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PROGRAMME ACHIEVEMENTS



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OVERVIEW OF THE REPORT

This report summarises programme achievements between 1 July and 30 September 2020.

More detailed information is available in the quarterly report July - September 2020 at:
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PARTICIPATORY PLANTATION FORESTRY PROGRAMME (PFP 2)

PFP 2 is the second phase of Private Forestry Programme (PFP 1) that was established as a bilateral development cooperation project between the governments of Tanzania and Finland. It works to increase rural income by promoting the commercial management of smallholder plantations and wood-processing enterprises.

It is designed to run from 1 November 2019 to 31 October 2023

GOAL

To promote sustainable and inclusive private forestry that contributes to Tanzania's economic growth and alleviates poverty.

To ensure that, the plantation forestry sector in Tanzania is all-inclusive, PFP 2 was formulated with a human rights-based approach (HRBA)

INTENDED OUTCOME

A socially sensitive, environmentally sustainable, financially profitable private forestry sector, including tree growers, SMEs as well as their organisations and service providers, exist in the Southern Highlands of Tanzania.

In addition, the rights of vulnerable groups will be safeguarded and their participation in the forestry value chain supported.

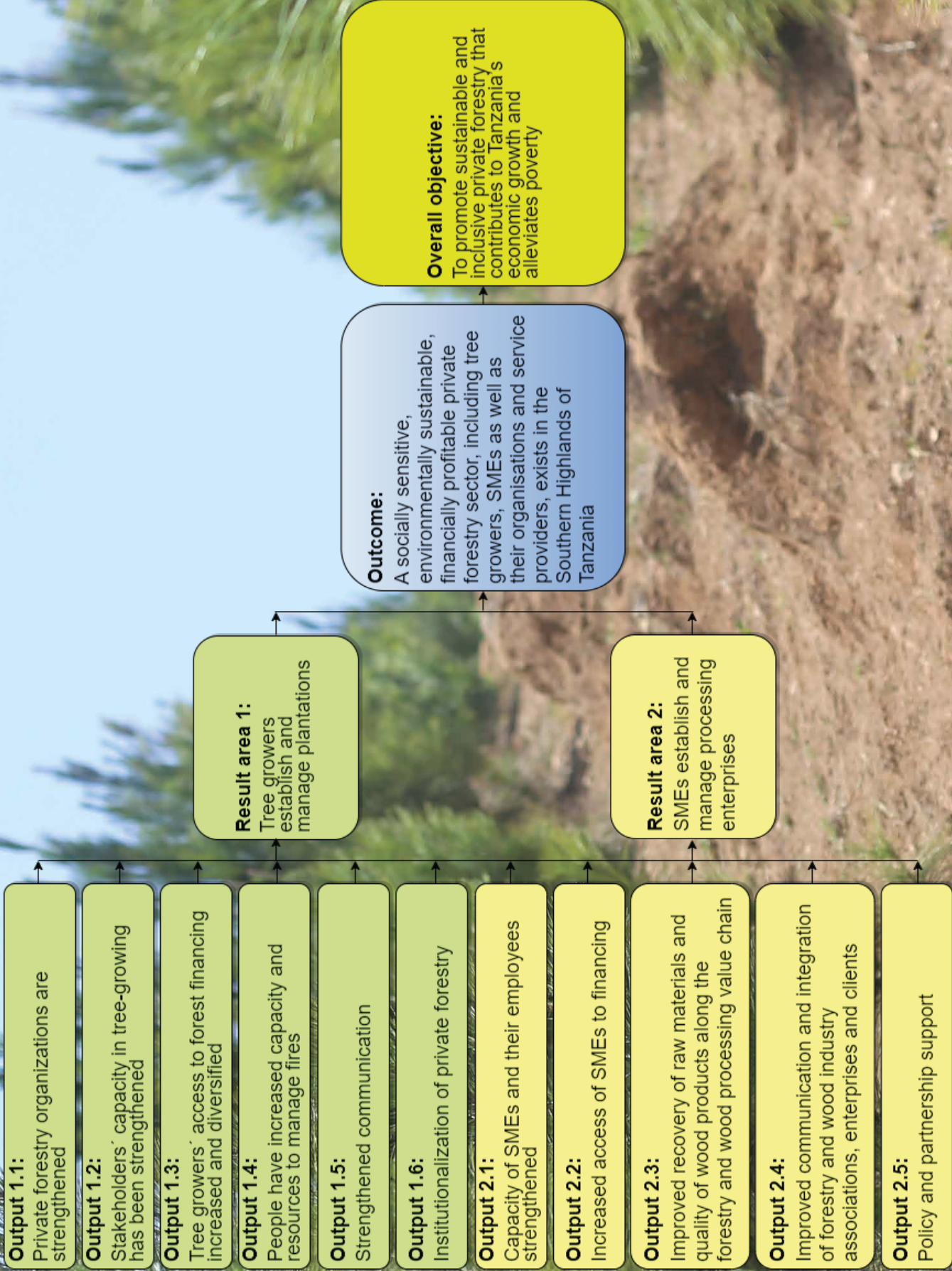
RESULTS

The programme focuses on two result areas:

