

Arhus Field Exercise Sites

I have identified two field exercise sites,

- One east of Chorbag (see first image below), an area affected by landslides and stream erosions and
- One at the Yovon earthquake relocation site (second image).

The 3rd image locates both sites with respect to Dushanbe.

Both sites should be within 1 hour of the OSCE office. Each presents a different perspective on ecosystems and ecosystem DRR, the first an older settlement with well known hazards (REACR has done damage and loss assessment training there in the past) and the second a new site, where hazards may not be that well know, or addressed (and we have reports on the earthquake about a year ago).

We can allocate 3 teams to one site (probably Yovon because it is smaller) and 4 to the other.

We will also discuss with the teams how they are to get information about the communities. I am presuming that the Arhus staff are at least generally familiar with field work methods, e.g., interview methods, gender inclusion, contacts with local government protocol, etc.

I will do a more detailed briefing presentation for before people go into the field. But we do need to remind them that is will be winter and to dress appropriately.

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Chorbag

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