



President's Malaria Initiative

Vector Control and Entomological Monitoring

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President's Malaria Initiative: *USAID and CDC implementation*

Plus: WHO GMP, PES, AFRO, SEARO, WPRO; RBM;
commercial sector (GBC) NMCPs, national training and
research institutions,





PMI and Vector Control

- PMI focus areas
- Tactical challenges
 - LLIN and IRS deployment
 - Implementation Research
- Strategic challenges
 - Insecticide Resistance monitoring and mitigation
 - Reorientation to Integrated Vector Management
 - Personal protection outside the house



The President's Malaria Initiative now includes 15 countries.

Phase 1 Announced in June 2005:
Angola, Tanzania, and Uganda

Phase 2 Announced in June 2006:
Malawi, Mozambique, Rwanda, and Senegal

Phase 3 Announced in December 2006:
Benin, Ethiopia, Ghana, Kenya, Liberia, Madagascar, Mali, and Zambia

Year	Funding
2006	\$30 M
2007	\$135 M
2008	\$ 300 M
2009	
2010	\$ 500 M
TOTAL	\$1.265 B

Plus: Amazon, Mekong, Nigeria, SSudan, DRC \$85m

USG Expanded Malaria Control Program (2010-2014)

Africa:

- Original 15 PMI focus countries
 - 70% reduction in malaria burden compared with 2006/07 baseline
- Additional countries: Nigeria, DRC, Burundi, Burkina Faso,
 - 50% reduction in malaria burden compared with 2009/10 baseline

South America: 8 –country Amazon Malaria Initiative

Asia: 6-country Mekong Malaria Program

- Strengthen efforts to contain spread of multi-drug resistant falciparum malaria:
 - antimalarial drug resistance surveillance
 - building drug quality control capability
 - reducing malaria transmission



Tactical challenges

- LLIN and IRS deployment best practices
- Implementation Research

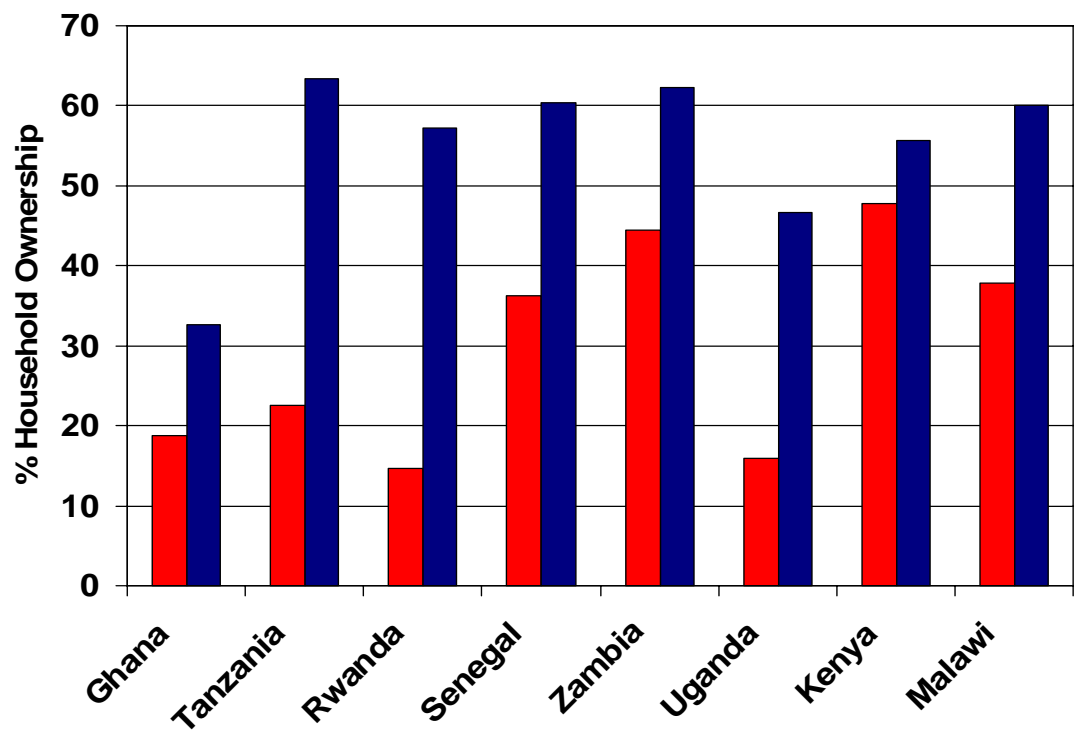
PMI

LLINs

Since 2008:

