

Overall Progress of NRDS Implementation

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1. INTRODUCTION



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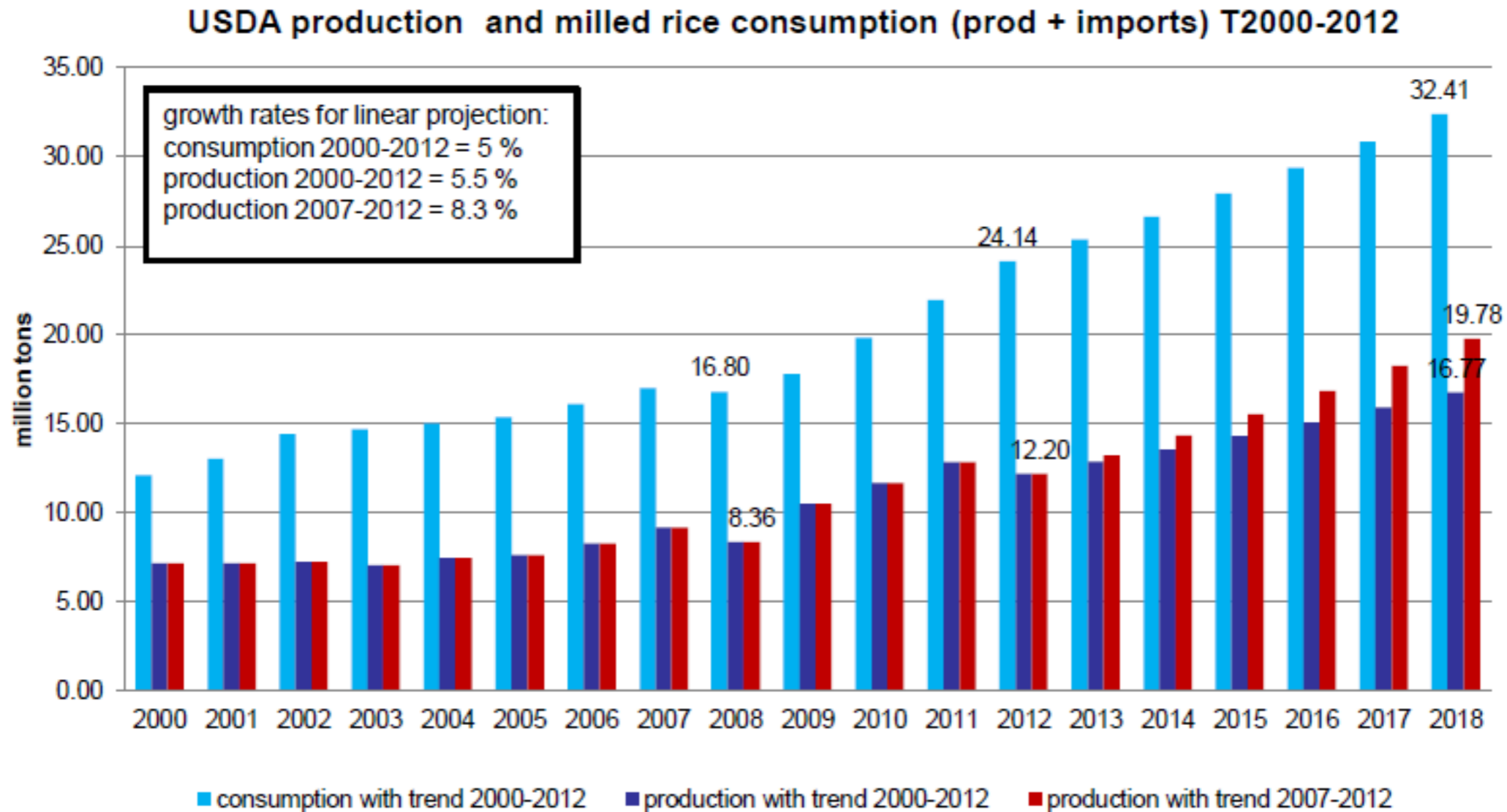
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- ☐ Reduced gap between production and consumption by 2018 and on target to double production from 8 MT in 2008 to 20 MT in 2018

