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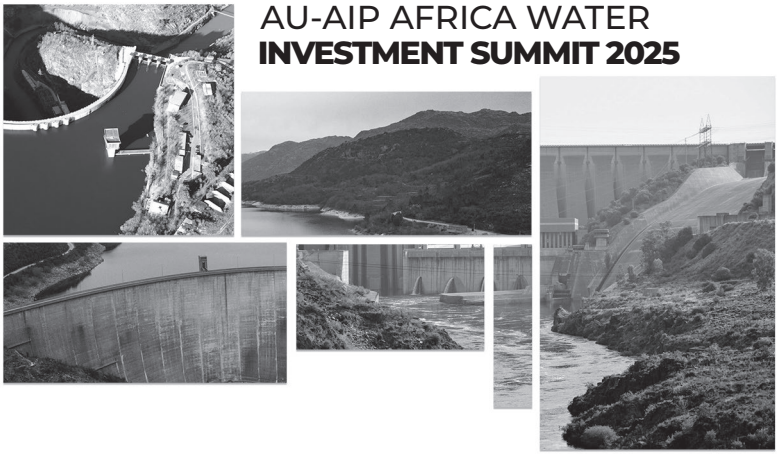

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A WORD FROM THE MINISTER

Mr Laurent TCHAGBA
Minister of Water and Forests

On the Occasion of the African Water Investment Summit

It is with great honor and profound joy that I speak, on behalf of the Republic of Côte d'Ivoire, at this African Summit dedicated to investments in the water sector.

On this occasion, I would like to convey the sincere thanks of His Excellency Alassane Ouattara, President of the Republic of Côte d'Ivoire, as well as those of the Government and people of Côte d'Ivoire, to the African Union Commission and the Government of the Republic of South Africa for the invitation extended to us and for the warm welcome extended to our delegation.

We also thank the organizers of this summit for the quality of their preparation and the arrangements made to ensure the smooth running of these meetings.

Water, a Strategic Priority

Water is a central priority of the Ivorian Government. It is one of seven of the eleven «super accelerators» identified in our National Development Plan (NDP). Despite a relative abundance of water resources, Côte d'Ivoire faces growing water insecurity, both in terms of access and quality.

Faced with this challenge, our country has adopted Integrated Water Resources Management (IWRM) as a fundamental pillar of its sector governance policy. This inclusive approach is based on cooperation, active participation, and partnership between all stakeholders—public, private, community, and international.

Progress, but persistent challenges

Côte d'Ivoire performs above the regional average in terms of water services. However, we are still far from achieving the universal goals set for 2030, particularly with regard to equitable access and quality of services.

This is why this summit represents a valuable opportunity for us: to mobilize the necessary investments to transform our ambition into reality.

Call to Investors

Dear investors, Côte d'Ivoire extends its hand to you. Our country is a land of opportunity, a land of growth, a land of the future. We invite you to discover a favorable investment environment, supported by a clear vision, ambitious reforms, and strong political will.

In Côte d'Ivoire, you will not be just partners: you will be at home.

MINISTER OF WATER AND FORESTS

Laurent Tchagba

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REHABILITATION OF FOURTEEN (14) MULTI-PURPOSE RESERVOIRS

Ministry of Water and Forests
of the Republic of Côte d'Ivoire

PRESENTATION - SUGGESTION

1. Profile of the project promoter and main partners
2. Project description (overview, stage of development and timeline)
3. Justification of the project or strategic importance
4. Availability of financial, technical, commercial, regulatory and environmental/social analysis
5. Project costs and funding application Investment application

1. PROFILE OF THE PROJECT PROMOTER AND MAIN PARTNERS

CÔTE D'IVOIRE
Niger Basin

STEERING COMMITTEE
Ministry of Water and Forests

IMPLEMENTATION STRUCTURE
Directorate General of Water Resources

SPONSORS AND OTHER STAKEHOLDERS
Technical and Financial Partners (TFPs) in the water sector

2. PROJECT DESCRIPTION (OVERVIEW, STAGE OF DEVELOPMENT AND TIMELINE)

Main objective:
Contribute to meeting the water needs of rural populations, particularly for rice cultivation, market gardening, fish farming and livestock watering.

Climate resilience focus:
Strengthen resilience to climate change in the following key sectors:

Irrigation:
adaptation of pastoral systems
Breeding:
adaptation of pastoral systems
Fish farming:
development of resilient aquaculture practices

Expected results:

- 14 old dams in various states of disrepair have been restored to very good condition.
- The productive activities of local communities are carried out using integrated and sustainable practices.
- Conflicts between water users are minimised thanks to better integration of productive activities.

