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## Kuwait Fund for Arab Economic Development

The establishment of Kuwait Fund for Arab Economic Development in 1961 was an inspired decision reflecting the wisdom and great enlightenment of the political leadership of the State of Kuwait for supporting developing countries in their efforts to achieve economic and social development.

The Fund's operations were confined to Arab countries up to mid 1974 when the law of the Fund was amended and its capital was increased from KD 200 million to KD 1,000 million (about US\$ 3,400 million), with the scope of operations extended to include in addition to Arab countries other developing countries.


Later in 1981, the Law of the Fund was further amended to increase the Fund's capital from KD 1,000 million to KD 2,000 (about US\$ 6,800 million) in response to the increasing requests for funding projects and the rise in the cost of development operations, in general.

The Fund which is the first development institution in the world to be established by a developing country has been active in supporting developing countries in their development efforts over the last 52 years. Over the years, financing projects has been the principal activity of Kuwait Fund. In addition to project lending operations, the Fund also extended technical assistance to help countries and institutions in capacity building to strengthen and accelerate their development efforts. Apart from those activities, the Fund, acting on behalf of the State of Kuwait, also makes contributions to the resources of regional and international financing institutions, and undertake the responsibility of administering grants extended directly by the Government of the State of Kuwait to Arab and other developing states.

Up until 2000, the Fund's operations focused on financing projects in sectors such as agriculture, transport, communication, energy, industry, water and sewerage. In the following years, the Fund activities included also lending to finance projects in the health and education sectors, with the aim of reinforcing the contribution of these and other sectors to the development objectives of recipients, and to help them in their efforts to achieve the targets of the Millennium Development Goals. Total loan commitments at about US\$ 17.6 billion as of June 30, 2014 benefitted 103 countries, including 16 Arab countries, 40 African countries, 19 in East, South Asia and the Pacific, 17 in Central Asia and Europe, and 11 in Latin America and the Caribbean region.

In addition to loans, the Fund provided financing for a variety of technical services aimed at helping recipients to carry out certain activities to facilitate the implementation of development operations. Such services include, among other things, the preparation of project feasibility studies, expert services for assisting in the planning and execution of development projects and programmes, and in training, especially for upgrading the technical skills and capacities of the staff assigned for the management and operation of projects, as deemed necessary during project appraisal. Hence, training was often included as a component of the financed project.

The total net value of technical assistance and grants extended by the Fund reached about US\$ 428 million on June 30, 2014.



Apart from the aid provided directly by the Government and Kuwait Fund to developing countries, the State of Kuwait also makes contributions to the resources of a number of regional and international institutions involved in assisting developing countries in their economic and social development. Over the past years, the Fund made contributions on behalf of the State of Kuwait to the capital and replenishment of resources of some regional and international financing institutions. The cumulative value of committed contributions reached about KD 428 million on June 30, 2014.

In certain circumstances, the Government of the State of Kuwait provides assistance in the form of grants to finance urgently needed projects including schools, hospitals, housing facilities and other social amenities especially in post-conflict situations or where countries faced consequences of natural disasters such as earthquakes, floods, and extreme drought. Such grants are normally administered and supervised by the Fund. All projects financed from the proceeds of government grants are governed by the procedures applicable to Kuwait Fund supported projects, with due consideration to the nature and objectives of the former type of projects.

The total value of grants extended by the government reached around \$ 4490 million on June 30, 2014. The beneficiaries included 16 Arab countries, 20 African countries, two Central Asian and European Countries, 3 South East, Asian and Pacific countries, one country in Latin America and the Caribbean region, and one Institution.

Recognizing the importance of advice and consultation, the Fund has since its inception availed its partners of the advisory services of its professional staff in the field of engineering, economics, finance and law. Over time, they have helped recipient countries in various project cycle activities including, inter alia, advice on the preparation of feasibility studies, conditions of contract and tender documents, selection of consultants, contractors, and suppliers, as well as sharing with them the Fund's experiences and lessons drawn in respect of similar operations. The advisory activities have been a major part of the daily responsibilities, duties, and tasks of the Fund's professional staff.

The Fund's activities are guided by flexible policies, simplified procedures, and transparent practices with the aim of sparing recipients the burden of unduly rigid operational guidelines and directives. The Fund's main concern in applying its policies and lending conditions is to ensure the timely and orderly implementation of projects and the realization of their expected benefits.

Having been involved in development operations over a relatively long period, the Fund has gained considerable experience, with lessons drawn leading to the adoption and the implementation of best practices in executing development projects.

In conjunction with its long standing development efforts, the Fund has over time been able to maintain close cooperation with its various development partners and contribute to the promotion of friendly relations between them and the State of Kuwait.

# PROFILE

Profile As of 30 June 2014	Amount (KD) Million	Amount (U.S \$) Million
Capital	2000	6600
Loans Commitment	5191	17648
Total Disbursements of Loans	4127	14032
Total Repayments of Loans	2445	8315
Amount of Kuwait Fund Grants	114	386
Amount of Technical Assistance	12	41
Amount of Kuwait Government Grants	1270	4319
Number of Loans	862	
Number of Beneficiary Countries (Loans)	103	
Number of Kuwait Fund Grants	200	
Number of Technical Assistance	48	
Number of Kuwait Government Grants	76	
Number of Beneficiary Countries & Institutions (K.F Grants )	96	
Number of Beneficiary Countries & Institutions (Tech. Assistance )	36	
Number of Beneficiary Countries & Institutions (Kuwait Govt. Grants )	43	

## Sectoral Distribution of Funds Loans of West African Countries as of 30 June 2014

Sectors	No. of Loans	Amount K.D (million)	Amount \$ U.S (million)	Percent
Transportation	83	289	981	57 %
Agriculture	19	61	208	12 %
Industry	1	6	20	1 %
Energy	14	55	187	11 %
Water and Sewerage	20	48	163	10 %
Telecom	3	5	18	1 %
Social	7	25	87	5 %
Other	6	17	58	3 %
<b>Total</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>506</b>	<b>1,722</b>	<b>100%</b>