1. Tree growers establish and manage plantations
2. SMEs establish and manage value-adding processing enterprises



PPF 2 RESULTS CHAIN



PROGRAMME DISTRICTS

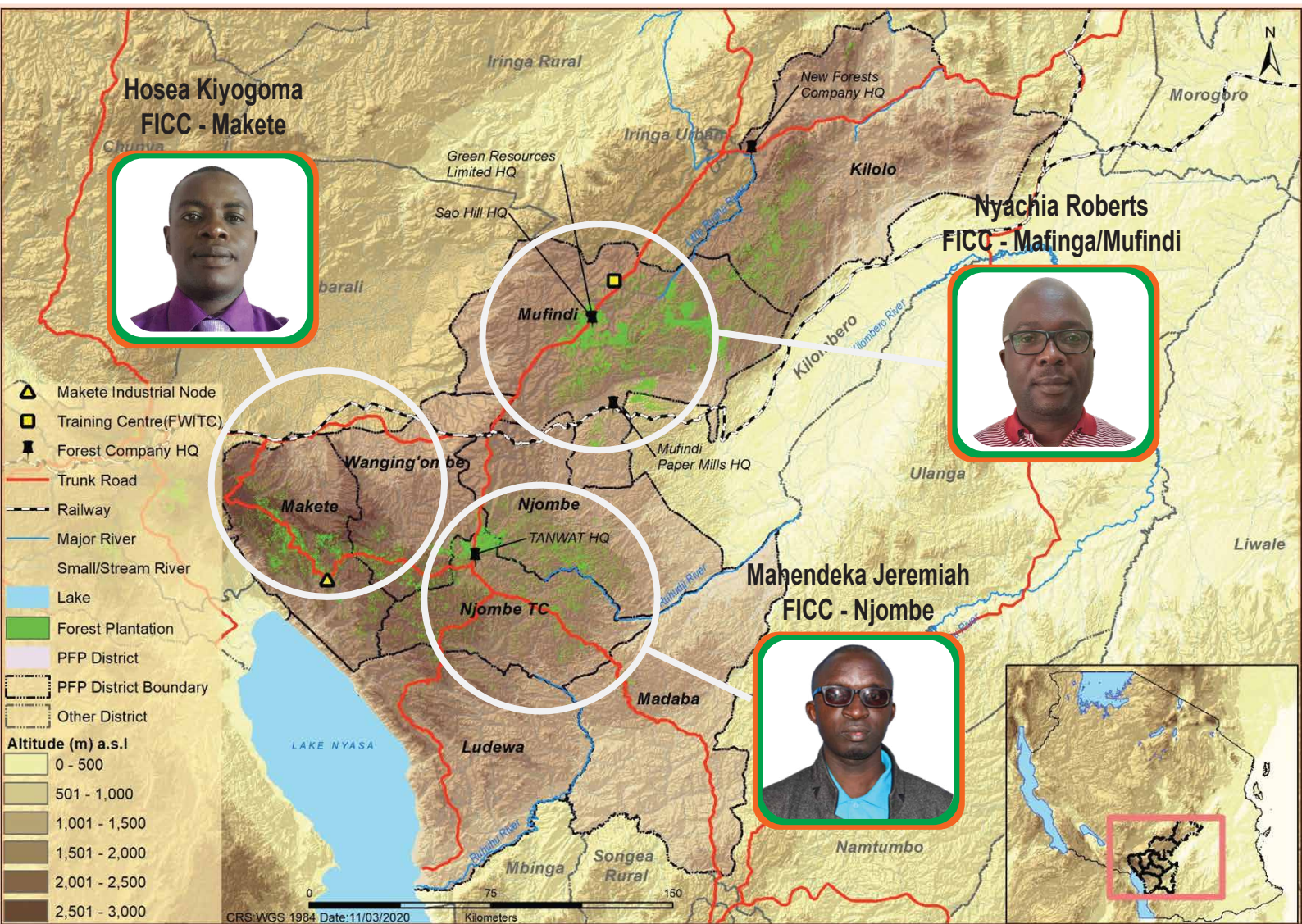
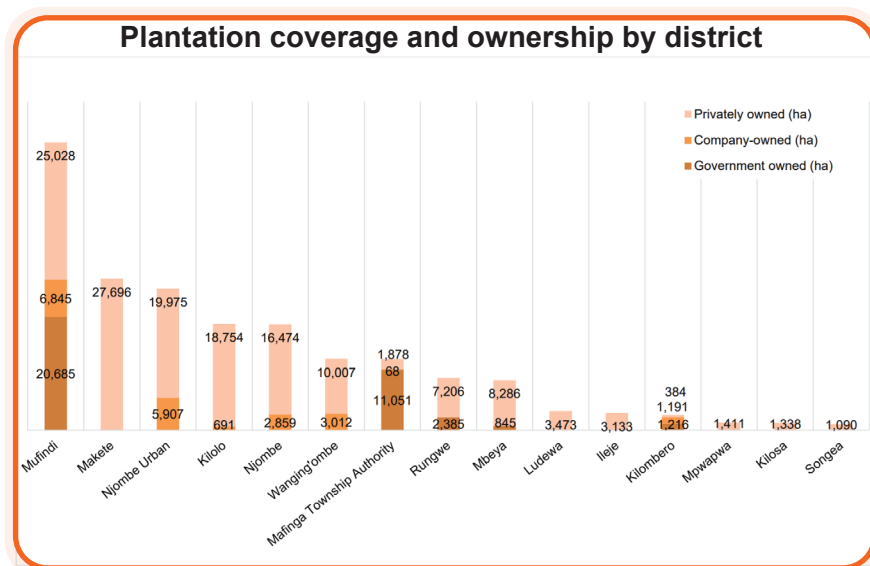
Nine districts of three regions: Iringa (Mufindi, Mafinga TC and Kilolo), Njombe (Makete, Njombe TC, Njombe DC, Ludewa, Wang'ing'ombe) and Ruvuma (Madaba).

POTENTIAL FOREST INDUSTRY CLUSTERS

The programme facilitates development of three potential Forest Industry Clusters, each led by a Forest Industry Cluster Coordinator.

For detailed information on the potential Forest Industry Clusters refer to:

<http://www.privateforestry.or.tz/en/resources/view/investment-opportunities-in-the-tanzanian-forest-industry>



After delays imposed by the COVID-19 pandemic the programme made rapid progress on both inception and implementation phase activities



Progress included recruiting and training staff, coordinating with stakeholders, conducting baseline surveys, and developing seed orchards.

STAFF MOBILISATION AND TRAINING

Most of the national staff who were selected in December 2019 were mobilised on 1 July 2020. All new staff were provided with a 2-month training to capacitate them in their assigned roles.



Staff were trained on Human Rights Based Approach (HRBA) to development in order to contribute to making PFP 2 a human right progressive programme.

Staff were trained on programme administration and occupational safety and health issues



Forestry extension officers and workers were trained on providing support to small-holder tree growers and their associations.



