


ACT FOR CHANGE INVEST IN TOMORROW


**RESPONDING TO
EMERGENCIES**

**PROMOTING
REHABILITATION
PROGRAMMES**

**SUPPORTING
DEVELOPMENT
DYNAMICS**

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RESPONDING TO EMERGENCIES



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CO-CONSTRUCTING EFFECTIVE GOVERNANCE



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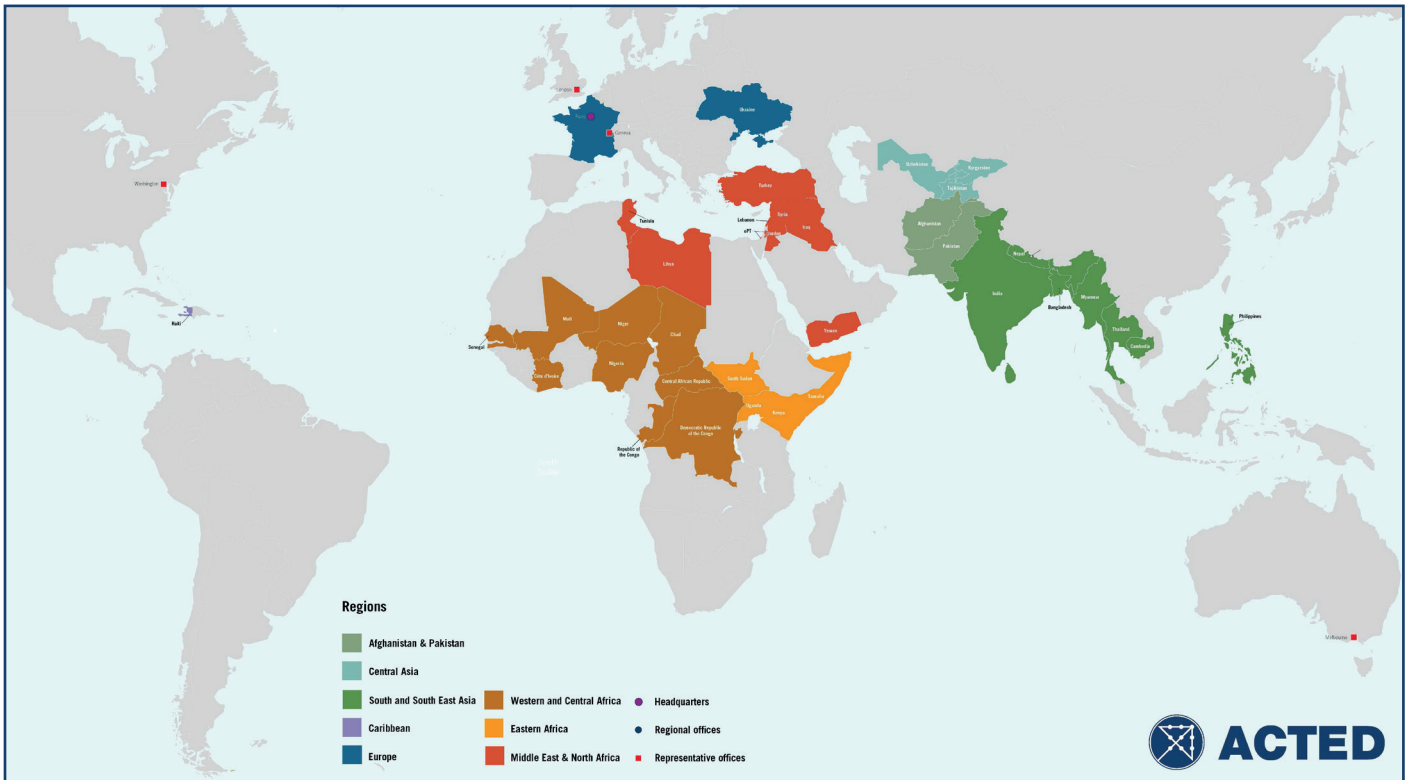
Credit: Latra Salvinelli / Pakistan, 2013

PROMOTING INCLUSIVE AND
SUSTAINABLE GROWTH



Credit: Gwenn Dubourthoumieu / ACTED DRC, 2007

ACT FOR CHANGE, INVEST IN POTENTIAL



Since 1993, as an international non-governmental organization, ACTED has been committed to immediate humanitarian relief to support those in urgent need and protect people’s dignity, while co-creating longer term opportunities for sustainable growth and fulfilling people’s potential.

