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for peace
LVIA

Solidarity and international cooperation association
Associazione di solidarietà e cooperazione internazionale
Association de Solidarité et Coopération Internationale
Associação de solidariedade e cooperação internacional

identity and mission

LVIA seeks to promote responsible citizenship based on the principles of solidarity, to act effectively to promote change, to sustain dialogue and mutual understanding among peoples for building a more just and united world. A global society in which the dignity of every person is safeguarded and promoted, in which each individual person may enjoy fundamental liberties, have access to resources and services, have the possibility to live in a healthy environment and improve the quality of life in all aspects; a global society in which every single individual and all communities have the right of self-determination consistent with the cultural rights of other peoples and every man and woman on earth.

LVIA mission

In 2018, to meet the objectives of its mission statement LVIA operated in 10 Countries of Sub-Saharan Africa, with interventions of development and in response to the emergencies and in Italy for the promotion of active citizenship and cross-cultural understanding.

In 2018, the investment in cooperation projects and humanitarian aid amounted to Euros 6,887,062 - a quota equal to 91% of the expenditures that achieved factual results in improving life conditions for 580,700 people:

- **63,800 people** (27,600 women and 36,200 men) have better living conditions thanks to interventions in the **agricultural and pastoral sector**;
- **64,100 people** (33,300 women and 30,800 men) have better living conditions thanks to interventions in **water access and sanitation**;
- **125,400 people** (70,100 women, 51,400 men and 3,900 children) have better living conditions thanks to interventions on **energy provision and the environment**. LVIA operated with local partners mainly on waste management;
- **108,200 people** (52,900 women, 54,200 men and 1,100 children) have better living conditions thanks to interventions of social **inclusion and democratic participation**. Decentralised cooperation between Italian and Burkina Faso communities is part of this category;
- **219,200 people** (195,000 women, 18,900 men and 5,300 children) have better living conditions thanks to LVIA activities **against malnutrition**.

The resources for **development actions** have been equal to **88.5% of the investments** in the Countries and for **humanitarian interventions** to **11.5%**.

All interventions were carried out taking into account environmental sustainability and permanent future benefits.

The investment in active citizenship actions in Italy amounts to Euros 520,483 - equal to 7% of expenditure, involving **52,000 people** with the purpose to gain attention and civil engagement to themes of international solidarity and the promotion of an open and intercultural society.

Thanks to communication activities, about **40,000 people** have been involved through LVIA tools and **hundreds of thousands people** through activities with mass-medias.

THE ASSOCIATION

The LVIA, Lay Volunteers International Association, was established in 1966. LVIA is a non-profit membership organisation, seeking effective and innovative means of action, acknowledging the core values and the commitment to volunteerism in all its diversity

ASSOCIATIVE BASE

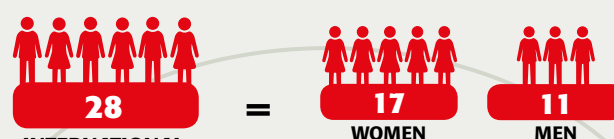


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IN ITALY

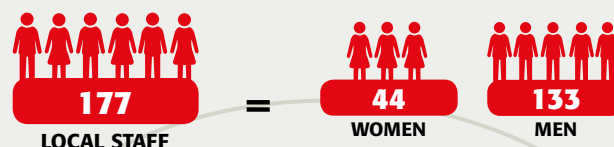


IN AFRICA



ROLES

REPRESENTANT/RESPONSABLE COUNTRY	8
PROJECT MANAGEMENT	20



ROLES

REPRESENTANT/RESPONSABLE COUNTRY *	2	TECHNICIAN	45
COORDINATION	15	LOGISTIC DUTIES	3
ADMINISTRATIVE	30	GUARDIAN/DRIVER/OTHER	63
COMMUNITY FACILITATOR	19		

*The Representant Country, differently from the Responsible Country, in addition to technical/politics tasks, has also the role of representing the association

PARTNERS AND NETWORKS



SENEGAL

INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS

- 1 NGOs network
- 1 Research institute
- 3 International NGOs

LOCAL PARTNERS

- 2 Local authorities
- 1 Network of "migrants returned"
- 1 Youth association
- 3 Companies
- 1 Local NGO
- 2 Cultural associations

NETWORKS

- PFONGUE - European NGOs platform

BURKINA FASO

INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS

- 12 International NGOs
- 1 Region
- 1 Local authorities coordination
- 1 Group of banking foundation

LOCAL PARTNERS

- 7 Local authorities
- 8 National authorities
- 3 Rural organisations
- 1 Women association

