

2024 ACHIEVEMENTS

2025 AT A GLANCE

13
projects

1,432
staff

38M€
2025 Annual Budget

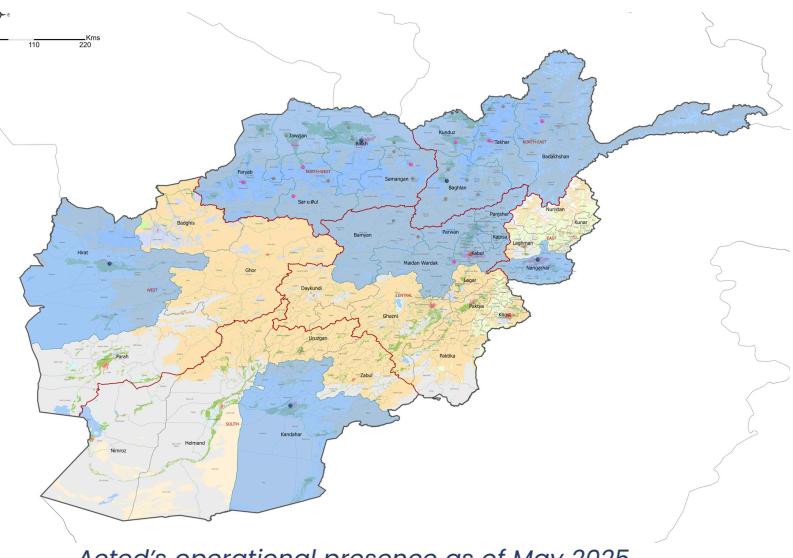
4.4M+
Beneficiaries

NORAD,
UNOPS, EU
Top 3 Donors

2.1 million
supported with cash/voucher
2.8 million
covering their basic needs
29,385
supported with access to basic services

Humanitarian Situation in Afghanistan

- 48%** of the population in need of humanitarian assistance
- 27%** of the population in severe levels of food insecurity
- 4.2 million** IDPs. **2.1 million** returnees from Iran and Pakistan since January 2025.
- 179th** out of 185 countries for climate change vulnerability.
- 1.5 million** school-aged girls are out of school
- 68%** young women remain unemployed



ACTED'S PRESENCE IN AFGHANISTAN

Established in Afghanistan in 1993, Acted currently operates across **17 provinces**; reaching over 4.4 million beneficiaries in 2025 through 13 projects delivering **humanitarian assistance** and access to **basic services**. Acted has built a **legacy of long-term access and community acceptance** in some of Afghanistan's most peripheral and hard-to-reach areas; ensuring strong area-based and community-driven programming. Acted's work is guided by **3 pillars**: improving access to **basic services through area-based approaches**, providing **livelihoods and economic opportunities** – particularly for youth and women, and promoting effective nature-based solutions for **climate change adaptation and mitigation**.

Complementing this long-term strategy is Acted's **integrated, multisectoral emergency response**, providing rapid deployment of cash and in-kind assistance to the most vulnerable individuals affected by disasters and poverty in the most difficult-to-access areas of Afghanistan.

Acted's 2020-2025 strategy, aligned with the SDGs, envisions a "**3Zero World**"—Zero Exclusion, Zero Carbon, and Zero Poverty. It emphasizes **tackling poverty**, inequality, and injustice while promoting **inclusive low-carbon growth** and addressing climate change and environmental challenges.

Acted's partners in Afghanistan



Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs



Funded by the European Union



Acted in Afghanistan works towards a

ZERO EXCLUSION CARBON POVERTY

world.

ACTED'S RESPONSE IN AFGHANISTAN



Protection: **9 women and girls Safe Spaces** in communities in addition to **48 Multi-Purpose Centres** throughout the country including in ISETs and areas of return which provide complementary protection, education and livelihood assistance.

Livelihood: **3,000+ handicraft MSMEs** empowered with technical, business, financial support and market linkages for sustainable growth.

Agriculture: **30,000+ farmers** supported through enhanced climate-smart agricultural practices, **soil restoration, food security** and **economic potential.**

Education: **39 centres** offering **life skills and livelihood courses** to 8,000+ youth – particularly for women and girls. **6 Transitional Centers** offering **bridging classes** to 4,000 out-of-school children and adolescents.

Multisectoral Emergency Response: Area-based integrated assistance in hard-to-reach shock-affected areas, including **emergency WASH and Shelter assistance, food security, MPCA and winterization support.**

AGORA, a joint-venture by Acted and IMPACT in Afghanistan since 2018 delivers recovery and resilience programming through two interventions: **community-based access to basic services** and **natural resource management**, and **durable solutions in ISETS**.

Using an **area-based approach** accountable to local stakeholders, communities are empowered to be actors in evidence and needs based aid planning, delivery and monitoring.



91 community plans have been developed totalling **2,300+ priority projects** for 680 million USD