## Sectoral & Geographical Distribution of Loans at 30 June 2014

Countries	No. of countries	No. of Loans	Amount ( K.D. Million)	Amount ( U.S.\$ Million)
Arab Countries	16	328	2,922	9,937
Central, Asia and Europe Countries	17	58	300	1,019
Central, South and East African Countries	21	120	375	1,274
East, South Asia and the Pacific Countries	19	163	959	3,259
Latin America and the Caribbean Countries	11	40	129	437
West African Countries	19	153	506	1,722
<b>Total</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>862</b>	<b>5,191</b>	<b>17,648</b>

### Distribution of Loans as of 30 June 2014

Arab Countries	56.30 %	■
Central Asian and European Countries	5.78 %	■
Central, South and East African Countries	7.22 %	■
South Asian and Pacific Countries	18.47 %	■
Latin American and the Caribbean Countries	2.48 %	■
West African Countries	9.76 %	■



### Sectoral Distribution of Loans as of 30 June 2014

Transportation	35.13 %	■
Energy	26.81 %	■
Agriculture	11.19 %	■
Industry	6.95 %	■
Water & Sewerage	9.65 %	■
Communications	1.95 %	■
Development Bank	2.60 %	■
Social	4.74 %	■
Others	0.99 %	■



# Republic of Benin

Through its loans, The Kuwait Fund has participated in financing different projects in the Republic of Benin since 27/4/1978 by concluding a loan agreement of 7.4 million US dollars for roads-network, support and improvement.



## Facts and Figures

Official Name	: Republic of Benin		
Capital	: Porto-Novo	Area	: 110,620 sq km
Population	: 9,099,922 Persons	Infant mortality rate	: 68 per 1,000 live births
Population growth rate	: 3 %	Literacy	: 42 %
Population density	: 81 Persons per sq km	Gross domestic product Current	: 7.3 billion \$
Life expectancy (Female)	: 58 Year	GDP per capita	: 802 \$
Life expectancy (Male)	: 54 Year	Monetary unit	: Africaine Franc



## Loans

No.	Project Name	Agreement Sign Date	Loan Amt. in KD.	Loan Amt. in U.S \$
1	Roads Rehabilitation	27/04/1978	2,189,640	7,444,777
2	Nangbeto Hydroelectric on the River Mono	17/07/1984	2,456,360	8,351,625
3	The Village and Pastoral Water Supply (Second Phase)	03/11/1988	2,500,000	8,500,000
4	Parakou-Djougou-Natitingou Road	24/10/1989	2,940,000	9,996,000
5	Parakou-Djougou-Natitingou Road	28/06/1995	843,264	2,867,098
6	Supplementary Loan for the Village and Pastoral Water Supply (Secound Phase)	07/12/1995	892,800	3,035,520
7	Savalou-Djougou Road Improvement Project	15/06/1999	2,785,088	9,469,298
8	Come Possotome Zoungbonou Road Project	14/02/2005	2,969,199	10,095,276
9	Coastal protection of the east coast of cotonou project	17/12/2007	3,000,000	10,200,000
10	Kandi - Segbana - Nigeria- border project	16/07/2009	4,000,000	13,600,000
11	Ouidah - Allada Road and pahou-Tori slip Road Improvement Project	17/12/2010	3,700,000	12,580,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>28,276,351</b>	<b>96,139,595</b>

## Grants and Technical Assistance

No.	Project Name	Approval Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	Feasibility Study Re Zagnando Paouignan And The Ouegbo Agbangnizoun Roads	25/12/2013	300,000	1,020,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>300,000</b>	<b>1,020,000</b>

## Government Grants

No.	Project Name	Approval Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	Kuwait Goodwill Fund for the Promotion of Food Security in Islamic Countries	27/10/2008	1,456,805	5,000,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>1,456,805</b>	<b>5,000,000</b>

## Projects Financed by the Fund

- **Ouidah - Allada Road and Pahou - Tori Slip Road Improvement**

The Project aims to support the economic and social Regions of Benin by improving their links with the Capital Cotonou and the remaining regions of the Country in all weather conditions, to improve the exploitation of their agricultural products and reduce its transport cost and time, and to facilitate people's access to markets and social services. The project will also assist in the intergration of the International road network by facilitating and reducing travel distance for transit traffic and reducing congestions in the western entrance to Cotonou.



# Burkina Faso

Since 1983, when the first loan agreement for Fada N'gorma - Niger border was concluded The Kuwait Fund has extended to Burkina faso 15 loans of 170 million US dollars.



## Facts and Figures

Official Name	: Burkina Faso		
Capital	: Ouagadougou	Area	: 273,600 sq km
Population	: 16,967,845 Persons	Infant mortality rate	: 82 per 1,000 live births
Population growth rate	: 3 %	Literacy	: 29 %
Population density	: 62 Persons per sq km	Gross domestic product Current	: 10.4 billion \$
Life expectancy (Female)	: 56 Year	GDP per capita	: 613 \$
Life expectancy (Male)	: 54 Year	Monetary unit	: Africaine Franc



## Loans

No.	Project Name	Agreement Sign Date	Loan Amt. in KD.	Loan Amt. in U.S \$
1	Fada N'gourma - Niger Border Road	04/05/1983	3,305,827	11,239,813
2	Bagre Dam Project for Agriculture and Power Generation	11/01/1989	3,976,440	13,519,898
3	Village and Pastoral Water Supply ( West Africa Economic Community Pr.Ph.II)	11/01/1989	2,500,000	8,500,000
4	Bobo-Orodara-Mali Frontier Road Project	28/06/1993	3,524,763	11,984,193
5	Ouagadougou Water Supply Project	27/06/1997	3,978,441	13,526,698
6	Pa-Dano-Cote D'ivoire Frontier Road Project	01/06/1998	3,700,000	12,580,000
7	Bagre Integrated Rural Development Project	04/02/2000	3,100,000	10,540,000
8	Ouagadougou-Leo-Ghana Border Road Project	23/03/2001	3,698,238	12,574,009
9	Bobo Dioulasso-Dedougou Road Project	29/11/2002	3,600,000	12,240,000
10	Small Irrigation Development Project	24/01/2004	1,154,000	3,923,600
11	Ouagadougou Kongoussi Road Project	01/07/2004	3,600,000	12,240,000
12	Samendeni Dam For Agricultural Development Project	16/01/2007	3,600,000	12,240,000
13	Yegueresso Diebouougou Road and Hamele access at Ghana border Project	18/12/2007	3,600,000	12,240,000
14	Koudougou - Dedougou Road project	09/03/2009	3,500,000	11,900,000
15	Building and Equipping a Regional Hospital Center in Manga City	14/10/2011	3,300,000	11,220,000
16	Ouagadougou Donsin International Airport	11/11/2013	5,800,000	19,720,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>55,937,709</b>	<b>190,188,211</b>

