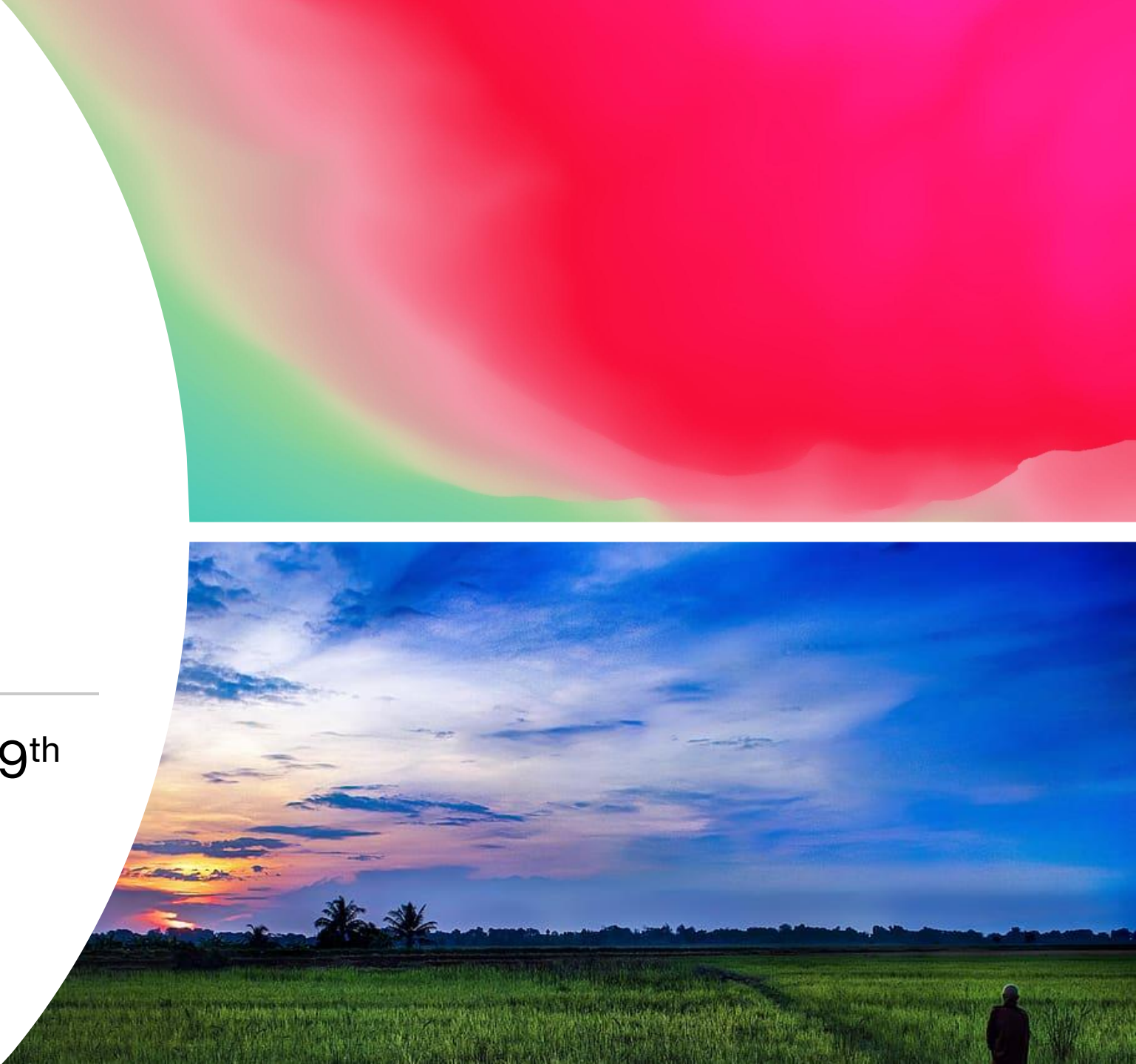


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