughout the entire duration of the implementation of their grant agreements signed with ECMWF.

7. Indicative budget for the SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals

The total budget available for the SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals is approximately 5 million Euro. The aim is to award four grants, each with a duration of maximum 30 months, and with an average maximum budget of approximately 1.25 million Euro per grant.

As specified in Section 4, part of this budget will be allocated to the RCCs. Actual budget allocations may vary per regions depending on their scope, which will be determined considering the results from the ongoing scoping study.

8. Submission of an Expression of Interest

ECMWF invites interested and eligible entities to submit an Expression of Interest (EoI) by 5 February 2026, 14:00 CET. To submit an EoI, please complete the EoI Form via the link below:

[SEWA Expression of Interest Form](#)

The EoI must be written in English. A template of the EoI Form is available in Annex 1 of this document.

A timeline is provided below:

The SEWA Request for Expression of Interest opens	3 December 2025
The SEWA Request for Expression of Interest closes	5 February 2026 - 14:00 CET
SEWA Information and Networking Session	March 2026
The SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals opens	June/July 2026

Please note that this Request for Expression of Interest (Eol) does not create any legal or financial commitment either for ECMWF or the applicants. This Request for Eol is neither a Call for Proposals, pre-qualification, nor a first step in a two-stage process. Information provided in response to this Eol is for planning purposes only.

Applicants are not obligated to include any information, commitments, or approaches described in their Eol response in any subsequent proposal submitted under the forthcoming SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals. Participation or non-participation in this Eol will not affect the evaluation of proposals under the future Call for Proposals.

9. Confidentiality and data protection

ECMWF reserves the right to retain the information submitted in the Expressions of Interest. Any information that is proprietary and confidential will be handled confidentially by ECMWF provided it is clearly and specifically identified as such. Such obligation will not apply if such information is or was obtained from other sources that do not bind ECMWF as to confidentiality or if the information is in the public domain. ECMWF may make the Expressions of Interest available to authorised people including its governing body, committees, and professional advisers in addition to ECMWF's own personnel under the same conditions of confidentiality.

The reply to the Request for Expression of Interest involves the recording and processing of Personally Identifiable Information (PII) such as names, affiliation and email addresses. Please also note that all personally identifiable information processed by ECMWF will be treated in accordance with ECMWF Policy on Personally Identifiable Information Protection (PIIP) available at <https://www.ecmwf.int/en/privacy>. Unless indicated otherwise, the questions and any Personally Identifiable Information that are collected in relation to the Expression of Interest will be processed solely for that purpose, including the forthcoming SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals.

Annex 1 – Expression of Interest Template



SEWA Regional Pilots Expression of Interest

This form constitutes an Expression of Interest (EoI) in applying for the upcoming Strengthening Early Warning in Africa (SEWA) Regional Pilots Call for Proposals. Supporting information can be found at <https://www.ecmwf.int/en/about/grants/sewa-grants> and should be thoroughly read before this EoI form is completed. A copy of this form is provided in Annex 1 of the supporting information so that applicants can prepare the information required before completing the form.

The EoI form cannot be filled out on behalf of a consortium. Consortium members who wish to fill out the EoI are very welcome to do so. Completion of the EoI does not mandate applicants to participate in the SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals but will support completion of subsequent steps in the application process. It also provides the option to participate in networking opportunities that aim to develop consortia.

The deadline for completing this EoI form is **Thursday 05 February 2026 at 14:00 CET**. It is estimated that this form will take you around 1 to 2 hours to complete, if you have all relevant information available.

If you have any questions on the Request for EoI, please contact sewa@ecmwf.int

Section 1

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Contact details and networking information

Entities that express an interest in applying for the SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals will be invited to participate in an information and networking session to facilitate the building of consortia. If you give permission, your answers to the questions in this section may be shared with other interested parties who are looking to build or add to an existing consortium. If you do not give permission, the information provided will be treated as confidential and will not be shared.

1. Primary point of contact first name.

If you give permission, this information may be shared *

2. Primary point of contact surname

If you give permission, this information may be shared *

3. Primary point of contact email address (this must be an institutional/work email address)

If you give permission, this information may be shared *

Enter your answer

4. Back up email address if the primary point of contact has problems accessing their institutional/work email address

If you give permission, this information may be shared

Enter your answer

5. Institution

If you give permission, this information may be shared *

Enter your answer

6. Which of the four envisaged regions of implementation of the SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals are you interested in working on (check all that apply)?