## Government Grants

No.	Project Name	Approval Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	LIPTAKO-Gourma Water Supply Programme (Burkina Faso Project)	12/07/1984	2,137,170	7,369,000
2	Kuwait Goodwill Fund For the Promotion of food security in the islamic Contries	27/10/2008	1,456,805	5,000,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>3,593,975</b>	<b>12,369,000</b>

# Republic of Cameroon

Cameroon has received 7 loans from the Kuwait Fund. the first of which was signed on 15/2/1977 for Song Lolo Hydroelectric Project of 78 million US dollars.



## Facts and Figures

Official Name	: Republic of Cameroon		
Capital	: Yaounde	Area	: 465,400 sq km
Population	: 20,030,362 Persons	Infant mortality rate	: 79 per 1,000 live births
Population growth rate	: 2 %	Literacy	: 71 %
Population density	: 42 Persons per sq km	Gross domestic product Current	: 25.2 billion \$
Life expectancy (Female)	: 53 Year	GDP per capita	: 1.3 \$
Life expectancy (Male)	: 51 Year	Monetary unit	: Africaine Franc



## Loans

No.	Project Name	Agreement Sign Date	Loan Amt. in KD.	Loan Amt. in U.S \$
1	Song Loulo Hydro-Electric	15/02/1977	4,500,000	15,300,000
2	Douala-Yaounda Highway	09/05/1981	3,595,888	12,226,018
3	Song Loulou Hydro-Electric Stage(II)	26/01/1985	2,200,000	7,480,000
4	Ayos-Abong Mbang Road Project	26/11/2001	3,543,998	12,049,592
5	Yaounde-Kribi Road Project (Section 1 Yaounde-Olama)	18/03/2004	3,100,000	10,540,000
6	Sangmelima - Djoum road project	16/02/2011	3,000,000	10,200,000
	The Construction and Equipping of Ekounou Professional Secondary School	13/2/2014	3,000,000	10,200,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>22,939,886</b>	<b>77,995,610</b>

## Projects Financed by the Fund

- **Song Loulo Hydro-Electric**

The Kuwait Fund has contributed \$ 22.8 million US in financing the two stages of the Song loulo Hydro-Electric project. The Project consists of a rockfill dam across the Sanga river, a power house capable of receiving four generators at the present stage, installation of three units of 48 MW each together with the necessary equipments and installations, and transmission lines to connect Song Loulou, Edea, Younde and Doula, as well as the construction of transformer and control stations and the provision of consulting services

- **Sangmelima - Djoum Road**

The Project aims to support the economic and social development and the poverty alleviation programme in the southern and south eastern Regions of Cameroon by improving their links with the Capital Yaounde and the port of Douala and other regions of the Country in all weather conditions, to improve the exploitation of their agricultural products and natural resources and reduce its transport cost and time, and to facilitate people's access to markets and social services. The project will also assist in the regional integration strategy by facilitating people movement and trade exchanges between Cameroon and the Republic of Congo.

# Republic of Cape Verde

With Cape Verde Republic, Kuwait Fund concluded its first loan on 30/8/1983 for the telecommunications project of 3.3 million US dollars. Moreover, Kuwait Fund offered one technical aid for Praia water and sewage feasibility study with a total of 281 thousand US dollars.



## Facts and Figures

Official Name	: Republic of Cape Verde		
Capital	: Praia	Area	: 4,030 sq km
Population	: 500,585 Persons	Infant mortality rate	: 18 per 1,000 live births
Population growth rate	: 1 %	Literacy	: 84 %
Population density	: 124 Persons per sq km	Gross domestic product Current	: 1.9 billion \$
Life expectancy (Female)	: 78 Year	GDP per capita	: 3,798 \$
Life expectancy (Male)	: 70 Year	Monetary unit	: Verdean Escudo



## Loans

No.	Project Name	Agreement Sign Date	Loan Amt. in KD.	Loan Amt. in U.S \$
1	Telecommunications	30/08/1983	965,246	3,281,836
2	Local Telephone Networks	30/06/1993	1,734,445	5,897,114
3	SAL and BOA Vista Potable Water and Sanitation Programme (Phase1)	29/11/1996	2,076,719	7,060,843
4	Sal and Boa Vista Potable water and sanitation Programme (Phase2)	22/01/2004	462,000,000	1,570,800
5	Construction and Rehabilitation of Educational institutions project.	20/07/2009	2,900,000	9,860,000
6	Construction Rehabilitation and Equipping of health building Project	17/11/2013	4,000,000	13,600,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>12,138,410</b>	<b>41,270,593</b>

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## Grants and Technical Assistance

No.	Project Name	Grant Sign Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	Tech. Assist. for Carrying out Studies for Sanitation Project	27/04/1998	82,666	281,066
<b>Total</b>			<b>82,666</b>	<b>281,066</b>

## Government Grants

No.	Project Name	Approval Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	Praia Water Supply and Sewerage	1983/02/20	882,989	3,031,203
<b>Total</b>			<b>882,989</b>	<b>3,031,203</b>

## Projects Financed by the Fund

- **Sal and Boa Vista Potable Water and Sanitation**

The Kuwait Fund has contributed \$ 7 million in financing the Sal and Boa Vista Potable water and sanitation programme project.

The Project aims at satisfying water demand in the islands of Sal and Boa Vista until the turn of the century, together with the treatment and disposal of sewage and solid waste, and to promote tourism in the two islands so as to assist in their economic development.

