

Certified Seed Self-Sufficiency Project

Intervention Zone	Senegal River Valley, sylvo-pastoral zone , Peanut basin, eastern Senegal, Niayes and Casamance			
Description of the Project	The project on self-sufficiency in certified seeds is designed to address the critical challenges of food security and improving agricultural yields. The main objective is to contribute to the reconstitution of seed capital and generalize access to certified seeds in all agricultural areas by 2029. The project plans to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">strengthening ISRA's human resources and improving the production base and the agricultural and technological park of ISRA and in partner farmsthe establishment of a seed fund for sustainable financing of seed value chainsthe establishment of credit lines adapted to seed value chains (LBA, BNDE)			
Expected impact	Production and satisfaction of 25% to 100% of the needs in certified seeds <ul style="list-style-type: none">peanut, cowpea seed and forage cowpea) and sesamecereals (millet, sorghum, fonio, rice and corn)certified African-type horticultural products (okra, pepper, Jaxatu , cassava, watermelon, etc.)European-type horticultural crops (potato, onion, tomato,			
Project Leader				
Entity	- for other diversification crops (voandzou, taro, beret , bissap) Ministry of Agriculture, Food Sovereignty and Livestock			
Contact	N / A			
Project Partner(s)	Senegalese Institute of Agricultural Research (ISRA)			
Funding				
Project amount	FCFA	30,000,000,000	USD	50 011 935
Project Duration	2024 – 2029			
Type of Financing Sought	✓Private	✓Audience	PPP	
Progress Status				
Actions initiated	Annual Seed Planning and Review Workshops Production of pre-basic seeds (G1, G2 and G3) Monitoring and support of other lower level seed production programs (basic and certified) by sector players			
Documents available	N / A			