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2024-2026 CURRENT PROJECT	Sustainable Intensification Through Vegetables Intercropping in Perennial Crops Farming Systems in Zamboanga Peninsula, Mindanao Island, Philippines (ZamPen SIVI)	Brunei Darussalam-Indonesia-Malaysia-Philippines East ASEAN Growth Area (BIMP-EAGA) Republic of Korea (ROK) Cooperation Fund (BKCF), administered by Global Green Growth Institute (GGGI)	Mindanao Development Authority (MinDA)	Contribute to the attainment of UN Sustainable Development Goal 2 (Zero Hunger) by enhancing the livelihoods of smallholder upland farmers in Zamboanga Peninsula, Mindanao, through vegetable intercropping, thereby improving food security while mitigating the effects of climate change.	12,600 farmers 100 extension workers	Zamboanga del Norte, Zamboanga del Sur, and Zamboanga Sibugay provinces
2023-2024	Upscaling of the Gulayan sa Palayan at Pagnenegosyo Toward Prosperous RiceBIS Communities	Philippines Department of Agriculture's Philippine Rice Research Institute (PhilRice)	Philippines Department of Agriculture's Philippine Rice Research Institute (PhilRice)	Upscale the Gulayan sa Palayan at Pagnenegosyo rice-and-vegetable crop diversification program while promoting an agro-enterprise clustering approach to establish sustainable market access, thereby supplying consumers with high-quality, safe-to-eat vegetables.	4,200 farmers	Negros Occidental province (San Carlos City) and Zambales province (Castillejos)
2023-2024	Provision of Technical Services on the Capacity Development for Farmers of the SDGCoco Project	Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH	Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH	Train farmers on Good Agricultural Practices and the establishment of coconut-and-vegetable production areas to augment farm income.	315 farmers	Camarines Norte province (Santa Elena and San Lorenzo Ruiz) and Quezon province (Calauag)
2019-2024	Developing Vegetable Value Chains to Meet Evolving Market Expectations in the Philippines	Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR)	Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR); Applied Horticultural Research (AHR); Visayas State University; VISCA Foundation for Agricultural and Rural Development, Inc. (ViFARD); NSW Department of Primary Industries, Australia; Landcare Foundation of the Philippines; Freshcare	Improve the capacity of selected vegetable supply chains in the Philippines to deliver vegetables that better meet consumer expectations in terms of quality, food safety, nutritional value and price.	13,589 farmers	Bukidnon and Leyte provinces
2022	Gulayan sa Palayan at Pagnenegosyo sa RiceBIS Communities	Philippines Department of Agriculture's Philippine Rice Research Institute (PhilRice)	Philippines Department of Agriculture's Philippine Rice Research Institute (PhilRice)	Increase the net income of rice farmers by training them in commercial production of different vegetables, strengthen the rice-and-vegetable cropping system, and establish a product consolidation and marketing system within the participating communities.	1,100 farmers	Zaragoza, Nueva Ecija San Mateo, Isabela
2022	Sustainable Development and Good Agricultural Practices in the Coconut Supply Chain (SDGCoco)	Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH	Franklin Baker Company of the Philippines; Symrise; The Absolut Company through Malibu	As part of the larger SDGCoco project, provide two Farmer Business School courses on GAP: "Master Trainers on FBS GAP Trainers Refresher Course" and "Farmers Training Implementation and Supervision."	22 trainers 160 farmers	Quezon and Camarines Norte provinces

