

PROGRAMME

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DAY 1: MONDAY, 5 MAY 2025

TIME (SAST)	ACTIVITY	SPEAKER	MODERATOR
Session 1:	Official Opening		
9:30 -10:00	Opening of the meeting link National Anthems of South Africa & the AU		
10:00-11:00	Welcome Remarks Opening Statements	H.E. John Steenhuisen, Minister of Agriculture, of the Republic of South Africa. H.E. Moses Vilakati, Commissioner for Agriculture, Rural Development, Blue Economy and Sustainable Environment, African Union Commission (AUC) H.E Nardos Bekele, CEO, AUDA-NEPAD Hon. Fred Bwino Kyakulaga, Minister of State for Agriculture, Uganda (STC Bureau Chair)	Kennedy Ayason, Policy Officer, AUC
	Statement by Representatives of Regional Economic Communities	Regional Economic Communities (RECs) Host REC, SADC, ECCAS & UMA	
	Statement by Representatives of Development Partners	Odd Eirik Arnesen, Chair of the DPCG	
11:00-11:30	Group Photo and Health Break		
Session 2:			
11:30-11:50	Presentation of the Ten-Year CAADP Strategy and Action Plan and the CAADP Kampala Declaration	Dr. Manyewu Mutamba, Senior Programme Officer, Food Security, AUDA-NEPAD	Ms Panduleni Elago, Senior CAADP Advisor, AUC
11:50-13:00	Interventions by: - Ministers, - Government Officials, and - Invited Guests	Ministers and Government Officials and Invited Guests	H.E. Moses Vilakati, Commissioner ARBE, AUC
13:00-13:30	Official unveiling: The CAADP Strategy & Action Plan / Kampala Declaration	Chair of STC	
13:30-14:30	LUNCH and END OF DAY 1		

DAY 2, TUESDAY 6TH MAY 2025:

TIME	ACTIVITY	SPEAKER	MODERATOR
9:30-10:00	Registration		
10:00-10:30	Welcome Remarks		Ms Panduleni Elago, Senior CAADP Advisor
	Presentation of the Roadmap to the Implementation of the CAADP Kampala Declaration	Dr Manyewu Mutamba, Senior Programme Officer, Food Security, AUDA-NEPAD	
10:30-12:30	Discussion on the Domestication of the CAADP Strategy and Action Plan 2026-2035 and the CAADP Kampala Declaration	All	H.E. Moses Vilakati, Commissioner ARBE, AUC
12:30-14:00	LUNCH BREAK		
14:00 – 15:00	Bilateral Meetings (AUC and Partners)	Closed Meetings	
15:00 - 16:30	AU – DPCG Business Meeting	Closed meeting	H.E. Moses Vilakati, Commissioner ARBE, AUC
17:00	END OF DAY TWO		