



Project Impact

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Together Ensuring Children's Safety (TECS), Malawi

Overall amount	Population target	Target region
USD 2'245'000	11'500 adults and 5'500 children	60 villages in 2 districts (Dowa and Kasungu)
Project period		

Activities	Target
Food security	Number of villages: 60 of 60 reached Spill-over effect on 160 neighboring villages
Total Land Care TECS	Small scale irrigation pumps: 677 installed compared with 150 planned






 **Agro-Forestry**

Small scale irrigation: irrigated hectares		121 hectares compared to 18 planned
Agro-Forestry practices: nurseries		615 created compared to 90 planned
Agro-Forestry practices: trees planted		1.34 million planted compared to 1.2 million planned
Soil conservation: contour ridging		399 out of 480ha planned Little interest from the community, as these activities take a long time to produce results and need awareness-raising and training
Soil conservation: gully control		61 gullies dug compared to 60 planned
Soil conservation: vetiver nurseries		4.4 out of 42ha Little interest from the community, as these activities take a long time to produce results and need awareness-raising and training
Soil conservation: contour vetiver hedgerows		67 out of 134ha Little interest from the community, as these activities take a long time to produce results and need awareness-raising and training

 **Education**









 **Awareness-raising**

Creative Center for Community Mobilisation

Training of community leaders		624 trained compared to 360 planned
Rehabilitation of school blocks		4.5 rehabilitated compared to 3 planned
Construction of classroom school blocks		5 built, 2 currently under construction

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Construction of teachers' houses	 10 built out of 12, 2 currently under construction, 3 under renovation	
Construction of permanent pit latrines	 48 out of 60 built, 7 under construction	
Procurement of desks	 420 out of 420 purchased	
Establishment of model school gardens	 3 woodlots established, 8 vegetable gardens presently taking place of the original 5 extra woodlots	



Access to water

Nkhoma Synod

Targeted communities	 126 reached compared with 60 targeted Rainy season activity	
Formation of well committees	 82 formed, 32 planned	
Wells constructed	 82 built compared with 60 planned (18 in collaboration with Marion Medical Mission)	
Maintenance team, water sanitation team and leadership training	 30 trained compared to 6 planned	



Health

POSTPONED

- The start of the health component of the project was postponed to phase 2 of the program
- Extra funding provided for 12 boreholes to improve access to water, in places away from rivers and with low water tables

MID-TERM EVALUATION

- Carried out in December 2003

FINAL EVALUATION

- Carried out in December 2005

NOTES

Small-scale irrigation

FOOD SECURITY and AGRO- FORESTRY

- * Irrigation partner and coordination carried away by community demand and focusing on food security and irrigation rather than the integrated child labour approach; in any case food security is a strong element of child labour reduction
- * 4 treadle pumps provided to poorer farmers through the revolving fund recipients

SOURCE INFORMATION DATE

- * Factsheet update from TECS, April 2006
- * Project visit, May 2006

Numbers are to be used with caution; they are provided as quantitative measurement at a given time. Communities' changes of attitude concerning child labour are difficult to quantify.

Legend



Improved progress compared to last factsheet



No progress compared to last factsheet



Decreased progress compared to last factsheet



Progress beyond target was made