COTTON MADE IN AFRICA
SUSTAINABILITY DEVELOPMENT IN COTTON PLANTATIONS

KEY MESSAGES

Description: Cotton Made in Africa (CmiA) improves the standards of living of 760,000 small African farmers by training them to produce organic cotton sold in international markets.

Specificity: Regular audit of the plantations and production plants to maintain sustainability criteria.

Impact: +30% in average annual income.

IMPACTS

Agricultural productivity: Increase up to 100% of the production from the first year thanks to better agricultural practices.

Climate change:
- 45% in carbon footprint
- 33% in pesticide consumption

No water needs.

Sustainable dev. goals: +30% in annual household income.

EXTEND COMMUNITY SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE RURAL AREAS WHERE THE PARTNER GINNING PLANTS OPERATE, TO BETTER RESPOND TO THE SIGNIFICANT NEEDS OF THESE COMMUNITIES.

NEXT STEPS

PLAYERS

Donors:
giz
otto group

Partners:

FUNCTIONING

SCOPE

760,000 households (5.6 M of beneficiaries)

BUDGET

$1.9 M income (of which $0.9 M of subsidies)

$2 M budget (of which 60% in training/audit)

LEVERS

SOILS
AGRICULTURAL WATER
RISK MANAGEMENT
FINANCING

ILLUSTRATION:

The employees trained by CmiA in turn train the farmers, grouped in «classes» of 20 to 30 farmers.