Ivory Coast, Jordan, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Lebanon, Libya, Mali, Myanmar, Nepal, Niger, Nigeria, occupied Palestinian Territory, Pakistan, Philippines, Republic of the Congo (Brazzaville), Senegal, Somalia, South Sudan, Sri Lanka, Syria, Tajikistan, Thailand, Turkey, Uganda, Ukraine, Uzbekistan and Yemen.

Independent, private and nonprofit, French NGO ACTED (operating under the French law Association loi 1901) respects a strict political and religious impartiality, and operates following principles of non-discrimination, transparency, according to its core values: responsibility, impact, enterprising-spirit and inspiration.

ACTED endeavors to respond to humanitarian crises and build resilience; promote inclusive and sustainable growth; co-construct effective governance and support the building of civil society worldwide by investing in people and their potential.

ACTED teams are devoted to supporting vulnerable communities throughout the world and accompanying them in building a better future by providing a response adapted to specific needs. Our staff provides aid to populations affected by crisis using an approach that is both local and global, multidisciplinary and adapted to each context. By ensuring the link between Emergency, Rehabilitation and Development, ACTED teams guaranty that interventions made in a situation of crisis are useful and sustainable, because only long term support – by remaining in the area post emergency and involving communities – can end the poverty cycle and accompany populations on the road to development.

ACTED is present in four continents and our teams intervene in 37 countries towards 11 million people, responding to emergency situations, supporting rehabilitation projects and accompanying the dynamics of development. Over 5,000 staff are dedicated to implementing and developing our projects in Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Burundi, Cambodia, Central African Republic, Chad, Democratic Republic of the Congo (Kinshasa), Haiti, India, Iraq,



ACTED IN FIGURES



Annual Budget (2017)
236,7 M €



Staff
4700

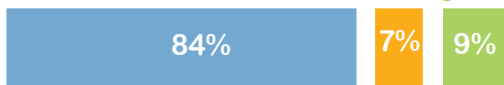


Beneficiaries
14 M

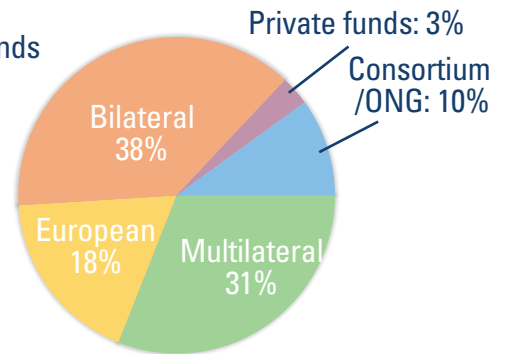


Programmes
490 projects in 2017

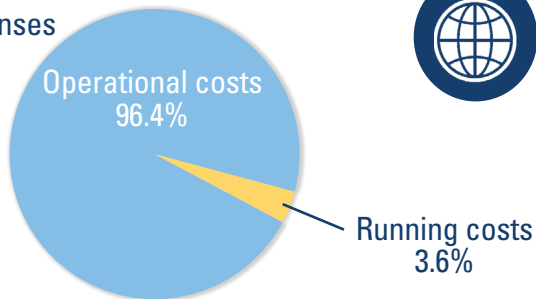
Pillar 1 - Emergency and resilience
Pillar 2 - **Governance**
Pillar 3 - **Inclusive and sustainable growth**



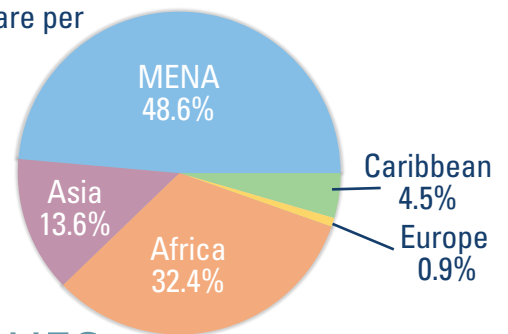
Origin of funds



Expenses



Budget share per region



OUR VISION | OUR VALUES

Every human being has the right to dignity

We choose to act for immediate change in the lives of those in urgent need

We co-create new possibilities and sustainable change by investing in people's potential





Yemen - November 2017
ACTED continues to support the Yemeni population to meet their most basic needs since the beginning of the conflict in March 2014.