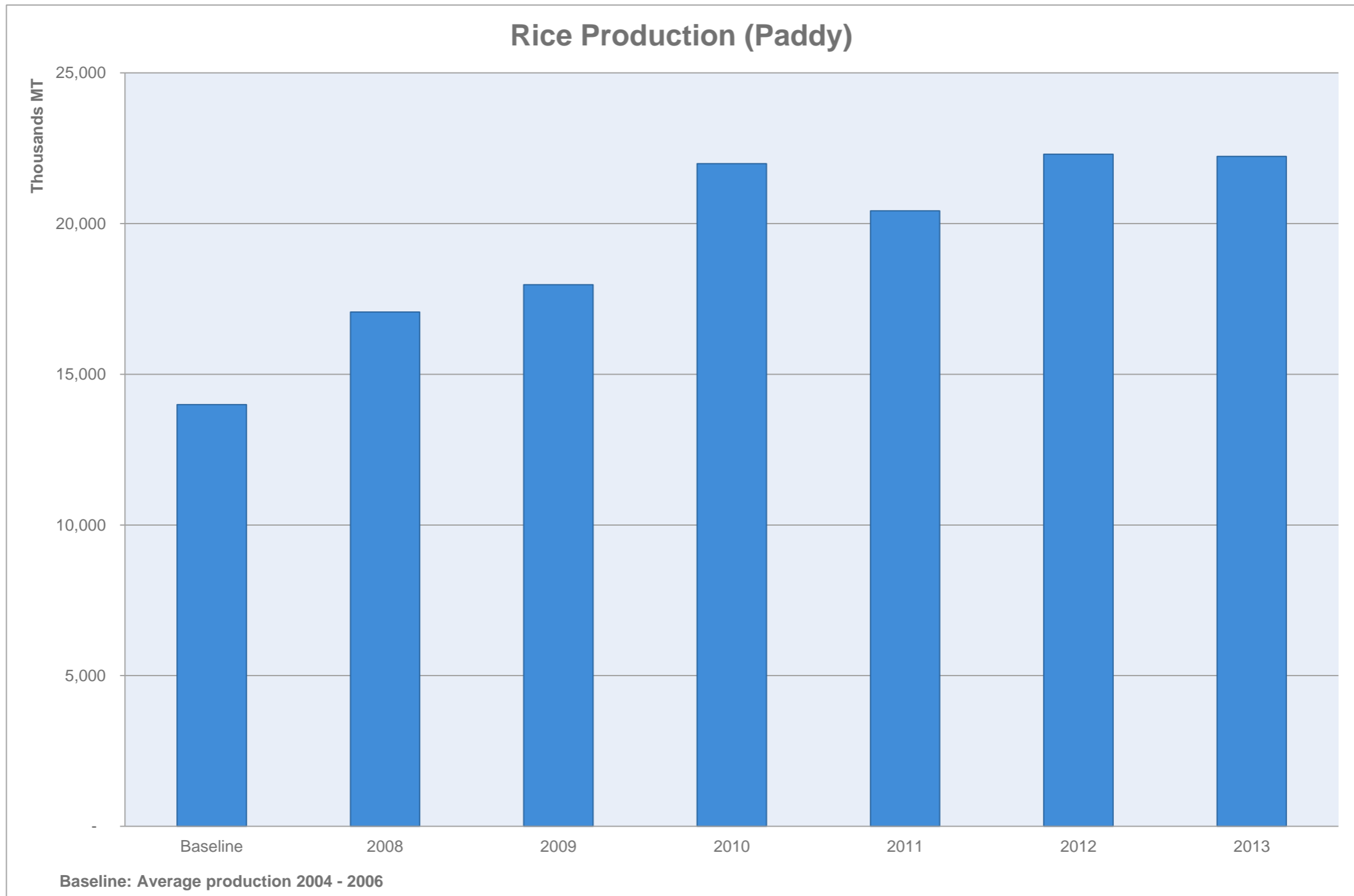


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Overall production increased by 59%

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– What was discussed in GM5 -

But the CARD overall goal is not that simple.....

CARD cannot take full credit for the rice production growth in Africa because so many factors beyond CARD's control influence the overall rice production (e.g. Rice price, world economy, social stability...)

