## Program Objectives

### Main Objectives

- 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)

To provide poor communities and households with greater access to basic service infrastructure and social safety nets.

## Program Components

- Transfers
- Coaching
- Business Capital
- Financial Services Facilitation
- Wage Employment 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
- Ultra-poor

### Priority Vulnerable Groups

### Eligibility Criteria

- Poverty status

### Participant Identification Methods

- Geographic targeting
- Proxy Means Test

## Country Information

- **Country**: Guinea-Bissau
- **Region**: Sub-Saharan Africa
- **Lead Implementing Agency**: Project Coordination Unit, Ministry of Economy and Finance
- **Start Date**: 07/01/2018
- **End Date**: 12/01/2022
- **Primary Entry Point**: Social Safety Nets
- **P-Code (WB Programs)**: P163901
- **Global Practice (WB Programs)**: Social Protection & Jobs
- **Lending Category (WB only)**: IDA
- **FCV Country (WB FY20 List)**: Yes
- **Total Population (Million)**: 1.55
- **Poverty Headcount (NPL)**: 69.30%
- **Poverty Headcount ($1.90/Day PPP2011)**: 64.52%
- **Poverty Headcount (MPI)**: 74.92%
- **No. Economic Inclusion Programs in the Country**: 1
- **No. Beneficiaries (Direct & Indirect) of Economic Inclusion Programs in the Country**: 62,500
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PROGRAM COVERAGE

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- Percentage of country population: 4.03%
- Percentage of country population under the poverty line: 5.82%
- Area/s: Rural, Peri-urban
- Geographic coverage: Several states/regions

INSTITUTIONAL ARRANGEMENTS

ORGANIZATIONS INVOLVED IN IMPLEMENTATION PROVIDING FINANCING

- National/central government
- Regional/district government
- Local/municipal government
- Nongovernmental organization
- Community
- Financial Service Provider
- World Bank
- Multilateral organization (not WB)
- Bilateral organization
- Private sector organization

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

COMPONENTS DELIVERED THROUGH COMMUNITY

- Business capital
- Skills Training
- Coaching
- Financial services facilitation
- Market Links

COMMUNITY STRUCTURES LEVERAGED FOR PROGRAM DELIVERY

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

DOES THE PROGRAM CREATE/STRENGTHEN COMMUNITY STRUCTURES/GROUPS?

YES NO

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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