25 m LLINs procured and distributed by PMI

>300m by all partners



- Pyrethroid insecticides;

- Cost ~ \$6 each;
Plus \$1-2 shipping, delivery, BCC

■ Previous surveys (2004-2006)
■ Recent surveys (2007-2010)

Deployment “best practices”



Mass Campaign (RBM-AMP)



Continuous (RBM- VCWG)

- Clinics, EPI services
- Targeted subsidies (vouchers)
- Facilitate commercial sector



ITNs on Display in Shoprite Store

Communications for appropriate use

PMI

IRS



Now >27 m persons protected
In 15 countries (largely pyrethroids)

New re-introduction to
most PMI-supported
countries in Africa

Also focus on improved
pesticide management





Environmental Assessment

Mapping,
Targeting and
Quantification

GIS, GPS

Evaluation

*Epidemiological
Entomological
Environmental*

Action

*Supervision,
information
management,
environmental
compliance*



Pesticide
Selection
and
Procurement

Micro-Planning
*Timing and Program of
spraying*

Organization
logistics

Training
*Spray teams,
supervisors*

*Teams, transport,
supplies, systems*



Implementation Research

- *Products:*
 - » Durable wall linings
- *Formulations:*
 - » Durability of LLINs
 - » Duration of efficacy of IRS chemicals
- *Combinations:*
 - » LLINs and IRS
 - » IRS and larval control
- *Community acceptance:*
 - » LLIN usage



Products: Durable Wall Linings



Photo: J. Gimnig

Formulations: Duration and Durability

New IRS formulations and a.i.s



LATH residual insecticide test
(Photos: J. Hemingway)

Physical durability protocols (WHO)



X-ray fluorometer - deltamethrin in
PermaNets (Photo: S. Smith)

Combinations: LLINs and IRS

Co-deployment:

Impact and transition for long-term control as IRS becomes more focal



Sustain success:

Maintain high LLIN coverage after campaign

Institutionalize IRS into district and national budgets

Combinations: larval control

Where does it work?

Where's the proof?





