

Project title : KARIPS - Prospective study on IPS' shea production investment project

Project place	Project cost	Role in the project	Technical and financial sponsors	Dates
Kenya	4 000 €	Shea expertise	IPS - Industrial Promotion Services (Kenya), AKDN - Aga Khan Foundation	September 2015 - December 2015

Project's goals and results

Main goals

Study requested by Industrial Promotion Services (IPS): "Overview and prospective study for the evaluation of IPS investment project in shea butter production"

Specific objectives

IPS needs to build on this study to refine its shea production investment project

Beneficiaries

The IPS company, the Aga Khan Foundation, shea producers and future employees

Results

** R1. ** Writing of a study that includes a description and a list of all stakeholders of the shea market in the food, cosmetics and pharmaceutical sectors, in different regions of the world (Europe, Asia, United States)

Activities

- ** A1. ** Description of the different levels of actors (traders, intermediaries...)
- ** A2. ** Description of the main market players
- ** A3. ** Supply locations and methods
- ** A4. ** Annual market tonnage
- ** A5. ** Technologies used at different stages of transformation
- ** A6. ** Current butter selling prices to intermediaries and producers