NETWORKS

- SPONG - NGO standing secretariat
- RE-SOURCES - for sustainable management of solid waste
- ALLIANCE FAS'EAU - water and hygiene for everybody

MALI

INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS

- 2 International NGOs
- 1 Foundation

LOCAL PARTNERS

- 1 Local NGO
- 2 National authorities
- 2 Local authorities

NETWORKS

- FONGIM - International NGOs forum

ETHIOPIA

INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS

- 4 International NGOs
- 1 Foundation
- 1 Local authorities coordination

LOCAL PARTNERS

- 2 Regions
- 1 Rural organisation

NETWORKS

- CCRDA - Associations for development

ITALY

PARTNERS

- 64 NGOs and associations
- 42 Firms
- 1 Volunteering Service Provider
- 2 Committees
- 6 Consortia and Federations
- 14 Cooperatives
- 29 Regional and local authorities
- 46 Religious institutions
- 5 Foundations
- 5 Diaspora associations
- 11 Groups
- 61 Schools
- 150 Mass-médias
- 23 Others

NETWORKS

- FOCSIV, LINK 2007, COP, ONG 2.0 - NGOs networks
- GCAP - Coalition against Poverty
- Italian Water Movements Forum
- L'ITALIA SONO ANCH'IO - Campaign for citizenship of second generations
- NON SOLO ASILO - network for the refugees and Committee Turin against Racism

GUINEA CONAKRY

INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS

- 2 International NGOs

LOCAL PARTNERS

- 3 Local NGOs working on the social inclusion
- 1 National authority
- 1 National confederation of rural organisations
- 3 Rural organisations
- 1 Rural cooperative

GUINEA-BISSAU

INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS

- 1 International NGO
- 1 Research institute

LOCAL PARTNERS

- 2 Local NGOs
- 1 National authority
- 1 Local authority
- 1 Rural cooperative of national extension
- 1 Firm

BURUNDI

INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS

- 2 International NGOs

LOCAL PARTNERS

- 1 Local NGO

NETWORKS

- RESO - NGO Coordination

MOZAMBIQUE

INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS

- 1 international NGO

LOCAL PARTNERS

- 1 Local NGO
- 1 Local authority
- 1 National coordination of local authorities
- 3 National authorities
- 1 Women cooperative for waste management and recovery
- 1 Cooperative for water points rehabilitation
- 1 Agricultural research institute

NETWORKS

- GONG - Italian NGOs platform

KENYA

INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS

- 1 International NGO

LOCAL PARTNERS

- 2 Local NGOs
- 5 National authorities

NETWORKS

- WESCOORD - Committee focusing on water, hygiene, and health

TANZANIA

INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS

- 1 Religious institution
- 1 International NGO
- 1 Training and research institute on water resources
- 1 University
- 1 Firm

LOCAL PARTNERS

- 4 Local authorities
- 1 Religious institution
- 1 University
- 1 Vocational training institute
- 1 Local NGO

NETWORKS

- TAWASANET - Civil society for water, hygiene and health

financing bodies

FOR ACTIVITIES IN ITALY AND AFRICA

160

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OUR MAIN FINANCING BODIES

INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS

- UE
- MINUSMA
- IUCN - International Union for Conservation of Nature
- DAWCA - Dutch Agro-Water Climate Alliance
- German Doctors

GOVERNMENTAL AUTHORITIES AND PROGRAMMES

- MAECI - Department of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation
- AICS - Italian Agency for Development Cooperation
- Presidency of Ministers Council (8x1000, Italy)
- ENABEL - Belgian Technical Cooperation

LOCAL AND REGIONAL AUTHORITIES

- Region of Piedmont
- ATO (Optimal Territorial Scope) of Alessandria
- City of Turin
- Province of Cuneo

FOUNDATIONS

- ACRI – Association for Savings Banks and Foundations
- AQUA FOR AL
- Compagnia of San Paolo
- ETWA
- Bono-Ullo Foundation
- Cattolica Foundation
- Foundation of saving banks
- CRT Foundation - Savings Bank of Turin
- CRC Foundation - Savings Bank of Cuneo
- Kinder in Not
- Novara Center

RELIGIOUS BODIES

- CEI - Italian Episcopal Conference
- Waldensian Evangelical Church

activities in Italy



EDUCATION FOR GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP

4,180
STUDENTS

257
TEACHERS



ACTIVITIES FOR RAISING AWARENESS

46,000
PEOPLE



ACTIVE CITIZENSHIP, INTER-CULTURAL DIALOGUE AND INCLUSION

1,300
PEOPLE



ACTIVITIES WITH UNIVERSITIES

230
PEOPLE



LEARNING AND SOLIDARITY TRIPS

61
PEOPLE



INFORMATION

BENEFICIARIES OF THE ACTIVITIES

Web site
www.lvvia.it

88,273
VIEWS

29,453
GUESTS

facebook 
other pages
of LVIA's network

6,196
FANS

Newsletter
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14,000
RECIPIENTS

