

Mozambique–Strategic Analysis and Knowledge Support System MozSAKSS

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Mozambique-SAKSS is a collaborative program between the Directorate of Economics (DE), Ministry of Agriculture (MINAG/DE) and three of the member centers of the Consultative Group on International Agricultural Research (CGIAR), namely International Crops Research Institute for the Semi-Arid Tropics (ICRISAT), International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI), and International Water Management Institute (IWMI).

The overarching objectives of MozSAKSS are to reduce poverty, hunger, and malnutrition in Mozambique, improve the performance of the agricultural sector, and encourage equitable economic growth.

In order to strengthen the capacity of MINAG/DE and other stakeholders in the agricultural sector to be able to achieve these objectives, MozSAKSS will:

- Generate evidence to better inform the formulation and implementation of agricultural policies and strategies
- Support policy analysis and agricultural strategy development
- Promote evidence-based public debate and dialogue on current topics relevant to the agricultural sector at national and regional levels
- Support the collection, analysis, and development of data to improve information management and decisionmaking

MozSAKSS has five major areas of activity:

- Improve the management information system in order to produce comprehensive annual reports of agricultural performance and expenditures
- Carry out relevant policy analyses and strengthen strategic planning, including analysis of optimal investment allocations
- Promote the sharing, dissemination and discussion of reports, profiles, and study results with the wide range of stakeholders in the agricultural sector
- Encourage regional flows of information between Mozambique and other regional and continental organizations, such as SADC, CAADP, and ReSAKSS-SA, especially through support of Mozambican participation in relevant regional and continental conferences, congresses, workshops, and other events
- Contribute to capacity strengthening of staff from MINAG/DE and other government institutions through learning-by-doing and sponsorship of participation in short-term training courses

A key principle of Mozambique-SAKSS is the implementation of program activities in close collaboration with and participation from local and international counterparts.

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