









POST-FLOOD RESILIENT RECOVERY AND STRENGTHENING OF THE LIVESTOCK SECTOR IN BALOCHISTAN

The Post-Flood Resilient Recovery and Strengthening of the Livestock Sector in Balochistan project is funded by the European Union and is being implemented by the Pakistan Poverty Alleviation Fund (PPAF) and Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO). The project aims to support Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) in the livestock sectors, particularly sheep, goat, and poultry value chains in six districts of Balochistan, that were severely affected by the 2022 floods.

DONOR

European Union

BUDGET

€14,825,000 (5% PPAF Share)

IMPLEMENTING PARTNER

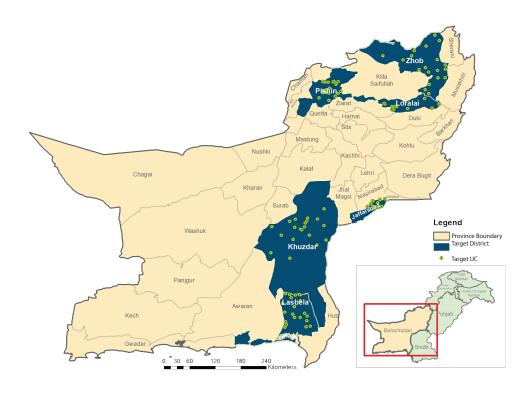
Balochistan Rural Support Programme (BRSP)

OBJECTIVES

The overall objective is to contribute to post 2022 floods climate-resilient socioeconomic recovery in the most affected and poorest districts of Balochistan province. While the specific objective of PPAF component is to improve value chains and market linkages in agriculture and livestock sectors of Balochistan.

COVERAGE

120 union councils of 6 districts (Pishin, Loralai, Zhob, Lasbela, Khuzdar, Jaffarabad)



TARGET VALUE CHAINS

Livestock sector particularly







IMPLEMENTATION APPROACH

PPAF will implement all community level activities by engaging the community institutions that have been fostered in target districts under the EU-funded BRACE Programme, as well as community driven development projects that EU (GRASP and RBWRP-Revival of Balochistan Water Resources Programme) and PPAF has been funding in Balochistan for the past over two decades.

GoB's Community Led Local Governance (CLLG) Policy 2023 also recognises that these community institutions are a platform for community engagement to implement all donor and government funded community level development programmes. PPAF will use these community institutions to form livestock groups and engage vulnerable and marginalised households for livestock related micro, small and medium enterprises at different levels.

CORE INTERVENTIONS

Supporting communities to work as **livestock producer groups** for collective production and establishment of community-led livestock markets and facilitate women and youth-led MSMEs to work on different value chains of sheep, goat, and poultry.

Providing Income Generating Grants (IGGs)/restocking of livestock for poorest, and flood affected families, community livelihood fund for increase in livestock numbers and matching grants for enterprises in a range of innovative ideas.

Improving the creditworthiness capacity of MSMEs and their access to meet additional capital requirements.

Working at community level with livestock farmers and offering community level support to FAO for effective implementation of livestock protection and production services.

EXPECTED RESULTS

The project will contribute to the achievement of its objectives by delivering the following key outputs/ expected results:

- Strengthened capacities of target groups in improving value addition and compliance to food safety and sustainability standards
- Increased livestock assets of target women and men farmers/entrepreneurs
- Enhanced access of women and men farmers to finances for value addition of livestock and livestock products

