

# Coopération au développement en 2021: regards croisés

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## **Belgian development agency**

Belgian governmental cooperation with 14 partner countries (mainly in Africa)



Actions for other partners (EU among others) in view of enhancing the impact of Belgium



Public service assignments under the SDG Agenda



## **Key figures**



**20** years experience



**1800** 



150 projects



275 million euro



20 countries

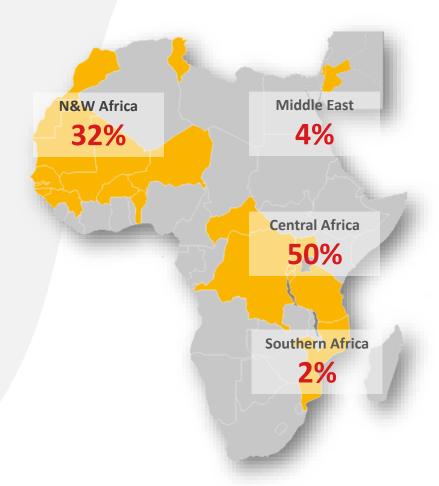


80% in 'fragile' contexts

## Where do we work?

The main regions in which Enabel implements actions are Central Africa and North and West Africa.

Activities in Latin America and Asia were stopped at the end of 2019.



## **Ambition 2030**

Privileged partner of the Belgian government and hub for Belgian expertise

Preferred partner to enable systemic changes

3 Double volume, triple impact

Specific areas of expertise and geographical focus

**5** Beyond aid

Role model and cradle of entrepreneurship and innovation

## Five global challenges

In our search for adapted solutions, we strongly believe in empowering women and youths, and we fully exploit the potential of digitisation.



Peace & security



Social & economic inequality



**Climate & environment** 



Urbanisation



**Human mobility** 



To address the global challenges, we must ensure that all people on this planet become aware of their role as global citizens.

#### In Belgium, Enabel does this

- through Kruit and Annoncer la Couleur, the respective Dutch and French-language programmes promoting Global Citizenship Education in Belgium's schools
- through the Trade for Development
   Centre by promoting fair trade
- through the Junior Programme by attracting young professionals to work in development projects in Africa and the Middle East.

## **Governmental cooperation: Why?**

Sustainable development can only be achieved if public services, businesses and civil society work together.

Governmental cooperation is important as it really strengthens a country's **public services and institutions**.

A major asset of Enabel is that the agency operates at several levels of power: **central, regional and operational** (execution).

That way, Enabel assures a **coordination role** whilst being a **catalyst** enabling effective cooperation.



## **European and international partnerships**

#### **More impact**

In order to enhance the impact of Belgian cooperation, Enabel also carries out actions in partnership with Belgian, European and international organisations.

#### **Team Europe**

Enabel is a privileged partner of the European Union for the joint implementation of actions with other European agencies.

#### **Working Better Together**

USAID

Enabel is member and president (>05/2021) of the **Practitioners' Network**, which includes 17 European development agencies.

























## **Know-how: partners and networks**

Enabel uses a comprehensive approach with a view to fully exploit Belgian public know-how.

#### **Partnerships**

Enabel has signed more than 60 partnerships with Belgian public entities, universities, national and international research centres, businesses and civil society organisations.

#### **Networks**

The agency is affiliated to many expertise networks: Be-Cause Health, Educaid.be, Be-Troplive, Belgian D4D Platform, Learn4Dev, International Network on Fragility and Conflict, DAC Network on Gender Equality, DeloG...





































## Partnerships with universities

Enabel has 17 long term partnership agreements with Belgian universities (since 2017).

#### **Themes**

**Human Rights, Law and development (7)** 

Sexual and reproductive health and rights (3)

Peace and Stability (Acropolis))

Multisector (5)

Migratie (1)

Ex. Ugent & UCL: onderzoeksprogramma ter ondersteuning van het programme de 'lutte contre les violences sexuelles' in RDC



# **Create stable environments to enable sustainable development**

- Reform of the security sector (including community policing)
- Fair and inclusive justice
- Citizenship and participation
- Civil registry





#### **Cimate & environment**

## Tackle the causes of climate change and increase resilience

 Climate-friendly and climate-smart agriculture (sustainable forest and land management)

Drinking water and productive water

 Green urban development (renewable energy and eco-construction)





Social & economic inequality

# Inclusive economic development and less inequality

Sustainable businesses and decent jobs

 Sustainable and fair value chains (agrobusiness, port management...)

 Reproductive rights and family planning (She Decides)

 Access to basic services (education, health care, social protection)





## **Human mobility**

#### **Human solutions for migrating people**

Good governance for migrating people

 Protection and resilience during emergencies and in lasting crisis situations

• Involvement of the diaspora





# **Building sustainable and inclusive** (secundary) cities

Participative urban planning and management

 Adapted infrastructure and services (roads, waste management, sewerage...)

