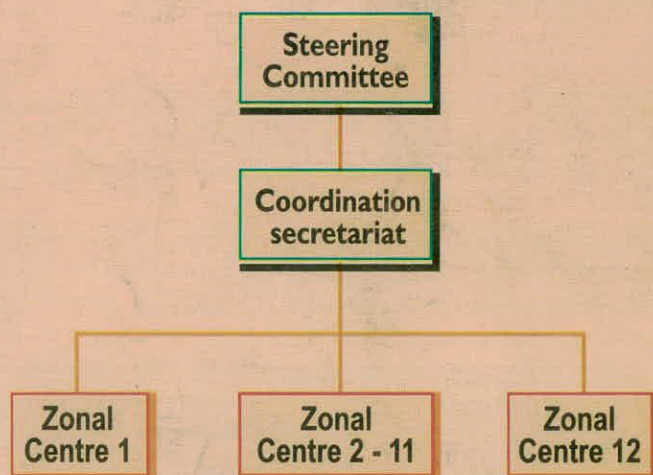


Expected out puts

- Networking among all stakeholders in agroforestry greatly enhanced
- A sustainable network coordination secretariat established
- Capacity of development workers, local leaders and farmers in agroforestry greatly enhanced
- Agroforestry institutionalized at local levels as a key component of local government efforts to modernize agriculture

Organizational structure



The Steering Committee

UGADEN Steering Committee is composed of representatives from: Policy Makers, Research, Private Sector, NGOs, Institutions of higher learning, Education, Farmers Federation, The World Agroforestry Centre (ICRAF) Ministry of Agriculture, Animal Industry and Fisheries and Ministry of Water Lands and Environment.

Zonal Coordinating Centers

UGADEN has twelve zonal coordination Centres spread

through out the twelve agro-ecological zones of Uganda. These Centres include:

Agro-ecological Zone Centre

Eastern	SOCADIDO
Eastern Highlands	MECDP
Karamoja Drylands	To be identified
Lake Albert Crescent	Nyabyeya Forestry Coll.
Lake Victoria Crescent	Vi Agroforestry Project
Mid-Northern	Shea Project
Northern	To be identified
South East Africa	2000 Network
Southern Highlands	Africare
Southern Drylands	To be identified
West Nile	Abii ARDC
Western Highlands	SATNET

Membership

The membership of UGADEN is comprised of civil society organizations, academic institutions, private sector and individuals involved in agroforestry related work. Interested parties have to submit an expression of interest for consideration by the Steering Committee acting on behalf of the General Assembly.

How to apply

Membership application forms can be obtained from the Agroforestry Development Facilitator at the UGADEN Coordination Secretariat.

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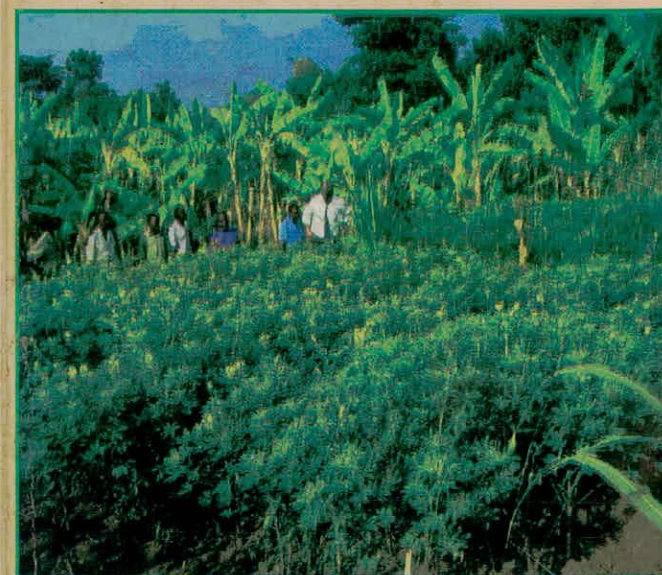
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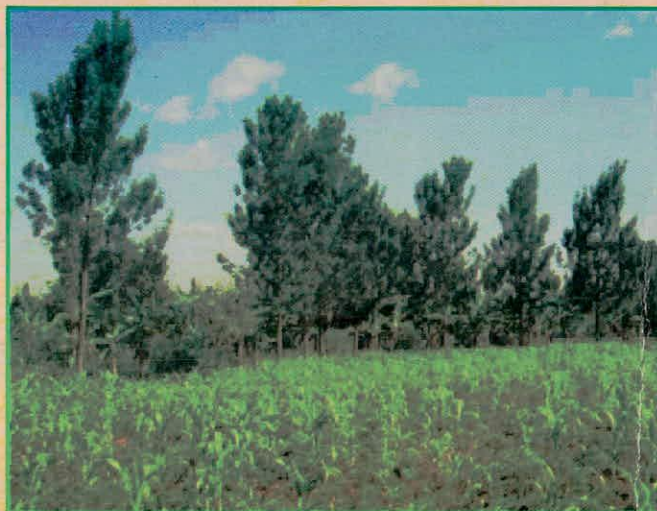
What is UGADEN?

