

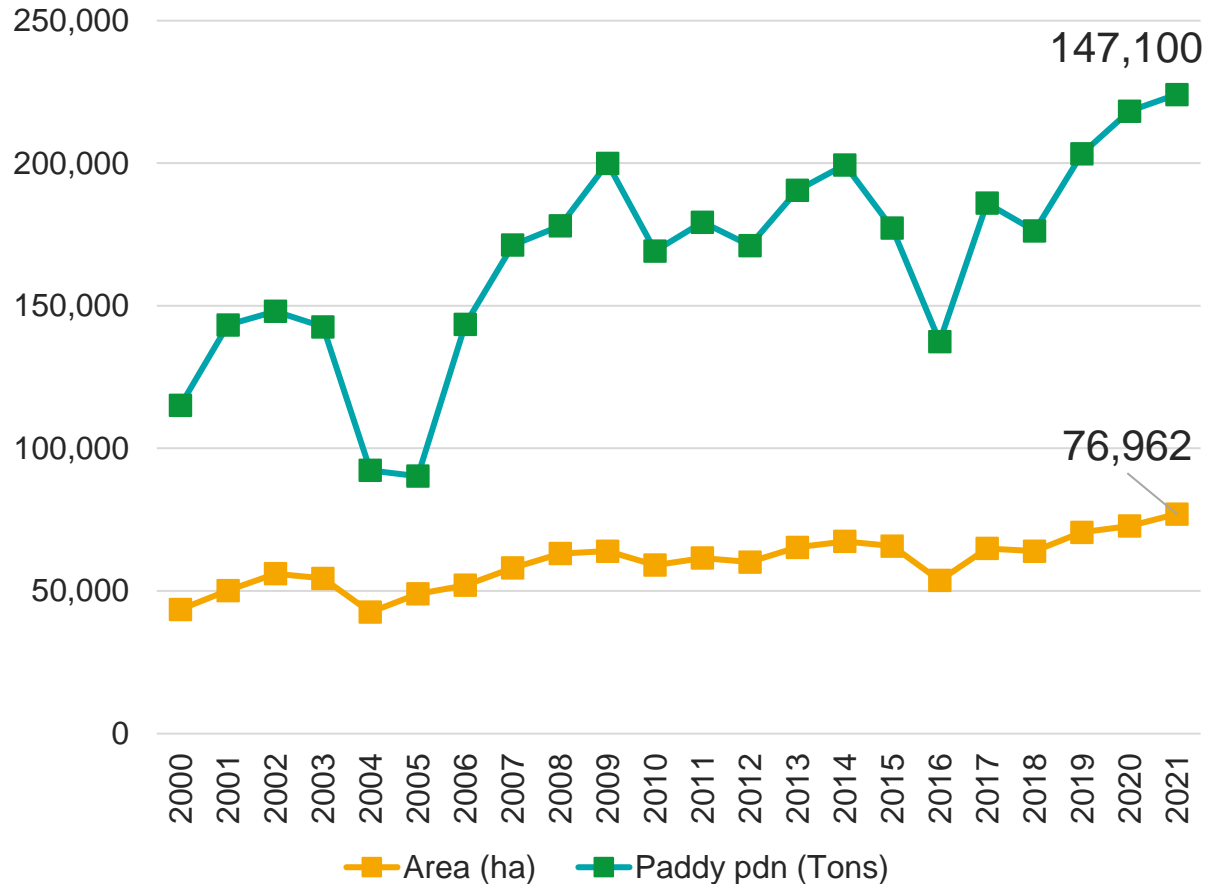
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GM9 country presentation