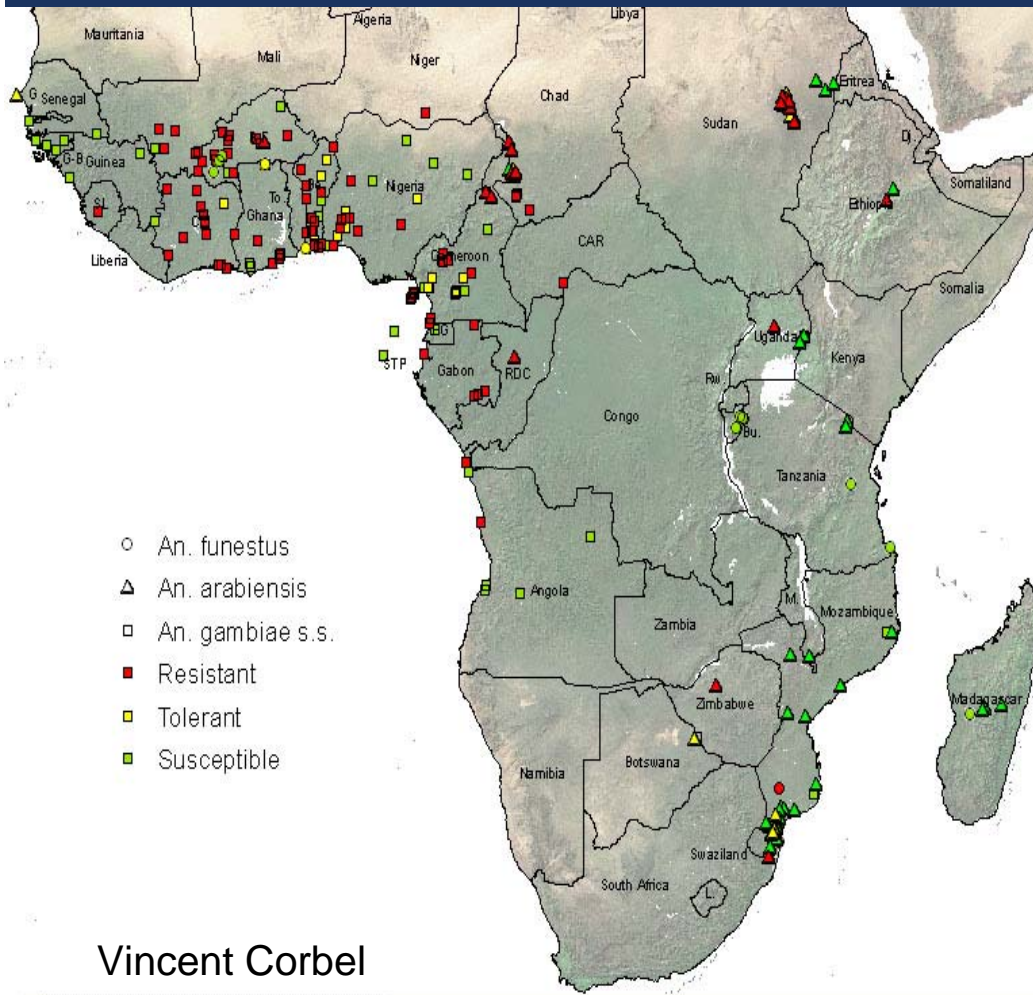
Strategic Challenges

- **Insecticide Resistance**
monitoring and mitigation
- **Integrated Vector Management,**
program reorientation
- **Personal Protection**
strategy development

Strategic Challenge #1: Monitoring and Mitigation of Insecticide Resistance

Develop guidelines for:

- Basic entomological monitoring package
- Resistance monitoring
- Insecticide selection
- Long-term management