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2021	Integrated Coffee-Vegetable Farming Systems Project in Bukidnon	Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH	Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH; Nestle Philippines	Establish vegetable demo farms as learning sites for nearby communities and encourage adoption of the technology by smallholder coffee farmers.	510 farmers	Bukidnon province (Pangantucan)
2021	Jobstart Philippines Program	Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE)	East-West Seed Co., Inc.	Shorten youths' school-to-work transition by enhancing their knowledge and skills through on-the-job training.	5 newly graduated agriculture students	Bukidnon province
2021	Sa Palay at Gulay - May Ani, Hanapbuhay, Oportunidad at Nutrisyon (PAG-AHON) Phase 2	Department of Agriculture-Philippine Rice Research Institute (DA-PhilRice)	Department of Agriculture-Philippine Rice Research Institute (DA-PhilRice); LGU-Lupao; Lupao Vegetable Growers Association (LVGA); DA RFO-III	Increase the productivity and net income of rice farmers through crop diversification (rice and vegetables) and help mitigate the issues of access to seeds and food resiliency during this pandemic.	1,065 farmers	Nueva Ecija province (Lupao)
2021	Training on Basic Vegetable Production Anchored on Natural Farming Systems (NFS) in Laguna, Quezon and Camarines Norte	Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH	Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH, Franklin Baker	Provide basic vegetable production and distribution of farm inputs.	350 farmers	Laguna, Quezon, and Camarines Norte provinces
2021	Training of Trainers: SDGCoco Farm Business School – Good Agricultural Practices	Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH	Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH; Franklin Baker	Train government and private extension workers through SDGCoco Farm Business School on Good Agricultural Practices to increase farmers' capacity on coconut-vegetable farming systems and agriculture-based business management.	22 government and private extension workers	Quezon and Camarines Norte provinces
2019-2021	Sustainable Onion Production through IPM Solutions and Farmer Education	Deutsche Investitions und Entwicklungsgesellschaft MBH (DEG); Cordaid	Asia Society for Social Improvement and Sustainable Transformation (ASSIST)	Increase productivity and resilience of onion farmers through building capacity on Good Agricultural Practices and integrated pest management (IPM).	4,951 farmers	Pangasinan province (Bayambang); Nueva Ecija province (Laur); Ilocos Sur province (Bantay); and Nueva Ecija province (San Jose)
2020	Sa Palay at Gulay - May Ani, Hanapbuhay, Oportunidad at Nutrisyon (PAG-AHON) Phase 1	Department of Agriculture-Philippine Rice Research Institute (DA-PhilRice)	Department of Agriculture-Philippine Rice Research Institute (DA-PhilRice); LGU-Lupao; Lupao Vegetable Growers Association (LVGA)	Increase the productivity and net income of rice farmers through crop diversification (rice and vegetables) and help mitigate the issues of access to seeds and food resiliency during this pandemic.	1,784 farmers	Nueva Ecija province (Lupao)
2019-2020	Integrated Coffee-Vegetables Farming Systems Project in Bukidnon, Philippines	Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH	Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH; Nestle Philippines	Establish vegetable demonstration farms as learning sites for nearby communities and encourage adoption of the technology by smallholder coffee farmers.	140 farmers	Bukidnon province (Maramag, Pangantucan, Kalilangan, Lantapan, and Manolo Fortich)

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2019	Sustainable Vegetable Farming Thru Good Agricultural Practices (GAP)	CARE Philippines	CARE Philippines	Build the capacity of para-technicians and establish PhilGAP-aligned vegetable farms.	550 farmers	Iloilo province (Lemery)
2019	Technical Assistance and Provision of Service and Input Requirements for the Establishment of Urban Garden in Paombong, Bulacan	Cordaid	Cordaid	Build capacity on urban (container) gardening.	150 urban community members	Bulacan province (Paombong)
2019	Vegetable Farming Anchored on Good Agricultural Practices (GAP) Combined with Natural Farming System (NFS) Technology	National Grid Corporation of the Philippines	World Wide Fund for Nature (WWF)	Improve farmers' vegetable production skills, along with marketing and business planning strategies, through group and one-on-one mentoring.	218 farmers	Lanao del Norte province (Balo-i and Bacolod); Cotabato province (Matalam and M'lang); Davao Occidental province (Malita); and Davao de Oro province (Montevista)
2018	High Value Vegetable Production Using Natural Farming Systems Under the Partnership Against Hunger and Poverty (PAHP) Project Phase 2	Department of Agrarian Reform Provincial Office-Zamboanga del Norte	Department of Agrarian Reform Provincial Office-Zamboanga del Norte	Build farmers' capacity on climate-smart agricultural techniques and provide farm input support packages to agrarian reform beneficiaries.	3,903 farmers	Zamboanga del Norte province

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2018	<p>Increasing Productivity Towards Food Security and Poverty Alleviation Project Sustainable Livelihood thru Vegetable Production Project</p> <p>The Establishment of Farm Business School and Vegetable Demo Project</p> <p>Climate Resilient Farm Productivity Support Project</p> <p>Linking Smallholder Farmers to the Market (LinkS) Project</p> <p>Capacity Enhancement of Rural-Based Association to Capacitate Agricultural Productivity under the Yolanda Climate Resilient Farm Productivity Project</p>	Department of Agrarian Reform Provincial Office; local government units	Department of Agrarian Reform Provincial Office; local government units	Provide technical assistance and farm input support to agrarian reform beneficiaries.	6,361 farmers	Biliran province (Cabucgayan, Naval, and Almeria) and Leyte province (Abuyog, Carigara, Mahaplag, and Baybay)
2018	Project Extension for Technical Assistance to Climate Risk Proof Urban Farming in Mandaue	Cordaid	Cordaid	Introduce container gardening to communities in Mandaue City to improve food security.	80 community members	Cebu province (Mandaue)
2018	Zero Extreme Poverty 2030 Philippines through Partnerships for the Indigenous People Project	Assisi Development Foundation, Inc.	Assisi Development Foundation, Inc.	Build the capacity of indigenous people (Mangyan tribe) on vegetable cultivation using natural farming systems technology.	3,404 farmers	Oriental Mindoro province (Naujan)
2017	Community-Supported Vegetable Production Anchored on Good Agricultural Practices (CSVP-GAP) in Nayong Tsinoy, San Simon, Pampanga	LCF	Business Innovation Gateway	Establish a community-supported vegetable production farm and introduce a clustering approach on production and marketing of vegetables.	1,962 farmers	Pampanga province (San Simon)