Overall indicators

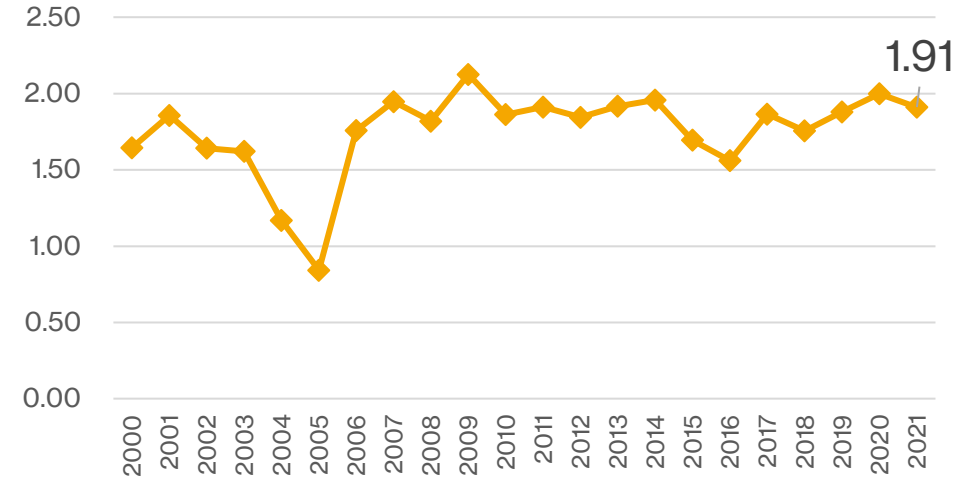
Paddy production and area harvested



NRDS target by 2030:
Area 110,000 ha Paddy 300,000 tons

Source: Agriculture Production Estimates Data, MoA

Average yields (t/ha)



NRDS target by 2030: Yield: 5. tons /ha

Source: Agriculture Production Estimates Data, MoA

Self sufficiency(%)



Source: Agriculture Production Estimates Data, MoA

Identified priority areas and Concept Notes

1. Priority Areas

- a. Improvements in seed system
- b. Informed/knowledge-based soil fertility management
- c. Management of water catchment areas
- d. Appropriation of farm machineries for smallholdings
- e. Increased adoption of new varieties and good agricultural practices
- f. Improvements in grain quality, branding, and trading
- g. Capacity building on rice research and extension

2. Concept Notes

- The development of concepts notes will be finished after the approval of the zero draft strategy
- Through hands in hands initiative, the Ministry has developed a rice concept

New projects after Phase 2 started

Title	Food Systems Resilience Programme	Programme for Rural Irrigation Development (PRIDE)
Period	5 Years	7 Years
Target area	District Councils	Karonga, Rumphi, Phalombe, zomba, Nkhotakota, Machinga, Chitipa
Scheme	Loan	loan and grant
Partners	World Bank	IFAD, ASAP+2RP Trust Fund
Budget	\$250 million	Total= \$125.88 million
Objectives	To increase the climate resilience of the country's food systems including most vulnerable to having reliable access to adequate , safe and nutritious food while contributing to enhancing rural livelihoods and healthy ecosystems.	To enhance rural Malawian communities' resilience to food insecurity and the adverse effects of climate change
Focus/ Specificities	<p>The project focuses on five technical pillars:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Responding to a deteriorating Food Security Situation, (ii) E-building resilient Agricultural Production capacity, (iii) Supporting the Sustainable Development of Natural Resources for Resilient Agricultural Landscapes, (iv) Accessing market, and (v) Promoting Food Systems Resilience in national and regional policy making. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The project establishes and strengthens the capacity of the Water Users' Association to manage, operate and maintain irrigation schemes for appropriate land and water governance. (ii) Builds capacities of small-scale farmers to take advantage of market opportunities by establishing farmer business schools, to promote market linkages through value chain analysis, and to identify suitable crops and commodity platforms to bring together all actors in the value chain.

VC development through private sector involvement

Mtalimanja Holdings Limited

Who are they:

It is a privately owned limited company and is located in Nkhota-kota in the central Region of Malawi just next to Lake Malawi.

What is their involvement:

Milling and branding of rice. Incorporated as Mtalimanja Holdings Limited. The rice mill is a USD 17,577,268 investment wholly financed by own equity. The plant has a capacity of milling 200 tons of paddy rice per day.

Impact:

Production of rice has gone up because the investor also provides inputs and extension services to the rice growers apart from being an off-taker.

Support from public sector:

The Government of Malawi is facilitating formation of rice cooperatives

Photo



Mtalimanja Holdings Limited (MHL) rice plant in Nkhotakota-200 MT of paddy rice per day

Photo Cont...



Rab Processors Limited stride product



Bwanje Valley Rice Cooperative stride product

Thank you!!!