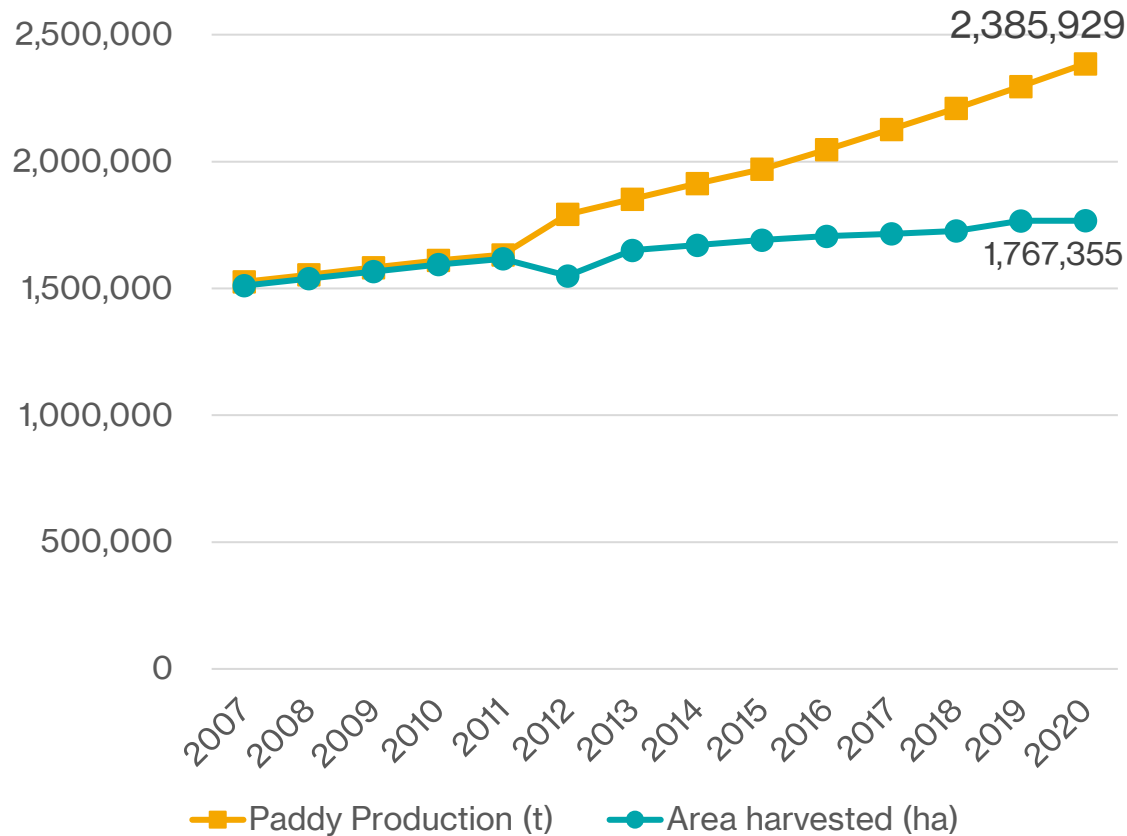
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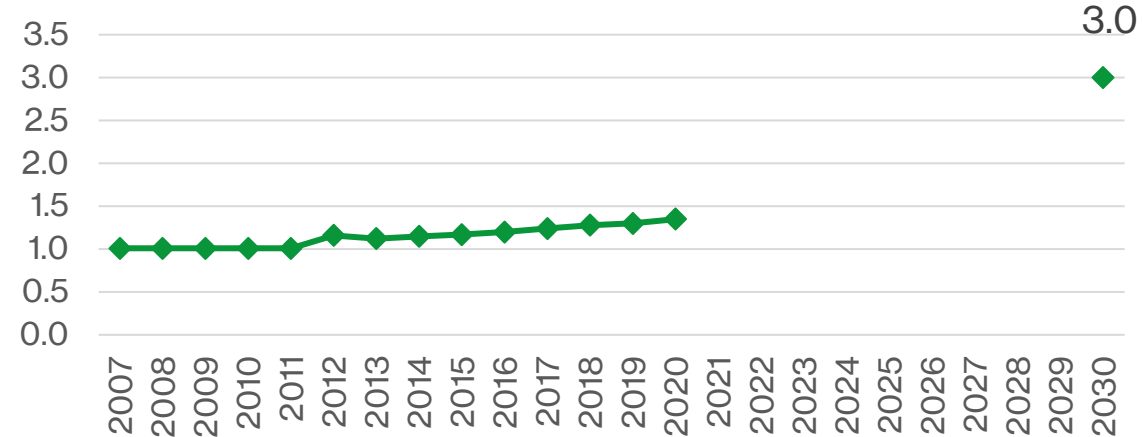