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2017	Establishment of Demo Farm on Sustainable Agro-Forestry Using the Sloping Agricultural Land Technology (SALT) through the Conduct of Farmers' Field School on High Value Vegetable Production Using Natural Farming Systems Technology	Department of Agrarian Reform Provincial Office	Department of Agrarian Reform Provincial Office	Deliver training through Farmers Field School (FFS) on vegetable production using natural farming systems technology to build the capacity of agrarian reform beneficiaries.	1,571 farmers	Zamboanga del Sur and Zamboanga del Norte provinces
2017	Technical Assistance to Farmers in Climate Smart Vegetable Production through Natural Farming Systems in Kinatarcan and Calicoan	Cordaid	Cordaid	Introduce climate-smart farming techniques and natural farming systems to improve traditional farming practices.	7,984 farmers	Eastern Samar province (Calicoan) and Cebu province (Kinatarcan)
2015-2017	High Value Vegetable Production through Natural Farming Systems (HVVP-NFS) Project	Department of Agrarian Reform	Department of Agrarian Reform	Establish and supervise the management and maintenance of high-value organically grown vegetable production.	9,894 farmers	Romblon, Camarines Sur, Camarines Norte, Northern Samar, Samar, Leyte, Zamboanga del Sur, Zamboanga del Norte, and Zamboanga Sibugay provinces
2014-2017	Philippine Cold Chain Project	US Department of Agriculture	Winrock International	Build the capacity of farmers on post-harvest handling practices and Good Agricultural Practices, and provide coaching and mentoring to farmer-technicians to amplify technology transfer.	2,646 farmers	Surigao del Sur, Surigao del Norte, Agusan del Norte, Agusan del Sur, and Dinagat Islands provinces
1999-2017	Off-Season Vegetable Production	TTD	East-West Seed	Provide center-based training on vegetable production.	1,934 farmers	Luzon, Visayas, and Mindanao
2015-2016	Alternative Livelihoods Project in Guiuan, Eastern Samar through Diversified Vegetable Production	Cordaid	Cordaid	Organize Farmer Field School, training and field visits, Harvest Festival, coaching and mentoring, and other training services in order to support farmers.	921 farmers	Eastern Samar province (Guiuan)
2015-2016	Developing Livelihood Resilience in the Face of Climate Change through Vegetable Diversification in Coron, Palawan	Cordaid	Cordaid	Organize Farmer Field School, training and field visits, Harvest Festival, coaching and mentoring, and other training services in order to support farmers.	836 farmers	Palawan (Coron)

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2013-2016	Integrated Crop Management (ICM) Project to Enhance Vegetable Profitability and Food Security in the Southern Philippines and Australia	Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR)	Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR); LGU-San Isidro; LGU-Pinabacdao; Iglesia ni Cristo; Task Force Mapalad, Inc.; World Vision, Inc.; Department of Agrarian Reform-Leyte	Train farmers on season-long vegetables and integrated crop management, with the expectation that they will be able to improve their vegetable crop production practices, which will lead to increased farm productivity and, in turn, increased farm income and food security.	1,774 farmers	Bohol province (Jagna); Leyte province (San Isidro, Alang-Alang, and Tunga); Samar province (Pinabacdao); Eastern Samar province (Lawaan); and Tacloban City
2014-2015	Recovering Lost Agricultural Livelihood and Reducing Food Insecurity to Typhoon Yolanda-Affected Smallholder Farmers through Vegetable Crop Diversification Project	Assisi Development Foundation, Inc.	Assisi Development Foundation, Inc.	Support farming households to start up their vegetable gardens in order to improve their livelihoods.	1,000 farmers	Leyte province (Javier, Barugo, La Paz, Dagami, and Pastrana)
2013-2015	Agri-Technology and Agri-Extension Services of the Agrarian Reform Community Connectivity and Economic Support Services (ARCESS)	Department of Agrarian Reform Central Office	Department of Agrarian Reform Municipal Offices in Leyte and Samar	Build the capacity of selected para-technicians to transfer vegetable production technologies to agrarian reform beneficiaries.	469 para-technicians	Leyte and Eastern Samar provinces; Tacloban City
2013-2014	Operation Yaman sa Gulayan	Assisi Development Foundation, Inc.	Assisi Development Foundation, Inc.; LGU-Javier	Support farming households to start up their vegetable gardens in order to improve their livelihoods.	244 farmers	Leyte province (Javier)
2012	Sa Aming Nayon Dadami Yaman sa Gulayan Program	Department of Agrarian Reform	Department of Agrarian Reform; LGU-Javier	Augment farm income through the introduction of coconut-vegetable farming systems.	30 farmers	Leyte province (Javier)
2010-2012	Year-Round Vegetable Production in Eastern Visayas	Department of Agrarian Reform	Department of Agrarian Reform; LGU-San Isidro	Provide Farmer Field School training in year-round vegetable production.	127 farmers	Leyte province and Eastern Samar province (San Isidro and Balangiga)
2011	Establishment of Farmers' Field School in the Selected Municipalities of Leyte Province	Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR)	Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR); City Government of Maasin; Visayas State University	Establish farmer-managed learning farms to serve as training grounds for other farmers interested in vegetable production.	129 farmers	Leyte province (Maasin)
2003-2005	Poverty Reduction through Public-Private Partnership in the Promotion of Total Quality Vegetable Supply Chain Management	DEG	Department of Agrarian Reform; local government unit	Provide technical assistance and training to farmers during establishment of their individual vegetable production farms and improve access to markets.	3,000 farmers	Quezon, Bataan, and Zambales provinces

