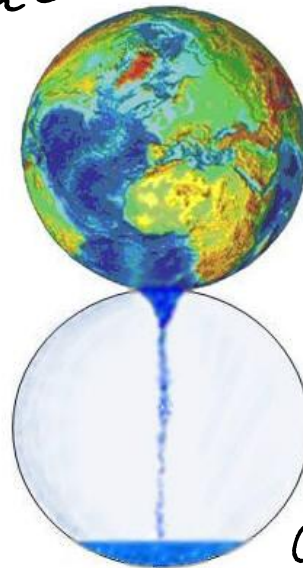


ITALIAN RED CROSS YOUTH



*time is
running out...*



*STOP
CLIMATE CHANGE!!*

Climate in action

European Cooperation Meeting
Wien 7-12 April 2010

Climate in action



- CLIMATE situation
- Strategy
- ACTION

Italy situation



Italy situation



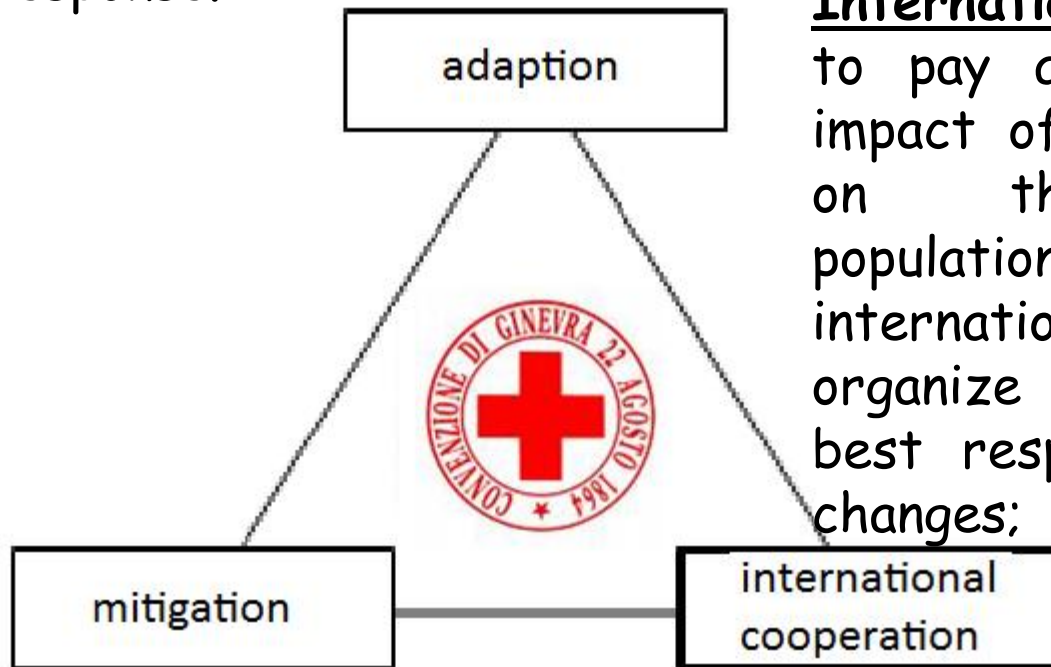
Italy situation: just “numbers”?



- 1 K temperature increasing in the last 20 years;
- 6 dryness season in the last 40 years;
- 7 big flood in the last 50 years;
- 40% of Italian territory have dryness risk;
- 70% of Italian city have flood risk ;
- 2.184 millions of euro spendend to reparaire the damage caused from 12.000 landslide occured between 1991-2001, with 300.000 people involved.
- 18.257 dead caused of heatwaves only in 2002.

Strategy

Adaptation: to reduce the vulnerability of the populations affected by extreme meteorological events and increase the emergency response.



International Cooperation: to pay attention on the impact of climate change, on the vulnerable populations, through international forum to organize and develop the best response to climate changes;

Mitigation: to talk about the causes of climate change, to improve the awareness of the population related to this issues;

Strategy



I step : to increase the knowledge about climate change, through intense training course, workshops etc., directed to Red Cross volunteers.

inside



Increase the emergency response capacity thanks to an optimization of the utilization of human resource and facility.

outside



Increase the capacity to plan, interact and realize projects in collaboration with the school, government and other institutions.

National and Regional training course



Training course for volunteers



The development of knowledge and capacity is a fundamental point in our action ...

...through lessons taught from other volunteers and external expert...



Training course for VOLUNTEERS



...based on the peer
education method, ...



...active partecipazione,...

Training course for volunteers



... role play, ...



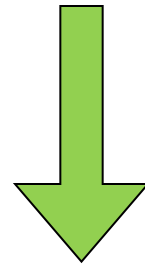
... with enthusiasm, to
form a group that works
with the same method
and aim.



Strategy



II step : Organization of events, activity in the schools, conference and so on, to spread information among the whole population, about climate changes, the risk they bring and how we can reduce our vulnerability.