- *Technical and environmental studies are available.*
- *The project is scheduled to be implemented over a period of five (5) years between 2026 and 2030.*
- *Beneficiaries: Approximately 300,000 inhabitants, 50% of whom are women from the Bagoué, Folon and Worodougou regions.*

3. JUSTIFICATION OF THE PROJECT OR STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE

The project falls within the following strategic and regulatory frameworks:

- National Development Plan (PND 2026–2030) – Pillar 5
- Law No. 2023-902 of 23 November 2023 on the Water Code
- Agricultural, livestock and fisheries policy letters
- The six (6) aspirations of Agenda 2063, in particular 1, 2 and 4
- The SDGs 2030, in particular SDG 1 and 6

The long-term positive impacts of the project are:

- Improved incomes and reduced poverty → Especially for vulnerable groups (women, young people, small-scale producers)
- Strengthened resilience → Of populations and ecosystems in the face of climate change
- Reduced greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions → Through the adoption of sustainable and environmentally friendly agricultural practices
- Sedentarisation of transhumant herders → Through better structuring of rural areas
- Strengthened social peace → Through a reduction in water-related conflicts

4. AVAILABILITY OF FINANCIAL, TECHNICAL, COMMERCIAL, REGULATORY, AND ENVIRONMENTAL/ SOCIAL ANALYSIS

- Technical, economic and environmental studies are available;
- The project's profitability has been confirmed and estimated at 15% (evaluation report of the national part of the PIDACC) – a satisfactory level for a project with a strong socio-economic impact (employment and rural incomes);
- Environmental and social safeguards have been defined;
- An Environmental and Social Management Plan (ESMP) is available.

The next steps for the project are:

5. PROJECT COSTS AND FUNDING APPLICATION INVESTMENT APPLICATION

Total project cost:
12 million USD

100% Funding to be sought

Funding Application:

		% State	% Loan
Component 1	Water reservoir rehabilitation		100%
Component 2	Institutional support		100%
Component 3	Project management	50%	50%

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KUBAN HYDROAGRICULTURAL DAM CONSTRUCTION PROJECT

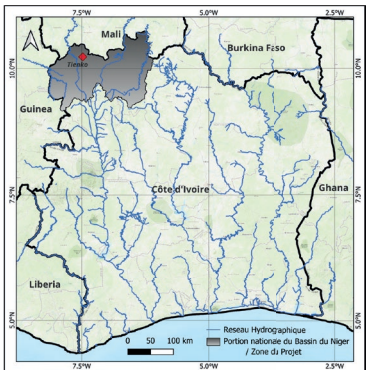
Ministry of Water and Forests
of the Republic of Côte d'Ivoire

PRESENTATION - SUGGESTION

1. Profile of the project promoter and main partners
2. Project description (overview, stage of development and timeline)
3. Justification of the project or strategic importance
4. Availability of financial, technical, commercial, regulatory and environmental/social analysis
5. Project costs and funding application Investment application

1. PROFILE OF THE PROJECT PROMOTER AND MAIN PARTNERS

COTE D'IVOIRE
Niger Basin in Tienko



STEERING COMMITTEE
Ministry of Water and Forests

IMPLEMENTATION STRUCTURE
Directorate General of Water Resources

SPONSORS AND OTHER STAKEHOLDERS
Technical and Financial Partners (TFPs) in the water sector

2. PROJECT DESCRIPTION (OVERVIEW, STAGE OF DEVELOPMENT AND TIMELINE)

Main objective:
Contribute to the intensification of irrigated rice cultivation with a view to ensuring food self-sufficiency and improving the conditions of riverside populations through optimal water management.

Climate resilience focus:
Strengthening the resilience of ecosystems and communities through:

Irrigation :
sustainable agricultural water management (rice farming, market gardening)

Water resources:
Better integrated management to limit conflicts and secure access during dry periods.

Sustainable agriculture:
Agricultural practices adapted to climate change

Expected results:

- A hydro-agricultural dam is built, allowing for the mobilisation of 3 million m3
- The development of water resources leads to a significant additional production of 600 tonnes of paddy rice and 200 tonnes of market garden produce.

- *Technical and environmental studies are available.*
- *The project is scheduled to be carried out over a period of twenty (20) months between 2026 and 2027.*
- *Beneficiaries: Approximately 40,000 inhabitants, 50% of whom are women, from the sub-prefecture of Tienko, Minignan Department, Folon Region.*

3. JUSTIFICATION OF THE PROJECT OR STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE

The project falls within the following strategic and regulatory frameworks:

- National Development Plan (PND 2026–2030) – Pillar 5
- Law No. 2023-902 of 23 November 2023 on the Water Code
- National Rice Development Strategy (SNDR)
- The six (6) aspirations of Agenda 2063, in particular 1, 2 and 4
- The SDGs 2030, in particular SDG 1 and 6

The long-term positive impacts of the project are:

- Improved incomes and reduced poverty → Especially for vulnerable groups (women, young people, small-scale producers)
- Strengthened resilience → Of populations and ecosystems in the face of climate change
- Reduction in greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions → Through the adoption of sustainable and environmentally friendly agricultural practices
- Reduced pressure on natural resources → Combating poaching, deforestation and soil overexploitation
- Savings and better management of agricultural water → Through efficient irrigation and water-saving agricultural techniques

4. AVAILABILITY OF FINANCIAL, TECHNICAL, COMMERCIAL, REGULATORY, AND ENVIRONMENTAL/ SOCIAL ANALYSIS

- Technical, economic and environmental studies are available;
- The project's profitability has been confirmed and estimated at 15% (evaluation report of the national part of the PIDACC) – a satisfactory level for a project with a significant socio-economic impact (employment and rural income);
- Environmental and social safeguards have been defined;
- An Environmental and Social Management Plan (ESMP) is available.