PMI

Mosquito Collection



Species Identification



An funestus s.l

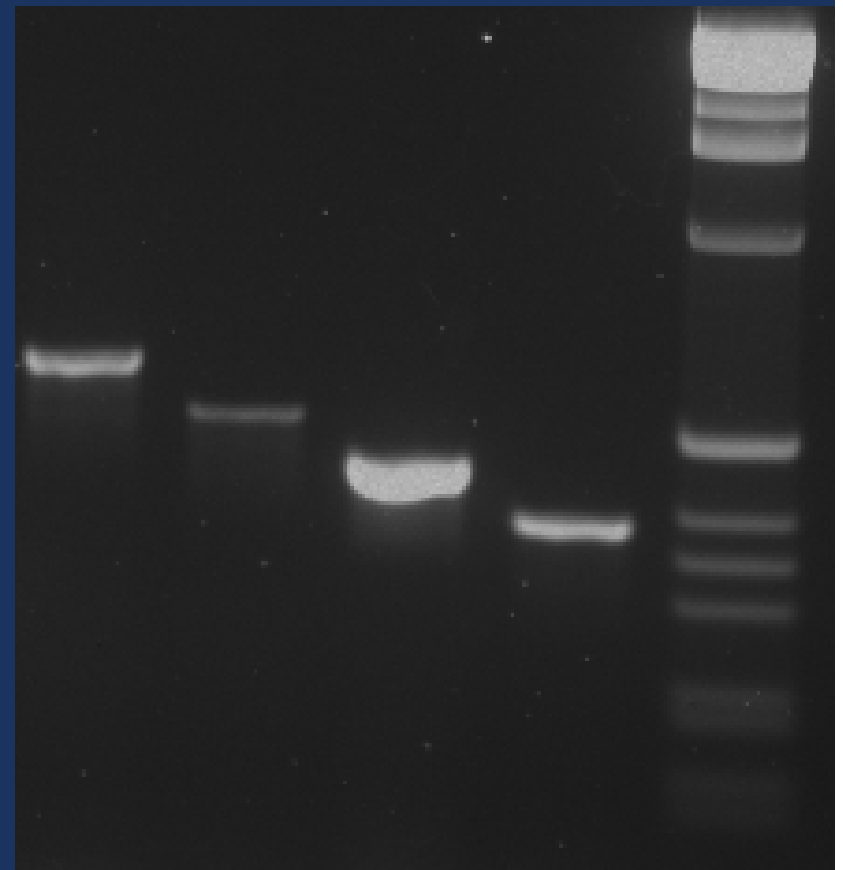


An gambiae s.l.

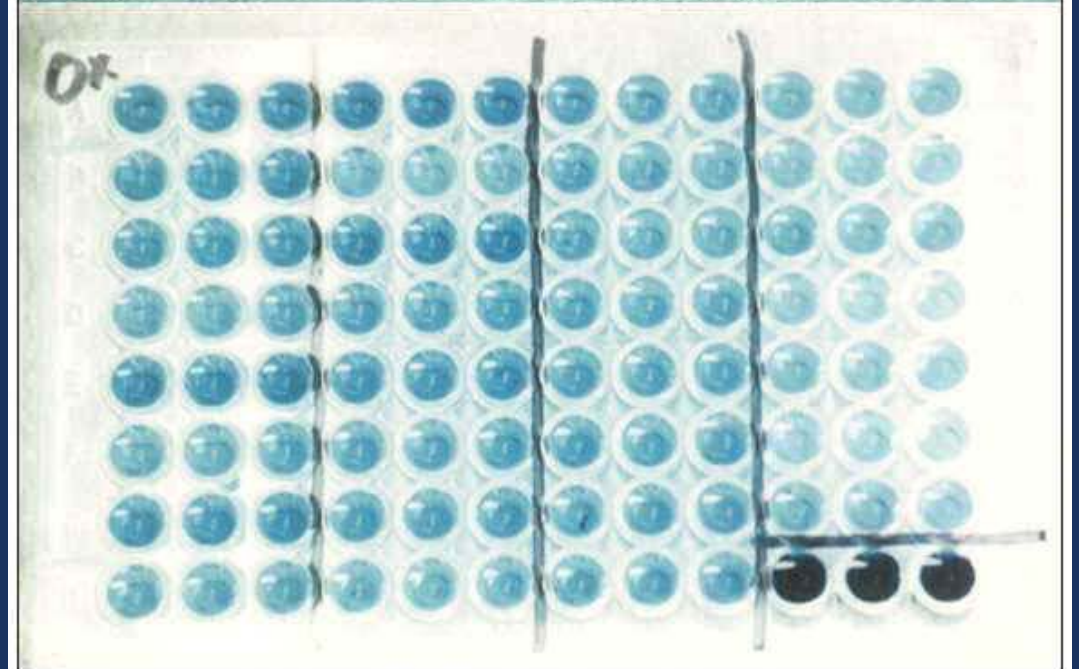
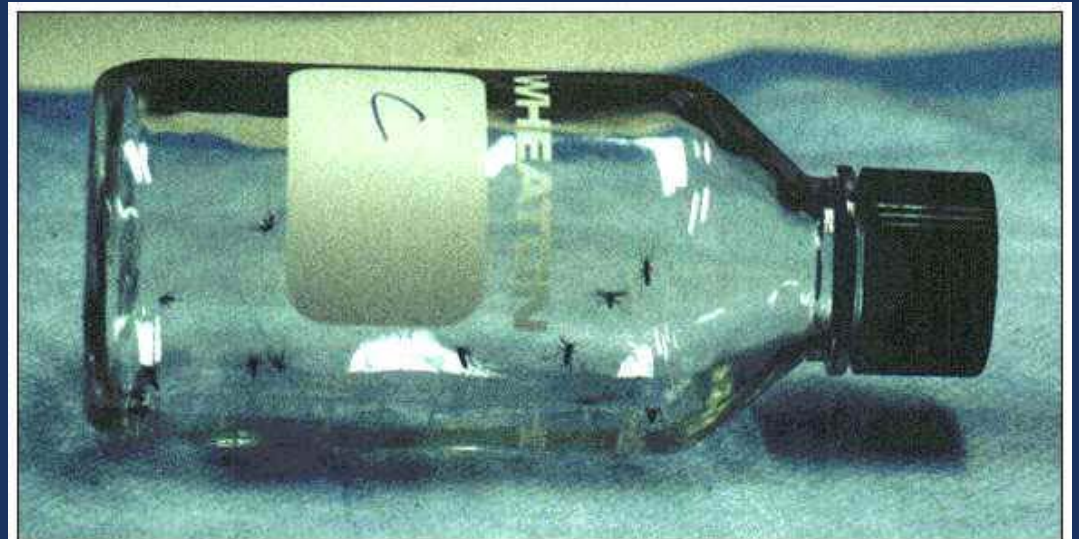


