
**Sixth Conference on Climate Change
The Paris Agreement : What Next for Africa ?
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**Sub theme 4: Making the linkages
between climate change and migration**

**“ What have we learned from past and for future climate impacts,
African agriculture performance at risk, rural exodus ?**

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A review of the evidence from within and outside Africa ”

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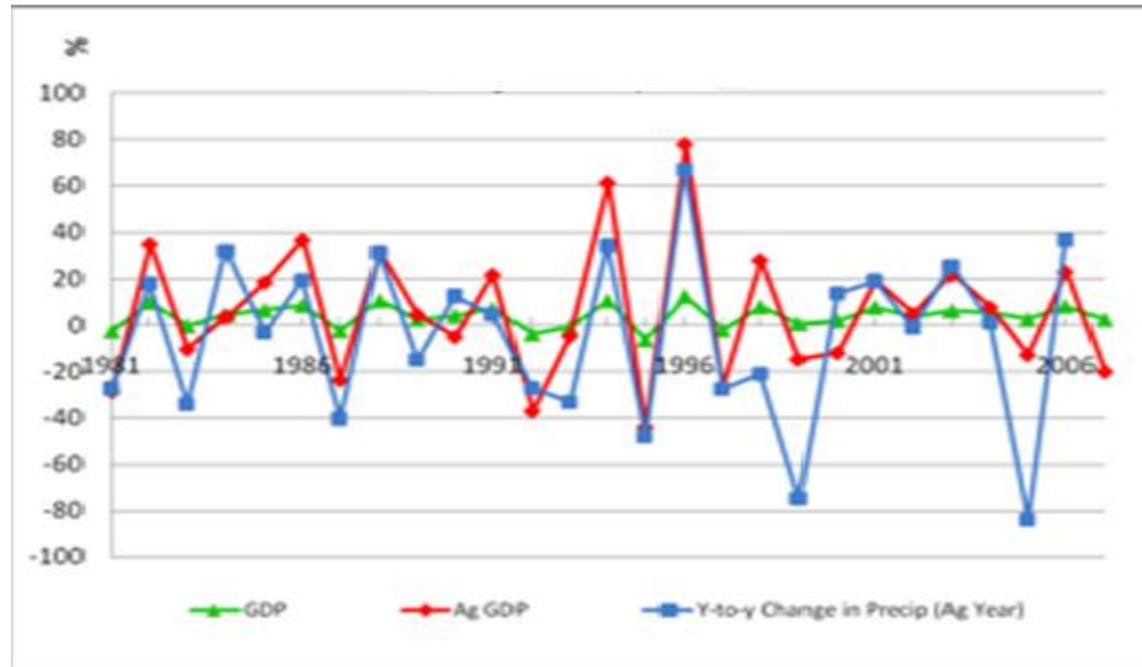
Outline

- I. Context/Background – climate change and migration – not new phenomenon**
- II. A review of the evidence : African agriculture at risk, California, India, Syria, Ethiopia**
- III. Way forward – need for a conceptual revolution towards improved understanding of African agriculture performance and greater resilience**



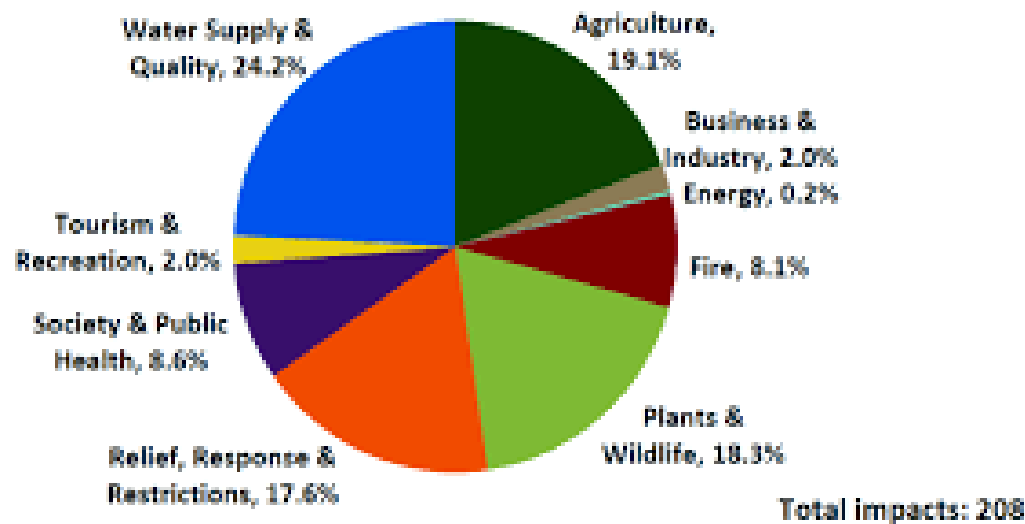
I. A review of the evidence : African agriculture at risk – Morocco case economy