If you give permission, this information may be shared *

- ☐ Southern Africa including the Indian Ocean Islands
- ☐ Western Africa
- ☐ Eastern Africa
- ☐ Central Africa

7. In which areas does your institution have knowledge/experience (check all that apply)?

If you give permission, this information may be shared *

- ☐ Cloud computing
- ☐ Data storage, use, and transfer
- ☐ Processing and utilizing observation data (e.g. radar, satellite, METAR/SYNOP)
- ☐ Physics-based forecast models
- ☐ AI/machine-learning/data-driven forecast models
- ☐ AI/machine learning more generally
- ☐ Hazard modelling (e.g. floods, wildfires, drought, heat stress)
- ☐ Exposure mapping
- ☐ Vulnerability mapping
- ☐ Impact modelling
- ☐ Operational forecasting and warning (i.e. having worked in an operational forecasting environment)
- ☐ Warning and risk communication and/or anticipatory action and disaster risk reduction
- ☐ Fluency in French in addition to English
- ☐ Fluency in Portuguese in addition to English
- ☐ Skills in knowledge transfer and capacity building
- ☐ Multicultural skills in establishment of African-Europe engagements
- ☐

8. Do you give permission for ECMWF to share the information in this section with other parties that complete this EoI? *

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

9. Would you like to participate in a workshop that supports the formation of consortia (currently planned for early March 2026)? *

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

Information sharing statement

Your responses to the following questions will be treated as confidential and will not be shared by ECMWF.

Additional contact details, institutional support and consortia

This section gives you the opportunity to provide the details of a second point of contact and asks for confirmation that this submission is authorised by your institute. It also asks for additional information regarding the formation of consortia.

10. Second point of contact first name (optional)

11. Second point of contact first surname (optional)

12. Second point of contact email address (optional, but if provided must be a work/institutional email address)

13. Back up email address if the second point of contact has problems accessing their institutional/work email address (optional)

14. Is your submission authorised by your institution? *

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ Not yet

15. Have you already formed a consortium? *

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

16. Do you intend to apply as an individual institution?

 Logic applied

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

17. Please list the other institutions within your envisaged consortium.

 Logic applied

Enter your answer

18. Are you looking for other institutions to join your consortium?

 Logic applied

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

19. Please provide details on the partners you are looking for?

 Logic applied

Enter your answer

20. Would you like to lead a consortium? *

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

21. Are there any partner(s) you would like to work with (but you are still looking for other partners)? *

Enter your answer

Institutional expertise, experience and interests

The following section asks questions on your institute's expertise, experience and interests that are relevant to the envisage technical specification of the forthcoming SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals.

22. In which regions have you already worked and established partnerships (check all that apply)? *

- ☐ Southern Africa
- ☐ Indian Ocean Islands
- ☐ Western Africa
- ☐ Eastern Africa
- ☐ Central Africa
- ☐ None of the above

23. Please provide a short description of the most relevant partnerships you have established over the last 5 years, including details on the level of engagement, partners involved and, if applicable, the names of any projects you worked on together. *

Enter your answer

24. What hazard(s) is your institution experienced in working on (check all that apply)? *

- ☐ Droughts/dry spells
- ☐ Heatwaves
- ☐ Wildfires
- ☐ Dust storms
- ☐ Thunderstorms
- ☐ Flash floods
- ☐ River floods
- ☐ Tropical cyclones
- ☐ Other

25. What timescales/lead times for the prediction of hazards is your institution most experienced in working on? Check all that apply. *

- ☐ Historical / Reanalysis
- ☐ Nowcast or very short range (up to 1 day lead time)
- ☐ Short range (1-3 days lead time)
- ☐ Medium range (3-15 days lead time)
- ☐ Sub-seasonal (15-46 days lead time)
- ☐ Seasonal (1-7 months)
- ☐ Other

26. Please provide a brief description of at least three (internal or external) projects your institution has conducted, within the last 5 years, covering each of the hazards and timescales/lead times that you have checked in the last two questions. This could include project contributions, contracts, or internal activities such as operational implementation.

Please include title, scope, duration, and links to relevant websites, grey literature or publications (if applicable). For projects or contracts, please also provide the budget (in EUR), funding source and names of implementation partners or sub-contractors. *

Enter your answer

27. Which part of the upstream portion of the forecast value chain is your institution experienced in working on (check all that apply)? *

- ☐ Observation and monitoring
- ☐ Weather forecasting
- ☐ Hazard forecasting (e.g. flood, wildfire, drought, heat stress)
- ☐ Impact prediction
- ☐ Evaluation and verification
- ☐ Other

28. Please provide an overview of your institution's current role in each of the value chain elements that you checked in the previous question. Work could include project contributions, contracts, or operational implementation.