# Overall Indicators

## Paddy production and area harvested

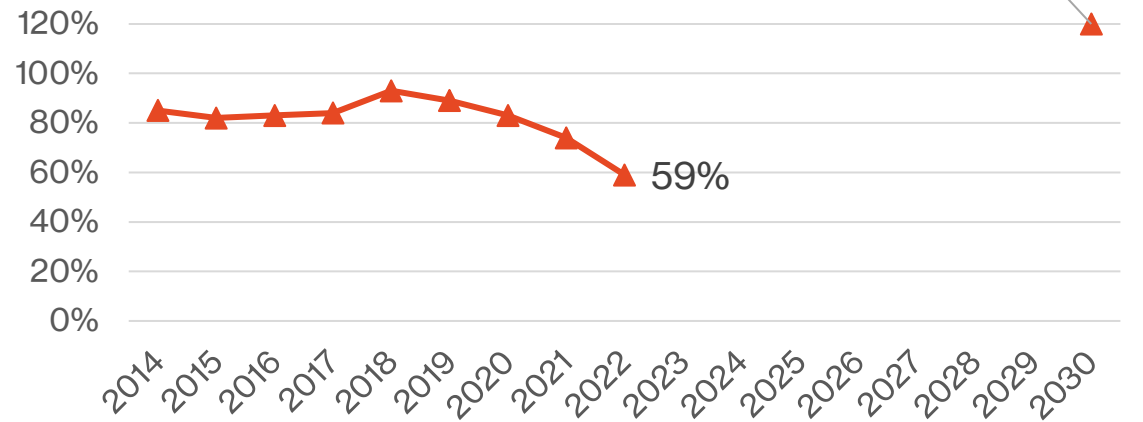


## Yield (t/ha)



Source: ANASA

## Self-sufficiency rate (%)



Source: Harmonized Framework (CILSS)

	2007	2018	2030 target
Production (t)	1 526 167	2 210 174	5 000 000
Areas (ha)	1 511 057	1 726 698	1 666 667

Source: ANASA/BSD

# Priority areas and concept notes identified

## I. Priority areas

- 1) Irrigation schemes
- 2) Improving technical itineraries and transferring climate-smart technologies
- 3) Intensifying rice-growing systems with the provision of quality inputs and appropriate credit
- 4) Mechanisation of rice production and processing operations
- 5) Promoting entrepreneurship in rice value chains
- 6) Improving post-harvest processing and rice quality
- 7) Facilitating rice marketing

## II. Concept notes or ideas for future projects

- 1) Rice productivity programme in Guinea
- 2) Project to develop 11,000 ha of the Koloun plain in Tougué
- 3) Improving processing and value addition of quality rice

# 4 New projects launched after the start of CARD phase 2

Title	Rice value chain development project	Conceptual note	Project to Promote Local Rice Production and Marketing in Lower Guinea	Concept note
Duration	January 2021- December 2025	Rice productivity programme in Guinea	2021-2025	Improving processing and adding value to quality rice
Zone d'intervention	Boffa, Boké, Dubréka, Coyah, Kouroussa, Siguiry and Dinguiraye		Boffa and Boké	
Nature of the project	Technical Cooperation		Technical assistance	
Implementing Partners	IDB/BADEA		JICA	
Montant	29,000,000 USD			
Objectives	The main aim of the project is to help reduce the high rate of rice imports and boost economic growth by improving rice production, processing and marketing, with greater involvement of the private sector		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Measures to promote the production and marketing of local rice will be applied in certain areas of the Boké region;</li> <li>2. Capacity-building to boost local rice production, processing and marketing.</li> </ol>	
Orientation/ Specificities	<p>More specifically, the project aims to sustainably increase production and productivity in the rice-growing areas, as well as the incomes of rural populations, through water management and product development:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Improving rice production and productivity;</li> <li>✓ Strengthening links with the market;</li> <li>✓ Fostering and enabling political and institutional environment.</li> </ul>		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Rice production and quality will be improved by farmers' organisations (FOs) and rice sales volumes will increase;</li> <li>2. The technical and organisational capacity of the Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock (MAE) will be strengthened based on lessons learned from the project.</li> </ol>	

# Development of the value chain through private sector participation

## FUPRORIZ-HG

### Who are they

- 1) Federation specialising in rice production, processing and marketing
- 2) It was created in 2008 in the Kankan prefecture, administrative region of Kankan, which currently covers the eight (8) prefectures of Upper Guinea (Kankan, Kérouané, Kouroussa, Mandiana, Siguiri, Faranah, Dinguiraye and Dabola).

### What do they do?

- 1) Support their 44,420 farmer members (including 14,091 women and 27,894 young people who are members of 1,560 groups/cooperatives) in the provision of quality seeds, inputs, agricultural production and processing equipment (with over 46,568 ha developed)
- 2) Buy paddy from farmers under contract at a predetermined price and process it in their own processing units (10 units x 0.25 t/hour)
- 3) Market parboiled rice and white rice to civil servants and the WFP under contract and also selling to individual consumers on the Federation's own premises, using federation's own branded bags of 50 kg.

### Impacts

- 1) In 14 years, production in the natural region of Upper Guinea has risen from 10,490 t to 22,210 t, with a very significant improvement in yields, much to the advantage of the members.
- 2) The average income of contract rice growers has risen by 45% and that of non-contract growers by 25% over the same period.

### Public sector support

Loan application for the construction of a rice mill with a processing capacity of 20 t/hour in the FUPRORIZ-HG intervention zone.



# Photo



Rice paddy in the mangrove plain



Modern rice mill in Denkin, Boké

