

Panel Discussion on Data Collection and Appropriate SDGs Monitoring Methodologies in Africa

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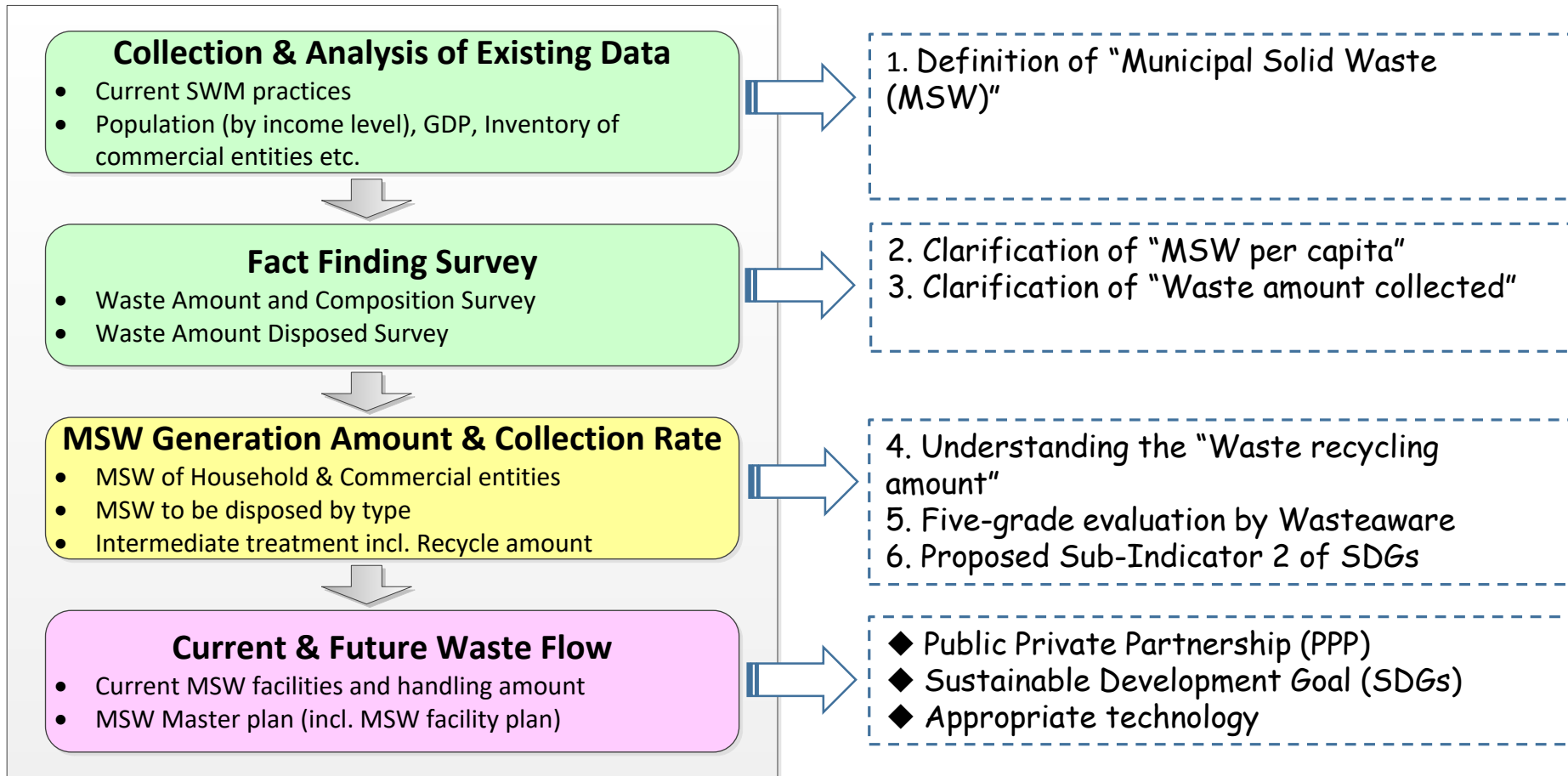
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Flow Diagram for making MSW Flow and Recommendations



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Q1: How does data assessment improve waste management?

- **The principle applies « You cant manage, what you cant measure»**
- **SDG reporting will support prioritizing national efforts and learning from eachother**

Q2: Feasible SWM data collection / SDGs monitoring methodology in Africa

- **“Simplicity is the ultimate sophistication” (Leonardo da Vinci)**
- **Unnecessary complexity should be avoided at global level**
- **Issues: definitions matter: Urban vs Municipal; Regular collection (every 1-2-3 weeks?), collection (where?)**

Q3: Role of ACCP

- **« if you want to walk fast, walk alone. If you want to walk far, walk together » (African proverb)**
- **ACCP might support the development and application of common method**
- **Sharing experiences and learning from each other, identifying trends**