PCR Identification

Lane 1 *An. quadriannulatus*,
Lane 2 *An. merus/melas*,
Lane 3 *An. gambiae*,
Lane 4 *An. arabiensis*,
Lane 5 1kb ladder

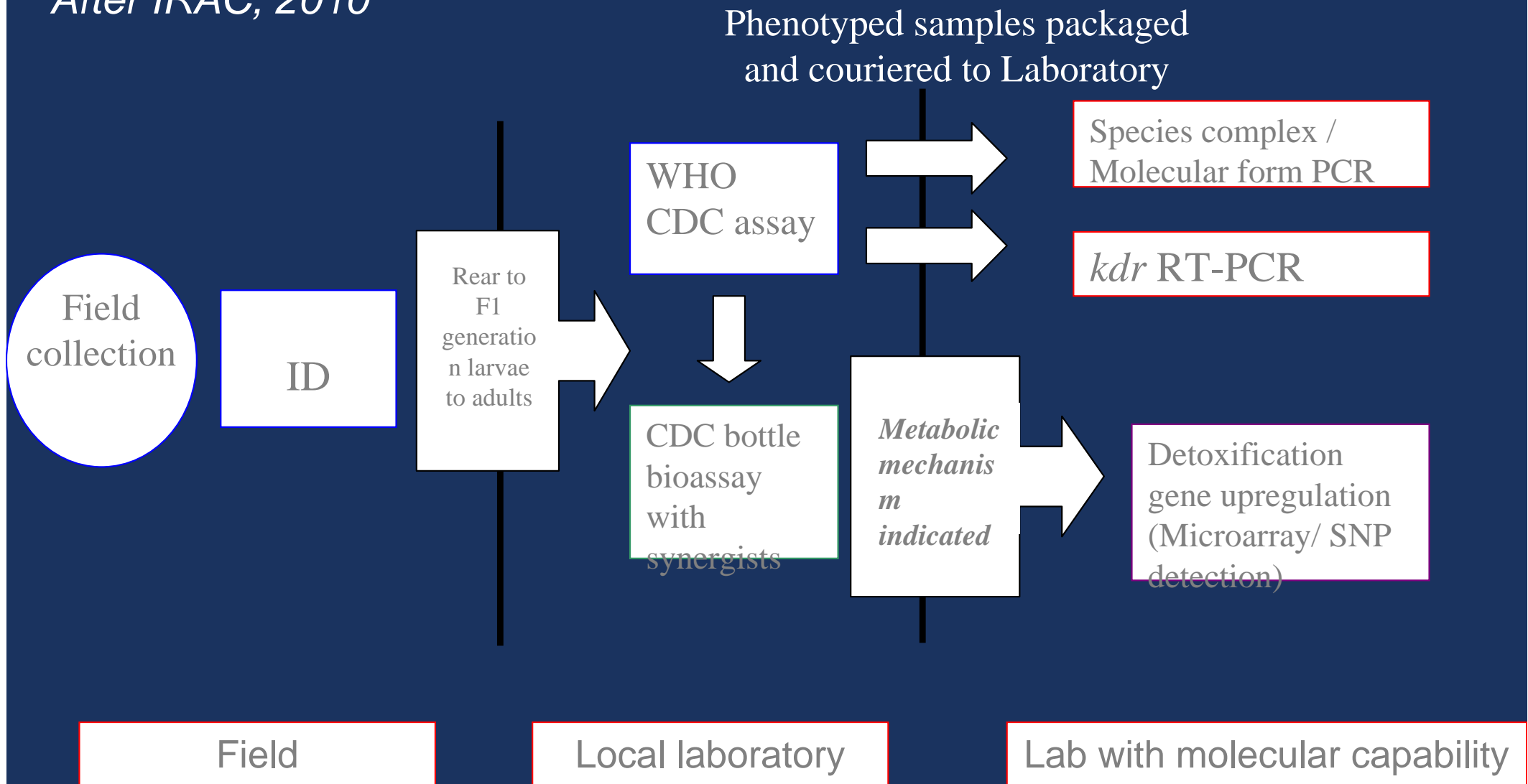


Tube, bottle and biochemical assays



mosquito specimen processing

After IRAC, 2010





Chemical class	Advantages	Disadvantages	Cost/sachet (200-250 m ²)
Pyrethroids	Low toxicity Low cost > 7 months duration	Resistance	\$3.60 to \$5
Carbamates	Medium tox profile Less resistance	High cost < 4 month duration	\$13
Organo- phosphates	Less resistance	Toxicity problems Higher costs Variable duration	\$12
Organochlorines (DDT)	Low cost > 7 months duration	Management costs Resistance Supply	\$4 to \$6.70



Insecticide Mode of Action Classification: A Key to Effective Insecticide Resistance Management in Mosquitoes

Insecticides used to control adult mosquitoes



Insecticides acting on the nervous system

The nervous system is the only target in adult mosquitoes currently addressed by insecticides. However, within the nervous system there are a number of target sites on which insecticides with specific modes of action act.

Group 1 Acetylcholinesterase (AChE) inhibitors
Carbamates (Group 1A) and Organophosphates (Group 1B), act as AChE inhibitors at nerve synapse, resulting in hyperactivity in the nervous system.

Group 3 Sodium channel modulators
Pyrethroids and Pyrethrins (Group 3A) and DDT (Group 3B), rapidly interfere with the propagation of action potential along nerves, leading to hyperactivity and nerve block.

