

147 governmental institutions in **9 countries** enhanced their capabilities for the design, implementation and participatory management of public policies, institutional frameworks and tools for the **promotion of inclusive area-based development**

191 institutions in **7 countries** improved their capacity for organization, planning, social management, joint action and political advocacy, through:

- 1 Capacity building processes
- 2 Exchange of experiences and practices
- 3 Area-based (territorial) policy design
- 4 Preparation of area-based plans and tools for participatory management
- 5 Implementation of economic-productive initiatives to expand opportunities for sustainable inclusion of excluded social groups

Support for the preparation of official public policy documents on area-based development and inclusion

2 in **Costa Rica** **1** in **Ecuador**

5 policymaking materials developed for **Costa Rica, Guatemala, Honduras, Guyana and Suriname**

96 economic projects or business plans prepared to support the enterprises and productive efforts of more than **1 400** excluded family farmers

1 450 FAMILIES increased their participation in decision-making processes within coordination and consensus-building bodies for area-based development. These actions included:

- 1 Development of inclusive criteria for the participation of vulnerable groups
- 2 Creation and consolidation of networks, associations and cooperatives for excluded groups

- 3 Support for the preparation of business plans and implementation of business projects
- 4 Training on various topics in response to the specific needs of excluded groups
- 5 Establishment of rural banks and production fairs for family farmers

More than **1 500** people

40% WOMEN **27%** YOUNG PEOPLE

from excluded rural groups in **11 countries** developed their capabilities in the areas of:

- EMPOWERMENT
- LEADERSHIP
- ASSERTIVENESS
- CONFLICT MANAGEMENT
- ASSOCIATIVITY
- POLITICAL ADVOCACY

760 leaders of **98 family farming organizations** in **8 countries** strengthened their organizational and leadership capabilities in:

- Economic organization
- Certification of production and administration of rural banks
- Processing and marketing
- Rural tourism and ecotourism

The Central American countries and the Dominican Republic established a **Regional Network to Support Rural Youth**

In this context, a **Rural Youth Support Plan** was drafted

Implementation of the Strategic Management System for Area-based Development and Family Farming (SiGET),

A hemispheric tool that provides access to systematized information on area-based **development and social inclusion**



501 participants

From more than **60 institutions** in **18 countries** strengthened their social management capabilities for area-based development, through 4 online shared learning modules on area-based family farming systems and a methodology for the social management of development in rural areas

125 TECHNICIANS

From Guatemala, Paraguay and Colombia enhanced their capabilities in social management for development, through their participation in on-site workshops

The Project provided support to **8** Forums for the coordination of local stakeholders in Mexico, Guatemala, Honduras, Costa Rica, the Dominican Republic, Colombia and Brazil