The next steps for implementing the project are:

5. PROJECT COSTS AND FUNDING APPLICATION INVESTMENT APPLICATION

Total project cost:
5 million USD

100% Funding to be sought

Funding Application:

		% State	% Loan
Component 1	Construction of the dam and hydro-agricultural development		100%
Component 2	Capacity building for farmers: Dissemination of appropriate technical guidelines and water-saving techniques, facilitation of access to credit		100%
Component 3	Project management	50%	50%

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MULTIPURPOSE RAW WATER MOBILISATION PROJECT

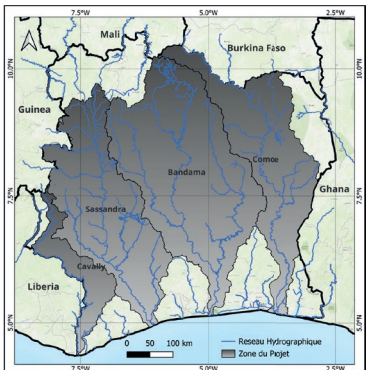
Ministry of Water and Forests
of the Republic of Côte d'Ivoire

PRESENTATION - SUGGESTION

1. Profile of the project promoter and main partners
2. Project description (overview, stage of development and timeline)
3. Justification of the project or strategic importance
4. Availability of financial, technical, commercial, regulatory and environmental/social analysis
5. Project costs and funding application Investment application

1. PROFILE OF THE PROJECT PROMOTER AND MAIN PARTNERS

COTE D'IVOIRE
Bassins Cavally, Sassandra, Bandama, Comoé



STEERING COMMITTEE
Ministry of Water and Forests

IMPLEMENTATION STRUCTURE
Directorate General of Water Resources (DGRE) & National Office for Drinking Water (ONEP)

SPONSORS AND OTHER STAKEHOLDERS
Technical and Financial Partners (TFPs) in the water sector

2. PROJECT DESCRIPTION (OVERVIEW, STAGE OF DEVELOPMENT AND TIMELINE)

Main objective:
Contribute to securing water resources for drinking water supply and other uses from seven water retention structures in localities in Côte d'Ivoire.

Climate resilience focus:
Strengthening the resilience of ecosystems and communities through:
Water resources:
Sustainable security of access to drinking water and multiple uses
Local governance :
Capacity building for collaborative and resilient water resource management

Expected results:

- The rehabilitation and protection of the seven dams have been carried out in accordance with best practices.
- Raw water for drinking water is available.
- Development of 700 ha for hydro-agriculture, creation of seven aquaculture farms (10 ponds each) and nine functional watering holes.
- The rehabilitated dams are managed sustainably by Local IWRM Committees.
- Conflicts between water users are minimised thanks to better integration of productive activities and AGRs for the benefit of rural women.

- *The project is scheduled to be implemented over a period of five (05) years between 2026 and 2030.*
- *Beneficiaries: Local communities (including women and young people) living near the Agnibilékrou, Yamoussoukro (Kongolo), Dimbokro (weir), M'Batto, Daloa (weir), Lakota (dam) and Lakota (weir) dams.*

3. JUSTIFICATION OF THE PROJECT OR STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE

The project falls within the following strategic and regulatory frameworks:

- National Development Plan (PND 2026–2030) – Pillar 5
- Law No. 2023-902 of 23 November 2023 on the Water Code
- AEPA 2024 integrated policy and strategy letter
- Agricultural, Livestock and Fisheries Policy Letters
- The six (6) aspirations of Agenda 2063, in particular 1, 2 and 4
- The SDGs 2030, in particular SDG 1 and 6

The long-term positive impacts of the project are:

- Secure access to drinking water → In areas subject to high water stress
- Improved resilience → Of populations and ecosystems to the effects of climate change
- Reduced GHG emissions → Through the adoption of sustainable and environmentally friendly agricultural practices
- Strengthened governance through IWRM → Dialogue, consultation and planning between water managers and users
- Sustainable and inclusive economic development → Transformation of developments into long-term viable economic zones

4. AVAILABILITY OF FINANCIAL, TECHNICAL, COMMERCIAL, REGULATORY, AND ENVIRONMENTAL/ SOCIAL ANALYSIS

- Technical, economic and environmental studies are available;
- The project's profitability has been confirmed and estimated at 12% (PASEA Project Assessment Document – Water Retention for Drinking Water Supply Component) – a satisfactory level for an IWRM project and for the mobilisation and development of water resources;
- Environmental and social safeguards have been defined;
- An Environmental and Social Management Plan (ESMP) is available.

