FACT SHEET

National Horticulture and Livestock Project (NHLP)

PRINCIPLE OBJECTIVE
Through a farmer-led participatory system, reinforce the marketable output of the horticulture and livestock sectors in districts and provinces throughout Afghanistan.

PROJECT GOALS
1. Rehabilitate Afghanistan’s low-producing orchards to increase output and income generation.
2. Establish new orchards, including those of the almond, apricot, apple, cherry, grape and pomegranate varieties.
3. Improve animal health services.
4. Implement disease control and extension service delivery projects throughout Afghanistan.
5. Institute mechanisms to support farmers in the marketing of their products both locally and internationally.

EXPECTED RESULTS
✓ Increased acreage of horticulture lands, both in terms of the creation of new orchards and rehabilitation of existing ones.
✓ Increased horticultural sales.
✓ Increased attendance to NHLP’s Field Farmer Schools.
✓ Improved agricultural extension services for women and men.
✓ Increased adoption of improved agricultural practices and technologies by farmers.
✓ Improved contribution of women to the horticulture sector and production on participating farms.
✓ Improved contribution of women to livestock health and production on participating farms.
✓ Improved farmer technical knowledge on the horticulture and livestock sectors.

GEOGRAPHIC FOCUS: Horticulture - 26 provinces. Livestock - 34 provinces
PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE: National in scope from 2013 to 2020
FUNDING: USD $180 million