# Republic of Chad

Kuwait Fund has participated in the development efforts of the Republic of Chad through financing roads and of water supply projects. In 1995, The Kuwait Fund began its activity through financing Abodia-m Taiman project of 8.8 million US dollars. The total loans extended by Kuwait Fund to Chad amount to 41.8 million US dollars in addition to a technical assistance of 50 thousand US dollars in 1975.



## Facts and Figures

Official Name	: Republic of Chad		
Capital	: N'Djamena	Area	: 1,259,200 sq km
Population	: 11,525,496 Persons	Infant mortality rate	: 97 per 1,000 live births
Population growth rate	: 3 %	Literacy	: 34 %
Population density	: 9 Persons per sq km	Gross domestic product Current	: 10.5 billion \$
Life expectancy (Female)	: 51 Year	GDP per capita	: 918 \$
Life expectancy (Male)	: 48 Year	Monetary unit	: Africaine Franc



## Loans

No.	Project Name	Agreement Sign Date	Loan Amt. in KD.	Loan Amt. in U.S \$
1	Abou Deia-Am Timan Road Project	24/02/1995	2,607,685	8,866,127
2	Massaguet - N'goura Road	25/06/1999	3,100,000	10,540,000
3	Village and Pastoral Water Supply in Batha Region	27/06/2001	1,600,000	5,440,000
4	Ngouri - Bol Road	06/03/2013	5,000,000	17,000,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>12,307,685</b>	<b>41,846,127</b>

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## Grants and Technical Assistance

No.	Project Name	Grant Sign Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	F.S.: Extension of Power Supply System & another Project	31/12/1975	14,868	50,552
<b>Total</b>			<b>14,868</b>	<b>50,552</b>

## Government Grants

No.	Project Name	Approval Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	Village and Pastoral Water Supply Programme	25/03/1990	759,933	2,516,000
2	Kuwait Goodwill Fund for the Promotion of Food Security in Islamic Countries	27/10/2008	1,165,444	4,000,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>1,925,376</b>	<b>6,516,000</b>

## Projects Financed by the Fund

- **Ngouri-Bol Road**

The Kuwait Fund has contributed \$ 17 million US in financing the Ngouri - Bol Road Project, The Project aims to enhance the economic and social development of the western region of 'Lac', satisfy the increasing demand for local traffic and promote regional commercial exchanges and opening-up of the area of the north of Lake Chad. The Project will also contribute to the consolidation of regional economic integration by the progressive improvement of the Trans-Saharan road which connects six African countries: Chad, Niger, Nigeria, Mali, Algeria and Tunisia.



# Republic of the Congo

Congo had received 3 loans from the Kuwait Fund the first of which was on 11/12/1976 for a railway realignment project. Total loans received by Congo amounted to about 36 million US dollars.



## Facts and Figures

Official Name	: Republic of the Congo		
Capital	: Brazzaville	Area	: 341,500 sq km
Population	: 4,139,748 Persons	Infant mortality rate	: 64 per 1,000 live births
Population growth rate	: 2 %	Literacy	: 83 %
Population density	: 12 Persons per sq km	Gross domestic product Current	: 14.4 billion \$
Life expectancy (Female)	: 59 Year	GDP per capita	: 3,485 \$
Life expectancy (Male)	: 56 Year	Monetary unit	: Africaine Franc



## Loans

No.	Project Name	Agreement Sign Date	Loan Amt. in KD.	Loan Amt. in U.S \$
1	Railway Realignment	11/12/1976	4,000,000	13,600,000
2	Railway Realignment	05/10/1978	1,000,000	3,400,000
3	Railway Realignment	15/12/1980	5,548,680	18,865,511
<b>Total</b>			<b>10,548,680</b>	<b>35,865,511</b>

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## Projects Financed by the Fund

- **Railway Realignment**

The Kuwait Fund has contributed \$ 36 million US in financing the three stages of the Railway Realignment project. The Project aims at increasing the capacity of the railway line connecting Brazzaville with Pointe-Noire, by the realignment of the line between Fourastie and Loubomo over a distance of about 88 kms. and the strengthening of 18 kms. of the line between Fourastie and Holle.

# Republic of Cote d'Ivoire

In 15/11/1949 Kuwait Fund offered Cote d'Ivoire 3 loans of 41.5 million US dollars. In addition to technical assistance for Fahe and Campement Colonel development of 340 thousand US dollars.



## Facts and Figures

Official Name	: Republic of Cote d'Ivoire		
Capital	: YamoussouKro	Area	: 318,000 sq km
Population	: 20,152,894 Persons	Infant mortality rate	: 81 per 1,000 live births
Population growth rate	: 2 %	Literacy	: 56 %
Population density	: 63 Persons per sq km	Gross domestic product Current	: 24 billion \$
Life expectancy (Female)	: 57 Year	GDP per capita	: 1,195 \$
Life expectancy (Male)	: 54 Year	Monetary unit	: Africaine Franc



## Loans

No.	Project Name	Agreement Sign Date	Loan Amt. in KD.	Loan Amt. in U.S \$
1	The N'zi River Basin Irrigation	10/11/1999	3,100,000	10,540,000
2	Singrobo - Pacobo road project	15/09/2010	3,250,000	11,050,000
3	Bouna-Doropo Burkina Faso Road Project in the Republic of Cote D'ivoire	11/03/2013	5,880,000	19,992,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>12,230,000</b>	<b>41,582,000</b>

## Grants and Technical Assistance

No.	Project Name	Grant Sign Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	T.A. For Agricultural Land Project Fahe-Campement Colonel	06/12/2000	100,000	340,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>100,000</b>	<b>340,000</b>

## Projects Financed by the Fund

### • Bouna-Doropo-Burkina Faso Road Project

The Kuwait Fund has contributed \$19.9 million US in financing the Bouna-Doropo-Burkina Faso Road Project. The project aims to meet the increasing demand for the transport of passengers and goods in the Northern East region of the Republic of Cote d'Ivoire, promoting increasing trade with the neighboring countries, and to contribute to the economic and social development of the project area. The project also aims to reduce vehicle operation and road maintenance costs, and travel time.

