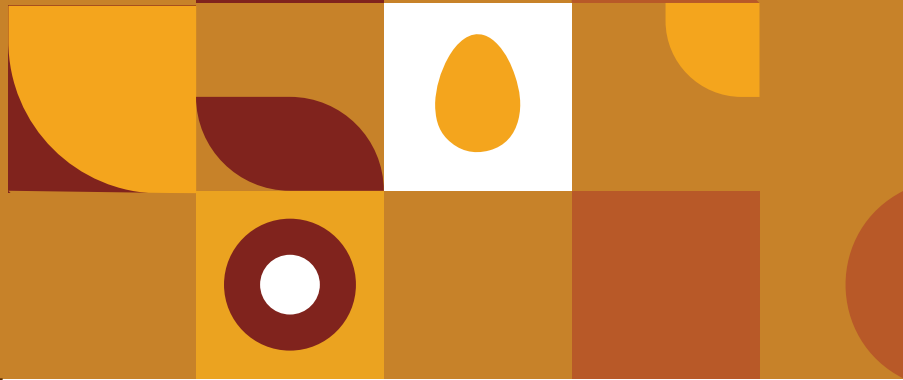


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FEED MILL PRODUCT





1 Introduction

1.1. The poultry industry face high production costs driven by heavy reliance on imported feed and very costly machineries. Despite its critical importance to national food security, the feed-milling sector has historically received limited targeted financial support. However, there is a growing opportunity to finance and capacitate local feed-mill businesses to improve competitiveness and contribute to national economic growth.



1.2 With increasing national interest in strengthening the poultry sector, enhancing local production capacity, and reducing dependency on imports, there are clear opportunities to develop a sustainable, efficient, and well-structured local feed-milling industry. Government support initiatives, value-chain strengthening efforts, and rising demand for affordable poultry products further highlight the need to to finance feed mills.

1.3 The challenges affecting feed-milling operations include excessive costs of machinery and equipment, limited access to affordable financing, inconsistent raw material supply, and the need for improved technology and production standards. These constraints reduce productivity, increase production costs, and limit the sector's ability to support poultry farmers with high-quality and competitively priced feed.



1.4 Therefore, Citizen Entrepreneurial Development Agency (CEDA), through this product, has a critical role to play in developing commercially viable feed-mill enterprises by providing targeted funding, asset financing, and technical support. The product aims to boost local feed-production capacity, enhance quality, reduce import dependency, and strengthen the long-term growth and sustainability of the poultry value chain.



2. Objectives of the Feed Mill Fund

- 2.1 Increase Local Feed Production Capacity
- 2.2 Improve Feed Quality and Standards
- 2.3 Strengthen the Poultry Value Chain
- 2.4 Promote Business Growth and Export Potential
- 2.5 Provide Affordable and Accessible Financing
- 2.6 Support Economic Diversification



3. Product Overview

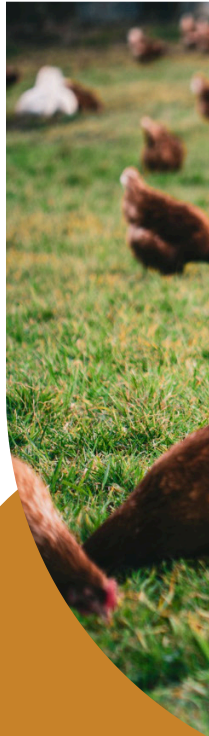
3.1 Financial Type of Support

The product aims to finance the following:

- 3.1.1 Assets (Infrastructure and Equipment used in feed milling such as grain silos, pellet mill & steam conditioner, automated bagging, sewing & palletizing line, forklifts & bucket elevators etc)
- 3.1.2 Working Capital (labour, packaging, utilities, stock (maize, soya bean cake, sunflower cake, mineral) etc)

3.2 Eligibility Criteria

- 3.2.1 Individuals aged 18 years and above wish to start or already engaged in feedmill production related activities
- 3.2.2 Applicant should be a citizen of Botswana
- 3.2.3 Clean credit record
- 3.2.4 Individuals, Companies & Groups (clusters, cooperatives or associations)
- 3.2.5 Existing farmers seeking to expand or develop their poultry feed manufacturing business
- 3.2.6 Start-ups seeking to venture into poultry feed manufacturing.





3.3 Loan Limits

- 3.3.1 The minimum size of the loan is P500.00 and the maximum is P50,000,000.00

3.4 Interest Rate

- 3.4.1 Interest rates will be consistent with the CEDA Credit Policy and Revised CEDA Guidelines.

3.5 Repayment Period

- 3.5.1 The repayment period will be up to 20 years. Frequency of payments will be determined as per the project's cycles.

3.6 Disbursements

3.6.1 Disbursements for goods will be paid directly to the supplier where appropriate

3.7 Security/collateral requirements

3.7.1 Security will be as per CEDA guideline

3.8 Grace period

3.8.1 Grace period will be up to 12 months

3.9 Contribution

- 3.9.1 As a rule, promoters of projects to be financed by CEDA should show commitment through contribution. Contribution may either be in cash or in kind (tangible assets).

3.10 Training

- 3.10.1 CEDA will provide training related to feed milling practices to funded applicants where applicable

3.11 Application processing time

- 3.11.1 The loan application will be as per CEDA current's service level agreement







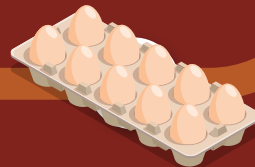
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Egg collection



Setter



Egg storage



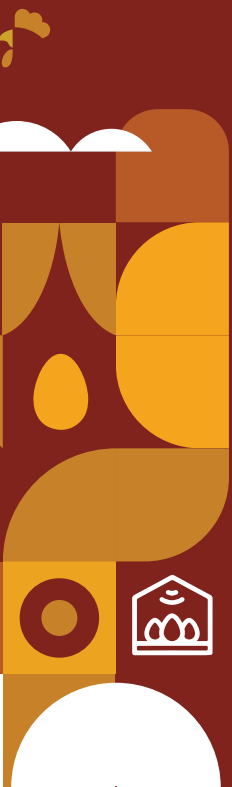
Hatcher



Chick processing



Dispatch



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