

Appendix 1: Table T1. Cited informants

	Place	Informant	Type	Duration	Date
A	Programme de Développement Intégré de la Région, CGDIS, Ambovombe (Androy).	Head of office (1) and strategic planner (2).	Development organization.	Half-day organizational visit. Interviews (2*40 mins).	Apr.-05
B	Faux-Cap landing site (Androy)	Marie-Angela, key informant, middle-woman lobster trade (rabateur).	Lobster and fish landing site.	Six days. Two deep interviews (2*90 mins.)	May-05 and Nov-06
C	Service régional de la pêche et des ressources halieutiques), Ft. Dauphin (Anosy)	Head of Service, Alimoso Tsirike.	Nambole Local office, ministry of fishing.	Half-day organizational visit. Interview (40 mins.) and statistics collection.	May-05
D	Tsihombe	School inspectors region.	Tsihombe Daily visit to Faux-Cap.	Conversation, probing and story-telling.	Dec-06
E	Ambonaivo village	Male lineage elders and representatives two clans and villages (1,2,3).	Tandroy Residential field site.	Landscape oral history walk, deep interviews, listening-and-following story-telling.	(>month). Mar-May 05; Nov-Dec 06
F	Southern fieldwork	Androy RASOLONDRAINY Tanambelo Reinaldo.	Vassili Toliara, Dept. of Archaeology	University of Interpreter.	Nov-Dec 06
G	Sihanamaro	Mpisoro (1), assistant mayor (2).	Two day trips.	Deep interviews, participation in mayor's office and Hazomanga meeting.	Nov.-06