## **Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations**



## Project Highlights THE SUDAN

"Restoration of food security and livelihoods of vulnerable households in Darfur region, Sudan"

Project code: OSRO/SUD/007/USA

**Donor:** United States

Contribution: USD 1 500 000

**Implementation:** 01/06/10 - 31/03/11

Target areas: Darfur

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**Objective:** 

To restore the food security and livelihoods of vulnerable households in the

Darfur region of the Sudan.

Key

partners:

The state ministries of agriculture and animal resources, and non-

governmental organizations.

Beneficiaries reached:

98 368 households.

**Activities implemented:** 

- Distributed 248 tonnes of field crops (millet, sorghum and groundnut) to 31 130 households and 3.105 tonnes of assorted vegetable seeds and tools to 13 032 households.
- Vaccinated 511 698 animals, belonging to 34 081 households, against epidemic diseases.
- Provided training to 125 community animal health workers.
- Supported the planting of 190 000 tree seedlings in deforested areas, along roadsides and in residential areas.

**Impact:** 

- The inputs provided under the project enabled the planting of 25 742 hectares of field crops, producing and estimated yield of 9.411 tonnes of cereal and 726 tonnes of vegetables.
- The project's vaccination and treatment activities and animal health training reduced the loss of livestock due to epidemic diseases and resulted in more healthy and productive animals.