### • Singrobo - Pacobo road

The Kuwait fund has contributed \$11,05 million US financing the Singrobo - Pacobo road project, the Project aims to support the economic and social development of the northern and central regions of Cote D'ivoire by improving the link between the Capital Yamoussoukro in the centre and the port and commercial centre in Abidjan in the south, to facilitate and reduce transport cost and travel time of local, regional and international transit traffic, and to improve road safety.

# Republic of Equatorial Guinea

With the Equatorial Guinea, in 18/2/1988 Kuwait Fund has concluded a loan of 3.2 million US dollars. In addition to technical assistance for roads reconstruction of 677 thousand US dollars.



## Facts and Figures

Official Name	: Republic of Equatorial Guinea		
Capital	: Malabo	Area	: 28,050 sq km
Population	: 720,213 Persons	Infant mortality rate	: 80 per 1,000 live births
Population growth rate	: 3 %	Literacy	: 94 %
Population density	: 26 Persons per sq km	Gross domestic product Current	: 19.8 billion \$
Life expectancy (Female)	: 52 Year	GDP per capita	: 27,478 \$
Life expectancy (Male)	: 50 Year	Monetary unit	: Africaine Franc



## Loans

No.	Project Name	Agreement Sign Date	Loan Amt. in KD.	Loan Amt. in U.S \$
1	Bata Airport	18/02/1988	964,658	3,279,836
<b>Total</b>			<b>964,658</b>	<b>3,279,836</b>

## Grants and Technical Assistance

No.	Project Name	Grant Sign Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	F.S.: 160 kms of Roads in the Island of Bioko	05/02/1984	199,174	677,191
<b>Total</b>			<b>199,174</b>	<b>677,191</b>

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## Projects Financed by the Fund

- **Bata Airport**

The Kuwait Fund has contributed \$ 3.3 million US in financing the Bata Airport project.

The aim of the project is to develop the continental part of the country by (a) further facilitating its connection with the capital Malabo which is situated in the Bioko Island, thus further unifying the eographically separated country and (b) improving its economic relations with neighboring countries through direct air traffic with Cameroon, Gabon, etc. The Project also aims at availing air traffic safety in all weather conditions which is not available in the existing airport.

# Republic of Gabon

Since 1999, Kuwait Fund offered The Republic of Gabon one loan to improve the Domestic Airports. Total loans given by Kuwait Fund to Gabon amounted to 15.3 millin US dollars as well as one technical assistance of 459 thousand US dollars.



## Facts and Figures

Official Name	: Republic of Gabon		
Capital	: Libreville	Area	: 257,670 sq km
Population	: 1,534,262 Persons	Infant mortality rate	: 49 per 1,000 live births
Population growth rate	: 2 %	Literacy	: 88 %
Population density	: 6 Persons per sq km	Gross domestic product Current	: 17 billion \$
Life expectancy (Female)	: 64 Year	GDP per capita	: 11,114 \$
Life expectancy (Male)	: 62 Year	Monetary unit	: Africaine Franc



## Loans

No.	Project Name	Agreement Sign Date	Loan Amt. in KD.	Loan Amt. in U.S \$
1	Domestic Airports Improvement	17/06/1999	4,500,000	15,300,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>4,500,000</b>	<b>15,300,000</b>

## Grants and Technical Assistance

No.	Project Name	Grant Sign Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	Three Mosques	25/01/1988	135,000	459,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>135,000</b>	<b>459,000</b>

## Government Grants

No.	Project Name	Approval Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	Two Mosques	27/01/1985	650,000	2,111,417
<b>Total</b>			<b>650,000</b>	<b>2,111,417</b>



# Republic of the Gambia

In 1977 Kuwait Fund initiated its activities in The Gambia with a loan to finance the Soma - Yoroberikunda Road. Co-operation continued until total loans amounted to (11) about 111 million US dollars in total in addition to 3 technical assistance about 1.4 million US dollars.



## Facts and Figures

Official Name	: Republic of the Gambia		
Capital	: Banjul	Area	: 10,000 sq km
Population	: 1,776,103 Persons	Infant mortality rate	: 58 per 1,000 live births
Population growth rate	: 3 %	Literacy	: 50 %
Population density	: 176 Persons per sq km	Gross domestic product Current	: 898 million \$
Life expectancy (Female)	: 60 Year	GDP per capita	: 506 \$
Life expectancy (Male)	: 57 Year	Monetary unit	: Dalasi



## Loans

No.	Project Name	Agreement Sign Date	Loan Amt. in KD.	Loan Amt. in U.S \$
1	Soma-Yoroberikunda Road	17/07/1977	3,385,593	11,511,017
2	River Gambia Wharves Development	23/06/1980	1,156,548	3,932,262
3	Yoroberikunda-Basse Road	27/12/1980	2,338,760	7,951,784
4	Kombo Roads Project	11/11/1997	2,580,000	8,772,000
5	Banjul International Airport Improvement Project	14/06/1999	3,100,000	10,540,000
6	Irrigated Rice Development Project	27/04/2001	1,030,000	3,502,000
7	Farafenni - Laminkoto Road	28/11/2001	3,000,000	10,200,000
8	Madinaba - Soma Road Project	29/03/2005	3,100,000	10,540,000
9	Banjul International Airport improvement project (PhaseII)	28/03/2008	3,100,000	10,540,000
10	University of Gambia Project	12/07/2010	4,000,000	13,600,000
11	LAMINKOTO PASSIMUS ROAD	12/11/2013	6,000,000	20,400,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>32,790,901</b>	<b>111,489,064</b>

## Grants and Technical Assistance

No.	Project Name	Grant Sign Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	F.S. and Master Study of Transport Sector	30/12/1976	106,865	363,340
2	a) River Gambia Wharves Development b) F.S: Ferry Traffic Playing Across the Gambia River	12/01/1981	63,025	214,286
3	F.S.& Preparation of Detailed design for Laminkoto Passimus & Basse - Koina	06/09/2004	247,673	842,089
4	Improvement of Sewerage system in the Greater Banjul Area	20/03/2011	100,000	340,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>517,563</b>	<b>1,759,715</b>

## Government Grants

No.	Project Name	Approval Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	Kuwait Goodwill Fund for the Promotion of Food Security in Islamic Countries	27/10/2008	874,083	3,000,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>874,083</b>	<b>3,000,000</b>

## Projects Financed by the Fund

- University of the Gambia**

The Kuwait Fund has contributed \$ 13,6 million US in Financing the university of Gambia project, the Project aims to support the social and economic development of the country, by providing new infrastructure and facilities, as well as enhancing the quality of Degree courses at the said University, so as to meet national and regional needs for higher education.