Insecticides disrupting moulting and metamorphosis

Mosquito larvae moult several times during their development and undergo complete metamorphosis when becoming adults.

Group 7 Juvenile hormone mimics
JH analogues (Group 7A) and Pyriproxyfen (Group 7C) interfere with the hormonal regulation of development.

Group 15 Inhibitors of chitin synthesis
Benzoylureas, inhibit the production of chitin structures within the insect.

Group 17 Moulting disruptor, Dipteran.
Cyromazine, disrupts successful larval development.

Microbial disruptors of insect midgut membranes

Derived from bacteria, these toxins need to be ingested. Group 11 Microbial disruptors of insect midgut membranes *Bacillus thuringiensis* var. *israelensis*, Bti, *Bacillus sphaericus*, Bs



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Group 5 Spinosyns, alter the function of nicotinic ion channels, depolarizing insect neurons, leading to neuron excitation.

Insecticide classes for mosquito control		
Group	Mode of Action	Chemical sub-group or exemplifying active ingredient
1A	Acetylcholinesterase inhibitor	Carbamates
1B		Organophosphates
3A & 3B	Sodium channel modulators	pyrethroids and pyrethrins, DDT
5	Nicotinic acetylcholine receptor agonists	Spinosyns
7A	Juvenile hormone mimics	Juvenile hormone analogues
7C		Pyriproxyfen
11	Microbial disruptors of insect midgut membranes	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> var. <i>israelensis</i>
		<i>Bacillus sphaericus</i>
15	Inhibitors of chitin biosynthesis	Benzoylureas
17	Moulting disruptor, Dipteran	Cyromazine