Pakistan - November 2017
ACTED promotes sustainable solutions for women's empowerment through trainings in a not so traditional sector for Pakistani women: solar energy. 54 women were trained in Multan, Punjab, as solar technicians, for the first time in Pakistan. 18 of the graduates have secured employment in the solar energy sector thus far.



Iraq - May 2017
ACTED registers and supports people displaced by the Mosul crisis, while ensuring non-food items distributions and water, hygiene and sanitation-related activities as camp manager of Salamiyah camp (Hamdaniya, Ninewa governorate)



Uganda - October 2016
The REPARLE project team presents the biogester that turns agricultural waste into electricity, redistributed to farmers and poor families of the region.



Philippines - July 2017
Through its rapid response mechanism, ACTED provided emergency relief assistance to people displaced by the Marawi armed conflict throughout Mindanao island. ACTED is one of the only NGOs in the area.



Afghanistan - August 2017
Since 2014, 1,360 Afghan women from minority communities in Mazar-e-Sharif have enrolled in life-changing vocational trainings in one of ACTED's Youth Development Centres (YDC).

A GLOBAL VISION: ZERO EXCLUSION, ZERO CARBON, ZERO POVERTY

Frédéric Roussel

Cofounder and Development Director

In 2015, the international community made decisive commitments for the future of our planet. First in September in New York with the adoption of an ambitious programme to fight poverty through the Sustainable Development Goals by the UN, and later in December in Paris with an agreement on climate during the COP21.

The convergence of stakeholders and global agendas, which has been at the core of our approach over the last eight years, must be further reinforced. Beyond international decision makers, together we must, as citizens, local decision makers, producers and consumers, work without barriers or prejudice, to build a world without exclusion, without carbon and without poverty.

Zero Exclusion, Zero Carbon, Zero Poverty... Ok, but what does it really mean?

This "Triple Zero" objective which may seem utopic, must incite us to think and act together to respond to the clearly paradoxical duty we have of achieving both a world without poverty, and a world without carbon. This implies responding to the poverty challenge that the majority of the world's population still faces, through inclusive, rapid and low carbon growth, limited in use of natural resources and rich in personal and collective development.

This new model for growth can only be made possible in the long run through technological and social innovation. This innovation, which is already shifting entire economies and is on the brink of disrupting

our societies, will have no choice but to take on an inclusive form. This represents somewhat of a challenge, to say the least. Because if this innovation holds the key to solving the carbon/poverty conundrum, it is also a generator of significant change and rearrangement of values. If we are not careful, this creative disruption has the potential of provoking profound social destabilization.

We are without a doubt the last generation that can truly have an impact on the issues of climate and carbon. This is both a heavy responsibility to bear and a challenge to meet. Adding on to this, we are also the first generation with the capacity to, if we really want to, drastically reduce poverty. Finally, we are the first generation with a duty

to seriously reflect upon and anticipate the implications and consequences of innovation that is carrying us with little transition, from the age of carbon to the age of algorithms.

Knowledge sharing, de-compartmentalizing stakeholders and profound reflection on innovation are the preconditions for building this new world. We need to work on it together, and voice the "Triple Zero" message. Not without modesty, pragmatism and ambition.



With its experience working closely with vulnerable communities at the heart of situations that they live in throughout the world, ACTED contributes to reaching the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), advocating for an **integrated approach, co-construction** and **global partnership**.

Advocacy as a prolongation of our commitment on the field

Our advocacy ensures the continuity of our mobilisation and programmes on the field: our advocacy activities aim at promoting the idea of an integrated, multi-actor, participatory and effective humanitarian action towards sustainable development of territories.

A co-construction approach

In association with French, European and International partners, ACTED is committed to promoting and developing innovative approaches and initiatives, humanitarian principles, new forms of solidarity and convergences between private and public actors and NGOs from the North and the South covering themes such as aid efficiency and transparency, evaluation, information and coordination of humanitarian emergencies, promotion of local governance and civil society strengthening, sustainable access to income and microfinance, prevention and reduction of disasters, climate-change prevention and adaptation, the link between development aid, sustainable development and social business, food security, etc.



Credit: ACTED Iraq, 2015



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