# Republic of Ghana

Ghana received 9 loans from The Kuwait Fund, the first of which on 25/4/1977 for Bong Hydro-Electric Projects. The country received with a total of 134 million US dollars.



## Facts and Figures

Official Name	: Republic of Ghana		
Capital	: Accra	Area	: 238,500 sq km
Population	: 24,965,816 Persons	Infant mortality rate	: 52 per 1,000 live births
Population growth rate	: 2 %	Literacy	: 67 %
Population density	: 110 Persons per sq km	Gross domestic product Current	: 39 billion \$
Life expectancy (Female)	: 65 Year	GDP per capita	: 1,570 \$
Life expectancy (Male)	: 63 Year	Monetary unit	: New Cedi



## Loans

No.	Project Name	Agreement Sign Date	Loan Amt. in KD.	Loan Amt. in U.S \$
1	Kpong Hydro-Electric	25/04/1977	8,970,000	30,498,000
2	Kpong Hydro-Electric Power	17/05/1981	4,000,000	13,600,000
3	Rural Electrification in North Ghana	19/02/1988	3,199,489	10,878,263
4	Takoradi Thermal Power Project	20/12/1993	5,000,000	17,000,000
5	Korle Lagoon Ecological Restoration	28/06/1995	4,250,000	14,450,000
6	Takoradi Thermal Power Project Supplementary to Loan Dated 20 - 2 - 1993	07/12/1995	1,658,409	5,638,592
7	Korle Lagoon Ecological Restoration	02/05/2000	2,995,223	10,183,758
8	KV Aboadze 330 Volta transmission line Project	23/05/2003	5,000,000	17,000,000
9	Trauma and Acute Care Center at Korle-Bu Teaching Hospital Project (Phase 1-A)	07/03/2013	4,500,000	15,300,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>39,573,121</b>	<b>134,584,613</b>

## Grants and Technical Assistance

No.	Project Name	Grant Sign Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	Feasibility Study for the Irrigation of the Accra Plains in Ghana	21/09/2003	394,497	1,341,289
2	F.S for the construction of A Maternity And Children Hospital Within the Grea	04/06/2005	143,608	488,266
<b>Total</b>			<b>538,105</b>	<b>1,829,555</b>

## Projects Financed by the Fund

- **Trauma and Acute Care Centre at Korle-Bu Teaching Hospital Project (Phase 1 – A)**

The Kuwait Fund has contributed \$15.3 million US in financing the Trauma and Acute Care Centre at Korle-Bu Teaching Hospital Project (Phase 1 – A). The purpose of the project is to support the social and economic development of Ghana, by meeting the increasing demand for, and improving the quality of and access to tertiary healthcare services in the country. The Project also aims at the expansion and improvement of the standard of emergency treatment services to meet the increasing number of patients who come directly to Korle-Bu Teaching Hospital or are referred to it from other regions or from neighboring countries.

# Republic of Guinea

Due to the Republic of Guinea - Kuwait relationship, Kuwait Fund arranged for loans agreements with Guinea of 165 million US dollars since 1976 as well as 2 technical assistances totaling about 1 million US dollars.



## Facts and Figures

Official Name	: Republic of Guinea		
Capital	: Conakry	Area	: 227,540 sq km
Population	: 10,221,808 Persons	Infant mortality rate	: 79 per 1,000 live births
Population growth rate	: 2 %	Literacy	: 41 %
Population density	: 42 Persons per sq km	Gross domestic product Current	: 5 billion \$
Life expectancy (Female)	: 56 Year	GDP per capita	: 498 \$
Life expectancy (Male)	: 53 Year	Monetary unit	: Guinean Franc



## Loans

No.	Project Name	Agreement Sign Date	Loan Amt. in KD.	Loan Amt. in U.S \$
1	Telecommunications Stage (1)	01/06/1976	2,670,945	9,081,214
2	Gueckedou - Seredou Road	11/01/1984	5,900,000	20,060,000
3	Seredou N'Zerekore Road	05/11/1990	5,600,000	19,040,000
4	Garafiri Hydro Electric Project	11/08/1994	6,000,000	20,400,000
5	Economic Recovery Programme Support	11/08/1994	1,200,000	4,080,000
6	Garafiri Hydro Electric (Supplementary)	12/11/1997	2,895,520	9,844,767
7	Road Network Improvement	09/02/1999	4,160,344	14,145,171
8	Kankan - Kouremale Road Upgrading	15/06/1999	3,372,976	11,468,119
9	Upgrading of Tombo - G'bessia Road Project	17/01/2001	6,200,000	21,080,000
10	Matoto - Dabompa Highway and its Road Links	27/03/2002	1,577,893	5,364,836
11	Educational Buildings Project	08/12/2005	4,000,000	13,600,000
12	Komba - Boummehoun Road Project	20/01/2007	5,000,000	17,000,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>48,577,678</b>	<b>165,164,107</b>

## Grants and Technical Assistance

No.	Project Name	Grant Sign Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	Dubreka / Boke Road	18/06/1975	216,613	736,485
2	T.A. in Connection with Konkoure Hydro - Electric Project	26/05/1979	100,000	340,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>316,613</b>	<b>1,076,485</b>

## Government Grant

No.	Project Name	Grant Sign Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	Kuwait Goodwill Fund for the promotion of food Security in Islamic Countries	27/10/2008	1,165,444	4,000,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>1,165,444</b>	<b>4,000,000</b>

## Projects Financed by the Fund

- **Upgrading of Tombo - G'Bessia Road**

The Kuwait Fund has contributed \$ 21 million Us in financing the upgrading of Tombo-G'Bessia road project. The aim of the Project is to improve the traffic flow between the administrative and commercial centers of the capital "Conakry" and the International Airport, as well as with the rest of the country at large; thus contributing to the economic development of Guinea.

