

Livelihoods and Agricultural Infrastructure Development (LAID)

South Darfur State - Sudan

8 June 2018 to 31 March 2026

Project's Overarching Goal

To contribute to increased stability and economic well-being of conflict affected and vulnerable communities in South Darfur. By 2023, the project aims to have directly contributed to the well-being of 224,628 vulnerable people in South Darfur state.

Beneficiaries



224,628
vulnerable people



37,438
households

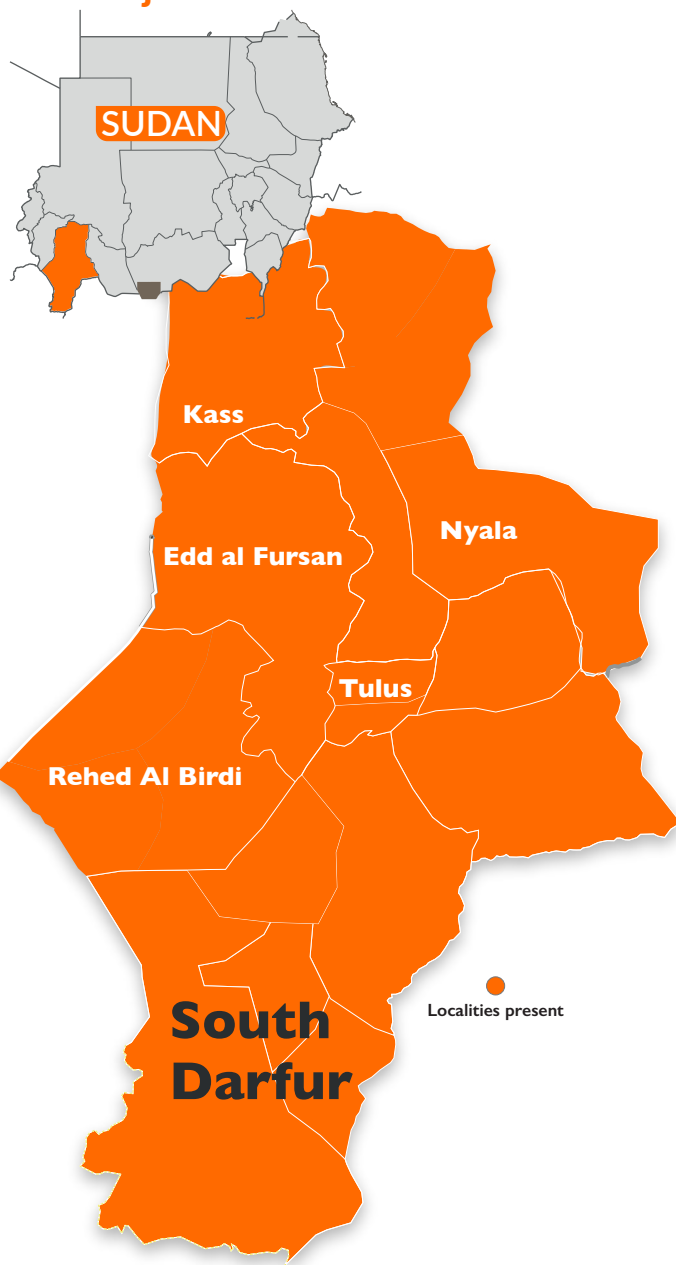


Grant

11,000,000

Match fund from
World Vision Germany:
1,000,000

Project locations



Project Outcomes

- Improved household economic status through improved agriculture and livestock production, diversified source of livelihoods and short-term employment opportunities.
- Improved basic services through provision of infrastructure for agricultural and livestock production.
- Improved community interaction and co-existence between agro-pastoralists and pastoralists in target locations through conflict resolution platforms.

Priority areas to achieve greatest impact

- Rural agricultural livelihoods support through production, processing and marketing of selected high-value agricultural products such as dairy and honey farming, construction of feeder roads to facilitate connection to markets, and construction of processing and marketing centers.
- Agricultural infrastructure support through construction of water harvesting structures for livestock use, facilitation of inter-community dialogue sessions to promote equal resource sharing.
- Strengthening and diversifying on-farm livelihoods through installation of irrigation infrastructure, and marketing of high-value agricultural products.
- Provision of basic livestock health care services through construction and equipping of veterinary clinics, capacity building of Community Animal Health Workers, support to boost livestock and milk productivity and Artificial Insemination support.

Rural Agricultural Livelihoods Support

Our goal is to improve the economic status of households through increased agriculture and livestock production, diversified sources of livelihoods, as well as providing short-term employment opportunities, and this in turn will improve the wellbeing of children and their communities.

The project seeks to achieve this by investing in dairy and honey production capacity, targeting honey producers and dairy farmers. There will also be a strong focus on skills development, particularly, developing standard dairy and honey production training curricular adopted for the context of South Darfur, training on dairy and honey production, and equipping honey producers with modern beehives.

Also, a critical component of the project will be providing market linkages for both dairy and honey processing. The project will also support the construction of feeder roads that will contribute to facilitate agricultural marketing networks and ease mobility of communities to supply their produce to local markets.

Agricultural infrastructure support

The project will support the construction of irrigation and livestock water supply infrastructure, meant to contribute to increasing food and livestock feeds production amongst agro-pastoralists and milk yield for pastoralists. The project anticipates that the construction of the water structures will also result in reduced conflict among agro-pastoralists and pastoralists' communities as they share available resources. The project also hopes that its efforts will go towards reducing climate vulnerability in drought-prone areas of the targeted locations.

The project will achieve this by installing micro-irrigation infrastructure, building local capacity for maintenance and operation of the infrastructure, and training of target beneficiaries on the efficient use of irrigation facilities. Additionally, the project will provide input to start operation and linking beneficiaries to locally available potential markets. The infrastructure to be installed includes: hafirs and micro-dams. Also, critical to this project is mobilising and engaging faith and community leaders, including the community to facilitate inter-community dialogue sessions to promote equitable sharing of resources.

Provision of basic livestock health services

The project will also support livestock keeping communities to have access to basic services through availability of infrastructure and equipment. This will include production, processing and marketing of selected high-market value agricultural products, and achieved through the construction of veterinary clinics and equipping them with drugs and animal health treatment materials, and building the capacity of local Community Animal Health Workers (CAHWs). The project anticipates that these interventions will result in increasing livestock productivity, in particular milk yields.

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