

Since 2001 :

- 120 projects have been led in 8 different countries
- More than 8 000 beneficiaries
- More than 16 000 animals financed
- 35 local structures (associations, cooperatives, mutual fund cooperatives...) have been our partner.



Finance an animal to help people



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Zebunet is a French association under the 1901 law whose main activities is microcredit for livestock farming.

Since 2001 Zebunet support rural development projects thanks to the microcredit directly given by our adherents.

If you wish to submit us a project, please, take a look at our financing conditions below.



Conditions

For every kind of projects : Zebunet's first goal is to help vulnerable rural population in development activities leading to a source of income (familial livestock farming, agriculture, small business...).

In this way, for every project proposition, we ask you to look attentively the financed actions' profitability for the beneficiary people in order to make sure as well as possible, that a real profitability will help them to pay the money back without reducing their level of life.

Moreover, it's very important to have knowledges and competencies to give access to necessary formations to your project (financial management, livestock farming techniques, animal health...) and, if required, available resources to provide these competencies (ex: make a private veterinarian come and check the project if you do not have a veterinarian in your staff).

For a first project / partnership:

- The budget you are asking to Zebunet mustn't be over 5 000 €
- Around 90% of the total asked budget must be constituted of microcredits
- Microcredit can be used for raw materials (animals, seeds...), constructions or materials (shelter, tools...), fodder or dietary supplement, first veterinarian treatments, etc.
- 10% of the required budget can be a subsidy in order to : cover a part of the monitoring budget, finance a formation for the beneficiaries, cover the first veterinarian treatment or buy some food to start the activity, ...

If we agree to finance your project you'll be asked to :

- Provide us reports about the activities and refunding, monthly, quarterly or bi-annual, according to the project.
- You will have 2 months, after the beginning of the project, to send a picture of every beneficiary family with his/ her activity (animals, business, field...) to Zebunet's headquarters.

To send us a project ?

Make sure that your project is connected to our interventions' field, the rural development, and to our financial microcredit model.

Type of projects supported :

- familial livestock farming
- food producing agriculture (cereals, market gardening...)
- potentially small businesses or crafts if it's a way to support the employment in the rural area and if it leads to real economic advantages.

Eligible countries:

- Western Africa : Niger, Togo, Burkina Faso, Mali, Mauritanie
- Madagascar
- Vietnam

For all other countries please contact us before sending your projects' proposition.

First step: contact Zebunet's headquarters

Before sending you projects' proposition please send us your statut, your last balance sheet, your last activity report and your last legal recognition receipt to : coordinateur.zebunet@gmail.com.

Please note : for every projects Zebunet will be paying close attention on :

- The respect of the environments' protection (ex: dealing with the excretion, limit the overgrazing...), and the livestock farming conditions and the animals' respect.
- The women's' place in the assembly and the execution of the projects
- The coherence between the projects and the local development plans
- The agreement of the local authorities (authorisation, moral support, encouragement to the beneficiary families...).