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LVIA official page

4,577
FANS

11%
NEW

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1,447
FOLLOWERS

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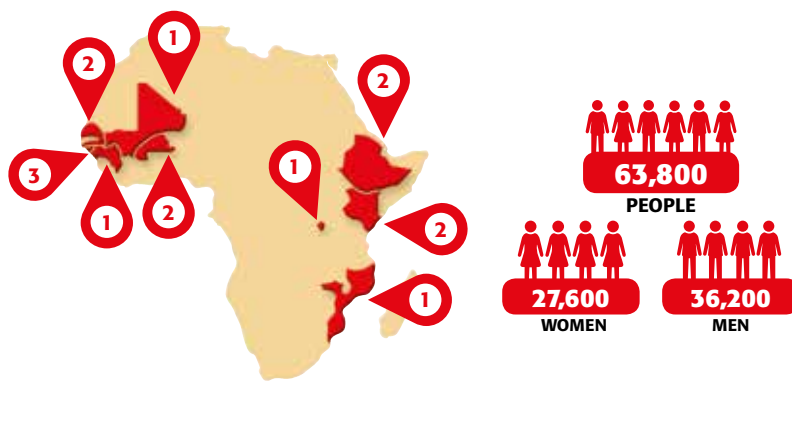
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FOLLOWERS

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11,000
RECIPIENTS

agro-pastoral development

In 2018, the actions promoted by LVIA and its partners improved food security and living conditions for 63,800 people in 9 African Countries.



PROJECTS AND ACTIVITIES



DISTRIBUTIONS

INCLUDING 12,000 KG. SEEDS AND FERTILIZERS

BURKINA FASO • 3,700 kg of seeds (niébé bean) and 624 breeding goats

ETHIOPIA • 1,900 goats distributed, vaccinated and fodder supplied • Seeds and agricultural tools to 200 farmers

GUINEA-BISSAU • 13 Kg of seeds, 150 Kg of fertilizers, 1,000 cc of plant protection products to farmers and rice seeds multipliers • 50 bags for crop conservation • 40 bags of rice (incentive for the work of a rice field rehabilitation)

GUINEA CONAKRY • Seeds and fertilizers to cultivate 475 ha of land

KENYA • 43 beehives and 250 bottles of pesticides for beekeepers and farmers

MALI • 8,361 kg of seeds (rice and mile)

MOZAMBIQUE • 45,000 manioc cuttings to 16,500 families affected by the cyclone



HYDRO-AGRICULTURAL WORKS

INCLUDING 670 ha OF LAND REHABILITATED

BURKINA FASO • 2 water reservoirs built (20,000 m³) and land recovery (670 ha) from erosion (Vallerani system)

ETHIOPIA • 2 plant nurseries • Recovery of eroded land through community work

GUINEA-BISSAU • Irrigation systems and anti-erosion works in a rice district

MOZAMBIQUE • 3 ha of fields for the multiplication of manioc cuttings



VACCINATION CAMPAIGNS

5

ETHIOPIA • 105,998 cattle vaccinated

KENYA • 4 vaccination and de-worming campaigns to 152,867 bovines, goats, donkeys, camels



INFRASTRUCTURES AND EQUIPEMENT

291

BURKINA FASO • 6 storage areas to preserve the harvest and practice warrantage (rural microcredit)

GUINEA-BISSAU • 1 warehouse to preserve seed production • 1 new rural service centre

GUINEA CONAKRY • 272 solar mills and tunnels, threshing machines, seed drills and ploughs for the producers associations

MALI • 8 tool kits and 3 motor pumps for producers and farmers organizations



SUPPORT AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

ACTIVITIES 35

BURKINA FASO • Support to 376 soy producers • 1 exchange visit for producers • Assessment of warrantage activities and of soy producer groups' activities

BURUNDI • 2 meetings between farmers and organizations of commerce

GUINEA-BISSAU • Support to 11 farmers associations managing rural services centres • Support to producers for using hydraulic structures and on rice varieties cultivation • 2 consultations on rice seeds multiplication • 1 agricultural fair "AGRIFEST" • 7 exchange visits for rice farmers

GUINEA CONAKRY • Development of business plans with 5 agricultural trade centres

KENYA • Assistance to farmers associations for the sale of animals and meat

SENEGAL • Support to the company, created by a returned migrant, for the production of tubes used in drop-by-drop irrigation