Therefore, while aiming at doubling rice production, **CARD** **should also deliver outputs which can clearly show the direct CARD contribution to the rice production growth in Africa**



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What outputs can clearly show the CARD contribution?

- Number of projects and investments which would not have happened, if CARD did not exist
 - the Number of **“CARD-Labeled Projects”**
- And their contributions (Total budget, covered areas, beneficiaries and other indicators of “CARD Labeled” projects)

With these outputs, CARD contribution to rice production growth in individual countries and Africa in general would be clearly demonstrated, regardless of the achievement of overall goal.



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Therefore, the 5th General Meeting confirmed that assisting in implementation of NRDS would be one of the main CARD supports to CARD member countries till 2018,

because CARD-Labeled Projects are born in the NRDS implementation process.

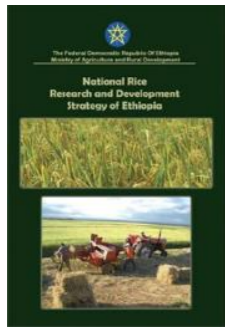


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- Process of NRDS Development and Implementation -



NRDS Formulation & Launching

	Policy / Institutional	Infrastructure	Human resource capacity	Provision / support	Information / knowledge	Unclassified
Seed						
Fertilizer						
Integrating water management						
On-farm technology demonstration (OAT)						
Mechanization						
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Project Cycle Management

Gap Analysis & Prioritization

NRDS Process

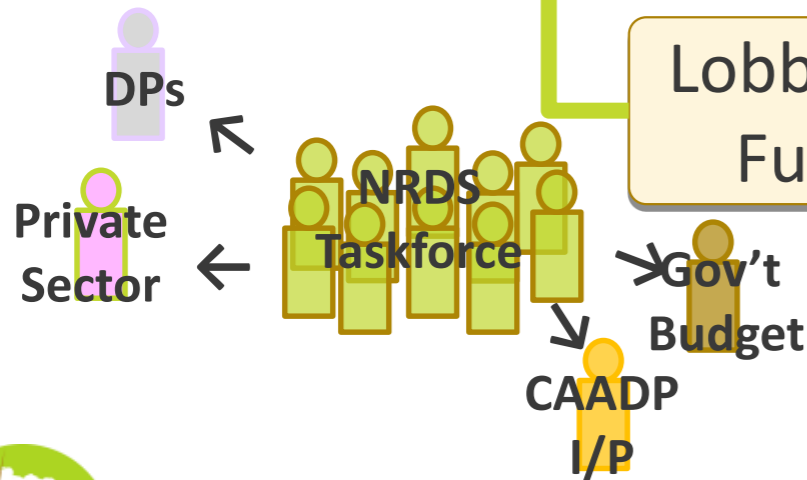
Concept Notes

Lobbying for Funding

Alignment to CAADP

Mechanization Promotion

Thematic issues e.g. Market Access














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- NRDS Status at country level -

G1 Country	NRDS Formulation	Prioritisation	Concept Notes
Cameroon	→	→	→ 
Ghana	→	→	→ 
Guinea	→	→	→ 
Kenya	→	→	→ 
Madagascar	→	→	→ 
Mali	→	→	→ 
Mozambique	→	→	→ 
Nigeria	→	→	→ 
Senegal	→	→	→ 
Sierra Leone	→	→	→ 
Tanzania	→	→	→ 
Uganda	→	→	→ 

G2 Country	NRDS Formulation	Prioritisation	Concept Notes
Benin	→	→	→ 
Burkina Faso	→	→	→ 
Côte d'Ivoire	→	→	→ 
CAR	→	→ 	
DR Congo	→	→	→ 
Ethiopia	→	→	→ 
The Gambia	→	→ 	
Liberia	→	→	→ 
Rwanda	→	→	→ 
Togo	→	→	→ 
Zambia	→	→	→ 



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2. ISSUES IN NRDS IMPLEMENTATION



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2. Issues in NRDS Implementation

NRDS is not implemented sufficiently (or at least as planned), due to the “Financing Problem” (No money for implementation)...

Why it is difficult to get funding for NRDS Concept Notes?

1) NRDS/ Concept Notes are not well acknowledged within the Ministry or among DPs

→ Difficult to mobilize financial resources (both internally and externally).....

