

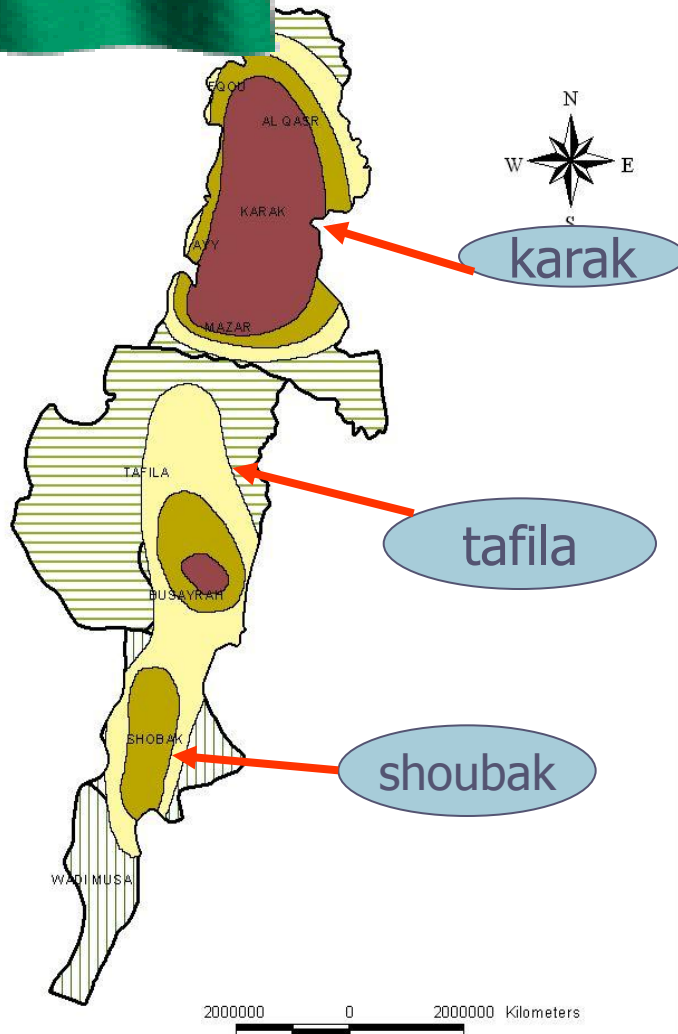


Agricultural Resource
Management Project Phase II
ARMPII

Project area

The project is working in the southern highlands of Jordan at governorates (karak , Tafila, Ma'an) through five field units working with communities in preparing CAP's

We are working in land with slop from 5%-35% and more than 200 ml rainfall.





Project goal

The main objectives for project are to improve food and water security and the income levels of the target group of poor and rural households residing in the project area, by promoting effective use of soil and water resources, and introducing better management practices for their sustainable use .

These would be achieved through:

- (i) providing technical and financial support to construct soil and water conservation measures and improve agricultural production through active participation of communities.
- (ii) promoting sustainable land management practices .
- (iii) promoting rural micro-finance for on- and off-farm activities.
- (iv) strengthening the capacity of existing Project Management Unit (PMU) and the agricultural directorates in the project area.



project financing

The project is financed by IFAD, OPEC, the Government of Jordan (GOJ) and the beneficiaries as in table

Donors	Amount(million \$
IFAD	8,195
OPEC	7,273
GOV.	7.810
GEF	4.566
BEN.	1.724
TOTAL	29.568



Target Groups.

the target group would be the poor men and women within the following three categories:

- (i) small and medium farmers;
- (ii) landless households;
- (iii) other disadvantaged groups.

Each of these groups has little access to support for agricultural development, particularly agricultural credit or other financial facilities that are oriented towards non-agricultural activities.



project approach

The project is working on participatory approach enhancing the participation off :-

- local communities
- NGO's
- building local stakeholder capacity
- effective participation of women



Project component

Agricultural development

Resource management

Community development

Agricultural roads

Rural finance services

Sustainable land management

Positive results