1981-2006 (**ag GDP** and **climate variability**)



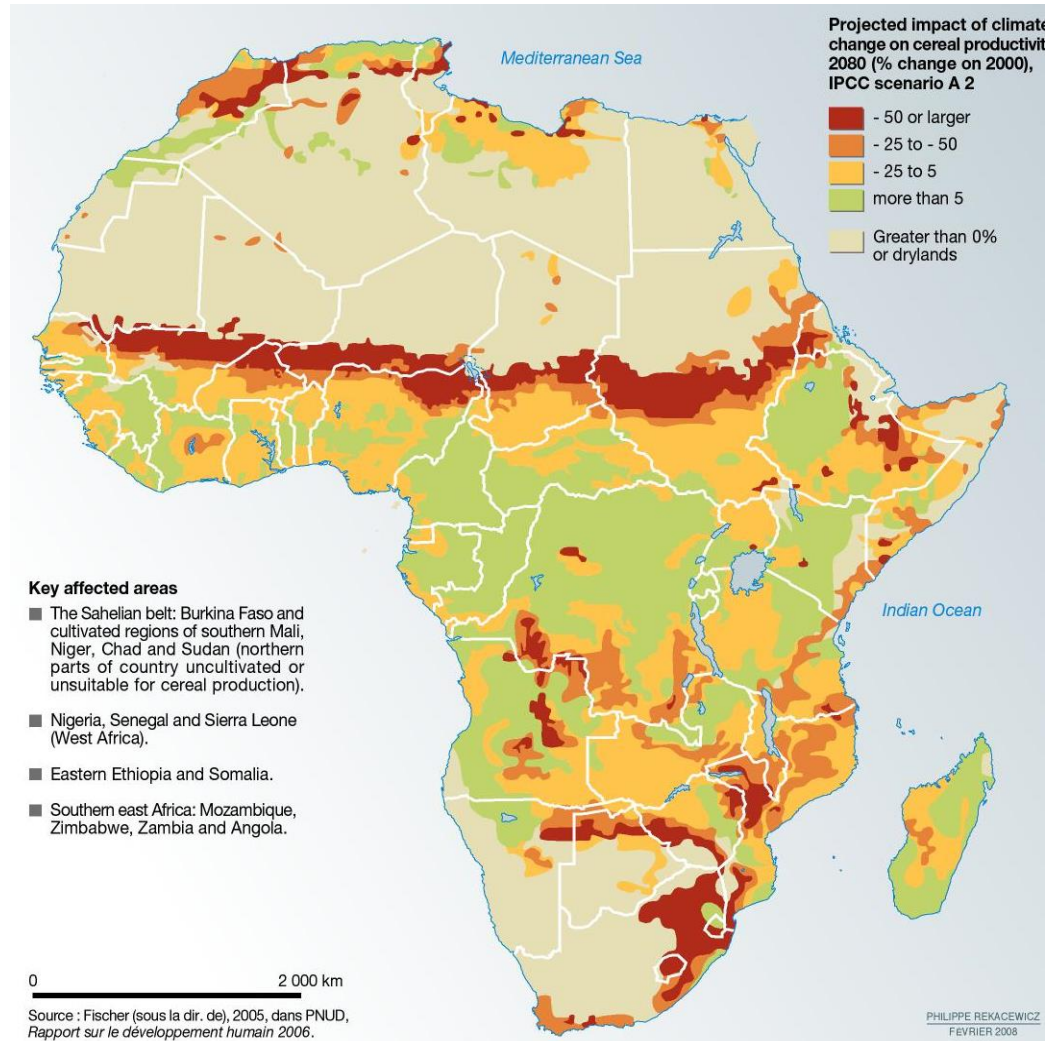
I. A review of the evidence within and outside Africa – California recent drought impacts - **water & agriculture industry**

Impacts in the Drought Impact Reporter, August 2016



I. A review of the evidence : African agriculture at risk

Cereal sector performance uncertain



**What have we learned from past and for future
climate impacts,
African agriculture performance at risk and
rural to urban exodus ?**

- **African Agriculture performance at risk with increased rural exodus expected across the continent**
- **Other agricultures at risk too. California, India, Syria**



Way forward & future prospects

- Need for a **conceptual revolution** towards a better understanding of African agriculture risk to achieve greater resilience into the future...