MICROFINANCE

ACTIVITIES 1,180

BURKINA FASO • 1,175 funds for income-generating activities

GUINEA-BISSAU • 5 farmers associations' projects to strengthen rural service centres



AWARENESS CAMPAIGNS

4

GUINEA-BISSAU • 15 meetings on biodiversity conservation to families in the Cacheu Natural Park

KENYA • Events on forest products exploitation for rubber and resin collectors

SENEGAL • 2 campaigns promoting local products and drop-by-drop irrigation



TRAINING

CYCLES 151

BURKINA FASO • 12 courses on agroecology and soy chain • Financial education for income-generating activities implementation

BURUNDI • 13 courses for producers on rural service centres management

ETHIOPIA • 49 courses in agronomy, business management and land rehabilitation for government officials, producers and returning migrants • 2 marketing courses to horticultural cooperatives

GUINEA-BISSAU • 8 courses on seeds multiplication • 1 course for 6 associations on the management of rural service centres • 2 trainings for salt farmers

GUINEA CONAKRY • 4 trainings for 50 committees managing the agricultural trade centres

KENYA • 7 courses for pastors on animal disease treatment • 9 courses for rubber and resin collectors and beekeepers • 11 courses on business management for pastoral and forest communities • 4 courses for community groups on conflict and drought risk management • 13 educators trained to disseminate the Community Land Law in the communities

MOZAMBIQUE • 2 agricultural and veterinary courses for 2,000 people

SENEGAL • 25 courses on drop-by-drop irrigation



STUDIES, RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS

ACTIVITIES 77

BURKINA FASO • 8 alimentary products derived from soy certified and a recipe book published

GUINEA-BISSAU • 63 genetic analysis on 30 rice varieties • Analysis of 5 rural service centres

water and sanitation

In 2018, the activities promoted by LVIA and its partners in Sub-Saharan Africa provided access to water and sanitation for 64,100 people in 6 Countries.



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PROJECTS AND ACTIVITIES



CONSTRUCTION AND REHABILITATION OF WELLS

WELLS
32

ETHIOPIA

- Installation of solar systems on 2 wells: manual or diesel pumping replaced by solar pumping (1,500 people from pastoral communities draw water from these wells)

KENYA

- Rehabilitation of 2 wells, used by 5,000 people: drilling and repair of diesel generators for pumping

MALI

- Drilled 12 deep wells in 12 villages (4,800 people) and equipped with hand pump
- Built and equipped with solar pumps 8 deep wells in 8 health centres serving 16,000 people

MOZAMBIQUE

- Construction and rehabilitation of 8 wells with hand pump for 4,700 people



OTHER HYDRAULIC WORKS

WORKS
34

ETHIOPIA

- Installation of 2 water collection tanks (capacity of 50,000 litres) for 800 people from agro-pastoral communities
- Construction of 12 drinking troughs for animals
- Repaired 9 water structures used by 2,500 people in agro-pastoral communities

KENYA

- Repaired 6 pumping systems of surface water used by pastoral communities (9,400 people) to water the cattle from puddles or ponds

TANZANIA

- 5 rainwater collection tanks (16,000 litres capacity) installed in 5 health centres serving 1,500 people per month



DISTRIBUTION

INCLUDING 34,500

WATER PURIFICATION KITS

ETHIOPIA

- Distribution of 34,500 bags for water purification in response to the cholera emergency
- 500 tools and spare parts distributed to agro-pastoral communities



SUPPORT AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

ACTIVITY
1

TANZANIA

- Technical support to 60 students attending the school for water technicians



TRAINING

INCLUDING

960

COMMITTEES, ASSOCIATIONS, COMMUNITY LEADERS

ETHIOPIA

- Training of 39 experts and of 241 village and school committees for the maintenance of hydraulic installations

KENYA

- Training of 7 water management organisations in the use of GIS for the water resource management
- Training on groundwater conservation for 18 community associations
- Training on water conflict management for 104 community associations

MALI

- Technical and hydraulic training for 12 management committees

MOZAMBIQUE

- Health and hygiene training for 15 community committees

TANZANIA

- 3 professionalisation courses on water management for 60 students from 50 villages
- 10 training courses for 70 community operators on the maintenance and management of water points
- 10 training-work sessions for 20 young people to build rainwater collection tanks
- 20 trainings for 500 village leaders
- 1 online course on water resources management (by Hydroaid)
- 10 trainings for the creation of water management bodies in villages