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2004	Redireksiyon: Back to Basic Agricultural Development Program (Training on Vegetable Production Component)	City Government of Santiago	City Government of Santiago	Build the capacity of government extension workers to expand provision of horticultural advisory services to farmers.	23 extension workers 227 farmers	Santiago City; Isabela province
2003-2004	Adopt-a-Farm Project: Vegetables Intercropping Component	LGU-Amadeo, Cavite	LGU-Amadeo; National Coffee Development Board; Nestle Philippines; Figaro Foundation; Provincial Government of Cavite	Promote adoption of coffee-vegetable intercropping systems to optimize land use and to provide an additional source of income for farmers while they wait for the coffee harvest.	100 farmers	Cavite province (Amadeo)
2003-2004	Technology Transfer on Improved Vegetable Production Technologies to Agrarian Reform Beneficiaries in Zambales Province: Training Component	Japan Bank for International Cooperation	Department of Agrarian Reform-Agrarian Reform Infrastructure Support Project Phase 2 (DAR-ARISP 2); LGU-San Felipe; Maloma Agrarian Reform Beneficiaries Multi-Purpose Cooperative	Provide technical support on vegetable production to the members of Maloma Agrarian Reform Beneficiaries Multi-Purpose Cooperative as a way to introduce income-generating projects.	100 farmers	Zambales province (San Felipe)
2002-2004	Southern Leyte Vegetable Project	Assisi Development Foundation, Inc.	German Development Service / Deutscher Entwicklungsdienst (DED); Southern Leyte Provincial Government; City Government of Maasin; LGU-Malitbog; LGU-Macrohon; Department of Trade and Industry	Support farmers by providing technical training and initiating farmer organizations and cooperatives.	2,018 farmers	Southern Leyte province (Maasin City, Macrohon, and Malitbog)
2003	Appropriate Technology for High Value Crops Production Project in Region X	Asian Development Bank	Department of Agrarian Reform-ARCP; Central Mindanao University; Provincial Government of Bukidnon	Showcase greenhouse vegetable production, demonstrate drip irrigation technology, and provide technical support to agricultural students and government extension workers.	500 students and extension workers	Bukidnon province (Musuan)
2003	Introduction of Protected Vegetable Production Technology in Selected Towns of Aklan	Office of Congressional Representative of Aklan	Office of Congressional Representative of Aklan; Aklan State University; Agricultural Training Institute-Aklan Provincial Office	Replicate protected vegetable cultivation to transfer technologies to farming communities in different municipalities.	100 farmers	Aklan province
2002-2003	Appropriate Technology for High Value Crops Production Project in Aklan Province	Asian Development Bank	Department of Agrarian Reform; Aklan State University	Demonstrate protected cultivation for high-value crops.	160 farmers	Aklan province (Banga)

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2002	Vigan Vegetables Project	City Government of Vigan	City Government of Vigan	Promote community-based agricultural development through the introduction of vegetable production as a farm business.	134 farmers	Ilocos Sur province (Vigan City)
2000-2001	Ilocos Sur Vegetable Basket Project	Provincial Government of Ilocos Sur	Provincial Government of Ilocos Sur	Provide tobacco farmers with technical assistance and farm input support to establish vegetable farms as an alternative source of income.	2,009 farmers	Ilocos Sur province