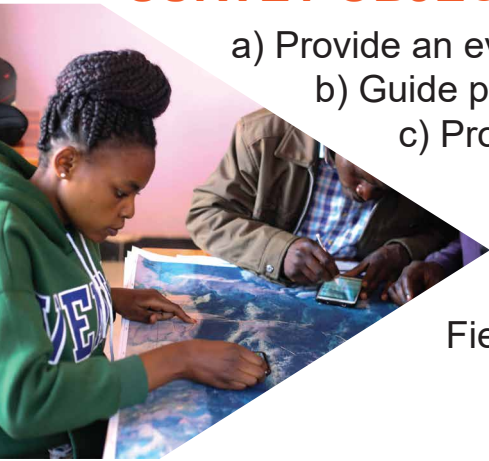
Wood industry extension officers and workers were trained on providing support to SMEs and their associations.

STAKEHOLDER MEETINGS

The programme met with several stakeholders including: Njombe and Iringa regional governments, Njombe, Makete, Mafinga and Mufindi district officials, TTGAU, AF, TGAs, SMEs, academic and vocational institutions, SIDO.....

SURVEY OBJECTIVES

- a) Provide an evidence base for PD revision
- b) Guide programme implementation
- c) Provide baseline data for programme monitoring

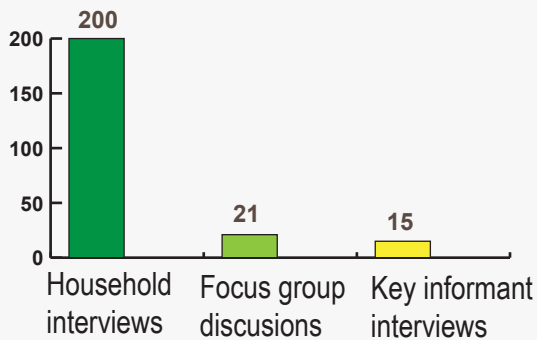


Field work was started in 23 forest rich villages in Makete

PRELIMINARY FINDINGS

HRBA situational assessment

By the reporting time, interviews had been conducted as follows:



Participatory plantation mapping



During the reporting period, a total of 257 woodlots covering 470 ha were mapped

Woodlot assessment

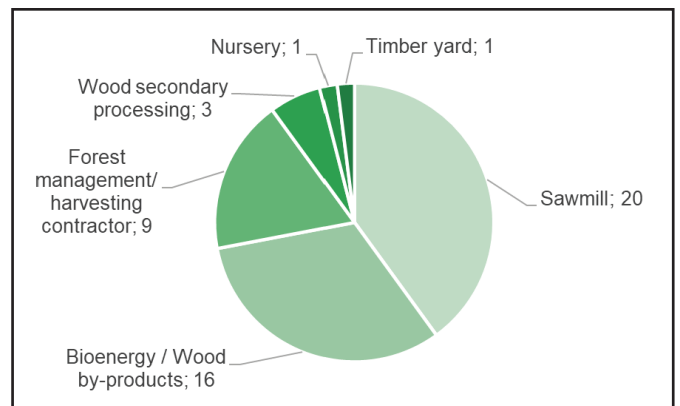
During the reporting period, 121 woodlots in six out of the 23 villages were assessed.



Early findings suggested overstocking was a major issue in Makete.

SMEs assessment

40 SMEs with 50 forestry related functions in six villages were assessed



Market systems study

Plans were made to assess Makete forest product market systems.

SEED ORCHARD DEVELOPMENT

The programme continued to maintain PFP 1 seed orchards in order to develop a Tanzanian supply of highly improved commercial tree seeds for both small and large scale tree growers.