Social cohesion in the cities





## **Global citizenship**

#### **Promote global awareness**

- Global citizenship education (Kruit, Annoncer la Couleur)
- Other programmes promoting global citizenship (Junior programme, fair trade...)
- Raising awareness about global challenges, in Belgium and abroad



## **Results & Flagship projects**



Peace & security



**Social & economic inequality** 



Climate & environment



**Urbanisation** 



**Human mobility** 



**Global citizenship** 

## **Green buildings**

Reference hospitals for
 500,000 people

Schools for more than12,000 pupils

Public buildings (courts, health insurance centres...)



#### Water

Drinking water for 180,000 people

River basin management for 10 million people

Agriculture - irrigation
 of 2,000 ha



## **Energy**

Access to electricity for

## 900,000 people

- connection to the power grid
- hydroelectric power stations
- solar panels







Reforestation and agroforestry
 18,000 ha

Recovery of agricultural land
 60,000 ha

• for 130,000 farmers



## Port development

#### Port of Cotonou (Benin)

Docking of the first ship longer than 300 m

Pascaline Adjofogue, first female pilot in Benin







**Democracy and civil participation** 

 Assistance with the elections in the Central African republic

• 2 million voters registered



## Security

#### **Burkina Faso**

In a context of terrorist threat the first
 National Security Forum brings together
 more than 2,300 stakeholders with a view
 to reforming the security sector.



## **Civil registry**

#### Mali

 Modernisation and digitisation of the civil registry for better service delivery to citizens (birth, marriage and death certificates)



#### **Justice**

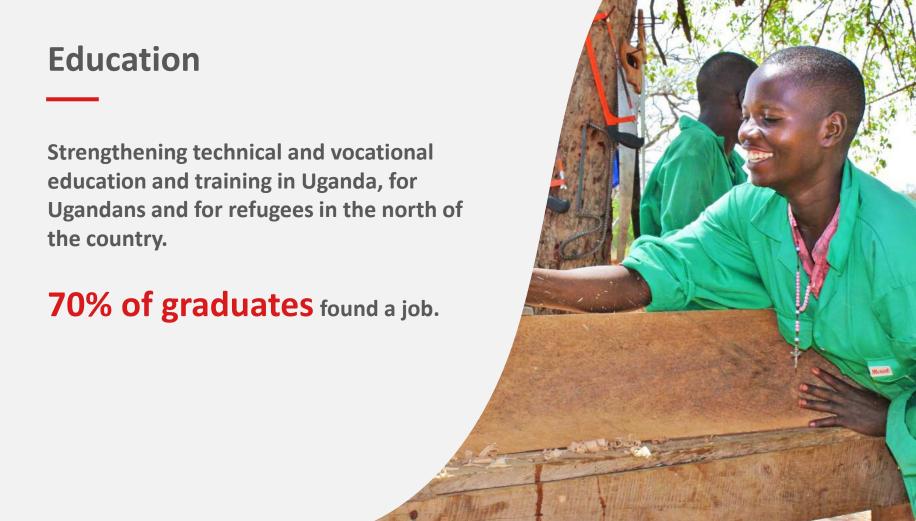
#### Burundi

Strengthening justice institutions and ministerial departments

 Archiving, better planning of court sessions, improved general functioning of the criminal departments = lower prison

occupancy rates





## **Social protection**

Pilot project in Senegal

## 300,000 people

subscribe to health insurance schemes.

The model is rolled out to the national scale.





## **Palestine**

To be an entrepreneur in Palestine is a real challenge.

Six business incubators have professionalised through an EU project, allowing them to improve the services delivered to some

## 142 start-ups.

Only 3 of these start-ups did not complete the development path.



## Mozambique

The first batteryless solar-powered water desalination plants in Africa provide access to drinking water to

## more than 7,000 people

in remote areas of Mozambique.

These plants are exploited by a local private business employing 15 staff.



## **Human mobility**

The European PALIM pilot project links Moroccan ICT sector development and labour shortages in Flanders in collaboration with the Flemish employment service, employers federation and technology federation.

120 talents trained in Morocco

 200 companies interested (in Morocco and Belgium)





Child marriage is no longer a problem in six schools in the Dosso region of Niger.

That success was achieved through a pilot project equipping schools with study spaces, latrines and manuals before an intensive campaign was launched to raise awareness among the parents, community leaders and the girls themselves.



Global citizenship education

Embedding global citizenship education in the Belgian education system

- Kruit & Annoncer la Couleur
- 10,000 teachers trained
- 500 school teams accompanied
- 50 events aimed at stakeholders
- 90% satisfaction about the training offer

(Period 2015-2019)





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