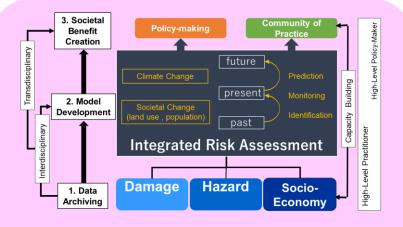
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International Flood Initiative (IFI) is a joint initiative in collaboration with such international organizations as UNESCO-IHP, WMO, UNISDR, UNU, IAHS, IAHR and ICHARM. IFI made its official launch in January 2005 at the World Conference on Disaster Reduction (WCDR) in Kobe, Japan. The IFI secretariat is located in the International Centre for Water Hazard and Risk Management (ICHARM) in Japan.



## IFI Platform Concept



The platform works to connect the demand for sound and timely decisions actions and taken by policy-makers and local communities with the provision of disaster risk information that is generated from integrated risk assessment change and risk identification based on well archived data and statistics. The platform also strengthens stakeholders' capability and enables interdisciplinary and transdisciplinary approaches.

#### International Cooperation trans Conceptual Structure of Platform on Water Resilience and Disasters

# IFI Implementation Strategy

CEOS, APRSAF, GEO **Expected Partner** Space Agency Space Agency Local Community Local Community Local Community IAHS, IAHR **Research Institute** Research Institute UNU University University University UNESCO **Funding Agency Funding Agency Funding Agency** NARBO **River Bureau River Bureau River Bureau ICHARM** wмо Hvdro-Met Hvdro-Met Hvdro-Met UNISDR Disaster Disaster Disaster Country A **Country B** RBA IFI Partners

Main support:

### Supporting Scheme in a Nation and Region

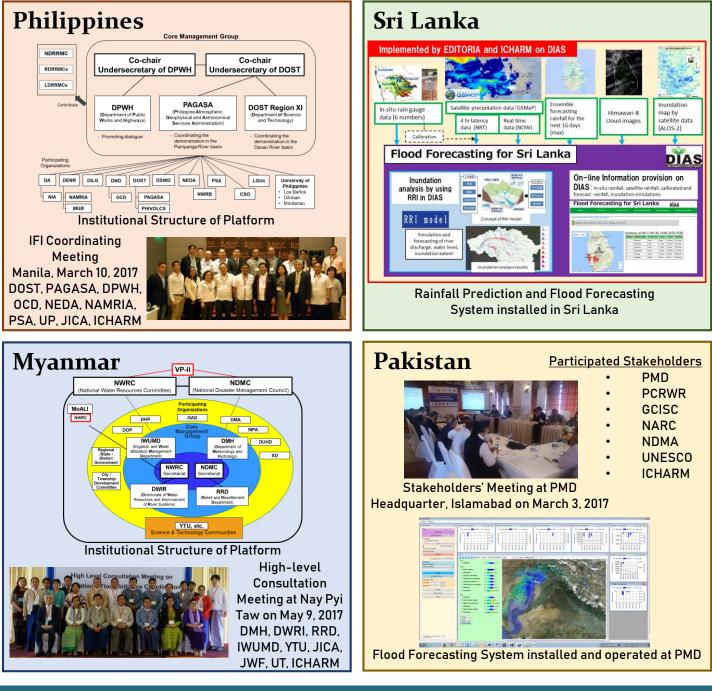
#### Phase-3 Operation: Strengthen & Expanding National **Country A Country B Country C** Country D **Country E** level Regional **IFI Partners** level Phase-2 Prototyping: Install in Specific Areas National Country A Country B Country C **Country D** Country E level Regional **IFI Partners** level Phase-1 Demonstration: Existing Infrastructure National **Country A Country B Country C Country D Country E** level Regional **IFI Partners** level

#### Spiral-up Implementation Framework



# Platform on Water Resilience and Disasters

Platform activities with a transdisciplinary approach in some Asian countries



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