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Promoting Quality Timber Production in Smallholders and Community-based Teak and Other Valuable Species Plantations in the Tropics (PP-A/54-331A)



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Output 1: High-Quality Planting Material Production

Activity 1.1: Teak seedlings from improved provenances



- ☐ 4,646 teak seeds collected from 4 provenances (India, Perlis, Taliwas, Luasong)
- ☐ Germination in greenhouse & germinators
2000 seedlings produced ($\approx 50\%$ germination rate)
- ☐ Gradual transplanting and nursery establishment



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Activity 1.2: Clonal propagation (cuttings)



- ☐ Cuttings collected from Selected Plus trees at Avétonou
- ☐ Hormonal treatment and controlled substrate rooting
- ☐ Vigorous shoots within 4-5 weeks, transplantation in nursery



One month-old sprout



Hormonal treatment of cuttings

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Activity 1.3: Field training on seeds production and nursery techniques
14-18 July 2025 at Asrama



Output 2: Demonstration plots & Phenological Monitoring

Demonstration plots monitored

Ativémé: teak + *Khaya senegalensis*

Zogbépimé: teak provenance comparative trial,
Pterocarpus, *Khaya* spp.

Activities:

- ❑ Measurement of height, DBH, general health (regular annual measurement since 2016)
- ❑ Identification of parasitic mistletoes (Loranthaceae) in Togolese teak plantation (ongoing Master study)
- ❑ Potential for adding value to thinning products in two regions of Togo(ongoing Master study)



Output 3: Socioeconomic & Financial Component

Stakeholder mapping completed

Smallholders from 3 districts: Zio, Bas-Mono, Yoto
Microfinance institutions, Wood processors
Traders, Producer associations, NGOs
Research institutions (CRCC, ITRA, ODEF...)

Capacity building underway

Online workshops (methodology, questionnaires, data collection)

Preparation for surveys and focus groups with at least 30 growers

	PG	AsC	AsP	MC
PG	—	R _G	PG	Π _C
AsC	R _G	—	AsC	Mc
AsP	P _G	As	—	Π _C
MC	Π _C	Mc	Mc	—
	McG	R _G =4	As=2	Π _C =0

Clear classification of financial mechanisms by Kouvé planters
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