# Republic of Guinea-Bissau

In 1978, The Kuwait Fund extended its first loan to Guinea - Bissau for the improvement and expansion of Bisalanka Airport. Today The Kuwait Fund offered 5 loans of 26.4 million US dollars as well as technical aid in the fishing sector of 322 thousand Us dollars.



## Facts and Figures

Official Name	: Republic of Guinea-Bissau		
Capital	: Bissau	Area	: 245,720 sq km
Population	: 1,547,061 Persons	Infant mortality rate	: 98 per 1,000 live births
Population growth rate	: 2 %	Literacy	: 54 %
Population density	: 55 Persons per sq km	Gross domestic product Current	: 968 billion \$
Life expectancy (Female)	: 50 Year	GDP per capita	: 626 \$
Life expectancy (Male)	: 47 Year	Monetary unit	: Africaine Franc



## Loans

No.	Project Name	Agreement Sign Date	Loan Amt. in KD.	Loan Amt. in U.S \$
1	Bisalanca Airport	29/05/1978	2,000,000	6,800,000
2	Bisalanca Airport	04/05/1983	1,250,000	4,250,000
3	Port of Bissau	30/08/1983	2,124,410	7,222,996
4	The Second Road	04/09/1985	908,052	3,087,377
5	Bissau - Prabis and Bissau - Biombo Roads Project	17/11/1989	1,482,692	5,041,152
<b>Total</b>			<b>7,765,154</b>	<b>26,401,525</b>

## Grants and Technical Assistance

No.	Project Name	Grant Sign Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	F.S. & Identification of Projects for the Fisheries Sector	24/06/1984	94,723	322,058
<b>Total</b>			<b>94,723</b>	<b>322,058</b>

## Government Grants

No.	Project Name	Approval Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	Reclamation of Mangrove Lands for Rice Cultivation	29/10/1984	1,352,701	4,471,000
2	Kuwait Goodwill Fund for the Promotion of Food Security in Islamic Countries	27/10/2008	874,083	3,000,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>2,226,784</b>	<b>7,471,000</b>

## Projects Financed by the Fund

- Bissau-Prabis and Bissau-Biombo Roads Project**

The Kuwait Fund has contributed \$ 5 million US in financing the Bissau-Prabis and Bissau-Biombo Roads Project. The project aims to connect the industrial, agricultural areas that are located west of Biombo, with the capital Bissau which is the country's central port for marketing, through a network of roads that can absorb the predicted movement and assure its safety throughout the year . In addition to the completion of this network of roads.



# Republic of Liberia

In 1978, Kuwait Fund took its first step to co-operate with the Republic of Liberia through financing roads rehabilitations with 7.4 million US dollars.



## Facts and Figures

Official Name	: Republic of Liberia		
Capital	: Monrovia	Area	: 96,320 sq km
Population	: 4,128,572 Persons	Infant mortality rate	: 58 per 1,000 live births
Population growth rate	: 3 %	Literacy	: 61 %
Population density	: 43 Persons per sq km	Gross domestic product Current	: 1.5 Billion \$
Life expectancy (Female)	: 58 Year	GDP per capita	: 374 \$
Life expectancy (Male)	: 56 Year	Monetary unit	: Liberian Dollar



## Loans

No.	Project Name	Agreement Sign Date	Loan Amt. in KD.	Loan Amt. in U.S \$
1	Roads Rehabilitation	18/07/1978	2,078,168	7,065,770
2	Port of Greenville Rehabilitation	07/12/2012	4,000,000	13,600,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>6,078,168</b>	<b>20,665,770</b>

## Grants and Technical Assistance

No.	Project Name	Grant Sign Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	Preparation of Technical Econ.F.S & Preliminary Design for the Construction of the Gbarnga-Mendicorma Highway Project	20/03/2011	500,000	1,700,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>500,000</b>	<b>1,700,000</b>

## Government Grants

No.	Project Name	Approval Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	Settlement of Arrears	02/03/2011	850,000	3,037,558
<b>Total</b>			<b>850,000</b>	<b>3,037,558</b>

## Projects Financed by the Fund

- **Road Rehabilitation**

The Kuwait Fund has contributed \$ 7.4 million US in financing the Road Rehabilitation project. The Project consists of rehabilitation and improvement of vital roads connection in the country between Paynesille- Totota, Paynesville-Roberts field as well as the provision of consulting services and technical studies for Ganata-Sanniquellie, Ganta-Tapeta, Gbarnga-Voingama road connections. Technical assistance will also be provided to the Ministry of Public Works and the Ministry of Trade, Industry and Transport

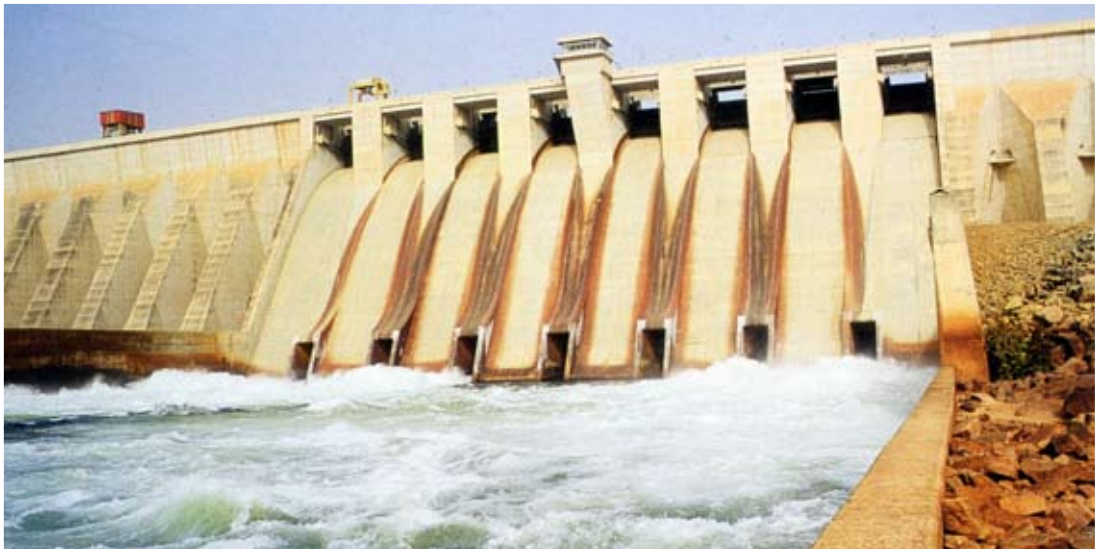
# Republic of Mali

Kuwait Fund has helped to enhance the development of the Republic of Mali through financing agriculture and power generating projects starting with a loan for constructing the Selingue dam for 16 million US dollars, the total loans amount. Now to about 153 million US dollars as well as 3 technical assistance of 1.2 million US dollars.