STUDIES AND ANALYSIS

ACTIVITIES

26

ETHIOPIA

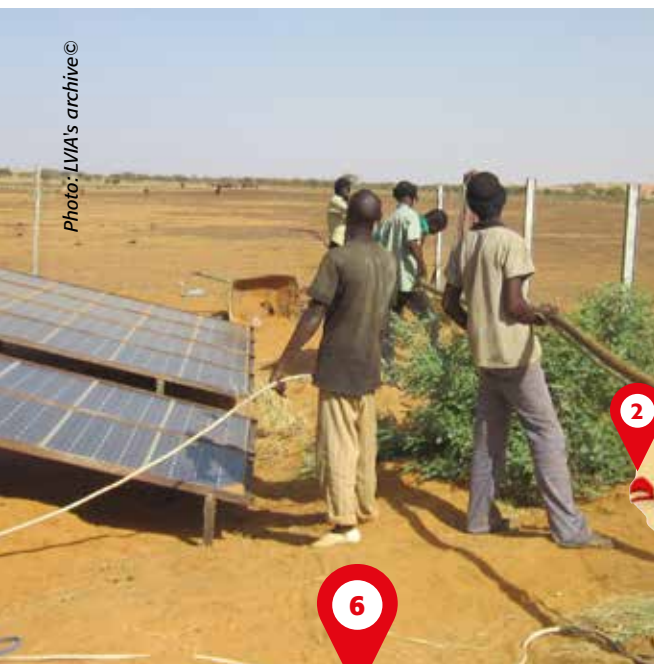
- 24 samples taken to analyse the quality of water from wells

TANZANIA

- 1 operational research on the implementation of policies promoting the community committees for water management and the monitoring of water schemes
- 1 geo-electrical analysis for the excavation of a well

environment and energy

In 2018 the activities promoted by LVIA and its partners resulted in a healthier environment and access to energy, by improving the living conditions of 125,400 people in 5 African Countries.



PROJECTS AND ACTIVITIES



INFRASTRUCTURES CONSTRUCTION

STRUCTURES

18

ETHIOPIA

- 11 sites to deposit the waste produced in schools, with better hygiene for 1,650 students and teachers

MALI

- 3 health centres equipped with photovoltaic electricity (for 12,000 people)
- 3 health centres equipped with incinerators for hospital waste disposal (for 12,000 people)

MOZAMBIQUE

- Construction of a composting centre for recycling organic waste serving the city of Nacala



ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION

ACTIVITIES

55

MOZAMBIQUE

- 30 monthly meetings with 60 district representatives on the theme of waste management
- 20 events with associations and the university on the theme of waste management and soil protection by compost use
- 3 environmental campaigns in 3 districts: cleaning days, waste collection and distribution of materials to raise public awareness

SENEGAL

- 1 environmental education campaign in the districts of Dakar on the themes of sustainable and rational management of water, sanitation services and waste
- 1 environmental education campaign and tree planting in 3 primary and secondary schools (3,900 students)



TRAINING

ACTIVITIES

19

MOZAMBIQUE

- 14 training courses on organic waste management in urban markets for 70 vendors participating in the waste collection and management system
- 2 courses on composting techniques for 25 cooperative members, public officials, students
- 2 training sessions on urban solid waste management for 10 technicians of the municipal council

SENEGAL

- 1 course on waste management for 17 municipal officials in the context of the RESOURCES network (Network for Sustainable Waste Management)



SERVICES

3

MOZAMBIQUE

- Purchase of a truck (capacity 4 tons) for waste collection

SENEGAL

- 2 public gardens furnished with recycled materials



STUDIES AND ANALYSIS

MARKET STUDY

1

SENEGAL

- 1 market study on pneumatic recycling



SUPPORT AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

ACTIVITIES

5

BURKINA FASO

- Support to the international platform RESOURCES, the Network for Sustainable Solid Waste Management

MOZAMBIQUE

- Technical support to staff involved in organic waste collection (26 vulnerable women employed)
- Daily support to 10 technicians of the Nacala Municipal Council on the management of urban solid waste
- Support for creation of 3 local environmental networks (City Alliance, Reso, Let's do it)
- 10 monthly consultation meetings with institutions and stakeholders on urban solid waste management



EQUIPMENT

WASTE COLLECTION
BINS

995

MOZAMBIQUE

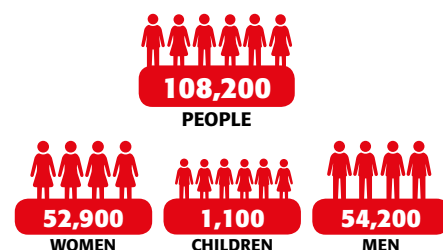
- Purchase of 4 waste bins

SENEGAL

- Purchase of 991 waste bins

social inclusion and democratic participation

In 2018, the activities carried out by LVIA and its partners focusing on certain vulnerable groups and their social inclusion, involved 108,200 people in 6 African Countries.