Further reading

WHO (2006): Pesticides and their application. WHO/CDS/NTD/WHOPES/GCD PP 6th edition, 114pp www.who.int/whopes/en/

Prevention and management of insecticide resistance in vectors and pests of public health importance. www.irac-online.org



Strategic Challenge #2

Integrated Vector Management

A rational decision-making process for optimal use of resources for vector control





IVM: Five Key Elements:

Global Strategic Framework
for
Integrated Vector Management



World Health Organization

- Advocacy, social mobilization and legislation
- Cross sector collaboration
- Integrated approach
- Evidence-based decision-making
- Capacity-building

WHO IVM Handbook (Jan 2011)

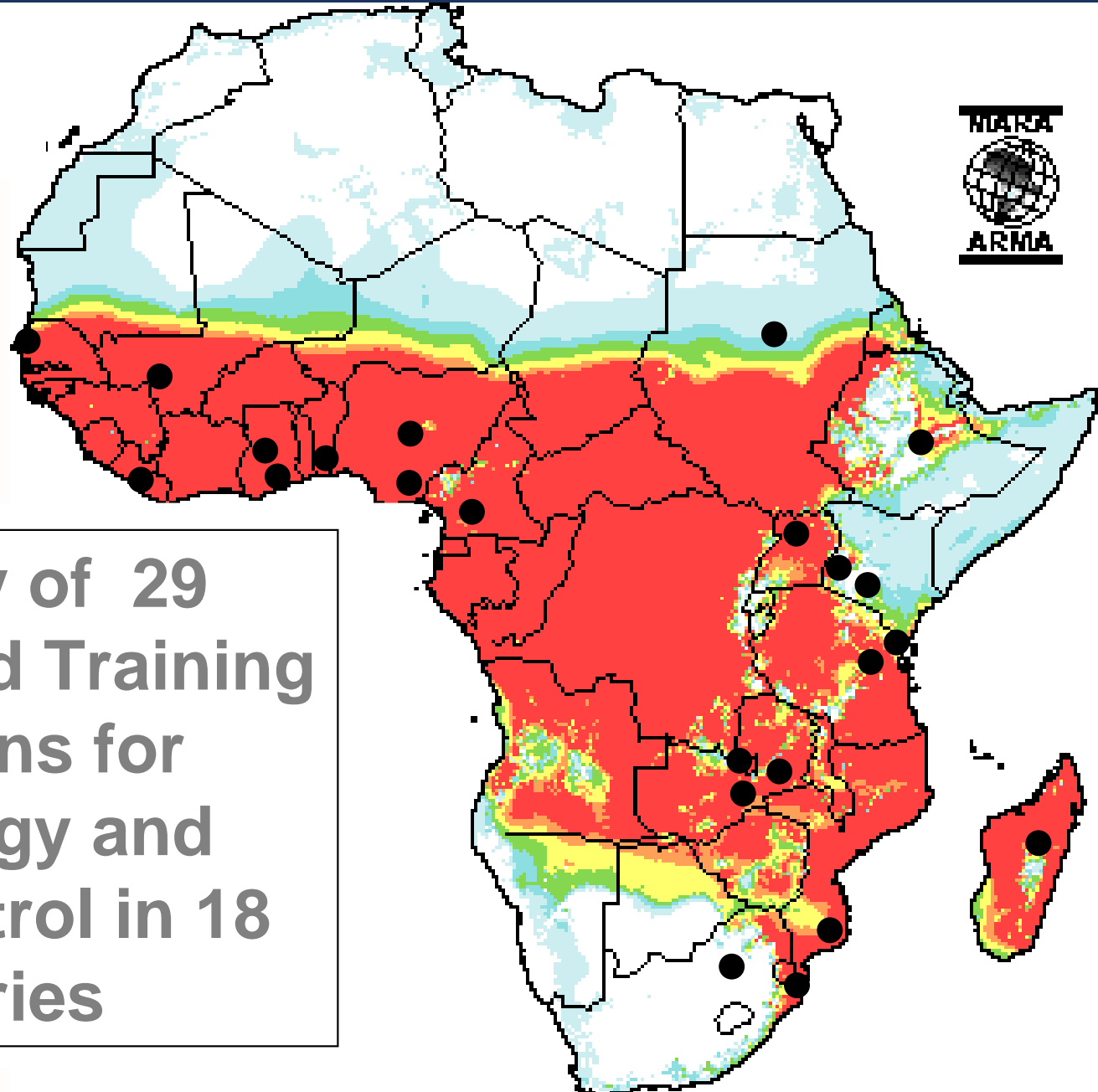
Preface

1. Introduction
2. Policy and stakeholder arrangements
3. Decision making on implementation
4. Monitoring & evaluation
5. Competencies, skills and capacity
