

# Burundi

This factsheet provides an overview of economic inclusion programs in Burundi. Economic inclusion programs are a bundle of coordinated, multidimensional interventions that support individuals, households, and communities in raising their incomes and building their assets. The data used for this factsheet comes from the Partnership for Economic Inclusion's Landscape Survey 2023.

## COUNTRY FACTS

Region	Population	Income Group	FCV country (WB FY24 list)
Sub-Saharan Africa	12.55 million	Low income	Yes

Poverty Headcount (share of population below the poverty line)

National Poverty Line	Multidimensional Poverty Index	\$2.15/day (2017 PPP)
64.90%	75.10%	65.10%

## PROGRAMS

Number of economic inclusion programs

5

Institutional delivery (lead agency)



■ Nongovernment-led ■ Government-led

Geographic area



■ Rural only ■ Urban/peri ■ Mix (urban & rural)

## PARTICIPANTS

Number of participants

19,620

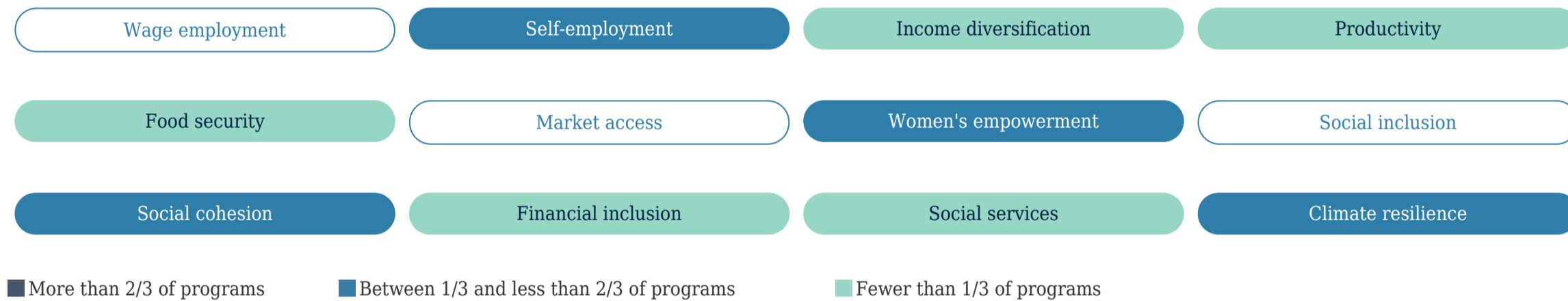
Number of people benefiting

103,986

Participants served by government-led programs (%)

96.02%

## MAIN PROGRAM OBJECTIVES



## PARTICIPANT PROFILE

Targeted Poverty Segments



Targeted Population Groups



■ More than 2/3 of programs ■ Between 1/3 and less than 2/3 of programs ■ Fewer than 1/3 of programs

## CORE PROGRAM COMPONENTS



TRANSFER



BUSINESS CAPITAL



WAGE EMPLOYMENT  
FACILITATION



SKILLS TRAINING



COACHING



FINANCIAL SERVICES  
FACILITATION



MARKET LINKS



CLIMATE RESILIENCE SUPPORT

## ECONOMIC INCLUSION PROGRAMS SURVEYED

Program Name	Year program began	Lead Agencies	Program Description	No. of Current Participants	% Female Participants	Poverty Targeting	Digital
Landscape Restoration and Resilience Project	2018	Ministry of Environment, Agriculture, and Livestock (MINEAGRIE)	The project aims to restore degraded landscapes through sustainable land management practices and to strengthen the resilience of communities through job creation and land certification.	17,580	51-75% of participants	Targets XP/UP only	Yes
Integrated Community Development Project	2020	Ministry of Interior	The project aims to improve nutrition, access to basic services, and economic opportunities in 21 municipalities across four provinces in Burundi, benefiting inhabitants in five refugee camps and related host communities.	1,260	1-25% of participants	Targets poor broadly	Yes
Cash for Jobs Project	2021	The Ministry of National Solidarity, Human Rights, Social Affairs and Gender	The project aims to enhance management capacity, scale up safety nets, and promote productive inclusion and job access. Beneficiaries, including refugees and host communities, will receive cash transfers, human capital support, and small business grants.			Targets poor broadly	Yes
Green Graduation	2023	Concern Worldwide Burundi	Green Graduation aims to address the needs of those in extreme poverty by enhancing their capacity to develop livelihoods, withstand shocks, and improve household well-being, including nutrition, family relations, and social inclusion.			Targets XP/UP only	Yes
Refugee Protection, Health and Livelihoods Project	2020	AVSI Foundation Burundi	The project aims to improve the living conditions and human rights of Congolese refugees in Burundi.	780	76-99% of participants	Targets XP/UP only	Yes

Only programs that have given their consent to share their program data are included in this table



*The Partnership for Economic Inclusion (PEI) is a global platform that unites non-governmental organizations, UN agencies, research institutions, funding partners, and the World Bank to support government adoption and scale up of economic inclusion programs that empower vulnerable people to lift themselves out of extreme poverty.*

DNA: Does Not Apply; FY: Fiscal Year; FCV: Fragility, Conflict, and Violence; MPI: Multidimensional Poverty Index; NPL: National Poverty Line; N/A: Not available; WB: World Bank