



Commercial Agriculture Project (P159979)

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Implementing Agencies: Republic of Congo, Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Livestock

Key Dates

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Bank Approval Date:13-Jul-2017

Effectiveness Date:30-Apr-2018

Planned Mid Term Review Date:15-Jan-2020

Actual Mid-Term Review Date:--

Original Closing Date:31-Jul-2022

Revised Closing Date:31-Jul-2022

Project Development Objectives

Project Development Objective (from Project Appraisal Document)

The Project Development Objective (PDO) is to improve productivity of farmers and market access for producer groups and micro, small and medium agribusiness enterprises, in selected zones of the territory of the Recipient, and provide immediate and effective response in the event of an Eligible Crisis or Emergency.

Has the Project Development Objective been changed since Board Approval of the Project Objective?

No

Components

Name
Component 1: Direct support to producer groups and agribusiness micro, small and medium enterprises (MSMEs):(Cost \$25.00 M)
Component 2: Improving public infrastructure and the business climate for commercial agriculture:(Cost \$45.00 M)
Component 3: Strengthening institutional capacity to support the development of commercial agriculture:(Cost \$30.00 M)
Component 4: Contingency emergency response

Overall Ratings

Name	Previous Rating	Current Rating
Progress towards achievement of PDO	● Satisfactory	● Moderately Satisfactory
Overall Implementation Progress (IP)	● Satisfactory	● Moderately Satisfactory
Overall Risk Rating	● Substantial	● Substantial



Implementation Status and Key Decisions

The Government has met the effectiveness conditions as following:

(a) Receipt by the Bank of a satisfactory legal opinion confirming, on behalf of the Borrower and Project Implementing Entity that the legal agreement to which it is a party has been duly authorized or ratified by, and executed and delivered on its behalf and is legally binding upon it in accordance with the agreement's terms.

Condition met as follows: The Recipient has submitted to the Association the legal opinion from Henri Bouka, Vice President of the Supreme Court of the Congo, dated January 12, 2018. The country lawyer has received and reviewed this opinion and found it to be satisfactory.

(b) The Recipient shall have established, in a form and manner acceptable to the Association, the Steering Committee.

Condition met as follows: The Recipient has submitted to the Association through letter dated October 13, 2017, the Service Note dated September 22, 2017 from the Minister of Planning, Statistics and Regional Integration.

(c) The MAEP shall have adopted, in a form and manner acceptable to the Association, the Project Implementation Manual.

Condition met as follows: Following the no-objection issued by the Bank on April 14, 2018, the Recipient confirmed the adoption of the Project Implementation Manual through letter dated April 23, 2018.

Risks

Systematic Operations Risk-rating Tool

Risk Category	Rating at Approval	Previous Rating	Current Rating
Political and Governance	● Substantial	● Substantial	● Substantial
Macroeconomic	● Substantial	● Substantial	● Substantial
Sector Strategies and Policies	● Moderate	● Moderate	● Moderate
Technical Design of Project or Program	● Substantial	● Substantial	● Substantial
Institutional Capacity for Implementation and Sustainability	● High	● High	● High
Fiduciary	● Substantial	● Substantial	● Substantial
Environment and Social	● Moderate	● Moderate	● Moderate
Stakeholders	● Moderate	● Moderate	● Moderate
Other	--	--	--
Overall	● Substantial	● Substantial	● Substantial

Results

Project Development Objective Indicators

► Direct project beneficiaries (Number, Custom)

Baseline

Actual (Previous)

Actual (Current)

End Target



Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	500,000.00
Date	23-May-2017	16-Oct-2017	08-May-2018	31-Jul-2022

▲ Female beneficiaries (Percentage, Custom Supplement)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	50.00

▶ Percentage increase in volume of raw and processed products sold by producer groups and MSMEs in national or export markets (Percentage, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	20.00
Date	23-May-2017	16-Oct-2017	08-May-2018	31-Jul-2022

▶ Average seasonal yield per standard area of specific crops among targeted farmers (Metric ton, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Date	23-May-2017	16-Oct-2017	08-May-2018	31-Jul-2022

▲ Maize (Metric ton, Custom Breakdown)



	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.50	0.50	0.50	1.50
Date	23-May-2017	16-Oct-2017	08-May-2018	31-Jul-2022

▷ Cassava (Metric ton, Custom Breakdown)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	7.00	7.00	7.00	15.00
Date	23-May-2017	16-Oct-2017	08-May-2018	31-Jul-2022

▷ Aquaculture (Metric ton, Custom Breakdown)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	4.00
Date	23-May-2017	16-Oct-2017	08-May-2018	31-Jul-2022

▷ Livestock (Egg production per chicken) (Number, Custom Supplement)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	250.00

Overall Comments

Intermediate Results Indicators



► Farmers adopting improved agricultural technology (Number, Corporate)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	7,000.00
Date	23-May-2017	16-Oct-2017	08-May-2018	31-Jul-2022

▲ Farmers adopting improved agricultural technology - Female (Number, Corporate Supplement)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,500.00

► Value of matching grants given to producer groups and MSMES (disaggregated by sex) (Amount(USD), Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	20,000,000.00
Date	23-May-2017	16-Oct-2017	08-May-2018	31-Jul-2022

► Number of business plans that are supported by the project (for producer groups, disaggregated by sex) (Number, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	700.00
Date	23-May-2017	16-Oct-2017	08-May-2018	31-Jul-2022



▲ Number of business plans that are supported by the project (for MSMEs) (Number, Custom Supplement)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	50.00

▶ Roads rehabilitated, Rural (Kilometers, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,000.00
Date	23-May-2017	16-Oct-2017	08-May-2018	31-Jul-2022