Mainstreaming of NRDS is necessary

Concept Notes should be proactively marketed to financial partners as well as policy makers



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2. Issues in NRDS Implementation

Why it is difficult to get funding for NRDS Concept Notes?

- 2) The quality of Concept Note is not sufficient to get funding
→ It does not attract the interest of DPs.....

NRDS Concept Notes need to be improved

- 3) Concept Notes mismatch the interest of DPs...
→ NRDS formulation was completed by NRDS TF alone in most countries, thus interests & convenience at the donor side had not been incorporated in concept notes...

Concept Notes should be adjusted and modified so that they can accommodate the interest of both government and DPs.



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2. Issues in NRDS Implementation

– What was discussed in GM5 -

Therefore, in the second half of the CARD initiative, we decided to put more emphasis on activities in enhancing NRDS implementation.

Presentation at GM5 on
NRDS implementation
(Way Forward)

4. Outlook for 2013 - 2018 Way forward

(1) Accelerating NRDS implementation

Mainstreaming of NRDS at national level

(Facilitation of policy advocacy, coordination of stakeholders,)

- Improving NRDS concept notes

(Capacity development and technical backstopping)

- Matching NRDS concept notes with financial resources (sharing funding information, capacity development in marketing the concept notes)



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3. CARD SUPPORT FOR NRDS IMPLEMENTATION



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3. CARD Support for NRDS Implementation

<Issues>

- Marginalization/ lack of awareness about NRDS and Concept Notes
- Improvement of NRDS Concept Notes in terms of quality and attractiveness to DPs

<Solutions>

- Mainstreaming of NRDS
- Selling Concept Notes as project/investment ideas
- Modification of Concept Notes to improve quality and to match with DPs' interest



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3. CARD Support for NRDS Implementation

We enhance NRDS implementation through

“Fund Matching” :

Connecting NRDS Concept Notes (project/investment ideas) to external financial resources – Selling Ideas and adjusting Concept Notes contents in a consultative manner with donors

- Identification of potential donors through preliminary study on Development Partners
- Detailed Study on potential donors (Area of interest, portfolio, budget cycle etc.)
- Joint Planning – donor by donor (Modification of Concept Notes according to donor’s interests and convenience)

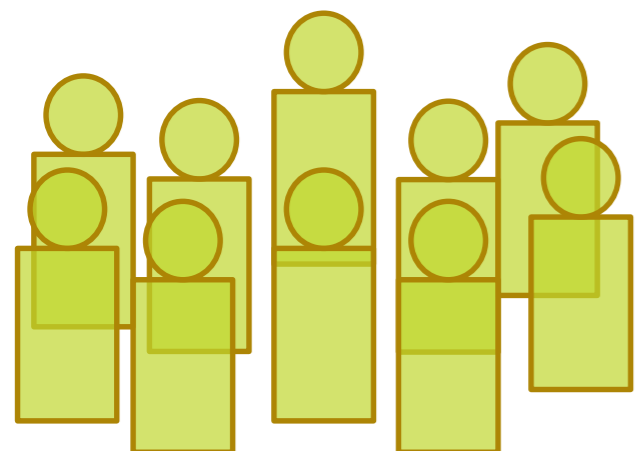


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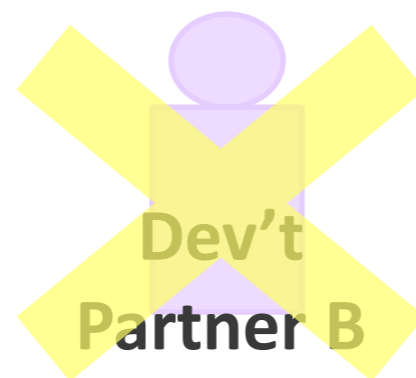
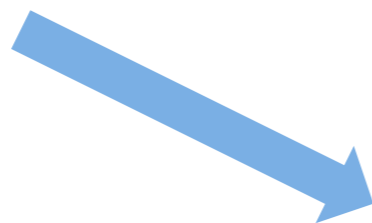
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Potential Donor



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**Study on Area of Interests
for identification of
Potential Donors for NRDS
implementation**

