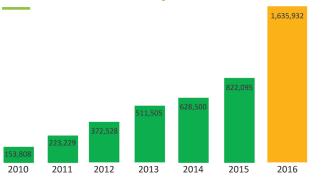
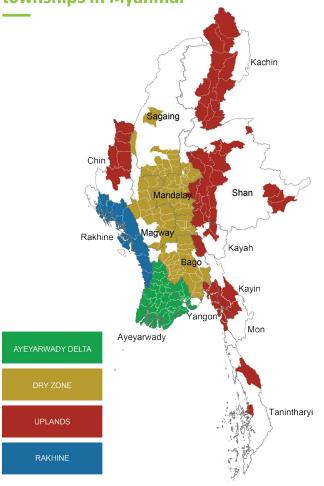


Families Reached by LIFT



LIFT is active in 222 out of 330 townships in Myanmar



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LIFT is managed by **UNOPS**





Livelihoods and Food Security Trust Fund The Livelihoods and Food Security Trust Fund (LIFT) is a multi-donor fund set up in 2010 to improve the lives and prospects of poor and vulnerable people in rural Myanmar.

LIFT targets smallholder farmer families and landless rural poor people, funding projects that help them to raise their incomes, improve their nutrition and food security and live better lives. Our projects provide opportunities for inclusive, sustainable growth, for quality harvests, improved access to credit, machinery and markets, while bolstering people's abilities to cope with setbacks and change.

So far, LIFT has reached over seven million people, roughly 20 per cent of the country's rural population, and is active in over two-thirds of the country's townships.

Overview

- LIFT is a multi-donor trust fund governed by a Donor Consortium, guided by a Fund Board and managed by a Fund Management Office (UNOPS)
- Supported by 14 donors with commitments of USD 430 million
- Funds are pooled for better aid effectiveness
- Established in 2010, the Fund will continue to at least the end of 2018
- LIFT funded 154 projects from 2010 2016.

Selected Results 2010–2016



7.2 million

people reached
by LIFT



491,000 households reported increased incomes



2.1 million

people have increased
their food security by
more than one month



1.6 million (94% of them are women) people are served by LIFT-funded microfinance institutions



434,000
members of civil society took
part in LIFT-funded training



326,000 households have improved diets

LIFT Works To Achieve Four Outcomes

- Increased incomes of rural households
- Increased resilience of poor rural households and communities to shocks, stresses and adverse trends
- Improved nutrition of women, men and children
- Improved policies and effective public expenditure for pro-poor rural development

Our vision is to be a collective and influential voice for innovation and learning, and to provide a platform for enhanced policy engagement on sustainable agriculture, food security and rural development.

Our goal is to sustainably reduce the number of people in Myanmar living in poverty and hunger.

Our purpose is to increase the livelihoods resilience and nutrition of poor people in Myanmar by focusing on interventions that increase income, food availability, utilisation and stability of access to food.