PROJECTS AND ACTIVITIES



EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT

ACTIVITIES



BURKINA FASO

- Support to 107 pupils (52 girls and 55 boys) from primary and vocational school (by the decentralised cooperation group ENNDAM)

ETHIOPIA

- Support to 4 families to limit the school dropout

SENEGAL

- Support to 3 primary schools (784 students) for the purchase of food, seeds and small equipment

TANZANIA

- Support to 80 students staying at Kongwa Hostels to attend high school



AWARENESS CAMPAIGNS

ACTIVITIES



GUINEA CONAKRI

- 10 awareness-raising seminars with public administrations, social actors and citizens on the subject of social protection
- 14 sessions on the new national social protection policy document
- 43 television and radio advertisements on the theme of social protection for vulnerable and marginalised groups
- 1 training course on the organization of living libraries and 5 living books trained

SENEGAL

- 1 media campaign on the theme of migration
- 2 events with concerts, films, street arts and theatre on the theme of migration
- 1 seminar with 44 local institutions and associations working on migration issues



TECHNICAL SUPPORT

ACTIVITIES



GUINEA CONAKRI

- Technical support to 1 Municipal Union of Waste Collectors formed as part of the project for the legal protection of waste collectors active in the informal sector

MOZAMBIQUE

- Assistance in the creation and registration of a cooperative composed of 10 vulnerable women for the recycling of organic waste



SOCIAL AND PROFESSIONAL INTEGRATION

VULNERABLE PEOPLE SUPPORTED



GUINEA CONAKRI

- Socio-professional reintegration of 110 people in mental distress
- Funds disbursed to enable 11 homeless people to start income-generating activities or continue their studies
- Support and assistance to 400 waste collectors working in informal sector

MOZAMBIQUE

- Weekly meetings for 3 months (on literacy, health education, birth registration, vocational skills) with 150 very poor and unemployed women
- 36 women have been literated and registered at the registry office with the release of an identity document



STRUCTURES AND EQUIPMENT

ACTIVITIES



GUINEA CONAKRI

- Completed the rehabilitation of a medical centre with the installation of a septic tank.
- Purchase of 3 motorised carts and 4 kits to secure the work of waste collectors
- 1 medical centre equipped with gynaecological control kits



MEDICAL SUPPORT

PATIENTS



GUINEA CONAKRI

- Medical consultations for women involved in prostitution (1,171 patients, including 769 at the mobile clinic and 402 at the medical centre)
- Medical consultations for mental illnesses (945 new patients, including 187 home visits)
- Medical consultations in 4 ports, in the mobile clinic, for women who smoke fish (138 patients)
- Medical advice in 2 dumpsites, through a mobile clinic, for 47 patients



FAMILY INTEGRATION

CHILDREN



GUINEA CONAKRI

- Assistance and reintegration of 238 children into the family

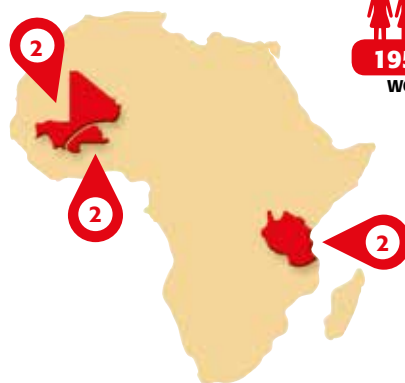
fight against malnutrition

In 2018, the treatment and prevention of child malnutrition involved 219,200 people in 3 African Countries.

L VIA and partners commitment continued in line with previous years, which saw significant interventions in the Sahel (from 2012) and Tanzania (from 2017). Prevention and treatment work is being carried out on acute and chronic malnutrition.



PROJECTS AND ACTIVITIES



219,200
PEOPLE

195,000
WOMEN

5,300
CHILDREN

18,900
MEN



**IDENTIFICATION
AND CARE
FOR MALNOURISHED
CHILDREN**

CHILDREN
2,870

BURKINA FASO

- Identification and treatment of children suffering from severe acute malnutrition throughout Oudalan province (2,870 children aged 0-5 years)



**INFRASTRUCTURE
AND EQUIPMENT**

HEALTH
FACILITIES
5

BURKINA FASO

- Renovation of a paediatric sector with construction of a latrine block and installation of a photovoltaic system
- Re-opening of 4 health centres that had been closed for security reasons



**HEALTHCARE
TRAINING**

HEALTHCARE
WORKERS
668

BURKINA FASO

- Trained 417 health workers in villages of 2 districts
- 42 training sessions for village health workers on the identification and treatment of severe acute malnutrition
- Trained 46 community facilitators to measure the circumference of children's arms to monitor their nutritional status

