



Project Highlights

SUDAN

“Support for vulnerable households to engage in own food production through provision of essential agricultural production inputs, as well as income-generating activities”

Project code: OSRO/SUD/708/CHF

Donor: Common Humanitarian Fund for Sudan

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Implementation: 01/01/07 – 31/03/08

Target areas: Greater Darfur

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| Objective: | To contribute to restoring food security and livelihoods through the provision of agricultural inputs for food production, carrying out income-generating activities and training to increase resilience and self-reliance of drought- and conflict-affected people in the Greater Darfur region. |
| Key partners: | Food Security and Livelihoods (FSL) Sector partners, State and Federal Ministries of Agriculture. |
| Beneficiaries reached: | 102 093 households. |
| Activities implemented: | <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ 61 250 households received 808 tonnes of crop seeds (sorghum, millet and groundnut).▪ 17 338 households provided with almost 3.5 tonnes of vegetable seeds.▪ Donkey ploughs, hand tools, treadle pumps, grinding mills and oil extractors distributed to participating farmers.▪ Regular meetings of the FSL Sector organized to harmonize planning and programming, avoid duplication and improve monitoring and evaluation.▪ 905 beneficiaries trained in agricultural extension, constructing shallow wells, making fuel-efficient stoves, vegetable gardening, water harvesting raising seedlings.▪ Support provided for the construction/rehabilitation of 25 shallow wells. |
| Impact: | <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Farmers produced crops worth over USD 25 million and vegetables worth over USD 3 million, enabling them to meet their own needs and generate some income from the sale of surplus.▪ Treadle pumps and donkey ploughs enabled beneficiaries to increase the area under cultivation and, therefore, their production levels.▪ Participating farmers were able to take advantage of the increased price of grains in the market.▪ The constructed/rehabilitated shallow wells will protect targeted areas from seasonal flooding. |

