

# PAMIs for cholera control

## Module 3



GLOBAL TASK FORCE ON  
**CHOLERA CONTROL**



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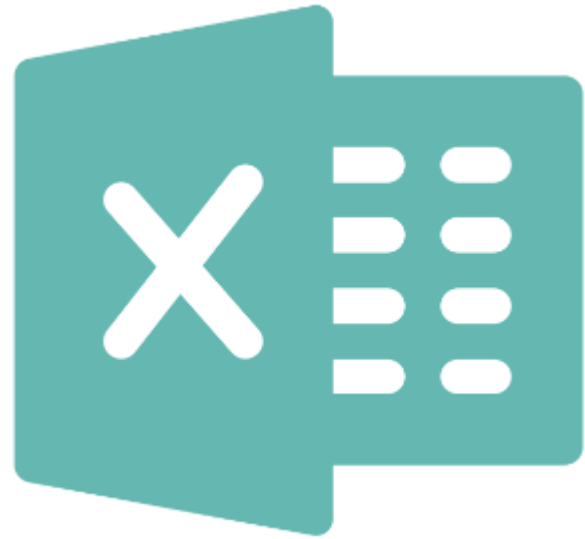
**PAMI**  
**Excel tool**



# What will you learn?

- **Structure and main functions** of the PAMI Excel tool
- **How to upload data** in the PAMI Excel tool
- **How to process calculations** in the PAMI Excel tool
- **How to interpret the outputs** generated by the PAMI Excel tool

# PAMI Excel tool



- ➔ **Automatizes all calculations** for the identification of PAMIs
- ➔ **Generates summary outputs** for discussion at the **stakeholder validation**

# Get ready

## Get ready to manipulate the PAMI Excel tool

### ► Make sure to use Windows

- The PAMI Excel tool operates under **Windows operating system**

#### 1. Get the PAMI Excel Tool



Identification Tool



#### 2. Get a dataset to manipulate



Training dataset



#### 3. Have the user guide on hand



User Guide



<https://tinyurl.com/PAMIconrol>





Explore the  
PAMI Excel tool



# Overview of the PAMI Excel tool

## Sheet Information

### “Read me”

- Provides access to reference documents
- Provides **tips** for using the tool



Information

-> Data input table

R.1| Priority index calculation

R.2| Overview tables

R.3| Priority index summary

R.4| Additional factors tables

R.5| Table PAMIs export

# Overview of the PAMI Excel tool

## Sheet Data input table

This is **where to upload your data**

### Reminder from Module 2

Format your data in accordance  
with the GTFCC data model template  
before upload



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# Overview of the PAMI Excel tool

## Sheet R.1 | Priority index calculation

This is **where all calculations are performed**



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# Overview of the PAMI Excel tool

## Sheets R.2 to R.5

This is **where to find the outputs**

- Each sheet displays different outputs to:
  - Interpret the calculations
  - Guide decision-making on PAMIs



Information

-> Data input table

R.1| Priority index calculation


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Upload data  
in the PAMI  
Excel tool



# Prepare for the upload

- ➡ Make sure your data is formatted in accordance with the **PAMI data model template**



**Learn about the data model template in Module 2**

- ➡ Save a **local copy** of the PAMI Excel tool

- ➡ If there is a "Protected View" banner, click **"Enable Editing"**



PROTECTED VIEW Be careful—files from the Internet can contain viruses. Unless you need to edit, it's safer to stay in Protected View.

Enable Editing



# Upload the data

## 1 Copy your dataset

➡ In your **dataset file**

- Select the entire data range (ctrl +A)
- Copy it (ctrl + C)

## 2 Paste your dataset in the tool

➡ In the **PAMI Excel tool**

- 1 In the sheet Data input table
- 2 In the grey Cell A1
- 3 Paste the data as values only