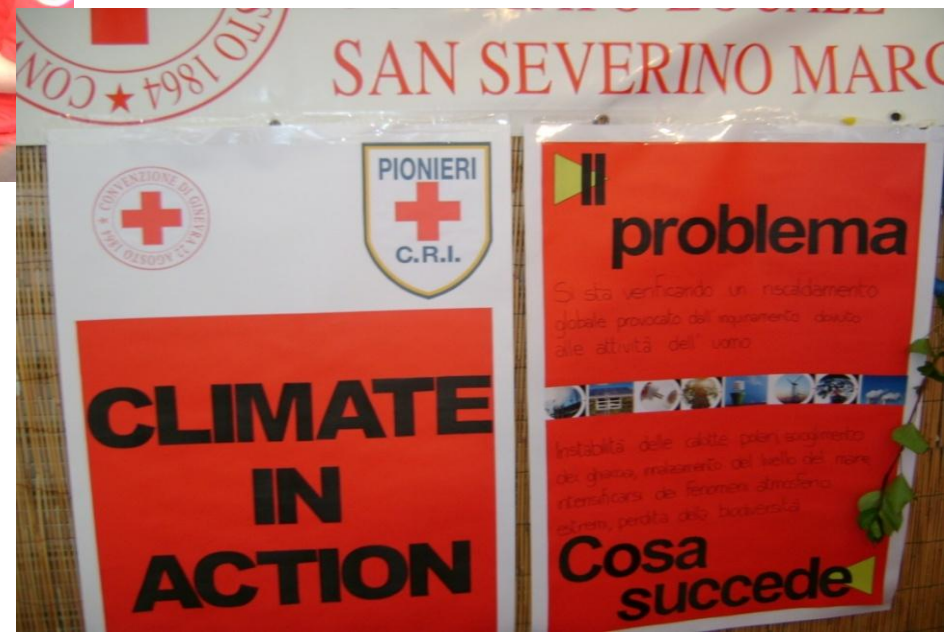
To increase the population awareness about the climate change and to spread information about simple actions to prevent risk of some event related with the climate changes (e.g. heatwaves)

Population awareness ...



To inform with ...

... direct and simple sentence, ...



Population awareness ...



... games, ...



... to change our
habits and
lifestyle.

... and other associations

In collaboration with other associations...

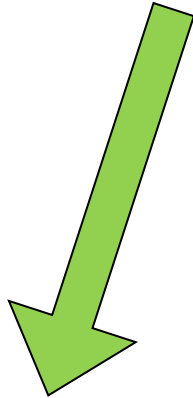


... we can reach more people and learn more things by sharing best practices.

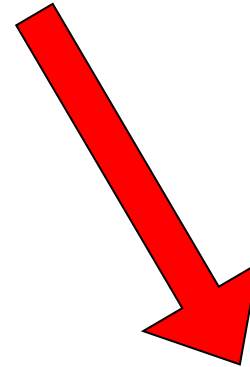
Strategy



III step : National and Regional Plan



Managing the increased risks of heatwaves



Organization of summer camps and plan specific actions.

National summer plan



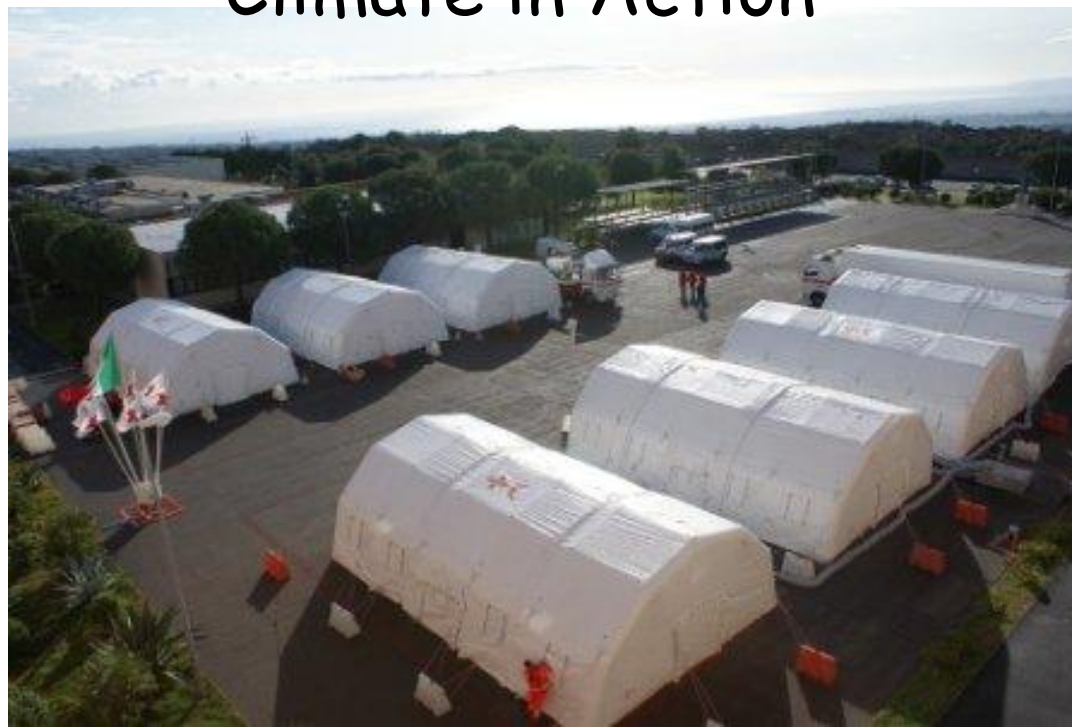
Managing the increased risks of heatwaves in Italy through information to the population and preparation to the emergency



Regional summer plan



Organization of summer campus where the volunteers of Youth Red Cross can meet young people to share the Red Cross experience and to show our activity like Climate in Action



CHANGE

YOURSELF

and

ACT!