

AFRICA SOLIDARITY TRUST FUND

by Africans for Africans

A unique, Africa-led fund to improve agriculture and food security across the continent has become a reality

Officially launched in June 2013 with funding totaling over USD 40 million from **Equatorial Guinea**, **Angola** and group of civil society organizations in the **Republic of Congo**.

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Increasing opportunities for **youth employment**



Improving **natural resources management**



Increasing the **resilience of livelihoods** in crisis situations



Eradicating **hunger** and supporting **sustainable food production**

PROJECT HIGHLIGHTS



Mali

Youth at work - reducing rural poverty

The Niger

Support au processus d'appui aux Communes de Convergences

Central African Republic

Livelihoods resilience opportunities for conflict affected rural communities

Ethiopia

Enhanced livelihoods and poverty reduction through economic diversification and decent work opportunities for rural communities

South Sudan

Improved livelihoods for increased resilience of crisis-affected rural communities in South Sudan

Malawi

Integrated approach to building resilience of vulnerable communities to climatic shocks in one of the most affected districts

Central Africa (6 countries)

La sécurité alimentaire renforcée en milieu urbain en Afrique centrale grâce à une meilleure disponibilité de la nourriture produite localement

Eastern Africa (4 countries)

Promoting Nutrition Sensitive Agricultural Diversification to Fight Malnutrition and Enhance Youth Employment Opportunities in Eastern Africa

Southern Africa (8 countries)

Strengthening Controls of Food Safety, Plant and Animal Pests and Diseases for Agricultural Productivity and Trade in Southern Africa

Western Africa (6 countries)

Creating Agribusiness Employment Opportunities for Youth through Sustainable Aquaculture Systems and Cassava Value Chains in West Africa

New projects The Fund is supporting an Africa South-South Cooperation Facility for Agriculture and Food Security; a project on the mitigation of the impact of Ebola Virus Disease on food security and agriculture based livelihoods in West Africa; and a project for the enhancement of employment opportunities for rural youth in Africa, in collaboration with NEPAD.



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