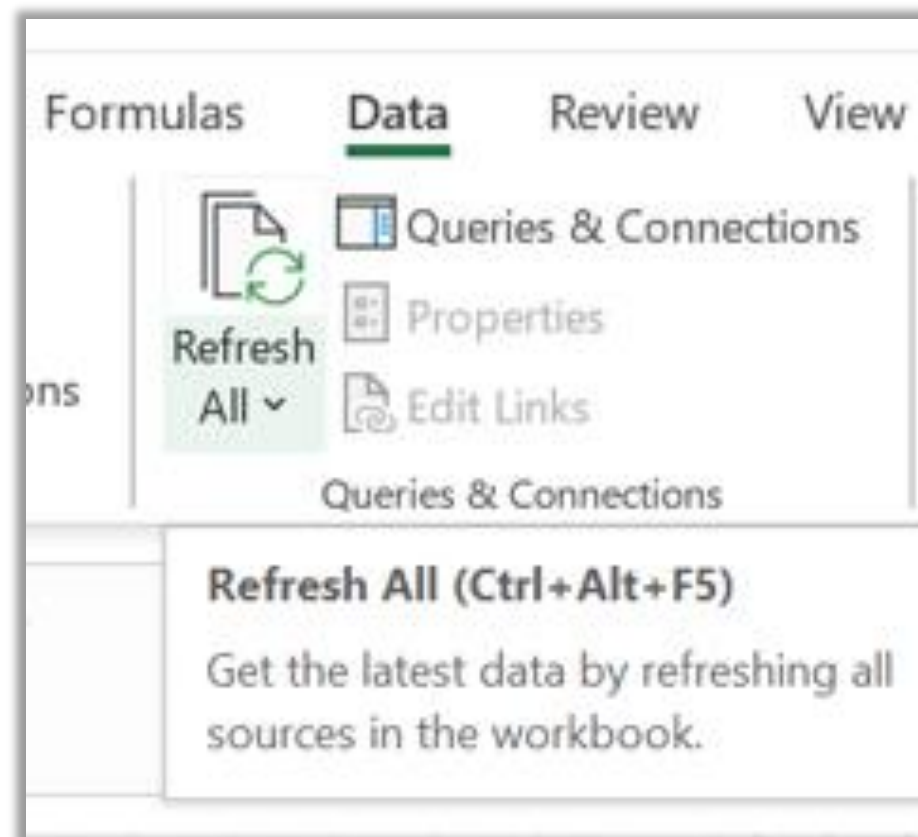




# Process the calculations

## 4 « Refresh » to launch the calculations

- ➡ Go to the Excel **Data** tab and click **Refresh All**



Go through  
the outputs



# What is in sheet R.1?

## Calculation sheet

All indicators to identify PAMIs are calculated in this sheet

### ► For each row (=each geo unit)

- **Epidemiological indicators** (incidence, mortality, persistence) and their score
- Representativeness of **testing** and testing indicators
- **Priority index**
- Number of **vulnerability factors** present

Unique_id	Admin_1	Admin_2	Total_week	Population_sum	Mean_pop	Cases_sum	Deaths_sum	Tot_tested_sum	Tot_tested_pos_sum	Num_week_sum	Num_week_test_sum	Incidence	Incidence_score	Mortality	Mortality_score	Persistence	Persistence_score	Week_testing_coverage	Positivity_rate	Test_positivity_score	Num_years_with_case	Num_years_with_case_score	Priority_index	VF_01_prox_chol	VF_02_maj_pathw	VF_03_pop_gathering	VF_04_overcrowd_sett	VF_05_spec_risk_pop	VF_06_remote_unit	VF_07_vacc_sup_3yrs	VF_08_acute_emerg	VF_09_complex_emerg	VF_10_WASH_ind_water	VF_11_WASH_ind_sanitation	VF_12_WASH_ind_hygiene	Sum_vulnerability
id_005	admin_admin	261	3E+05	53762.8	199	11	114	11	28	22	74.029	3	4.092	3	10.7	2	78.6	9.6	1	2	2	9	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	3
id_013	admin_admin	261	6E+05	114117	128	20	108	52	12	10	22.433	2	3.505	3	4.6	1	83.3	48.1	3	3	2	9	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
id_014	admin_admin	261	2E+05	41173.6	225	8	114	6	44	39	109.293	3	3.886	3	16.9	2	88.6	5.3	1	3	2	9	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	2
id_015	admin_admin	261	8E+05	151834.2	634	14	354	47	11	6	83.512	3	1.844	3	4.2	1	54.5	13.3	2	3	2	9	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
id_022	admin_admin	261	1E+06	271860.4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 NA	0 NA	0 NA	0 NA	0.0	0.0	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	0	No	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	1
id_025	admin_admin	261	1E+06	241779.2	185	5	102	24	27	20	15.303	1	0.414	1	10.3	2	74.1	23.5	2	4	2	6	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	3

# How to use Sheet R.1?

## ► Do not manipulate nor modify the sheet R.1

- Calculations in the sheet R1 are used as the source of data for calculating all outputs (sheets R2 to R5)
- Manipulations in the sheet R.1 may **interfere with the outputs**