The next steps for the project are:

5. PROJECT COSTS AND FUNDING APPLICATION INVESTMENT APPLICATION

Total project cost:
65 million USD

100% Funding to be sought

Funding Application:

		% State	% Loan
Component 1	Rehabilitation and protection of dams		100%
Component 2	Development of systems for the productive use of water and Income-Generating Activities (IGAs)		100%
Component 3	Project management	50%	50%
Component 4	Institutional development		100%

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PILOT PROGRAMME FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF IWRM IN THE BANDAMA BASIN

Ministry of Water and Forests
of the Republic of Côte d'Ivoire

PRESENTATION - SUGGESTION

1. Profile of the project promoter and main partners
2. Project description (overview, stage of development and timeline)
3. Justification of the project or strategic importance
4. Availability of financial, technical, commercial, regulatory and environmental/social analysis
5. Project costs and funding application Investment application

1. PROFILE OF THE PROJECT PROMOTER AND MAIN PARTNERS

COTE D'IVOIRE
Bandama Basin

STEERING COMMITTEE
Ministry of Water and Forests

IMPLEMENTATION STRUCTURE
Directorate General of Water Resources (DGRE), in collaboration with MINHAS and ONEP

SPONSORS AND OTHER STAKEHOLDERS
Technical and Financial Partners (TFPs) in the water sector

2. PROJECT DESCRIPTION (OVERVIEW, STAGE OF DEVELOPMENT AND TIMELINE)

Main objective:
Ensure integrated, sustainable, equitable and participatory management of water resources to support the needs of populations, protect ecosystems and strengthen climate resilience in the Bandama Basin.

Climate resilience focus:
Strengthening the resilience of infrastructure and communities through:
Sustainable water resource management:
Improving water availability and access for all;
Adaptation of water infrastructure:
Rehabilitation and protection of structures;
Strengthened local governance:
Supporting local stakeholders for inclusive and collaborative management.

Expected results:

- A river monitoring system is operational (drones, zodiacs, equipment, enhanced training)
- Rehabilitation/raising of four dams (10 million m^3) for the mobilisation of water for multiple uses
- Creation of four recharge thresholds and construction of eight kilometres of dykes to enhance the availability and protection of water resources
- Establishment and operationalisation of four Local Water and Sanitation Committees (CLEA)

- *The project is scheduled to run for six (6) years between 2027 and 2032.*
- *Beneficiaries: 6.18 million people (≈21% of the national population), 50% of whom are women and 45% of whom live below the poverty line.*

3. JUSTIFICATION OF THE PROJECT OR STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE

The project falls within the following strategic and regulatory frameworks:

- National Development Plan (NDP 2026–2030) – Pillar 5
- Law No. 2023-902 of 23 November 2023 on the Water Code
- Strategic plan for water security for all uses
- National plan for dam management, maintenance and upkeep
- The 0DD 2030, in particular 0DD 1 and 6

The long-term positive impacts of the project are:

- Institutional anchoring → The protection of hydraulic structures and facilities is enshrined in the Water Code, and the new national water policy is effective.
- Strengthened governance → IWRM provides a sustainable framework for dialogue, consultation and planning between resource managers and users.

4. AVAILABILITY OF FINANCIAL, TECHNICAL, COMMERCIAL, REGULATORY, AND ENVIRONMENTAL/ SOCIAL ANALYSIS

- The Master Plan Studies and the Strategic Environmental and Social Assessment (SESA) and environmental assessments are available;
- The project's profitability has been confirmed and estimated at 14% (PASEA Project Assessment Document) – a satisfactory level for an IWRM project and for the mobilisation and development of water resources;
- the Strategic Environmental and Social Assessment (SESA) and environmental assessments are available.

The next steps for the project are:

5. PROJECT COSTS AND FUNDING APPLICATION INVESTMENT APPLICATION

Total project cost:
80 million USD

100% Funding to be sought

Funding Application:

		% State	% Loan
Component 1	Implementation of the monitoring system		100%
Component 2	Construction of water resource mobilisation and protection structures (dams, recharge weirs, protective dykes)		100%
Component 3	Institutional development through the establishment of CLEAs		100%
Component 4	Project management	50%	50%

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PROJECT TO SUPPORT THE STRENGTHENING OF THE RESILIENCE OF ECOSYSTEMS AND VULNERABLE COMMUNITIES TO CLIMATE CHANGE (PARREC) IN THE NATIONAL PORTION OF THE VOLTA BASIN

Ministry of Water and Forests
of the Republic of Côte d'Ivoire

PRESENTATION - SUGGESTION

1. Profile of the project promoter and main partners
2. Project description (overview, stage of development and timeline)
3. Justification of the project or strategic importance
4. Availability of financial, technical, commercial, regulatory and environmental/social analysis
5. Project costs and funding application Investment application

1. PROFILE OF THE PROJECT PROMOTER AND MAIN PARTNERS

COTE D'IVOIRE
Volta Basin

STEERING COMMITTEE
Ministry of Water and Forests

IMPLEMENTATION STRUCTURE
Directorate General for Water Resources, in collaboration with GTN/ABV/FVC/FEM/FA/IUCN

SPONSORS AND OTHER STAKEHOLDERS
Technical and Financial Partners (TFPs) in the water sector

2. PROJECT DESCRIPTION (OVERVIEW, STAGE OF DEVELOPMENT AND TIMELINE)

Main objective:
Strengthen the resilience of the country's populations, ecosystems, infrastructure and institutions to specific climate risks.

Climate resilience focus:

Improving the resilience of populations and ecosystems to climate change

Supporting the adaptation of populations and the preservation of natural environments

Improving preparedness and response to extreme weather events

Reducing the vulnerability of structures to climate hazards through rehabilitation and safety measures.

Expected results:

- Communities are aware and trained to be resilient in the event of floods and droughts.
- Integrated investments are made to strengthen adaptation to climate change.
- A Community Early Warning System (CEWS) is operational across the target areas.