▶ Number of policy reforms (e.g. laws and regulations) drafted by the project (Number, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	3.00
Date	23-May-2017	16-Oct-2017	08-May-2018	31-Jul-2022

▶ Number of multi-stakeholder platforms for public-private dialogue on commercial agriculture (Number, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	4.00
Date	23-May-2017	16-Oct-2017	08-May-2018	31-Jul-2022



► Quantity of improved seeds certified annually (Metric ton, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00
Date	23-May-2017	16-Oct-2017	08-May-2018	31-Jul-2022

► Number of laboratories for agriculture research and development and/or for food safety control rehabilitated and brought up to international standards (test, control, analysis of soils, genetic mater (Number, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	3.00
Date	23-May-2017	16-Oct-2017	08-May-2018	31-Jul-2022

► Percentage of producers and MSMEs satisfied with supporting services provided along agricultural value chains in the areas of intervention of the project (services) (Percentage, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	60.00
Date	23-May-2017	16-Oct-2017	08-May-2018	31-Jul-2022

► Number of students who received support from the project for practical internships or master's degrees (disaggregated by sex) (Number, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	500.00
Date	23-May-2017	16-Oct-2017	08-May-2018	31-Jul-2022



► Availability of agricultural scientific data and statistics from a centralized source (Number, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.00
Date	23-May-2017	16-Oct-2017	08-May-2018	31-Jul-2022

Overall Comments

Data on Financial Performance

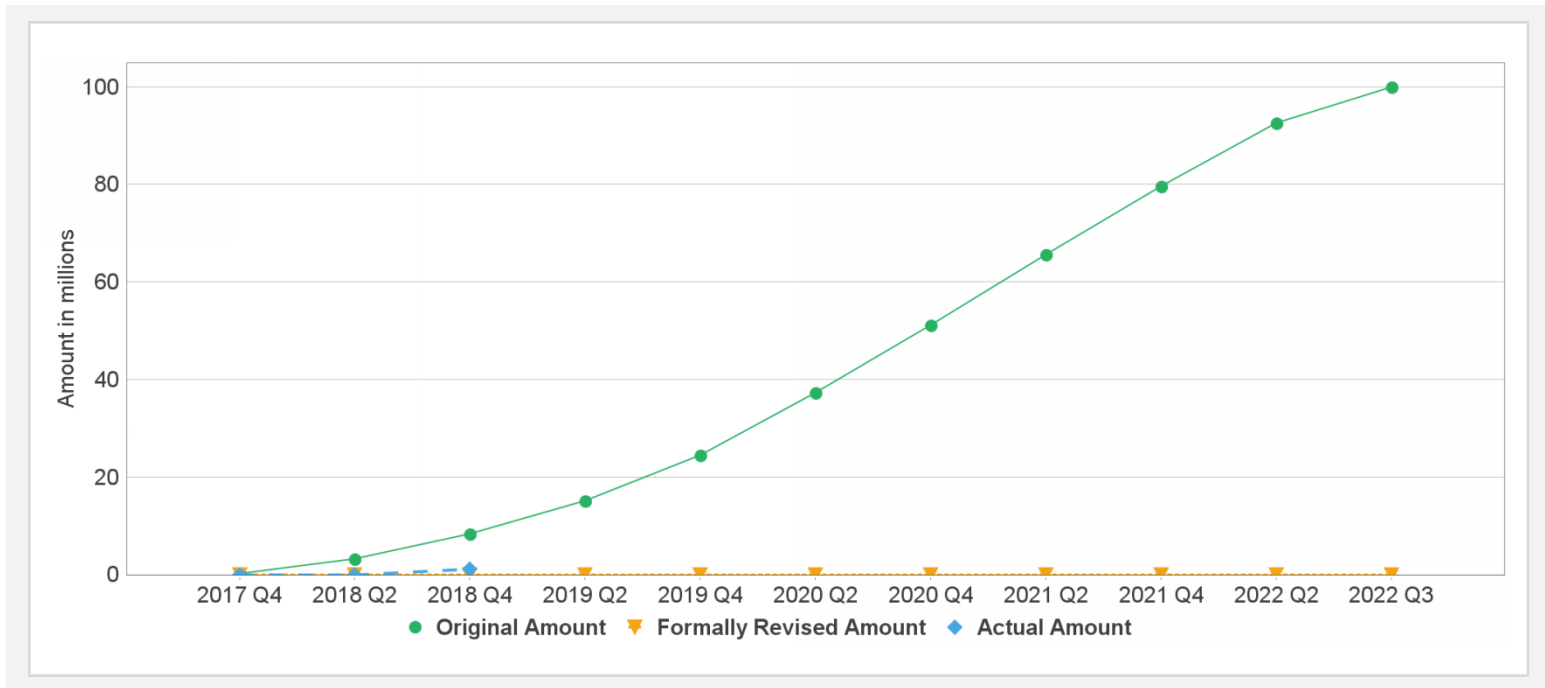
Disbursements (by loan)

Project	Loan/Credit/TF	Status	Currency	Original	Revised	Cancelled	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Disbursed
P159979	IDA-61110	Effective	USD	100.00	100.00	0.00	1.14	103.33	1.1%

Key Dates (by loan)

Project	Loan/Credit/TF	Status	Approval Date	Signing Date	Effectiveness Date	Orig. Closing Date	Rev. Closing Date
P159979	IDA-61110	Effective	13-Jul-2017	20-Sep-2017	30-Apr-2018	31-Jul-2022	31-Jul-2022

Cumulative Disbursements



Restructuring History

There has been no restructuring to date.

Related Project(s)

There are no related projects.