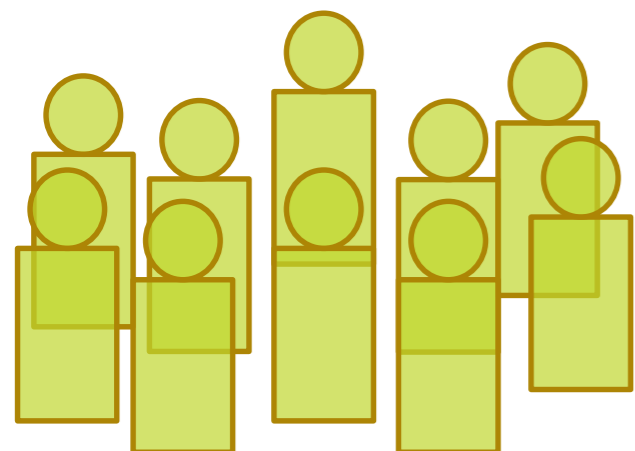


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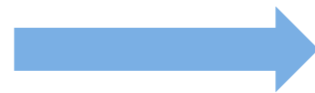
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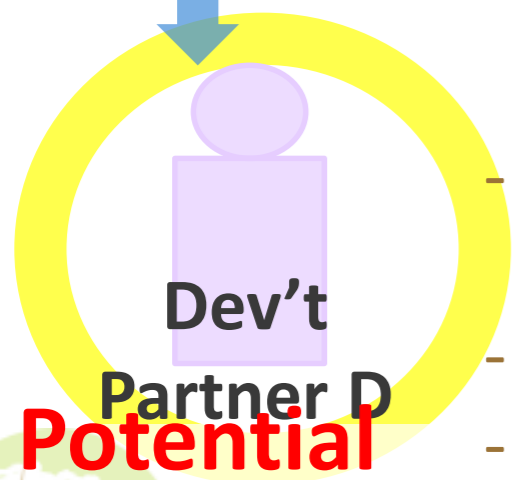


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**Further Study on
Potential donors**

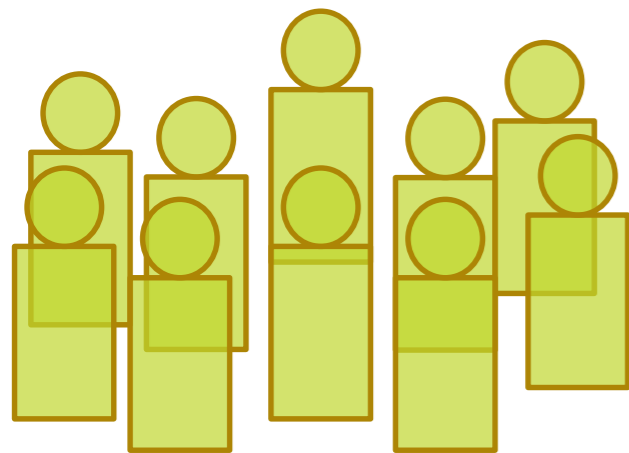


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**Donor by Donor
Joint Planning**

3. CARD Support for NRDS Implementation

– Fund Matching Process –

Follow-up calendar for fund matching activities (e.g. Ghana)

B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
Country:	Ghana												
As of:	May-13												
		2013											
Name of DPs	Notes	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr
AfDB	Northern Rural Growth Program joint with IFAD (2008-15, USD 105 million) => Successive project (from 2015 on, with USD 50-100 million)							- Communication with AfDB in pipeline project formulation	To be continued	To be continued	To be continued	To be continued	To be continued
IFAD	"Ghana Rural Growth Program" (GRGP) is expected to start for 2015-18		- NRDS TF shall Communicate with the MOFA Chief Director for inclusion of NRDS in the GRGP - NRDS TF sends C/N to IFAD and present to Agr. Working Technical Group as well as high rank officials		To be continued	To be continued	To be continued	To be continued	To be continued	- NRDS Focal Point shall try to be involved in the formulation of the program	To be continued	To be continued	To be continued
World Bank	Ghana Agriculture Project (GCAP: 2013-17 with USD 145 million) Also WAAPP covers Ghana (USD 60 million) Both programs have just started, so C/N could be considered to implement in the above program as additional components (USD 100-500,000), rather than in new programs.		- NRDS Focal Point should work on mainstreaming of NRDS within MOFA - NRDS Focal Point should communicate with the project manager for WAAPP and GCAP for inclusion of the CN	To be continued	To be continued	To be continued	To be continued	To be continued	To be continued				
AFD	Rice Sector Support Project (RSSP) will be terminated in 2014. In the successive project, C/N inclusion can be considered.		NRDS TF shall send C/N to AFD		Pipeline formulation will start.	NRDS Focal Point shall be included in the formulation of the							
USAID	ADVANCE program will be completed in Dec 2013. Followup project on value chain is in pipeline (2014-18)		NRDS Task Force shall start discussion with Dr. Dapah, USAID technical advisor in MOFA for the preparation	NRDS Task Force shall try to include the NRDS C/N as components in the new project	To be continued	To be continued	To be continued	To be continued	To be continued				

