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Quick Facts

Countries	Uganda
Financial Institutions	International Finance Corporation (IFC)
Status	Active
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2022-10-14
Borrower	Government of Uganda
Sectors	Agriculture and Forestry, Finance, Industry and Trade
Investment Type(s)	Advisory Services
Investment Amount (USD)	$ 0.38 million

Project Description

The objective of the Project is to operationalize WRF in Uganda under the UWRSA system and thereby increase access to finance in the agricultural sector
By completion, the project will:
a) Support UWRSA to further strengthen the enabling environment and license at least 2 warehouse operators;
b) Facilitate WRF pilot arrangements by convening partnerships involving actors with high levels of readiness, including financial institutions, select farmer coops/organizations, grain traders, and collateral managers;
c) Improve producer organization financial literacy, business management skills and readiness for WRF;
d) Support financial sector readiness for piloting WRF through market-level actions;
e) Identify scale-up opportunities for partner FIs which may be supported by IFC credit lines or risk-sharing instruments going forward.

Investment Description

- International Finance Corporation (IFC)

Contact Information

No project contacts available at the time of disclosure.

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