

AU-AIP AFRICA WATER INVESTMENT SUMMIT 2025

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AU AIP WATER INVESTMENT SUMMIT: PROJECT SHOWCASE

PROGRAMME/ PROJECT OVERVIEW	
Project name	Drinking water supply project for the towns of Imasgho, Kindi, Ténado, Kokologho, Bama, and Pa using a new system
Location (Country, Region, Coordinates)	Burkina Faso, Centre-West region (Imasgho, Kindi, Ténado, Kokologho), Hauts Bassins (Bama), Boucle du Mouhoun (Pâ)
Involved countries (if regional)	No-regional
Sub-Sector (Water Supply, Sanitation, Irrigation, Flood Management..)	Water supply
Project description (Goals and expected outcomes)	project to build new drinking water supply systems (connection of boreholes, construction of water towers and a distribution network of more than 50 km per locality)
Technological details/ innovation	High-efficiency submersible electric pumps, Integration of a remote management system , Use of solar energy
Governance improvements / innovation	Establishing a project team and defining everyone's roles and responsibilities, and promoting transparency and accountability
IMPLEMENTATION & KEY PLAYERS	
Lead institution	Minister of the Environment, Water and Sanitation
Implementing agent(s)	National Office for Water and Sanitation (ONEA)
Sponsors / Investors / Contractors / Advisors	None
PROJECT TIMELINE & DEVELOPMENT STAGE	
Year of preparation, estimated start & end dates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Start date: 2026 - Estimated completion date: 2027
Current development stage	APS, APD study stage
PROJECT RATIONALE & STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE	
Alignment with national/regional plans, SDGs, Agenda 2063	Drinking Water Supply Program, SDGs, Agenda 2063
Contribution to NDC's and alignment with NAPs / Adaptation and Mitigation measures	the National Drinking Water Supply Program (PN-AEP 2016-2030) integrating the issue of adaptation and mitigation to climate change as well as environmental preservation.
Paradigm shift potential (scalability, replicability, policy or behaviour change)	Demonstrate cross-border cooperation, a drinking water supply system for several localities
FINANCIAL & INVESTMENT DETAILS	
Total project cost, currency	23 million USD, or 19 995 808 euros
Proposed revenue model	Direct borrowing from the government through very flexible mechanisms
Financial metrics (IRR, Payback Period,	N, pending Financial, Legal and Institutional Structuring

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DSCR, NPV) available? Y/N, date	
Economic performance (Benefit-Cost Ratio) Y/N, date	N, pending Financial, Legal and Institutional Structuring
INVESTMENT ASK & WAY FORWARD	
Remaining investment required: project component & type (Loan/Equity/Grant/Guarantee/insurance)	22 million (USD) drinking system and 1.13 million (USD) for project management
Opportunity for bundling with other projects (Y/N, date)	N, Opportunity to link with other
Next steps	Preparation of tender documents Project execution
TARGET GROUPS & SOCIAL IMPACT	
<u>Direct beneficiary</u> population per project component	Urban and rural populations
Social & gender impact assessment (Y/N, date)	Y,
Job creation estimate / local economic benefit assessment (Y/N, date)	Y,
SUSTAINABILITY & ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS	
Environmental compliance & climate assessment (Y/N, date)	Yes, the project was subject to an environmental impact study
Environmental impact assessment (Y/N, date)	Y, 2023-2025
ESG performance (Y/N, date)	
Safeguards & community engagement (Y/N, date)	Y, 2023-2025
RISK MANAGEMENT	
Main risks & mitigation measures (Political, Legal, etc)	Stakeholders alignment, affordability Size of project, market sounding, offtakers, complexity of project, geopolitics, decision making, harmonization of legal frameworks
Constraints or bottlenecks to finance	Financial
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