

Dundel Mbay - Gender-sensitive programme for sustainable food security

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Short Project Description

The aim of this project is to improve food security to a level that guarantees a **sustainable development for the people in the project area**. This can be accomplished by **decreasing environmental, climate change, economic, and health risks**. A key strategy is to increase and diversify agricultural production and incomes, while **developing resilience plans** to adapt to the impacts of climate change. In addition, it is crucial to provide agriculture-related training and resources. Activities aimed at socially and economically empowering women also contribute to reaching the project's aim.

Project Goals

- Overarching: To contribute to **sustainable food security and resilience of the Senegalese population** to shocks, taking into account gender equity, by 2035.
- **Rural households** in the above-mentioned areas have sustainably improved their food situation as well as nutritional habits by 2026, **taking gender equity into account**.

Project Specifics

Direct target groups of the project include people from rural households, associations, umbrella organisations of farmers and producers, vegetable farming groups, family farms, institutions and civil society organisations, as well as rural small business owners and entrepreneurs, representatives of local authorities and communities, and women and young people in general.

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Country and Region

Different areas in Western Senegal, i.e. Thiès, Fatick, Kaolack, Kaffrine, Kolda and Ziguinchor

Project Duration

01.01.2023 – 31.12.2026

Total Budget

EUR 4'310'000

Partner Organisation

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Further Information

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