TANZANIA

- 1 course for 80 village health workers to report cases of acute malnutrition (by the NGO partner CUAMM)
- 6 training courses on the treatment of acute malnutrition for 79 health professionals and 4 district leaders (by the NGO partner CUAMM)



**AWARENESS
CAMPAIGNS**

INCLUDING 187,200 PEOPLE

BURKINA FASO

- Community awareness in 211 villages (170,000 people) and 17,200 mothers on arm circumference measurement to monitor the child's nutritional status

TANZANIA

- Awareness-raising in 20 village communities on malnutrition issues



**WORKSHOPS
AND COOKING
TRAINING**

MOTHERS
1,132

MALI

- 1,132 pregnant and lactating women trained in 17 villages through cooking demonstrations to disseminate good practices in preparing nutritious meals using local ingredients



DISTRIBUTION

PEOPLE
31,575

BURKINA FASO

- Distribution of vouchers and food for 26,775 people identified as the poorest in the region

MALI

- Distribution of 2,400 hygiene and health kits in 5 health centres serving 4,800 women and children under 2 years of age



humanitarian work

In 2018, LVIA and its partners carried out humanitarian interventions in response to the emergencies that continue to affect Burkina Faso and Mali.

Humanitarian emergencies are caused by widespread insecurity and conflicts in cross-border areas between Burkina Faso and Mali: the first consequences for population are **food crises** and **malnutrition**.

LVIA intervened with the contribution of ECHO (European Union Office for the Humanitarian Aid) and AICS (Italian Agency for Development Cooperation) to save the lives of children affected by severe acute malnutrition. At the same time, with the support of the EU Emergency Trust Fund for Africa, LVIA has worked to develop **resilience**: sustainable systems that can generate positive impacts over time.

BURKINA FASO



213,100
PEOPLE

191,400
WOMEN

18,800
MEN

2,900
CHILDREN

In north of Burkina Faso, LVIA has intensified its efforts to treat malnourished children and prevent the onset of the most acute phase of the disease (nearly 3,000 children), supporting the local health system and conducting village campaigns to monitor the nutritional status.

A paediatric sector was restructured and 4 health centres that had been closed for safety reasons were reopened. Training was provided to nearly 190,000 people: village health workers, community leaders and mothers have been trained on measuring the perimeter of children's arms, a useful and simple technique for continuously monitoring the nutritional status of children.

Vouchers and food were also distributed to nearly 27,000 people, identified as among the poorest in the region.

MALI



5,900
PEOPLE

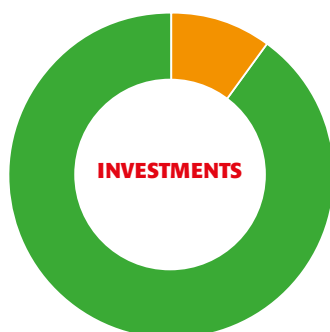
3,500
WOMEN

2,400
CHILDREN

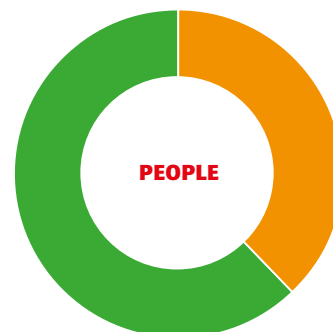
In Mali, LVIA continued its commitment to the prevention of children malnutrition, including organizing cooking workshops for more than 1,100 pregnant and lactating women who, through training, were able to learn how to cook more nutritious food for their children, simply by making better use of local ingredients: a simple and immediate way to prevent malnutrition.

In addition, 2,400 hygiene kits were distributed to 5 health centres, benefiting 4,800 women and their children, to prevent and better treat complications related to malnutrition.

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN HUMANITARIAN ACTION AND DEVELOPMENT