## ► Use the sheet R.5 instead

- Sheet R.5 shows the same variables as sheet R.1
- To sort/manipulate/explore the outputs displayed in the sheet R1, use the sheet R5

# What is in sheet R.2?

All parameters of the PAMI analysis are summarized in the sheet R2

## Data overview

Summary statistics on the dataset analysed

## Testing indicators

How testing is addressed in the analysis according to the representativeness of cholera testing

## Epidemiological indicators

Scoring scale of epidemiological indicators according to their distribution

DATA OVERVIEW	
Data description *	
Number of NCP operational geographic units	100
Study period: start year	2017
Study period: end year	2021
Study period: number of years	5
Number of NCP operational geographic units with at least one case	78
Total number of cases	47,483
Total number of deaths	679
Overall case fatality	1.4%
Total number of suspect cases tested **	22,851
Total number of suspect cases tested positive **	9,194
Overall positivity rate **	40.2%
*The totals are calculated for the entire set of geographical unit over the study period	
**Regardless of the testing method applied	

EPIDEMIOLOGICAL INDICATORS

Epidemiological indicator score thresholds

Incidence (100,000 pers.y-1)*	Median	21.30
	80th percentile	62.54
Mortality (100,000 pers.y-1)*	Median	0.65
	80th percentile	1.83
Persistence (% of weeks with ≥ one case)*	Median	10.2
	80th percentile	22.1

\*Calculated out of geographic units with indicator value >0

Score values by epidemiological indicators

Epidemiological indicator	Score			
	0 point	1 point	2 points	3 points
Incidence	No case	> 0 and < ≥ median and < 80th	≥ median and < 80th	≥ 80th
Mortality	No	> 0 and < ≥ median and < 80th	≥ median and < 80th	≥ 80th
Persistence	No case	> 0 and < ≥ median and < 80th	≥ median and < 80th	≥ 80th

TESTING INDICATORS					
Assessment of representativeness of cholera testing *					
Step 1					
Number of NCP operational geographic units with weekly testing coverage ≥ 50%					69
Percentage of NCP operational geographic units (with at least one case) with testing coverage ≥ 50%					88.5%
Is weekly testing coverage ≥ 50% in at least 80% of the NCP operational geographic units of the					Yes
Level of representativeness of testing					Acceptable
Inclusion of positivity rate score into the priority index					Yes, positivity rate score included into the priority index
Step 2					
Number of NCP operational geographic units with weekly testing coverage > 0%					NA
Percentage of NCP operational geographic units with testing coverage > 0%					NA
Is the weekly testing coverage > 0 in at least 80% of the NCP operational geographic units of the country?					NA
Level of representativeness of testing					NA
Inclusion of the num. of years with case(s) tested positive score into the priority index					NA
NA: not applicable					
*Regardless of the testing method applied					

**Weekly testing coverage**  
For what percentage of weeks was at least one suspected cholera case tested?

Yes → Acceptable representativeness → Positivity rate indicator included in priority index

No → > 0% in at least 80% of the geographic units? → Yes → Suboptimal representativeness → Number of years with case(s) tested positive included in priority index

No → Insufficient representativeness → Cholera testing not included in priority index

Score values by testing indicators					
Weekly testing coverage	Testing indicator	Score			
		0 point	1 point	2 points	3 points
Acceptable	Positivity rate	0	≤ 10%	> 10% and ≤ 30%	> 30%
Suboptimal	Num. of years with confirmed case(s)	0	1	> 1	NA*
Insufficient	NA*	NA*	NA*	NA*	NA*
*NA: Not applicable					



# How to use Sheet R.2?

**Use the figures provided in the Sheet R.2 to:**

- Detect any inconsistency that may indicate **errors in the dataset or its formatting (data overview)**
- Understand **how the priority index was calculated (epidemiological indicators, testing indicators)**
- Extract key figures of the PAMIs analysis for discussion at the **stakeholder validation**
- Document key figures of the PAMIs analysis in the **report on PAMI identification**

# What is in sheet R.3?

- 1 **Stratified by priority index value**
- 2 **Proxy on the feasibility of interventions in PAMIs**  
Cumulative # of geo units and % of the population in geo units with a priority index  $\geq$  priority index value
- 3 **Proxy on the potential impact of interventions in PAMIs**  
Cumulative # and % of cholera cases and deaths in geo units with a priority index  $\geq$  priority index value