- *The project is scheduled to be implemented over a period of five (5) years between 2026 and 2030.*
- *Beneficiaries: The populations of the national portion of the Volta Basin: Gontougo and Bounkani regions: 900,000 inhabitants, 50% of whom are women.*

3. JUSTIFICATION OF THE PROJECT OR STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE

The project falls within the following strategic and regulatory frameworks:

- National Development Plan (NDP 2026–2030) – Pillar 5
- Law No. 2023-902 of 23 November 2023 on the Water Code
- Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs) (2022)
- National Climate Change Adaptation Plan of the CI (2020)
- The 0DD 2030, in particular 0DD 1 and 6

The long-term positive impacts of the project are:

- A paradigm shift in water resource protection, incorporating a systemic approach.
- Joint consideration of water quality, availability and access in an integrated approach.
- Reduction of disaster risks (floods, droughts) through better preventive management.
- Stronger link with the natural environment, conducive to sustainable and balanced management of aquatic ecosystems.

4. AVAILABILITY OF FINANCIAL, TECHNICAL, COMMERCIAL, REGULATORY, AND ENVIRONMENTAL/ SOCIAL ANALYSIS

- The available technical and environmental studies;
- The project's profitability has been confirmed and estimated at 15% (similar to the PIDACC project);
- The basic studies are available.

The next steps for the project are:

5. PROJECT COSTS AND FUNDING APPLICATION INVESTMENT APPLICATION

Total project cost:
8 million USD

100% Funding to be sought

Funding Application:

		% State	% Loan
Component 1	Restoration of fragile ecosystems		100%
Component 2	Strengthening community resilience to climate change through training and AGRs		100%
Component 3	Strengthening local governance through the implementation of a water and IWRM information system and local natural disaster management systems		100%
Component 4	Project management	50%	50%

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PROJECT FOR THE PROTECTION OF WATER RESOURCES, DEVELOPMENTS AND HYDRAULIC STRUCTURES IN THE CAVALLY BASIN

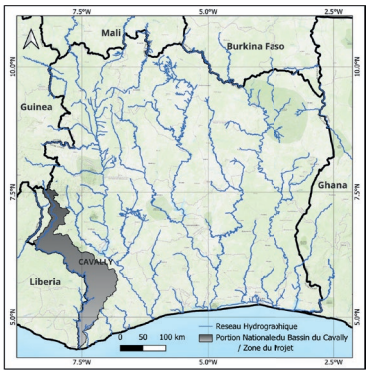
Ministry of Water and Forests
of the Republic of Côte d'Ivoire

PRESENTATION - SUGGESTION

1. Profile of the project promoter and main partners
2. Project description (overview, stage of development and timeline)
3. Justification of the project or strategic importance
4. Availability of financial, technical, commercial, regulatory and environmental/social analysis
5. Project costs and funding application Investment application

1. PROFILE OF THE PROJECT PROMOTER AND MAIN PARTNERS

COTE D'IVOIRE
Cavally Basin



STEERING COMMITTEE
Ministry of Water and Forests

IMPLEMENTATION STRUCTURE
Directorate General of Water Resources, in collaboration with MINHAS/ONEP/research centres

SPONSORS AND OTHER STAKEHOLDERS
Technical and Financial Partners (TFPs) in the water sector

2. PROJECT DESCRIPTION (OVERVIEW, STAGE OF DEVELOPMENT AND TIMELINE)

Main objective:
Ensuring water security through the protection of water resources, infrastructure and hydraulic structures.

Climate resilience focus:
Improving the resilience of infrastructure to climate change.

Strengthening the resilience of water infrastructure to climate hazards.

Sustainable protection of water resources, limiting the effects of droughts and floods.

Integration of IWRM as a tool for participatory adaptation and proactive climate risk management.

Expected results:

- A coherent framework for planning and implementing all watershed protection measures has been developed and approved.
- Measures to demarcate protection areas have been put in place and are operational, ensuring the sustainability of investments.
- CES facilities have been set up and are operational.
- Local communities have been informed and made aware of the importance of protecting water resources and preserving ecosystems.

- *The project is scheduled to be implemented over a period of five (5) years between 2026 and 2030.*
- *Beneficiaries: The population of the national portion of the Cavally Basin, estimated at over 720,000 inhabitants, 50% of whom are women.*

3. JUSTIFICATION OF THE PROJECT OR STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE

The project falls within the following strategic and regulatory frameworks:

- National Development Plan (PND 2026–2030) – Pillar 5
- Law No. 2023-902 of 23 November 2023 on the Water Code
- National plan for dam management, upkeep and maintenance

The long-term positive impacts of the project are:

- Strengthened legal framework: The protection of water resources, facilities and structures becomes a lasting obligation;
- Sustainable and participatory governance: A structured framework for dialogue, consultation and planning between resource managers and user sectors is established, ensuring coordinated and inclusive management.

4. AVAILABILITY OF FINANCIAL, TECHNICAL, COMMERCIAL, REGULATORY, AND ENVIRONMENTAL/ SOCIAL ANALYSIS

- Feasibility and environmental studies available;
- The project's profitability has been confirmed and estimated at 15%;
- Basic studies are available.