6. Advocacy and communication
7. Management and mobilization of resources

Standard Core Curriculum (ACTMalaria Oct 2010)

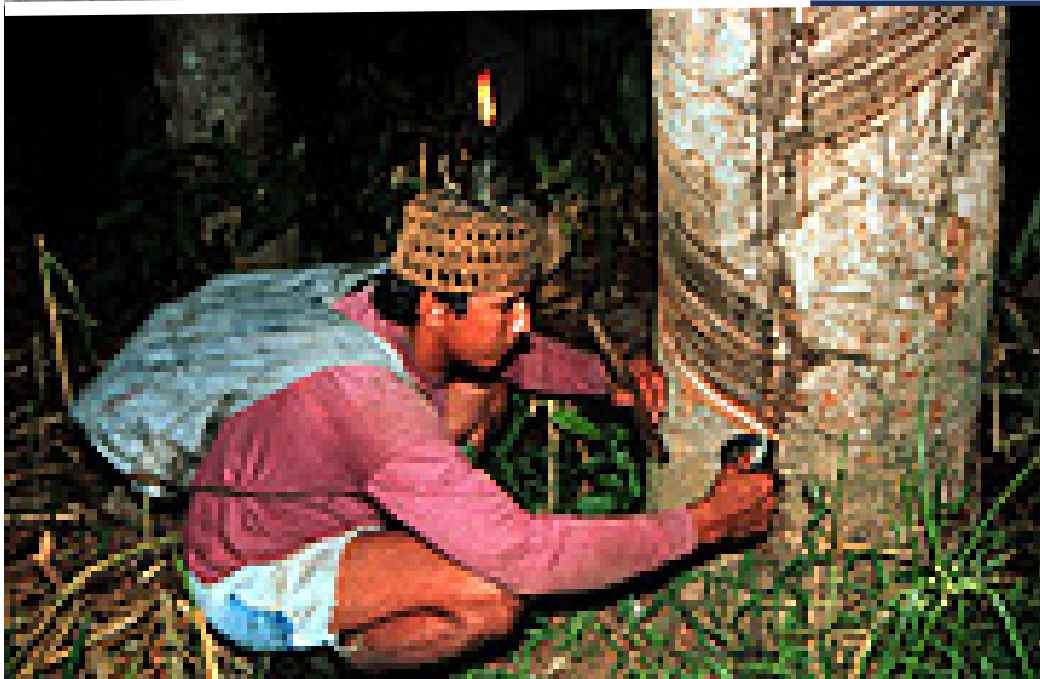
IVM Institutional Foundation

Red = malaria endemic areas



**Inventory of 29
Research and Training
Institutions for
Entomology and
Vector Control in 18
Countries**

Challenge #3 Where there is no house: *personal protection for mobile populations*





Personal Protection: can we pull it together?

- Remote sensing for targeting
 - Vector bionomics
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- Treated Hammocks / Nets
 - Repellents
 - Treated Clothing
 - Insecticide Treated Plastic Sheeting



Facilitating partnerships to solve:

- Tactical challenges
 - LLIN and IRS deployment
 - Products, formulations, combinations
- Strategic challenges
 - IVM and capacity-building
 - Insecticide resistance
 - Personal protection