

Sustainable Fishery Development in the Red Sea And Gulf of Aden (SFISH)

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PROJECT INFORMATION

The Sustainable Fishery Development in the Red Sea and Gulf of Aden (SFISH) project is funded by the World Bank with a total budget of US\$41.15 million. The project will improve fishery production and quality by reducing post-harvest losses, enhancing climate resilience, and increasing access to markets—thereby contributing to the restoration of fishery-related livelihoods and the creation of economic opportunities for both women and men. It will promote interaction and networking among fishers, micro and small fish processors, wholesalers, and retailers to improve market access in targeted coastal areas. Additionally, the project will support the development of local governance systems and knowledge to effectively manage fisheries and strengthen climate resilience, in alignment with Yemen's fishery sector strategy.

SNAPSHOT



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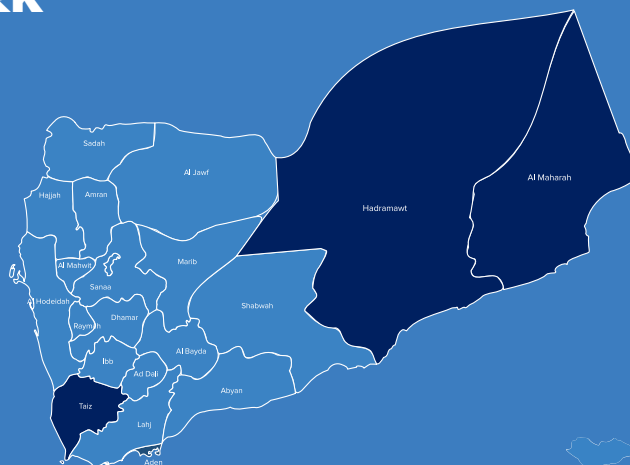


Targeted Province(s) in the Project: Aden - Hadhramaut - Al-Mahra - Taiz



Project Budget: 41,150,000 US dollars

WHERE WE WORK



IMPACT SO FAR



Grants & Economic Empowerment

Total 3,808 micro-producers: 2,955 fishermen and 853 women & youth received grants.



Grants & Economic Empowerment

839 Women are undergoing pre-grant training.



Grants & Economic Empowerment

648 individuals (SMEs) and 9 cooperatives received full/matching grants.



Innovation & Sustainability

Mariculture Study: Inception report completed.

Fishery management plan final report for Aden/Lahj completed.



Landing Sites Rehabilitation

9 Fish landing sites under rehabilitation in four governorates: Aden, Hadhramaut, Al-Mahra, and Taiz.

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