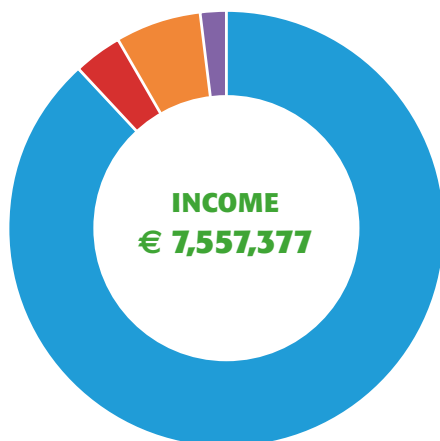


DEVELOPMENT	€ 6,095,050	88.5 %
HUMANITARIAN ACTION	€ 792,012	11.5 %
TOTAL	€ 6,887,062	

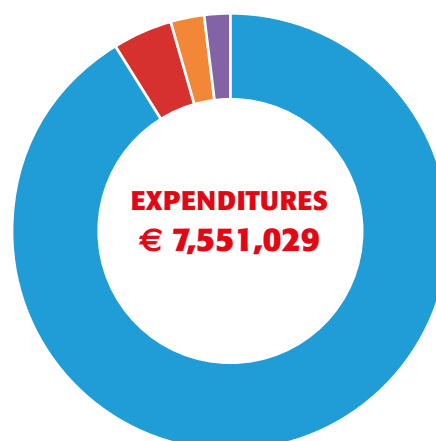


DEVELOPMENT	361,700	62.0 %
HUMANITARIAN ACTION	219,000	38.0 %
TOTAL	580,700	

our numbers



PROJECTS IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES	€ 6,656,637
PROJECTS AND ACTIVITIES IN ITALY	€ 276,996
COMMUNICATION AND FUNDRAISING	€ 483,704
GENERAL SUPPORT CHARGES	€ 140,040

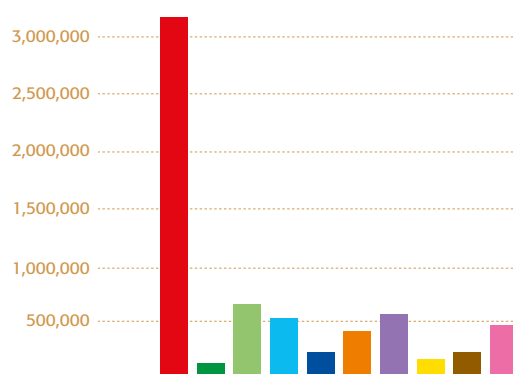


PROJECTS IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES	€ 6,887,062
PROJECTS AND ACTIVITIES IN ITALY	€ 331,248
COMMUNICATION AND FUNDRAISING	€ 189,235
GENERAL SUPPORT CHARGES	€ 143,484

SOURCES OF FUNDING

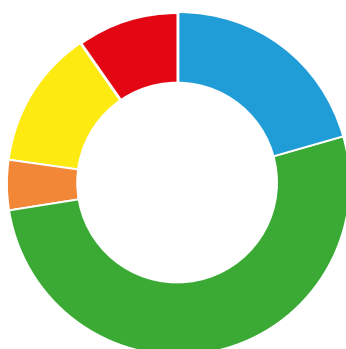
European Union	€ 3,516,284	46.5%
AICS – Italian Agency for Development Cooperation	€ 1,282,894	17.0%
Italian Public Administrations	€ 37,793	0.5%
United Nations	€ 257,507	3.4%
Consortia with other Associations	€ 1,245,471	16.5%
Private Bodies	€ 1,217,428	16.1%
TOTAL	€ 7,557,377	

INVESTMENTS PER COUNTRY



BURKINA FASO	€ 3,165,017
BURUNDI	€ 126,034
ETHIOPIA	€ 654,843
GUINEA-BISSAU	€ 545,442
GUINEA CONAKRY	€ 231,269
KENYA	€ 415,372
MALI	€ 550,916
MOZAMBIQUE	€ 168,115
SENEGAL	€ 218,562
TANZANIA	€ 465,296
TOTAL	€ 6,540,866

INVESTMENTS PER SECTOR OF INTERVENTION



WATER AND HYGIENE	20.6 %
AGRO-PASTORAL DEVELOPMENT	52.0 %
ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT	4.7 %
SOCIAL INCLUSION	13.0 %
FIGHT AGAINST MALNUTRITION	9.7 %

DIRECT BENEFICIARIES

BURKINA FASO	233,000
BURUNDI	2,600
ETHIOPIA	19,000
GUINEA-BISSAU	2,500
GUINEA CONAKRY	106,700
KENYA	16,300
MALI	42,000
MOZAMBIQUE	107,200
SENEGAL	48,900
TANZANIA	2,500
ITALY	52,000
TOTAL	632,700



Link 2007 NGOs, in their document "Towards full Accountability", focused on five concepts considered to be fundamental to respond in more transparent and effective ways to the challenges posed to us by international cooperation: "Accountability", reporting of results and the impact of projects; "Professionalism", a moral commitment to the countries and communities with which we work; "Partnership", because problems of poverty and injustice cannot be met alone; "Ownership", so that development actors are really local actors; "Innovation", for a better effectiveness and sustainability of our activities. The implementation of these five concepts will enable us to deliver our interventions in an increasingly effective and efficient manner, and this Report is the tool by which we describe the results.

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