Please include title, scope, duration, and links to relevant websites, grey literature or publications. For projects or contracts, please also provide the budget (in EUR), funding source and names of implementation partners or sub-contractors. *

Enter your answer

29. Do you have experience combining vulnerability and exposure information with hazard forecasts to produce impact forecasts? *

☐ Yes

☐ No

30. Please provide a brief overview of your institution's work on impact-based forecasting over the last 5 years. Work could include project contributions, contracts, or internal activities such as operational implementation.

 Logic applied

Please include title, scope, duration, and links to relevant websites, grey literature or publications. For projects or contracts, please also provide the budget (in EUR), funding source and names of implementation partners or sub-contractors.

Enter your answer

Partnerships and relevant experience

This section focuses on experience that is relevant to the strong Africa-Europe partnership focus of SEWA.

31. Does your institution have relevant experience working with Africa stakeholders? *

☐ Yes

☐ No

☐ Other

32. Please list experiences relevant to SEWA (including region/country and goal of the project/partnership)

 Logic applied

Enter your answer

33. Does your institution have experience working with African WMO Regional Climate Centres (RCCs) or Regional Specialised Meteorological Centres (RSMCs)? *

☐ Yes

☐ No

34. Please provide details of any engagements with the RCCs and/or RSMCs within the last 5 years

 Logic applied

Enter your answer

35. How familiar is your institution with ECMWF data and products? *

☐ Very familiar

☐ Familiar

☐ Not very familiar

☐ Not at all familiar

36. Are you aware of ECMWF's current [data policy](#)? *

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

37. Is your institution using ECMWF data and products regularly? *

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

38. Please provide details on what ECMWF data and products are used, when, and for what purpose.

 Logic applied

Enter your answer

39. How familiar is your institution with Copernicus data and services (CAMS, CMEMS, CLMS, C3S, and CEMS)? *

- ☐ Very familiar
- ☐ Familiar
- ☐ Not very familiar
- ☐ Not at all familiar

40. Is your institution using Copernicus data and products? *

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

41. Please provide details on which Copernicus data and products are used, when and for what purpose?

 Logic applied


Enter your answer

42. Does your institution have access to the [Cloud Computing Infrastructure – European Weather Cloud](#) (CCI-EWCloud)? *

☐ Yes

☐ No

43. Is your institution using the EWCloud actively and for what purpose?

 Logic applied

Enter your answer

44. Does your institution offer free access to a limited area model that could be used in the regional pilots? *

☐ Yes

☐ No

☐ My institution runs a limited area model but the data are not open and free to access

☐ Other

45. Please provide the name of the limited area model, it's spatial resolution and geographical coverage

 Logic applied

Enter your answer

46. Are you familiar with EUMETSAT data and products, including Satellite Application Facilities (SAFs)? *

☐ Yes

☐ No

47. Which EUMETSAT data and product are you familiar with?

 Logic applied

Enter your answer

48. Do you have experience with GMES&Africa? *

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

49. Please provide a brief description of your experience with GMES&Africa

 Logic applied

Enter your answer

50. Were you involved in ClimSA? *

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

51. Please provide a brief description of how you were involved in ClimSA

 Logic applied

Enter your answer

52. Are you engaged with the African Union Commission (AUC) or AUC's African Multi-Hazard Early Warning and Early Action System (AMHEWAS)? *

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

53. Please provide details on how you are engaged with the AUC and/or AMHEWAS


 Logic applied

Enter your answer

54. Are you already involved in projects or receive funding for any activities related to impact-based forecasting or early warning? *

☐ Yes

☐ No

55. Please describe any projects or funding you receive for impact-based forecasting or early warning  Logic applied

Enter your answer

56. Are you involved in the Systematic Observations Financing Fund (SOFF)? *

☐ Yes

☐ No

57. Please describe your role in SOFF

 Logic applied

Enter your answer

58. Gender dimensions will be an element of the SEWA Regional Pilots Call for Proposals. Does your institution have any processes in place to ensure gender specific considerations are accounted for in its activities? *

☐ Yes

☐ No

59. Please briefly outline any process to ensure gender specific considerations are accounted for

 Logic applied

Enter your answer

60. Please provide any other information, skills or experience you feel may be relevant and that are not listed above

Enter your answer

Section 6

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Any other information

61. Please provide any addition information you regard as relevant, including any links or documentation on past relevant work on impact-based forecasting systems or African partnership working

Enter your answer