

3.5 The Intervention Logic

The underlying intervention logic for this Action is that; through the promotion of green, sustainable, and resilient economic development in South Sudan, vulnerable target groups are able to adapt to shocks stressors (i.e. the adverse impact of climate change in South Sudan, including floods and drought), in addition to protecting the natural environment and resource base upon which their livelihoods are anchored on,

In response, the Action will contribute to increase productive capacity and productivity of smallholders while ensuring food security and resilience to shocks, and sustainably managing and protecting the natural resource base of livelihoods.

IF smallholders' capacity for food production and dealing with shocks is enhanced;
IF smallholders' access to productive inputs, including tools, vaccines, and seeds is increased; and
IF capacity of structures (government, IPs, communities, academia and media) for early warning and information exchange are strengthened;
THEN the Action will contribute to increase productive capacity and productivity of smallholders while ensuring food security and resilience to shocks.

IF stakeholders capacity in SMEs business value chain development is enhanced.
IF access to finance and credit for women and youth is promoted.
IF opportunities for women's participation in decision-making is increased.
THEN the Action will contribute to a more competitive, sustainable, and modern value chains with empowered women and youth.

IF mechanisms for conservation and protection of the natural resource base and biodiversity are improved; and
IF relevant policies are updated/developed to enhance sustainable natural resources management, biodiversity conservation, and climate resilience in South Sudan;
THEN the Action will contribute to enhance protection and sustainable management of the natural resources and increasing the capacity of vulnerable populations to adapt to climate change.