

Donor country Finland			
Project/programme title Post-Emergency Reconstruction Programme in the Field of Meteorology			
Purpose To reconstruct and rehabilitate the Meteorological Institute of Mozambique			
Recipient country Mozambique	Sector Meteorology/mitigation	Total funding EUR 4,200,000	Years in operation 2000–2006
<p>Description</p> <p>After the most devastating floods in the history of Mozambique, the Finnish Government pledged EUR 4.2 million for the reconstruction programme of the Meteorological Institute of Mozambique (INAM). After the reconstruction a new project was established to rehabilitate the institute to serve the needs of society better.</p> <p>The assistance was implemented in two phases: 1) an instant rebuilding of some lost observation facilities in 2001 and 2) a larger project (FINAM) with technical assistance and a significant amount of new equipment in 2002–2006. The project produced significant results leaving the national meteorological service much better prepared for future challenges.</p> <p>The overall aim of FINAM was to decrease the vulnerability of Mozambican society to adverse weather, climate variability and global change by improving the working capacity of INAM. The enhanced capacities of INAM will improve the country's disaster management system and thus help avoid future casualties and support the sustainable development of Mozambican society. As a result of the project the national meteorological service is much better prepared for future challenges.</p>			
Indicate factors that led to project's success			
Technology transferred			
Impact on greenhouse gas emissions/sinks			