Technologies for African Agricultural Transformation (TAAT) Aquaculture Compact

Project brief

January 2019 to December 2019

Project Summary

The project executes a bold plan to achieve rapid agricultural transformation across Africa by raising agricultural productivity to eliminate extreme poverty, end hunger and malnutrition, turn Africa into a net food exporter, and position Africa at the top of agricultural value chains where it has a comparative advantage. Project components include the strengthening of the Regional Technology Delivery Infrastructure for the Aquaculture Sector and Technology Delivery.

Contribution to Outcomes

7,026 households adopted management practices¹

Innovations developed

- Better Management Practices (BMPs), including production of mono sex tilapia and use of probiotics, to enhance tilapia production in Cameroon (Read more)
- Raised Pond System (RPS) in Kenya (Read more)

Research country
Nigeria

Donor
African Development Bank (AfDB) Through International Institute of Tropical Agriculture (IITA)

Project duration
2018 – 2021

Budget
USD 2.2 million

Partners
- Aquacultural Association of Kenya - AAK
- Association Nationale des Aquaculture Côte'D'Ivoire
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