

Appendix A: Project Description

Logical Framework of Project WA:26-27 Strengthening Economic Production Initiatives with a Gender Perspective in Indigenous Communities of Quiché, Guatemala, C.A.

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The project "Strengthening Economic Production Initiatives with a Gender Perspective in Indigenous Communities of Quiché, Guatemala, C.A." focuses on improving the productive, organizational, and economic capacities of beneficiary families, especially rural women. It seeks to empower women by enabling them to lead economic initiatives based on the diversification of agricultural production, strengthening their economic autonomy and their participation in community savings and local marketing processes. The project promotes the strengthening of technical capacities through training, support, and guidance in agroecological practices, post-harvest handling, primary processing of agricultural products, and livestock production, thereby improving the quality, safety, and commercial value of surplus production. It also promotes the implementation of community-based financial registration and control mechanisms to strengthen the economic management of organized women's groups. Additionally, the initiative seeks to bolster families' resilience to the effects of climate change by promoting sustainable practices for soil fertility conservation and improvement, as well as the efficient use of water resources in agricultural and livestock production. In this way, the project contributes to the comprehensive, sustainable, and participatory development of the beneficiary communities, strengthening food security, income generation, and the leadership of rural women.

Results	R.100. Women lead economic initiatives by diversifying their agricultural production, improving the availability of nutritious food, and generating surpluses for the local market.		R.200. Groups of women producers improve the quality and safety of their agricultural surpluses through post-harvest practices and primary processing, increasing their commercial value in local markets.		R.300. Families optimize soil fertility and water resource use for sustainable production.	
Indicators	-80% of participating women increase their income from diversified agricultural production by at least 30% by the end of the project. -70% of women actively participate in community savings mechanisms.		-80% of rural families implement practices to improve the quality and safety of their agricultural surpluses. -80% of rural families process their primary agricultural production, increasing its market value.		-80% of families apply practices that improve soil fertility for sustainable agricultural production. -80% of families apply technologies to optimize water use for agricultural production.	
Outputs	P110. Organized women's groups have forms for recording and monitoring their income from diversified agricultural production.	P120. Women's savings groups have forms for monitoring community savings and loans, and a fund for safeguarding savings and loan earnings.	P210. 38 women were trained through workshops and support to improve the technical management of post-harvest quality and safety of surplus agricultural production.	P220. 38 women were trained through workshops and support to improve the technical management and processing of surplus agricultural production.	P310. 38 families implemented two practices that improve soil fertility for better agroecological production.	P320. 26 families applied two technologies to optimize water resource use for agricultural production.
Indicators	-Number of women's groups that have and use	-Number of women's groups that have and properly use the	-38 women have improved their technical skills	-38 women have improved their technical skills for processing	-38 women trained and sensitized to the conservation and	-26 women trained and sensitized to the conservation of water

	forms for recording and monitoring their income from diversified agricultural production.	financial management kit (cash box and forms) for managing their community funds.	through training workshops with an agroecological focus.	surplus livestock production.	improvement of soil resources for agroecological production.	resources for agricultural production.
Activities	A111. Training workshops on the use and completion of forms for recording and controlling income from diversified agricultural production, including planting calendars and staggered planting.	A121. Training workshops on the proper use of the financial management kit (cash box and forms) and on backyard poultry management, including prophylactic management plans and ethnoveterinary practices.	A211. Training workshop on good manufacturing practices for the proper post-harvest handling of agricultural products.	A221. Training workshops on techniques for processing agricultural products.	A311. Training workshop to raise awareness about the application of practices for soil conservation and improvement.	A321. Training workshop to raise awareness about the application of practices for water conservation and improvement.
	A112. Support and technical advice to organized groups for their production and marketing.	A122. Provision of inputs to improve the technical capacities of livestock production for beneficiary families.	A212. Provision of inputs and tools for the proper post-harvest handling of agricultural products.	A222. Provision of inputs and tools for the assembly of primary processing units: solar dehydrators, hand mills, among others.	A312. Practical workshops for training and implementation of soil conservation practices.	A322. Practical workshops for training and implementation of practices/technologies for water resource conservation for agricultural production.
	A113. Technical support and advice for the maintenance and repair of macro-tunnels.	A123. On-site technical support and advice for the application of livestock production techniques.	A213. Monitoring and technical support for the application of post-harvest handling techniques for agricultural products.		A313. Monitoring and technical support for the implementation of soil conservation practices and the use of liquid and solid fertilizers in family dry composting latrines (LASF).	A323. Purchase and delivery of materials/supplies for the implementation of practices/technologies for water resource conservation in agricultural production.

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Appendix C: Budget for the overall project

Project start date: April 1, 2026

Project end date: March 31, 2027

Budget lines			Budget
Operating costs			
Agroecological technician			18,000.00
Subtotal personnel cost			18,000.00
Administrative costs			
Coordinator			12,000.00
Accountant			12,000.00
Office expenses			1,952.00
Office rent			8,400.00
Vehicle maintenance			3,948.00
Fuel.			3,500.00
Travel expenses			2,000.00
Sub- Total administrative costs			43,800.00
Direct Project Costs			
R.100. Women lead economic initiatives by diversifying their agricultural production, improving the availability of nutritious food, and generating surpluses for the local market.			
A122. Provision of inputs to improve the technical capacities of livestock production for beneficiary families. (Dual-purpose chickens, feed supplements, and vaccines)	38	500	19,000.00
Sub-Total R1			19,000.00
R.200. Women producers' groups improve the quality and safety of their agricultural surpluses through post-harvest and primary processing practices, increasing their market value in local markets.			
A212. Provision of supplies and tools for proper post-harvest handling of agricultural products. (Sorting trays, wheelbarrows, digital scales, gloves, and nets)	8	1000	8,000.00
A222. Provision of supplies and tools for setting up primary processing units: solar dehydrators, hand mills, among others. (Solar dehydrators, hand mill, glass jars, and metal trays)	8	2200	17,600.00
Sub- Total R2			25,600.00
R.300. Families optimize soil fertility and water resource use for sustainable production.			
A323. Purchase and delivery of materials/inputs for the implementation of practices/technologies for water resource conservation in agricultural production. (Hydrogels)	12	300	3,600.00
Sub- Total R3			3,600.00
Total			110,000.00

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