The next steps for the project are:

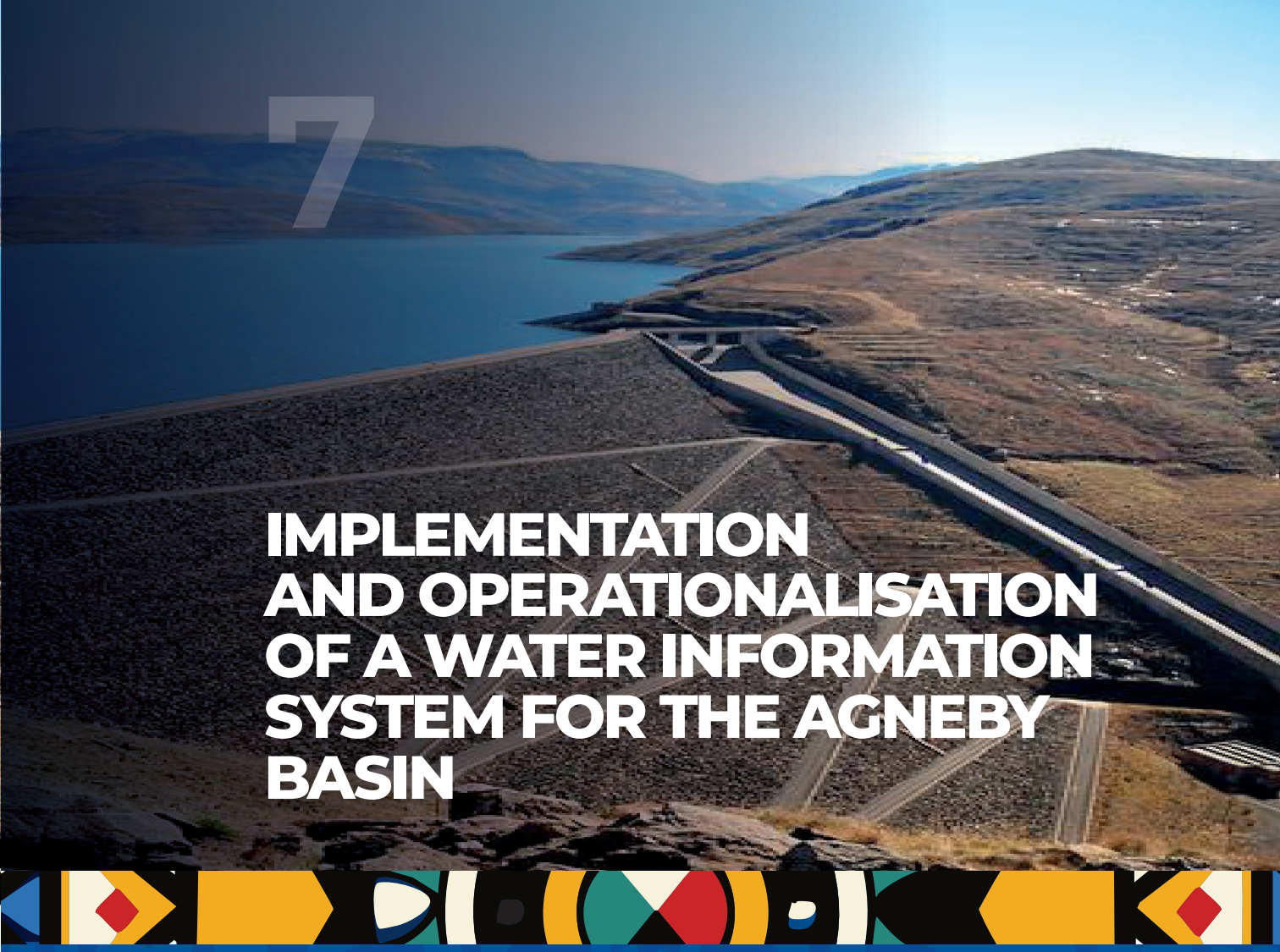
5. PROJECT COSTS AND FUNDING APPLICATION INVESTMENT APPLICATION

Total project cost:
10 million USD

100% Funding to be sought

Funding Application:

		% State	% Loan
Component 1	Implementation of the plan for the protection of water resources, structures and hydraulic developments		100%
Component 2	Implementation of the system for monitoring and combating anthropogenic pressure		100%
Component 3	Capacity building for local communities		100%
Component 4	Project management	50%	50%



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IMPLEMENTATION AND OPERATIONALISATION OF A WATER INFORMATION SYSTEM FOR THE AGNEBY BASIN

Ministry of Water and Forests
of the Republic of Côte d'Ivoire

PRESENTATION - SUGGESTION

1. Profile of the project promoter and main partners
2. Project description (overview, stage of development and timeline)
3. Justification of the project or strategic importance
4. Availability of financial, technical, commercial, regulatory and environmental/social analysis
5. Project costs and funding application Investment application

1. PROFILE OF THE PROJECT PROMOTER AND MAIN PARTNERS

COTE D'IVOIRE
Agnéby Basin

STEERING COMMITTEE
Ministry of Water and Forests

IMPLEMENTATION STRUCTURE
Directorate General of Water Resources, in collaboration with MINHAS

SPONSORS AND OTHER STAKEHOLDERS
Technical and Financial Partners (TFPs) in the water sector

2. PROJECT DESCRIPTION (OVERVIEW, STAGE OF DEVELOPMENT AND TIMELINE)

Main objective:
Provide national and decentralised decision-makers, as well as various water management/user organisations, with an effective information tool on water and IWRM.

