WOMEN ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT PROJECT

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

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- Wage employment
- Food security
- Financial inclusion
- Self-employment
- Market access
- Social services
- Diversification
- Women’s Empowerment
- Environmental Management
- Productivity
- Social Inclusion
- Resilience

PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT OBJECTIVE (DESCRIPTION)

Improve employment opportunities and income of rural men and women; and sustainability of targeted local enterprises

PROGRAM COMPONENTS

- COACHING
- BUSINESS CAPITAL
- FINANCIAL SERVICES FACILITATION
- MARKET LINKS
- SKILLS TRAINING
- NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT AND/OR CLIMATE CHANGE ADAPTATION

AVERAGE PROGRAM DURATION FOR PROGRAM BENEFICIARIES

- Under one year
- Between one and three years
- More than three years

DO PARTICIPANTS ACCESS COMPONENTS IN A SPECIFIC SEQUENCE?

YES

DIGITIZATION

COMPONENTS DELIVERED DIGITALLY

- TRANSFERS
- COACHING
- BUSINESS CAPITAL
- FINANCIAL SERVICES FACILITATION
- MARKET LINKS
- SKILLS TRAINING

PARTICIPANT PROFILE

TARGETED POVERTY GROUPS

- Poor
- Extreme poor

PRIORITY VULNERABLE GROUPS

- People with disabilities
- Displacement-affected

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- Age
- Poverty status

PARTICIPANT IDENTIFICATION METHODS

- Geographic targeting
- Community-based targeting
- Proxy Means Test

COUNTRY INFORMATION

LENDING CATEGORY (WB ONLY)

IDA

FCV COUNTRY (WB FY20 LIST)

Yes

TOTAL POPULATION (MILLION)

34.66

POVERTY HEADCOUNT (NPL)

54.50%

POVERTY HEADCOUNT ($1.90/DAYPPP2011)

N/A

POVERTY HEADCOUNT (MPI)

55.90%

NO. ECONOMIC INCLUSION PROGRAMS IN THE COUNTRY

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NO. BENEFICIARIES (DIRECT & INDIRECT) OF ECONOMIC INCLUSION PROGRAMS IN THE COUNTRY

1,069,271
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### Program Coverage

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- Informal community groups
- Formal community groups
- Formalized producer organizations
- Local governance group

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- Yes

### Program Coverage Details

**Direct Beneficiaries:** 119,065  
**Direct & Indirect Beneficiaries:** 957,283  
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**Date When Results Available:** 2018

**Link to Published Work:** ICR Report 2018  
Data submitted/updated as of 11/25/2019, through PEI’s Landscaping Survey, via [https://enketo.ona.io/e/0ahY58BC](https://enketo.ona.io/e/0ahY58BC)

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**Learn More**
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**DNA:** Does Not Apply; **FY:** Fiscal Year; **FCV:** Fragility, Conflict, and Violence; **MPI:** Multidimensional Poverty Index; **NPL:** National Poverty Line; **N/A:** Not available; **WB:** World Bank