

PARTNERSHIP FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE EASTERN CONGO (P-DEC)

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

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

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The program aims to build a foundation for durable peace in Eastern Congo by strengthening community resilience, improving institutional accountability and responsiveness, and promoting inclusive and diversified economic growth.

PROGRAM COMPONENTS



AVERAGE PROGRAM DURATION FOR PARTICIPANTS



DO PARTICIPANTS ACCESS COMPONENTS IN A SPECIFIC SEQUENCE?



DIGITIZATION

COMPONENTS DELIVERED DIGITALLY

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



BASIC PROGRAM INFORMATION

COUNTRY

Congo, Dem. Rep.

REGION

Sub-Saharan Africa

LEAD IMPLEMENTING AGENCY

Mercy Corps

TYPE LEAD IMPLEMENTING AGENCY

NGO

START DATE

08/01/2021

END DATE

08/01/2026

P-CODE (WB PROGRAMS)

DNA

GLOBAL PRACTICE (WORLD BANK)

Non-WB



COUNTRY INFORMATION

LENDING CATEGORY (WB ONLY)

IDA

FCV COUNTRY (WB FY24 LIST)

Yes

TOTAL POPULATION (MILLION)

95.89

POVERTY HEADCOUNT (NPL) (%)

63.90%

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

69.70%

POVERTY HEADCOUNT (MPI) (%)

64.52%

NO. ECONOMIC INCLUSION PROGRAMS IN THE COUNTRY

12

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

362,571



PARTICIPANT PROFILE

TARGETED POVERTY GROUPS

Program does not target by poverty level

PRIORITY VULNERABLE GROUPS

Women

Youth

Climate-affected

Marginalized



ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Poverty status

Other eligible criteria



PARTICIPANT IDENTIFICATION METHODS

Community-based targeting

Geographic targeting

Categorical targeting



PLANNED RESEARCH AND EVALUATION

EVALUATION/RESEARCH TYPES

IMPACT EVALUATION TOPICS

NAME RESEARCH PARTNERS
TBA

DATE WHEN IMPACT EVALUATION RESULTS AVAILABLE
TBA

Data submitted as of 04/19/2023, through PEI's Landscaping Survey.

For more information on the survey [click here](#).

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PROGRAM COVERAGE

DIRECT PARTICIPANTS

4,525

DIRECT & INDIRECT BENEFICIARIES

23,992

PERCENTAGE FEMALE PARTICIPANTS

Share of country population (%)

: 0.03

Area/s

: Mix (urban & rural)

Share of poor (national poverty line) (%)

: 0.04

Geographic coverage

: Several states/regions

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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