



**Intra-ACP Agriculture Policy Programme (APP)
with a focus on the Caribbean and Pacific Regions**

Caribbean Action



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PROJECT SUMMARY

- 1.1 Financing Agreement: N° REG/FED/022-744 signed on 26 January, 2012
- 1.2 Contribution Agreement: EDF/2012/310/015 15 March 2013
- 1.3 Title of the Action: “Caribbean Action under the Programme entitled Agriculture Policy Programme (APP) with focus on the Caribbean and Pacific”
- 1.4 Contract Amount: € 8,600,000
- 1.5 Implementation Period: Start date April 1st 2013 ; Date of the Action: December 31st 2016
- 1.6 Executing Agency: Inter-American Institute for Cooperation on Agriculture (IICA)
- 1.7 Responsible EU Delegation: EU Guyana Delegation
- 1.8 Overall Objective: The overall objective of the Action is to contribute to enhance the regional (Caribbean and Pacific) and interregional capabilities of the agricultural sectors in eradicating poverty.
- 1.9 Target country (ies) or region (s): Fifteen (15) CARIFORUM Countries: Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Grenada, Guyana, Haiti, Jamaica, St. Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, St. Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname, and Trinidad and Tobago.
- 1.10 Name of Beneficiary (ies) and affiliated entity (ies): CARIFORUM Directorate
- 1.11 Implementing Partners:
 - 1.11.1 CARICOM Secretariat (CCS)
 - 1.11.2 Caribbean Agricultural Research and Development Institute (CARDI)
- 1.12 Final beneficiaries and/or target groups (if different including women and youth):
 - (i) Small producers/Entrepreneurs (including MSMEs) in the Caribbean, particularly those organized associations and networks, including but not limited to CaFAN, CABA, CANROP, CAFY to enhance their technical and managerial capacities;
 - (ii) Policy advisors, technicians, and Extension Services in the Ministries of Agriculture and producer organizations in CARIFORUM to enhance capacity for creating the enabling policy environment for small producers.
 - (iii) Regional Agricultural Development Institutions, including, but not limited to CARICOM, CARDI, UWI, IICA to strengthen capacity for delivering support services to small producers and processors.

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ASSIGNMENT	VALUE OF ASSIGNMENT (EUROS €)	DURATION	CONSULTANT	NATIONALITY
National Expert Consultant: Market Research	15,538	January 29, 2015 - April 23, 2015	Vassel Stewart	Jamaica
Technical Cooperation between CARDI and The Dominican Institute for Agriculture and Forestry Research (IDIAF) to Implement Component Two of the APP In-Country	36,422	February 2015 - December 31, 2016	The Dominican Institute for Agriculture and Forestry Research (Instituto Dominicano de Investigaciones Agropecuarias Y Forestales, IDIAF)	Dominican Republic
National Senior Consultant: Value Chain Finance	22,758	March 13, 2015 to June 15, 2015	Basil Springer	Barbados
Technical Cooperation between CARDI and the National Agricultural Research and Extension Institute (NAREI) to Implement Component Two of the APP In-Country	32,598	April 01, 2015 - December 31, 2016	National Agricultural Research and Extension Institute (NAREI)	Guyana
Assessment of the Adequacy of Market Infrastructure with Specific Focus on the Needs of Small Farmers	23,534	April 01, 2015 - September 30, 2015	Lennox Sealy	Trinidad and Tobago
Delivery of the Technical Programme of the APP Component 1	23,519	April 15, 2015 - December 14, 2015	Taryn De Mendonca	Guyana
Creation and Operation of the Division of Inspection and certification for Organic Production in the Dominican Republic	15,303	April 27, 2015 - September 10, 2015	Aina Maria Calafat Rogers	Dominican Republic

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Technical Cooperation between CARDI and the Guyana Livestock Development Authority (GLDA) to Implement Component Two of the APP In-Country	29,222	April 29, 2015 - December 31, 2016	Guyana Livestock Development Authority (GLDA)	Guyana
Elaboration of a Regional Public Policy Framework for the Cassava Industry in the Caribbean	23,268	May 1 2015 - August 31, 2015	Vassel Stewart	Jamaica
Enhancing the Caribbean Agribusiness Information Platform with Specific Focus on the Needs of Small Farmers	23,150	May 1, 2015 - February 29 2016	Mark Ernest	Guyana
Technical cooperation between CARDI and BAMSI to Implement Component Two of the APP in Bahamas	39,995	June 31, 2015 - December 31, 2016	Bahamas Agriculture and Marine Institute (BAMSI)	Bahamas
Technical cooperation between CARDI and CELOS to Implementation of Component Two of the APP in country	34,785	October 31, 2015 - December 31, 2016	Centre of Agricultural Research in Suriname (CELOS)	Suriname
Regional Policy Framework and Coordinating Mechanism for the Herbs and Spices Industry in select CARIFORUM Member States	20,403	November 23, 2015 - August 22, 2016	Andre Gordon	Jamaica
Delivery of the Technical Programme of the APP Component 2	35,706	December 1, 2015 to December 31s, 2016	Richard Rampersaud	Trinidad and Tobago
A well-populated and promoted Caribbean Agri-business Platform which provides up to date and relevant information to facilitate the activities of all CARICOM agricultural/Agri-business stakeholders.	21,188	December 10, 2015 - September 9, 2016	Heather Barker	Barbados

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Delivery of the Technical Programme of the APP Component 1	33,806	December 16, 2015 -November 30, 2016	Taryn De Mendonca	Guyana
Delivery of the Technical Programme of the APP Component 3	33,967	December 2, 2015 - November 30, 2016	Kathleen Blackman	Trinidad and Tobago