USABILITY SURVEY

You have recently [what they have done with AC – asked to look at data, etc].

We are trying to improve the accessibility of our data and think that your views of our current approach to presenting what data we have will be useful.

This is a short survey to elicit your opinions on the most useful data products and data sources we provide when you made your judgement to use the data and/or platforms.

The list of participants of this survey shall be kept confidential and anonymized.

1. From the following list, please rank the usefulness of these (rank from 1 to 8 with one being most useful and 8 being least useful. Enter 99 for Did Not Use):

Public Website

Research Publications

1% Sample Datasets

Speaking to scientists at the Africa Centre

Visiting the Centre and seeing the research operations in action

Interacting with the scientific support staff

Data Everywhere Platform

Other (Specify): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. **Extent of Usefulness**

To what extent did the information source with the highest usefulness in Q1 help in your decision making on the usefulness of Africa Centre data for your purposes?

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| To very great extent | To great extent | To some extent | To little extent | To very little extent |
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1. **Ease of use**

How easy was it to gain enough information to make a decision about whether that data is useful for your purposes?

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| Very difficult | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | Very easy |
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1. **Satisfaction**

Overall, how satisfied are you with the quality, availability, usefulness and ease of use of the data products and data sources provided by the Africa Centre to learn more about Africa Centre as a research/study location and its suitability to conduct my research at the Centre.

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| strongly dissatisfied | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | strongly satisfied |
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