Priority index values	Number of geographic units	Cum. number of geographic units	Rel. % of num. of geographic units	Total population	Rel. % of population	Cum. % of population	Num. of cases	Rel. % of num. of cases	Cum. % of num. of cases	Num. of deaths	Rel. % of num. of deaths	Cum. % of num. of deaths
12	1	1	1.0%	372,328	1.7%	1.7%	7,404	15.6%	15.6%	47	6.9%	6.9%
11	4	5	4.0%	1,082,936	4.9%	6.6%	10,719	22.6%	38.2%	86	12.7%	19.6%
10	9	14	9.0%	2,482,153	11.2%	17.8%	16,110	33.9%	72.1%	141	20.8%	40.4%
9	16	30	16.0%	3,440,568	15.5%	33.3%	8,283	17.4%	89.5%	198	29.2%	69.5%
8	6	36	6.0%	1,174,687	5.3%	38.6%	1,957	4.1%	93.7%	81	11.9%	81.4%
7	7	43	7.0%	1,485,332	6.7%	45.3%	1,242	2.6%	96.3%	64	9.4%	90.9%
6	13	56	13.0%	2,667,462	12.0%	57.3%	1,239	2.6%	98.9%	37	5.4%	96.3%
5	6	62	6.0%	1,411,159	6.4%	63.7%	308	0.6%	99.5%	13	1.9%	98.2%
4	5	67	5.0%	1,099,903	5.0%	68.7%	149	0.3%	99.8%	9	1.3%	99.6%
3	5	72	5.0%	956,310	4.3%	73.0%	57	0.1%	100.0%	2	0.3%	99.9%
2	6	78	6.0%	1,382,814	6.2%	79.2%	15	0.0%	100.0%	1	0.1%	100.0%
0	22	100	22.0%	4,607,481	20.8%	100.0%	0	0.0%	100.0%	0	0.0%	100.0%
Grand Total	100		100.0%	22,163,133	100.0%		47,483	100.0%		679	100.0%	



# How to read sheet R.3?

## Illustration

Priority index values	Number of geographic units	Cum. number of geographic units	Rel. % of num. of geographic units	Total population	Rel. % of population	Cum. % of population	Num. of cases	Rel. % of num. of cases	Cum. % of num. of cases	Num. of deaths	Rel. % of num. of deaths	Cum. % of num. of deaths
12	1	1	1.0%	372,328	1.7%	2%	7,404	15.6%	16%	47	6.9%	7%
11	4	5	4.0%	1,082,936	4.9%	7%	10,719	22.6%	38%	86	12.7%	20%
10	9	14	9.0%	2,482,153	11.2%	18%	16,110	33.9%	72%	141	20.8%	40%
9	16	30	16.0%	3,440,568	15.5%	33%	8,283	17.4%	90%	198	29.2%	70%
8	6	36	6.0%	1,174,687	5.3%	39%	1,957	4.1%	94%	81	11.9%	81%
7	7	43	7.0%	1,485,332	6.7%	45%	1,242	2.6%	96%	64	9.4%	91%
6	13	56	13.0%	2,667,462	12.0%	57%	1,239	2.6%	99%	37	5.4%	96%
5	6	62	6.0%	1,411,159	6.4%	64%	308	0.6%	100%	13	1.9%	98%
4	5	67	5.0%	1,099,903	5.0%	69%	149	0.3%	100%	9	1.3%	100%
3	5	72	5.0%	956,310	4.3%	73%	57	0.1%	100%	2	0.3%	100%
2	6	78	6.0%	1,382,814	6.2%	79%	15	0.0%	100%	1	0.1%	100%
0	22	100	22.0%	4,607,481	20.8%	100%	0	0.0%	100%	0	0.0%	100%
Grand Total	100		100.0%	22,163,133	100.0%		47,483	100.0%		679	100.0%	

If priority index threshold set to  $\geq 9$

### ► Feasibility of interventions in PAMIs

- 30 geo units would be PAMIs
- 33% of the population

### ► Potential impact of interventions in PAMIs

- 90% of the cholera cases
- 70% of the cholera deaths

# How to use Sheet R.3?

Figures in the sheet R.3 are used to set the **priority index threshold**

- ➡ **Explore and discuss** different threshold scenario at the stakeholder validation for setting the priority index threshold
- ➡ Determine the **best balance** between feasibility and impact
- ➡ **Document** how the priority index was selected in the report on PAMI identification



# What is in sheet R.4?

Only applicable if **vulnerability factors** are included in the PAMI analysis

Areas with high population density  
or overcrowded settings (e.g.,  
urban slums, refugees/ID camps)

