



**“RESILIENCE AND LIVELIHOOD IMPROVEMENT
FOR SMALLHOLDER FARMERS”**

GHANA AGRICULTURAL SECTOR INVESTMENT PROGRAMME (GASIP)

Goal & Objective

Sustainable poverty reduction
in rural Ghana,

Agribusinesses & smallholders
increase profitability and
resilience to climate change

Funding
Loan + Grant
US\$ 86 million

Duration
Two three-year
cycles (6 years)

Prog. Components

- Value Chain Development
- Rural Infrastructure
- Knowledge Management,
Policy Support and
Coordination

Targets
86,400 SHFs,
4,000 FBOs

Funds Accessed

Only US\$ 36.6 million
IFAD loan, and US\$ 10
million ASAP grant has
been available – Cycle 1





GOOD AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES (GAPs)

GASIP improved farmers' access to high-quality and environmentally sustainable production inputs and provided an output market for smallholders.



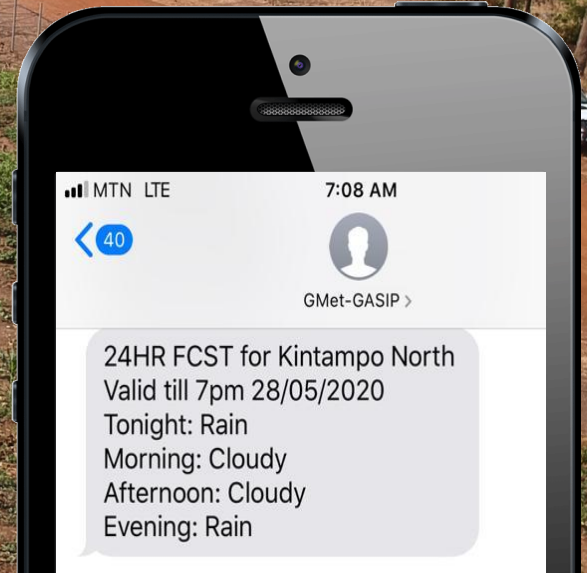
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*GASIP provides training to ensure efficient crop production by smallholder farmers.
Farmers' maize fields demonstrating training received in GAPs*



CLIMATE RESILIENCE

Farmers are provided with reliable impact-based weather information to be able to plan and produce relying on climate-resilient technologies.



CLIMATE SMART PRACTICES

Farmers are trained in the use of simple smallholder mechanization equipment to help them implement Climate Smart Agricultural Technologies



SUSTAINABLE LAND PREPARATION

Farmers are introduced to minimize soil disturbance as part of land preparation.



INPUT SUPPORT FOR THE YOUTH

GASIP support to smallholder farmers, targeting youth, women and people living with disabilities. Quality inputs and training ensure high productivity by farmers





MECHANIZATION TRAINING

GASIP support FBOs with mechanization equipment enables farmers, especially women to have access to timely and affordable mechanisation services



MORE JOBS

GASIP is creating more jobs for women & youth through its support in production resources and training activities. More than 38% of youth and women engaged



MECHANIZATION SUPPORT FOR WOMEN

Women farmers, who used to struggle for mechanisation services now have timely and affordable services and can have more time for other family activities



PURPOSIVE TARGETING

Increasing resilience of vulnerable farmers by providing increased access to high-yielding climate-smart seeds, quality fertilizers, training in GAP and market.





GENDER ACTION LEARNING SYS. (GALS)

Increased women participation in household decision-making



MARKET ACCESS

GASIP trained over 20,000 farmers and onboarded them onto the Ghana Commodity Exchange (GCX) market, ensuring access to WRS and price discovery.



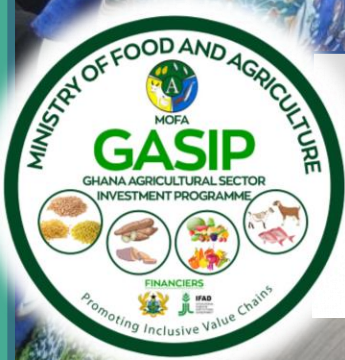
YIELD IMPROVEMENT

Studies have confirmed increase in yields and quality of produce of smallholder farmers. Farmers now have higher profits and improved household livelihood.



CAPACITY BUILDING/ TRAININGS

Actors in the value chain trained in business development models, business operational excellence, business planning and leadership skills



CAPACITY BUILDING/ TRAININGS

Actors in the value chain trained in Nutrition, Food Safety & Quality



RICE PARBOILING TRAINING

Women demonstrating training received in quality rice processing

