

MLS Kenia

Food security, Water and Climate

The Netherlands' engagement in this area will contribute to the following frameworks:

- **SDGs: 1 (no poverty), 2 (zero hunger), 5 (gender equality), 6 (clean water and sanitation), 8 (decent work and economic growth), 12 (responsible consumption and production), 13 (climate action)**

OUTCOMES AND LONG-TERM OBJECTIVES

Food and nutrition security

- Family farms benefitting from activities
- Ecological sustainability of farm land use strengthened

Water

- Efficient water use in agriculture
- Strengthened Water, sanitation and hygiene
- Water resources management at country level

Climate

- Climate resilient water management and WASH/increased resilience water security and safety
- Increased resilience of food security

Intermediate outcomes/medium-term objectives

- Increased and strengthened agribusiness activities in various agricultural value chains, notably dairy, horticulture, aquaculture, potatoes.
- Climate-resilience is integrated in water and food security interventions
- Productivity and incomes of value chain actors in both fertile areas as well as arid and semi-arid areas improved, especially women; jobs created, particularly for young people.
- Increased number of women and men using safely managed drinking water services and sanitation services.

HOW WILL WE ACHIEVE THESE OBJECTIVES AND RESULTS

- Facilitating knowledge development and exchange (e.g. on water resource management, resilience, remote sensing, non-revenue water, value chain development), in both high potential areas and fragile areas. E.g. through ARF, WaterworX, BlueDeal, G4AW, OKP
- Brokering partnerships and use of Dutch expertise on climate, food security, water and renewable energy, through working with networks (NWP, NFP, NABC) which represent the private sector, knowledge institutes and NGOs
- Brokering and facilitating innovative financing methods (KIFFWA, Micro finance, crop insurance), PPP's and use of centralized financing instruments, such as DGGF, SDG-P, DHI, PSD-apps.
- Continuation of implementation of current programmes on WASH (WaterWorX, Blue Deal, GSF, FINISH-Mondial, Watershed) and value chain development (KMDP, KMHP, SWA, CSA-EA, 2SCALE) and scoping for the integration of food, water, and climate, as well as on value addition/manufacturing activities in the agriculture value chain, including agrolistics and postharvest loss reduction
- Influencing government policies on food and water: e.g. setting up Dutch-Kenyan G2G Agricultural Working Group and through KPWF government steering committee
- Support lobby and advocacy efforts of strategic partners on climate resilience, food safety, labor conditions and value chain development, such as Voices4Change, Watershed, Partners for resilience
- Identifying a niche for strategic water, food security, climate contribution to existing interventions in fragile areas of other actors. For example, relating to interventions from the World Bank Group, IFAD, EU, ViaWater