	VF_04_overcrowd_se	
Priority_index	Yes	No
12	1	
11	1	3
10	5	4
9	6	10
8	2	4
7	2	5
6	3	10
5	2	4
4	2	3
3	2	3
2	1	5
0	6	16
Grand Total	33	67

For each vulnerability factor and stratified by priority index value

► Number of geo units where the vulnerability factor is present

# How to manipulate sheet R.4?

➡ To see the geo units where the vulnerability factor is present for a given priority index value

1 Select the cell you would like to explore

Areas with high population density or overcrowded settings (e.g., urban slums, refugees/ID camps)

Priority_index	VF_04_overcrowd_se	
	Yes	No
12	1	
11	1	3
10	5	4
9	6	10
8	2	4
7	2	5
6	3	10
5	2	4
4	2	3
3	2	3
2	1	5
0	6	16
Grand Total	33	67

2 Right-click and choose “Show Details”

Areas with high population density or overcrowded settings (e.g., urban slums, refugees/ID camps)

Priority_index	VF_04_overcrowd
12	1
11	1
10	5
9	6
8	2
7	2
6	3
5	2
4	2
3	2
2	1
0	6
Grand Total	33

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- Format Cells...
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- Summarize Values By
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- Show Details
- Value Field Settings...
- PivotTable Options...
- Show Field List

3 A new Excel sheet opens

Unique_id	Admin_1	Admin_2
id_284	admin_1_17	admin_2_284
id_067	admin_1_04	admin_2_067



# How to use Sheet R.4?

**If vulnerability factors were included in the PAMI analysis**

**Use the figures provided in the sheet R.4 to:**

- ➡ Guide the discussions on **additional PAMIs** at the stakeholder validation
  - Explore vulnerability factors present in geo units that have a priority index value below the priority index threshold

# What is in sheet R.5?

**Content similar to Sheet R.1**  
**All indicators calculated to identify PAMIs**

	Unique_id	Admin_1	Admin_2	Total_week	Validation_sum	Mean_Pop	Cases_sum	Deaths_sum	Tested_sum	Ated_pos_sum	in_week_sum	Week_test_sum	Incidence	Incidence_score	Mortality	Fatality_score	Persistence	Prevalence_score	Testing_coverage	Activity_rate	Positivity_score	Cases_with_case	Cases_with_case_s	Incidence_index	Ated_pos_dhol	Ated_pos_pathw	Pop_gathering	Covered_sett	Specifick_pop	Remote_unit	Acc_sup_3yrs	Acc_sup_3yrs	Complex_emerg	WASH_ind_water	WASH_ind_sanita	WASH_ind_hyg	
id_282	admin_1_17	admin_2_282	261	1861639	372327.8	7404	47	1877	672	256	210	397.71	3	2.53	3	98.1	3	82	36	3	5	2	12	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	9	
id_033	admin_1_02	admin_2_033	261	1052119	210423.8	1298	27	690	83	92	85	123.37	3	2.57	3	35.2	3	92	12	2	5	2	11	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	3
id_099	admin_1_06	admin_2_099	261	1629267	325853.4	1086	21	623	246	60	49	66.66	3	1.29	2	23	3	82	39	3	3	2	11	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	4
id_225	admin_1_14	admin_2_225	261	1377360	275472	7483	10	3230	2228	224	166	543.29	3	0.73	2	85.8	3	74	69	3	5	2	11	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	6	
id_281	admin_1_17	admin_2_281	261	1355933	271186.6	852	28	125	35	111	87	62.84	3	2.07	3	42.5	3	78	28	2	5	2	11	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	7	
id_051	admin_1_03	admin_2_051	261	1710085	342017	3131	31	2052	254	73	58	183.09	3	1.81	2	28	3	79	12	2	5	2	10	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	9	
id_096	admin_1_06	admin_2_096	261	827377	165475.4	300	19	181	66	54	39	36.26	2	2.30	3	20.7	2	72	36	3	3	2	10	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	3	
id_121	admin_1_07	admin_2_121	261	1548737	309747.4	439	13	242	95	103	81	28.35	2	0.84	2	39.5	3	79	39	3	5	2	10	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	5
id_158	admin_1_08	admin_2_158	261	551548	110309.6	332	21	231	85	54	39	60.19	2	3.81	3	20.7	2	72	37	3	4	2	10	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	4	
id_224	admin_1_14	admin_2_224	261	987011	197402.2	1061	16	201	79	37	28	107.50	3	1.62	2	14.2	2	76	39	3	4	2	10	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	11
id_227	admin_1_14	admin_2_227	261	2705876	541175.2	4585	10	3153	1170	164	138	169.45	3	0.37	1	62.8	3	84	37	3	5	2	10	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	8
id_231	admin_1_14	admin_2_231	261	2234942	446988.4	4537	14	2685	1376	195	170	203.00	3	0.63	1	74.7	3	87	51	3	5	2	10	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	8
id_277	admin_1_15	admin_2_277	261	939258	187851.6	1061	5	827	433	105	84	112.96	3	0.53	1	40.2	3	80	52	3	5	2	10	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	7	
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# How to use Sheet R.5?