3. CARD Support for NRDS Implementation – Fund Matching Process –

<Fund Matching>

- On-going:

(Benin, Burkina Faso, Cote d'Ivoire, Ghana, Guinea, Madagascar, Nigeria, Rwanda, Senegal, Togo, Zambia)

- To be started shortly: (Kenya)

- Others:

(Cameroon, CAR, DRC, Ethiopia, the Gambia, Liberia, Mozambique, Mali, Sierra Leone, Tanzania, Uganda,)



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4. PROGRESS IN NRDS IMPLEMENTATION



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4. Progress in NRDS Implementation

<Stocktaking of CARD-labeled projects (past and on-going ones)>

CARD-labeled Project: Projects/Investments which would not have been, if CARD did not exist. (Projects, the formulation of which was influenced by CARD related activities)

- **Completed**

Burkina Faso, Cameroun, Cote d'Ivoire, DRC, Ethiopia, Ghana, Kenya, Madagascar, Mali, Nigeria, Rwanda, Senegal, Tanzania, Uganda, Zambia,

- **To be arranged**

Benin, Guinea, the Gambia, Mozambique, Togo,

- **Others**

CAR, Liberia, Sierra Leone,



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Stocktaking Results (Non-exhaustive)

Name of Country	No. of CARD-labeled projects (past and on-going)	Partners
Burkina Faso	5	Taiwan, GIZ, KfW, WB, others
Cameroun	7	JICA, Korea, WB
Senegal	17	FAO, JICA, AFD, AfDB, WB, Spain, USAID, others
Uganda	12	WB, Netherland, IFDC, JICA, others
Madagascar	4	JICA, WB, AfDB
Tanzania	6	USAID, JICA, WB Others
Zambia	2	FAO, JICA



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Stocktaking Results (Non-exhaustive) -Continued

Name of Country	No. of CARD-Labeled projects (past and on-going)	Partners
Ethiopia	3	JICA
Ghana	9	AFD, WB, JICA, IFAD, FAO, Others
Rwanda	4	JICA, Korea, WB
Nigeria	11	WB, GIZ, JICA, USAID, others
Cote d'Ivoire	17	BADEA, JICA, Private, Others
Kenya	3	JICA
Regional	5	FAO, AfricaRice
Total	105	



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4. Progress in NRDS Implementation

<Mainstreaming of NRDS at national level>

(i) NRDS Integration into Overarching Dev't framework

- It had been already done by the government in Madagascar, Uganda, Guinea, Senegal, Burkina Faso, and Cote d'Ivoire
- Newly done in Ghana, Rwanda, Tanzania and Nigeria
- Process on-going in Mozambique
- Others: NRDS-CAADP integration was planned in Sierra Leone in Sep 2014, but suspended due to Ebola pandemic



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4. Progress in NRDS Implementation

<Mainstreaming of NRDS at national level>

(ii) Meeting high rank officials to appeal usefulness of CARD process and NRDS

- Meeting with Ministers:
(Ghana, Kenya, Nigeria, Rwanda, Senegal and Togo)
- Meeting Permanent Secretaries:
(Burkina Faso, Kenya, Madagascar, Rwanda, Uganda, Tanzania)



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<Improving NRDS concept notes>

Gap Analysis update and revision of Concept Notes:

- Conducted in Kenya, Nigeria, Rwanda, Senegal, Tanzania and Zambia



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