

AGRO-CLIMATIC RESILIENCE IN SEMI-ARID LANDSCAPES (ACRESAL) IN NIGERIA



BASIC PROGRAM INFORMATION

COUNTRY
Nigeria

REGION
Sub-Saharan Africa

LEAD IMPLEMENTING AGENCY
Federal Ministry of Environment, in collaboration with the Federal Ministry of Water Resources and the Federal Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development

TYPE LEAD IMPLEMENTING AGENCY
National govt

START DATE
06/01/2022

END DATE
03/01/2028

P-CODE (WB PROGRAMS)
P175237

GLOBAL PRACTICE (WORLD BANK)
Environment, Natural Resources & the Blue Economy

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

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Wage employment	Food security	Financial inclusion	Self-employment
Market access	Social services	Income diversification	Women's empowerment
Social cohesion	Productivity	Social inclusion	Climate resilience

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The project aims to increase the implementation of sustainable landscape management practices in targeted watersheds in northern Nigeria and strengthen Nigeria's long-term enabling environment for integrated climate-resilient landscape management.

PROGRAM COMPONENTS



TRANSFER



COACHING



BUSINESS CAPITAL



FINANCIAL SERVICES FACILITATION



WAGE EMPLOYMENT FACILITATION



MARKET LINKS



SKILLS TRAINING



CLIMATE RESILIENCE SUPPORT

AVERAGE PROGRAM DURATION FOR PARTICIPANTS

Under one year	Between one and three years	More than three years
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DO PARTICIPANTS ACCESS COMPONENTS IN A SPECIFIC SEQUENCE?



DIGITIZATION

COMPONENTS DELIVERED DIGITALLY

TRANSFER	COACHING	BUSINESS CAPITAL
FINANCIAL SERVICES FACILITATION	MARKET LINKS	SKILLS TRAINING
CLIMATE RESILIENCE SUPPORT	WAGE EMPLOYMENT	



COUNTRY INFORMATION

LENDING CATEGORY (WB ONLY)
Blend

FCV COUNTRY (WB FY24 LIST)
Yes

TOTAL POPULATION (MILLION)
213.40

POVERTY HEADCOUNT (NPL) (%)
40.10%

POVERTY HEADCOUNT (\$2.15/DAY (2017 PPP)) (%)
30.90%

POVERTY HEADCOUNT (MPI) (%)
46.42%

NO. ECONOMIC INCLUSION PROGRAMS IN THE COUNTRY
11

NO. BENEFICIARIES (DIRECT & INDIRECT) OF ECONOMIC INCLUSION PROGRAMS IN THE COUNTRY
6,198,770



PARTICIPANT PROFILE

TARGETED POVERTY GROUPS

Ultra-poor

PRIORITY VULNERABLE GROUPS

Displacement-affected

Women

Youth

Older people

Persons with disabilities

Climate-affected



ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Age

Sex

Poverty status

Behavioral attributes



PARTICIPANT IDENTIFICATION METHODS

Geographic targeting



PLANNED RESEARCH AND EVALUATION

EVALUATION/RESEARCH TYPES

Needs assessment
Process evaluation
Institutional assessments
Economic evaluation
Impact evaluation

IMPACT EVALUATION TOPICS

Overall impact
Cost effectiveness

NAME RESEARCH PARTNERS

Africa Gender Innovation Lab

DATE WHEN IMPACT EVALUATION RESULTS AVAILABLE

June, 2026

Data submitted as of 03/30/2023, through PEI's Landscaping Survey.

For more information on the survey

[click here.](#)

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PROGRAM COVERAGE

DIRECT PARTICIPANTS	DIRECT & INDIRECT BENEFICIARIES	PERCENTAGE FEMALE PARTICIPANTS
Share of country population (%)	:	Area/s
Share of poor (national poverty line) (%)	:	Geographic coverage
		: Mix (urban & rural)
		: Several states/regions

INSTITUTIONAL ARRANGEMENTS

ORGANIZATIONS	INVOLVED IN IMPLEMENTATION	PROVIDING FINANCING
National/central government	●	●
Regional/district government	●	●
Local/municipal government	●	●
Non-governmental organization	●	●
Community	●	●
Financial Service Provider	●	●
World Bank	●	●
Multilateral (not WB)	●	●
Bilateral organization	●	●
Private sector organization	●	●

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

COMPONENTS DELIVERED THROUGH COMMUNITY	COMMUNITY STRUCTURES LEVERAGED FOR PROGRAM DELIVERY
● Transfer	● Informal community groups
● Business capital	● Formal community groups
● Wage employment facilitation	● Local governance groups
● Skills training	● Community individuals
● Coaching	● Other community structures
● Financial services facilitation	
● Market links	
● Climate resilience support	

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