Climate resilience focus:
Strengthening institutional resilience to climate change by improving knowledge and hydrological monitoring.

- **Enhanced institutional capacity to anticipate and manage climate impacts on water resources.**
- **Strengthened monitoring of water resources through reliable and up-to-date data.**
- **Integration of climate change into water planning and management strategies.**

Expected results:

- The water and IWRM information system is operational, with controlled administration.
- The water resources database is centralised and shared via a web application.
- Water resources are allocated in an optimal and sustainable manner.
- A staff capacity-building programme has been developed and implemented.

- *The project is scheduled to be implemented over a period of five (5) years between 2026 and 2030.*
- *Beneficiaries: Population of the Agneby watershed estimated at over 800,000 inhabitants, 50% of whom are women.*

3. JUSTIFICATION OF THE PROJECT OR STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE

The project falls within the following strategic and regulatory frameworks:

- National Development Plan (NDP 2026–2030) – Pillar 5
- Law No. 2023-902 of 23 November 2023 on the Water Code
- The 0DD 2030, in particular 0DD 6

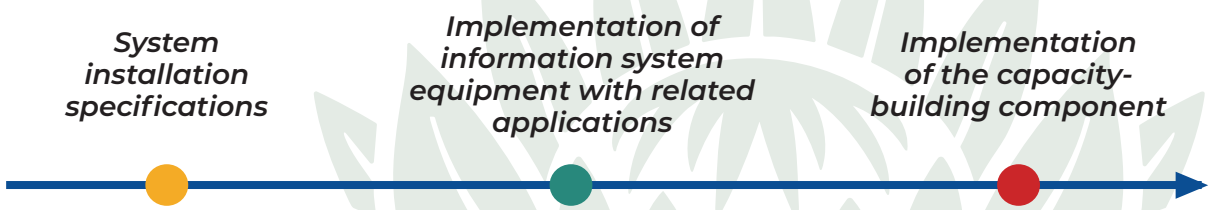
The long-term positive impacts of the project are:

- AI & digital technology for management: → Optimisation of information, allocation and management of water resources through smart technologies.
- Collaborative water governance: → Establishment of a framework for harmonious and shared resource management at all decision-making levels.
- Sustainability of the information system: → Development of data sharing charters to ensure equitable and sustainable access to information.

4. AVAILABILITY OF FINANCIAL, TECHNICAL, COMMERCIAL, REGULATORY, AND ENVIRONMENTAL/ SOCIAL ANALYSIS

- Feasibility and environmental studies are available;
- The project is expected to have a 12% return on investment in terms of its impact on strengthening knowledge and monitoring water resources, thereby contributing to sustainable development;
- Basic studies are available.

The next steps for the project are:



5. PROJECT COSTS AND FUNDING APPLICATION INVESTMENT APPLICATION

Total project cost:
12 million USD

100% Funding to be sought

Funding Application:

		% State	% Loan
Component 1	Implementation and operationalisation of the Water and IWRM information system, including all related applications and systems		100%
Component 2	Capacity building for staff and participating institutions		100%
Component 3	Project management		100%

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PROJECT TO STRENGTHEN THE NATIONAL NETWORK FOR WATER QUALITY OBSERVATION AND MONITORING

Ministry of Water and Forests
of the Republic of Côte d'Ivoire

PRESENTATION - SUGGESTION

1. Profile of the project promoter and main partners
2. Project description (overview, stage of development and timeline)
3. Justification of the project or strategic importance
4. Availability of financial, technical, commercial, regulatory and environmental/social analysis
5. Project costs and funding application Investment application

1. PROFILE OF THE PROJECT PROMOTER AND MAIN PARTNERS

COTE D'IVOIRE

STEERING COMMITTEE
Ministry of Water and Forests

IMPLEMENTATION STRUCTURE
Directorate General for Water Resources, in collaboration with CIAPOL

SPONSORS AND OTHER STAKEHOLDERS
Technical and Financial Partners (TFPs) in the water sector

2. PROJECT DESCRIPTION (OVERVIEW, STAGE OF DEVELOPMENT AND TIMELINE)

Main objective:
Contribute to the sustainable improvement of water resource quality in order to protect public health, preserve aquatic ecosystems and reduce sources of anthropogenic pollution.

Climate resilience focus:
Improving the resilience of populations to climate change by providing access to safe water

- **Strengthening people's resilience to the effects of climate change.**
- **Sustainable access to safe water for all uses.**
- **Reducing vulnerabilities through better management of water resources, both quantitatively and qualitatively.**

Expected results:

- The Central Water Laboratory (LCE) is up and running.
- Pollution indicators have been defined, an early warning system has been established, and regulations governing discharges from ICPEs have been adopted.
- Water quality monitoring is carried out on all six of Côte d'Ivoire's main rivers.