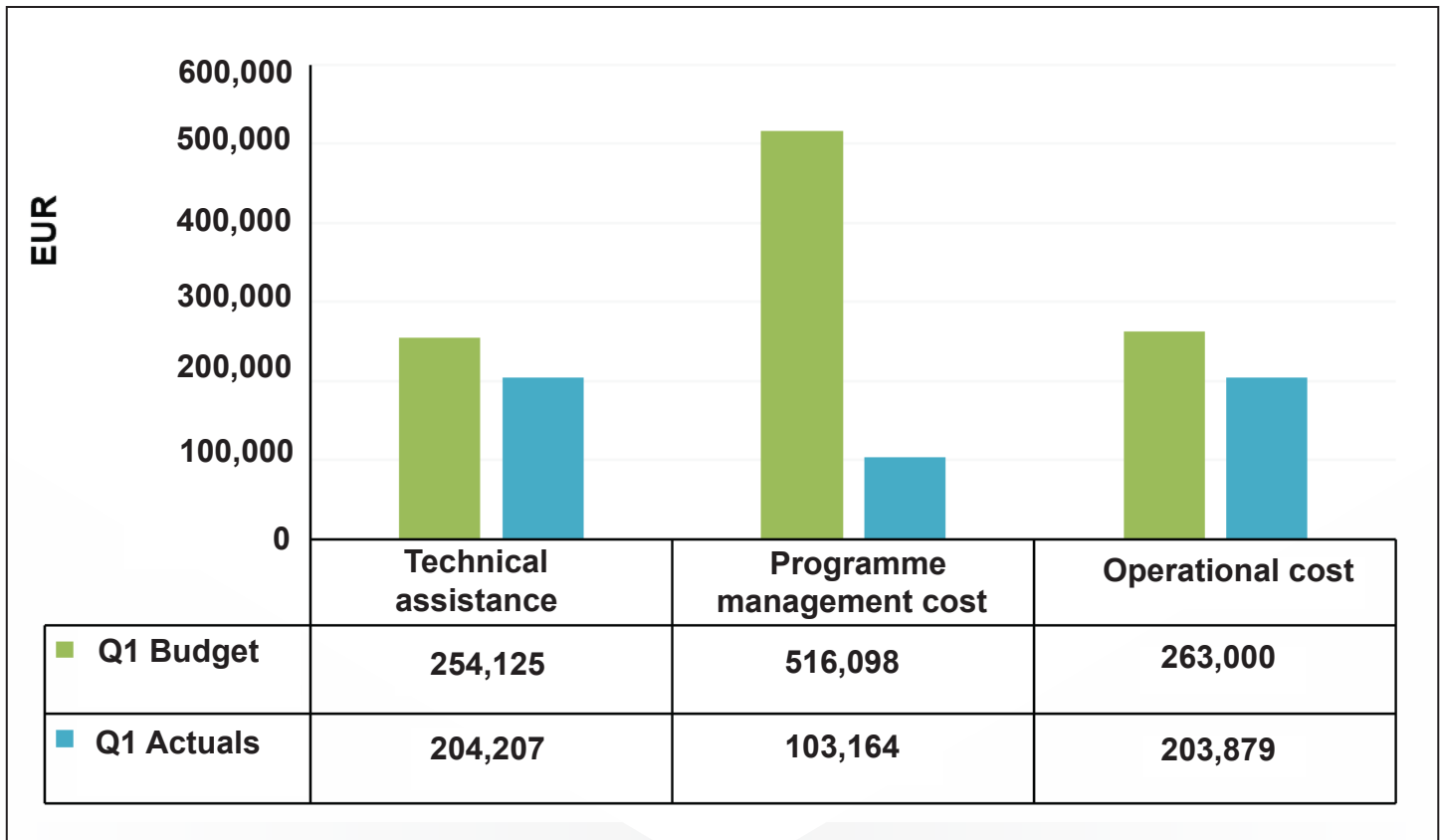
Seed orchards visit by Director DTSP, PFP 2 and TTGAU

The seed orchards were repeatedly monitored by Directorate of Tree Seed Production (DTSP), Tanzania Tree Growers Associations' Union (TTGAU) and PFP 2 staff and maintenance was kept up to date using PFP 2 funds.



RESOURCES AND BUDGET

The overall budget for the reporting period was EUR 1,063,223, whilst the actual expenditure was EUR 511,250. The deviation was caused by delays in procurement.









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