## ➡ Manipulate the data in the sheet R.5

⚙ For example, sort or filter the data by priority index value

## ➡ Export a copy of the sheet R.5

This export can be used for:

- Importation in a **statistical software**
- Importation in a **GIS software** to map PAMIs
- **Discussing** specific geo units at the stakeholder validation
- **Taking notes** at the stakeholder validation





# Wrap up

The GTFCC PAMI Excel computes all calculations and generates the following outputs

## ➔ Sheet R.2| Overview tables

- Parameters of the PAMI analysis
- Useful to understand the analysis performed and for consistency checks

## ➔ Sheet R.3| Priority index summary

- Proxy on feasibility & impact of interventions
- Useful to set the priority index threshold at the stakeholder validation

## ➔ Sheet R.4| Additional factors tables

*If vulnerability factors included in the analysis*

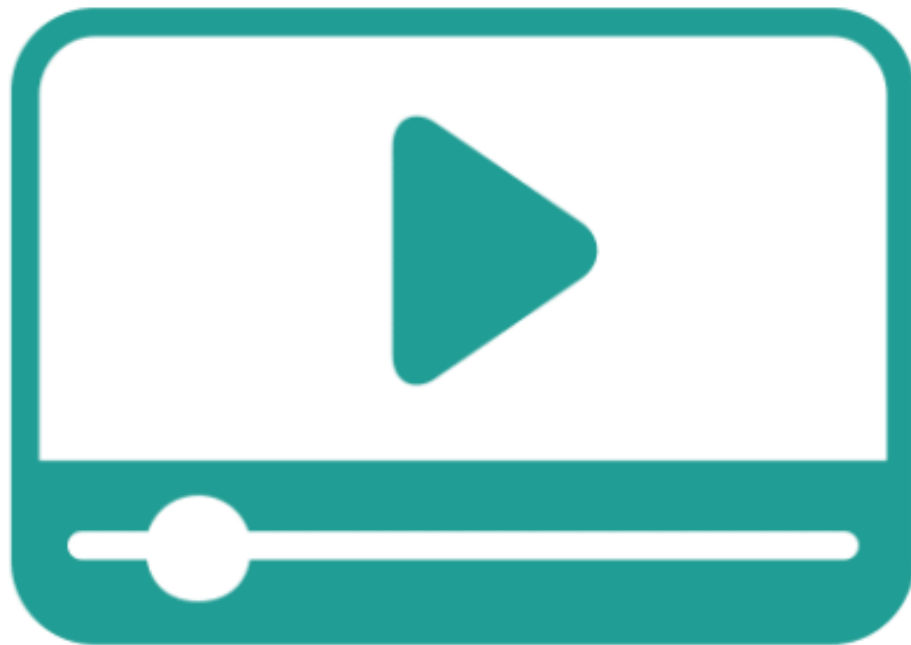
- Summary information on the presence/absence of vulnerability factors
- Useful to discuss the inclusion of additional PAMIs at the stakeholder validation

## ➔ Sheet R.5| Table PAMIs Export

- Summarizes all calculations
- Useful for GIS mapping, additional analysis, etc

# Learn more

**Watch videos to see how to use the PAMI Excel tool**  
**<https://tinyurl.com/tutoexcelPAMIcontrol>**



- ➡ **Get ready to use the PAMI Excel tool**
- ➡ **Upload data in the PAMI Excel tool**
- ➡ **Explore the outputs of the PAMI Excel tool**



# Practice

**Practice using the PAMI Excel tool with an exercise**

**Access the exercise**

<https://tinyurl.com/PAMlcontrolPractice>



**Check your answers**

<https://tinyurl.com/PAMlcontrolAnswers>



**Takes about 15 minutes to complete**



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