- *The project is scheduled to be implemented over a period of four (4) years between 2027 and 2030.*
- *Beneficiaries: The entire national territory*

3. JUSTIFICATION OF THE PROJECT OR STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE

The project falls within the following strategic and regulatory frameworks:

- National Development Plan (NDP 2026–2030) – Pillar 5
- Law No. 2023-902 of 23 November 2023 on the Water Code
- Strategic Plan for Water Security for All Uses
- The 0DD 2030, in particular 0DD 6

The long-term positive impacts of the project are:

- Sustainable protection of water resources → Continuous monitoring of water quality, in accordance with national standards, consolidated as a right in the 2023 Water Code.
- Integration of quality into water management → Knowledge of water quality becomes a central pillar of management, on a par with quantity.

4. AVAILABILITY OF FINANCIAL, TECHNICAL, COMMERCIAL, REGULATORY, AND ENVIRONMENTAL/ SOCIAL ANALYSIS

- Available identification studies;
- The project's profitability is expected to be 12% in terms of indirect impacts on human health, sanitation, and overall well-being.

The next steps for the project are:

5. PROJECT COSTS AND FUNDING APPLICATION INVESTMENT APPLICATION

Cout total du projet :
18 million USD

100% Funding to be sought

Funding Application:

		% State	% Loan
Component 1	Establishment of the central water laboratory		100%
Component 2	Monitoring water quality in the EBRIE lagoon system		100%
Component 3	Monitoring the water quality of the six main rivers in Côte d'Ivoire		100%
Component 4	Capacity building for mastering water quality monitoring systems		100%
Component 5	Project management	50%	50%

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PROJECT TO ESTABLISH A GROUNDWATER MONITORING NETWORK IN THE FOUR BASINS OF BANDAMA, SASSANDRA COMOÉ AND CAVALLY

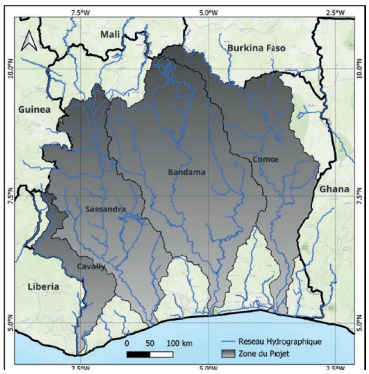
Ministry of Water and Forests
of the Republic of Côte d'Ivoire

PRESENTATION - SUGGESTION

1. Profile of the project promoter and main partners
2. Project description (overview, stage of development and timeline)
3. Justification of the project or strategic importance
4. Availability of financial, technical, commercial, regulatory and environmental/social analysis
5. Project costs and funding application Investment application

1. PROFILE OF THE PROJECT PROMOTER AND MAIN PARTNERS

COTE D'IVOIRE
Cavally, Sassandra, Bandama and Comoé basins



STEERING COMMITTEE
Ministry of Water and Forests

IMPLEMENTATION STRUCTURE
Directorate General of Water Resources, in collaboration with ONEP/CIAPOL/Ministry of Health

SPONSORS AND OTHER STAKEHOLDERS
Technical and Financial Partners (TFPs) in the water sector

2. PROJECT DESCRIPTION (OVERVIEW, STAGE OF DEVELOPMENT AND TIMELINE)

Main objective:
Protect human health, preserve aquatic ecosystems and ensure sustainable management of water resources.

Climate resilience focus:
Improving the resilience of populations to climate change by providing access to safe water

- **Strengthening communities' resilience to the effects of climate change.**
- **Sustainable access to safe water for domestic, agricultural and environmental use.**
- **Reducing vulnerabilities through better water resource management in the context of climate stress.**

Expected results:

- A piezometric network for monitoring water quality has been set up and is operational.
- Water quality analysis methods have been harmonised and aligned with international standards.
- New water analysis laboratories have been installed.
- Technical staff have been trained and are available in sufficient numbers.

- *The project is scheduled to be implemented over a period of two (2) years between 2026 and 2027.*
- *Beneficiaries: Populations in the target basins*

3. JUSTIFICATION OF THE PROJECT OR STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE

The project falls within the following strategic and regulatory frameworks:

- National Development Plan (NDP 2026–2030) – Pillar 5
- Law No. 2023-902 of 23 November 2023 on the Water Code
- Strategic Plan for Water Security for All Uses
- The 0DD 2030, in particular 0DD 6

The long-term positive impacts of the project are:

- Equitable access to water: → Access to high-quality water that complies with current standards is reinforced as a fundamental right in accordance with the Water Code.
- Better knowledge of water quality: → The integration of quality into water resource management becomes central, complementing the quantitative approach.

4. AVAILABILITY OF FINANCIAL, TECHNICAL, COMMERCIAL, REGULATORY, AND ENVIRONMENTAL/ SOCIAL ANALYSIS

- Studies on monitoring available groundwater resources;
- The project's profitability is expected to be 12% in terms of indirect impacts on human health, sanitation, and overall well-being;
- Technical and environmental studies are available.

The next steps for the project are:

1. PROJECT COSTS AND FUNDING APPLICATION INVESTMENT APPLICATION

Cout total du projet :
5 million USD

100% Funding to be sought

Funding Application:

		% State	% Loan
Component 1	Establishment of the basic groundwater monitoring network		100%
Component 2	Installation of four water quality analysis laboratories equipped with appropriate equipment		100%
Component 3	Capacity building training and advisory support for mastering and operating the monitoring system		100%
Component 4	Project management	50%	100%