

# ECONOMIC INCLUSION OF YOUTH PROGRAM, SUPPORTED BY THE WORLD BANK'S ADAPTIVE SAFETY NETS AND ECONOMIC INCLUSION PROJECT



## BASIC PROGRAM INFORMATION

COUNTRY  
Cameroon

REGION  
Sub-Saharan Africa

LEAD IMPLEMENTING AGENCY  
Ministry of Economy, Planning, and Territorial Administration (MINEPAT)

TYPE LEAD IMPLEMENTING AGENCY  
National govt

START DATE  
11/01/2022

END DATE  
03/01/2028

P-CODE (WB PROGRAMS)  
P175363

GLOBAL PRACTICE (WORLD BANK)  
Social Protection & Jobs

## PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

### MAIN OBJECTIVES

Wage employment	Food security	Financial inclusion	<b>Self-employment</b>
<b>Market access</b>	Social services	Income diversification	Women's empowerment
Social cohesion	<b>Productivity</b>	Social inclusion	Climate resilience

## PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The program offers a comprehensive package of support to vulnerable youth in urban areas, including internally displaced persons, to help them start or expand income-generating activities, build economic resilience, and prepare for shocks.

## PROGRAM COMPONENTS



TRANSFER



COACHING



BUSINESS CAPITAL



FINANCIAL SERVICES FACILITATION



WAGE EMPLOYMENT FACILITATION



MARKET LINKS



SKILLS TRAINING



CLIMATE RESILIENCE SUPPORT

## AVERAGE PROGRAM DURATION FOR PARTICIPANTS

Under one year	<b>Between one and three years</b>	More than three years
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DO PARTICIPANTS ACCESS COMPONENTS IN A SPECIFIC SEQUENCE?



## DIGITIZATION

### COMPONENTS DELIVERED DIGITALLY

TRANSFER	COACHING	<b>BUSINESS CAPITAL</b>
<b>FINANCIAL SERVICES FACILITATION</b>	MARKET LINKS	SKILLS TRAINING
CLIMATE RESILIENCE SUPPORT	WAGE EMPLOYMENT	



## COUNTRY INFORMATION

LENDING CATEGORY (WB ONLY)  
Blend

FCV COUNTRY (WB FY24 LIST)  
Yes

TOTAL POPULATION (MILLION)  
27.20

POVERTY HEADCOUNT (NPL) (%)  
37.50%

POVERTY HEADCOUNT (\$2.15/DAY (2017 PPP)) (%)  
25.70%

POVERTY HEADCOUNT (MPI) (%)  
43.59%

NO. ECONOMIC INCLUSION PROGRAMS IN THE COUNTRY  
5

NO. BENEFICIARIES (DIRECT & INDIRECT) OF ECONOMIC INCLUSION PROGRAMS IN THE COUNTRY  
50,705



### PARTICIPANT PROFILE

TARGETED POVERTY GROUPS

Poor

PRIORITY VULNERABLE GROUPS

Displacement-affected

Women



### ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA



### PARTICIPANT IDENTIFICATION METHODS

Geographic targeting

Categorical targeting

Proxy Means Test



## PLANNED RESEARCH AND EVALUATION

### EVALUATION/RESEARCH TYPES

Impact evaluation

### IMPACT EVALUATION TOPICS

Overall impact

Cost effectiveness

Spillovers and general equilibrium effects

Scalable delivery modalities

Optimal combination of components

### NAME RESEARCH PARTNERS

DIME

### DATE WHEN IMPACT EVALUATION RESULTS AVAILABLE

Results from the first phase of the study (nimble RCT) expected in fall 2024. Full impact evaluation results are expected in 2026.

Data submitted as of 04/24/2023, through PEI's Landscaping Survey.

For more information on the survey

[click here.](#)

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## PROGRAM COVERAGE

### DIRECT PARTICIPANTS

### DIRECT & INDIRECT BENEFICIARIES

### PERCENTAGE FEMALE PARTICIPANTS

Share of country population (%) :

Area/s

: Urban/Peri-urban only

Share of poor (national poverty line) (%) :

Geographic coverage

: National coverage

## INSTITUTIONAL ARRANGEMENTS

### ORGANIZATIONS

### INVOLVED IN IMPLEMENTATION

### PROVIDING FINANCING

National/central government



Regional/district government



Local/municipal government



Non-governmental organization



Community



Financial Service Provider



World Bank



Multilateral (not WB)



Bilateral organization



Private sector organization



## COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

### COMPONENTS DELIVERED THROUGH COMMUNITY

### COMMUNITY STRUCTURES LEVERAGED FOR PROGRAM DELIVERY

- Transfer
- Business capital
- Wage employment facilitation
- Skills training
- Coaching
- Financial services facilitation
- Market links
- Climate resilience support

- Informal community groups
- Formal community groups
- Local governance groups
- Community individuals
- Other community structures

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