# Mekong Inclusive Growth & Innovation Programme (2017-2020)



MIGIP aimed to develop inclusive growth contributing to job creation and income generation. To achieve this, the programme used Swisscontact's **Inclusive Markets Approach**, and delivered activities through its partners and supported them by strengthening their business model to be more inclusive and perform market functions effectively.

MIGIP focuses on enterprise development in the agriculture and tourism sectors.



#### Agriculture

To increase production through sustainable intensification and to increase the competitiveness of agriculture sector, the use of improved technology and techniques are necessary. Hence, MIGIP supported the promotion of existing and new technologies giving special emphasis to sustainable agriculture through the following intervention areas:



increase efficiency of service provision



promote the adoption of agriculture technology



improve the quality of crops



enhance commercial orientation of agriculture technologies

### Tourism

To increase the competitiveness of the tourism sector, MIGIP focuses on strengthening destination management structure, processes, marketing, and skills through publicprivate partnerships at the subnational level. To achieve this vision in tourism, MIGIP worked in the following intervention areas:



strengthen destination marketing



improve service quality and skills H

strengthen specific visitor flows



enhance destination management structure



## Results at a Glance





tourism-related





students & low-skilled workers trained



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# Key Highlights in Agriculture:



**707 agriculture machineries** sold through 4S model and other marketing efforts



Cambodia Conservation Agriculture and Sustainable Intensification Consortium (CASIC) supported & established by MAFF



17 tons produced, 5 tons sold quantity of cover crop seeds



Agribusiness Machinery Association in Cambodia (AMAC) supported & established



2 commercial consignments of 14 no-till planters imported and commercialised



Microfinance institute with

agriculture company/retailers

linkage created to open market



Locally-manufactured Seed Broadcaster sale increased by 250%



Tractors sale to service providers through 4S increased by 150%

"Swisscontact helped us in creating logo, marketing, deploying field agent to different districts to attract more farmers to buy our locally-manufactured products. We gained more trust among local farmers because of our branding effort," Mr. Tiv Noeurn, Owner, Noeurn's Agriculture Machinery Workshop



# Key Highlights in Tourism:



#### Technical Tourism Industry Working Group (TTIWG)

a public-private partnership platform established



Kampot Tourist Information Center improved with marketing materials & trained staff



4 Visitor Flows developed and promoted for destination marketing



5-year Kampot Tourism Marketing Strategic Plan developed and published



**118 hospitality enterprises** participated in HoKa, and improved services and income

**294 hospitality workers** trained by HoKa and certified, and they trained 488 staffs



5 tour products developed and offered in the market by local tour operators



**71 industry professionals** trained as national trainer and certified by Ministry of Tourism



"Swisscontact had been momentous in Kampot tourism development in the past years. One of the major achievements was the development of Kampot Tourism Marketing Strategic Plan. We also established Technical Tourism Industry Working Group (TTIWG), the first working group of its kind in Cambodia," **Mr. Say Sinol, Director, Kampot Department of Tourism** 



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