The Uganda Agroforestry Development Network (UGADEN) is a network of organizations, institutions and individuals involved in agroforestry research and development work in Uganda. UGADEN was formed during the 2nd National Agroforestry Workshop held in September 2001.

Why was UGADEN formed?

UGADEN was formed after a realization that there was a need to link the various agroforestry initiatives in Uganda for purposes of information sharing and facilitating wide-scale dissemination of agroforestry technologies. More so because;

- ❖ On-farm research in some parts of Uganda has confirmed the great contribution that agroforestry can make to the improvement of rural livelihoods and conservation of the natural resources.
- ❖ Adoption of agroforestry innovations is supported by the Uganda government policy as highlighted in the plan for Modernization of Agriculture (PMA).



Boundary planting in cropland

- ❖ However, only a few organizations are currently involved in promoting agroforestry in Uganda and their efforts are rather fragmented. Thus, few farmers have benefited and some parts of the country have not yet been reached.
- ❖ Consequently, the potential impact of agroforestry in transforming lives and landscapes in Uganda has not yet been fully realized.
- ❖ Aware of this situation, the 130 participants at the Second National Agroforestry Workshop decided to form UGADEN.
- ❖ UGADEN was formed to provide a nation-wide linkage for collaboration between the various stakeholders for effective agroforestry technology development and dissemination in Uganda.

Constraints to scaling-up of agroforestry

- Insufficient supply of diverse tree seed and planting materials;
- Insufficient zonal-specific information and training on agroforestry;
- Poorly developed markets and lack of market information for agroforestry products;
- Lack of information, materials and training for scaling up agroforestry;
- Insufficient exchange of information between agroforestry practitioners and agroforestry dissemination organisations in various zones of Uganda.

Mission

To enhance the generation and dissemination of appropriate, profitable and environmentally sound agroforestry innovations in all agro-ecological zones of Uganda for the improvement of livelihoods.

Roles

1. To link the various agroforestry initiatives in Uganda to ensure a balanced scaling-up of agroforestry activities in the country
2. To support supply of required tree planting materials
3. To support the improved flow of information on agroforestry related issues between various stakeholders
4. To strengthen the linkage between national and international institutes and development partners in Uganda to promote agroforestry
5. To build the capacity of various institutions and organizations in agroforestry
6. To support production and distribution of relevant agroforestry dissemination materials
7. To support information exchange and research on appropriate development approaches for agroforestry dissemination
8. To provide information and encourage linkages for the marketing of agroforestry products
9. To provide information on the impact of agroforestry in Uganda and appropriate methods for impact assessments
10. To lobby and advocate on agroforestry issues.



Fruits for improved nutrition and income generation