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Valorisation of information



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- » **15 participants (representatives from the algerian agency bassins, Turkish NFP, University of Constantine, ONEP-Morocco, Université d'Oran, Tunisian NFP, Jordan Royal Scientific Society, Italian NFP...)**
  - » **After a short introduction by the moderator, each participant tried to give a short opinion on his expectative on this workshop.**



- **What are the factors, practices that make difficult the valorisation of the information?**

- » **Difficulty in needs identification, in access to information..**
- » **Access conditions (free, or costs..)**
- » **Information are available, but not easy to valorise... to permit to the users to interpret it correctly..**
- » **Lack of data synthesis...**
- » **Lack of data coherence..., to decide on information diffusion..**
- » **Administrative problems (signatures, etc) is another aspect which makes difficult access to information...**
- » **Lack of knowledge on high technology, which makes necessary organising training**

## 2nd question:

### - What the factors that facilitate the valorisation of the information?

- ❖ The universities are considered also providers of information, and so they ask how they can achieve higher levels (Ministry..), to permit the use of their products and data..
- ❖ Saidam talked about organising meetings between all the stakeholders
- ❖ The necessity to make information in a format easy to be understood by the stakeholders and the decision makers..
- ❖ To motivate the provider of information and show him the importance of his data and the way it will be valorised
- ❖ User needs surveys
- ❖ Organisations should be funded by the government in order to assure a sustainability of data sharing and data quality (a problem in Morocco and Algeria..)
- ❖ The Algerian basin agency tried to meet all the actors to identify the main information provided by each partner, and to pick up their expectatives from such data..
- ❖ Identification of information and the need of the different partners...
- ❖ Show the effectiveness of the information system to the actors..
- ❖ High technology help to facilitate the valorisation of information
- ❖ Different kind of access to information and kind of information (allowing different levels of access)
- ❖ Financial aspect: free access is sometimes useless than giving a price, because users do not use it always adequately
- ❖ At the level of each orga
- ❖ nisation, they prepare their own data, so it is necessary to meet all of them to adapt their data and give access to data to others when it's even not used
- ❖ Not collect a great amount of data, and then try to select and valorize it, it's worth to select the data collection
- ❖ Agreements between actors..
- ❖ Giving data free for universities and academic users
- ❖ The necessity of information update continuously