## Facts and Figures

Official Name	: Republic of Mali		
Capital	: Bamako	Area	: 1,220,190 sq km
Population	: 15,839,538 Persons	Infant mortality rate	: 98 per 1,000 live births
Population growth rate	: 3 %	Literacy	: 31 %
Population density	: 13 Persons per sq km	Gross domestic product Current	: 10.8 billion \$
Life expectancy (Female)	: 52 Year	GDP per capita	: 684 \$
Life expectancy (Male)	: 50 Year	Monetary unit	: Africaine Franc



## Loans

No.	Project Name	Agreement Sign Date	Loan Amt. in KD.	Loan Amt. in U.S \$
1	Selingue Dam	20/10/1976	4,739,741	16,115,118
2	Hombori - Gao Road	23/06/1980	4,200,000	14,280,000
3	Senegal River Development	12/06/1982	8,318,276	28,282,138
4	Village and Pastoral Water Supply (Second Phase)	22/02/1988	2,497,152	8,490,319
5	Ke-Macina Irrigation (First Stage)	15/10/1996	2,294,086	7,799,892
6	The Integrated Development Project (Down Stream of Manatali Dam)	08/02/1999	2,080,000	7,072,000
7	Village and Pastoral Water Supply (Phase3)	17/06/2001	3,098,188	10,333,840
8	Ke- Macina Irrigation (Second Stage)	07/01/2002	2,999,417	10,198,018
9	Kayes-Bafoulabe Road Project	28/06/2004	4,400,000	14,960,000
10	Taoussa Integrated development Project	05/12/2005	6,000,000	20,400,000
11	Irrigation Development programme in Bani Bassin and Selingue	22/03/2010	4,500,000	15,300,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>45,126,860</b>	<b>153,431,325</b>

## Grants and Technical Assistance

No.	Project Name	Grant Sign Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	a) Agricultural Development b) Soap Factory	18/06/1975	133,841	455,059
2	F.S for Kayes - Mauritania Border Road Project	06/09/2004	60,000	204,000
3	T.A for Financing Preparation Preliminary Engineering Designs and tender documents for an irrigation Project in Sake	14/11/2007	159,967	543,889
<b>Total</b>			<b>353,808</b>	<b>1,202,948</b>

## Government Grants

No.	Project Name	Approval Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	Liptako-Gourma Authority Water Supply Programme (Malian Project)	02/05/1984	2,487,840	8,390,691
2	Kuwait Goodwill Fund for the Promotion of Food Security in Islamic Countries	27/10/2008	1,417,250	5,000,000
3	Supporting the Republic of Mali	10/02/2014	2,829,400	10,000,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>6,774,044</b>	<b>23,390,690</b>

## Projects Financed by the Fund

- **Integrated Development Project (Down Steam of Manantali Dam) of Mali**

The Kuwait Fund has contributed \$ 7 million Us in financing Down Steam of Manantali Dam, the Project aims at improving the production capacity of 1565 ha. of agricultural land down stream of Manantali Dam. And, in addition to agricultural enhancement, the Project aims at improving the living conditions of the population inhabiting the area through implementation of educational, health and training programmes as well as protecting the environment, and enhancing the professional skills of the farmers in the field of irrigation techniques and agricultural intensification.

- **Ke-Macina Irrigation**

The Kuwait Fund has contributed \$ 18 million Us in financing the Ke-Macina Irrigation, the Project aims at increasing the rice production in Ke-Macina region located in the eastern part of the Republic of Mali, improving the standard of living of the population in that region and reducing poverty through the development of about 3160Ha. and by providing irrigation water from Niger River.

- **Keyes - Bafoulabe Road of Mali**

The Kuwait Fund has contributed \$ 15 million Us in financing the upgrading of The objective of the Project is to support the development of the south-western region, through facilitating the marketing of agricultural produce and the utilization of natural resources therein. The Project also would assist in the integration of the road network in Mali and in improving the safety of its use.





# Republic of Niger

Anou - Araren Electrical Power Project was the first project financed by Kuwait Fund in the Republic of Niger. Since then (i.e. 1980) Kuwait Fund loans to Niger has not stopped and amounted to about 85.9 million US dollar which were used in 10 Projects as well as 10 grants and technical assistance projects in various sector.



## Facts and Figures

Official Name	: Republic of Niger		
Capital	: Niamey	Area	: 1,267,000 sq km
Population	: 16,068,994 Persons	Infant mortality rate	: 66 per 1,000 live births
Population growth rate	: 3.5 %	Literacy	: 28 %
Population density	: 13 Persons per sq km	Gross domestic product Current	: 6 billion \$
Life expectancy (Female)	: 55 Year	GDP per capita	: 374 \$
Life expectancy (Male)	: 54 Year	Monetary unit	: Africaine Franc



## Loans

No.	Project Name	Agreement Sign Date	Loan Amt. in KD.	Loan Amt. in U.S \$
1	Anou-Araren Electric Power Complex Stage (1)	06/04/1980	1,815,604	6,173,054
2	Birni-N’Konni Irrigation Stage (II)	05/07/1982	3,704,669	12,595,875
3	Village and Pastoral Ground Water Supply	17/07/1984	2,038,624	6,931,323
4	Village and Pastoral Water Supply (Second Phase)	20/02/1988	673,553	2,290,078
5	Rehabilitation and Maintenance of Tchadaoua-Takeita Road	04/07/1988	4,000,000	13,600,000
6	Village and Pastoral Water Supply Project in Tahouo Region	17/01/1991	111,630	379,543
7	Economic Recovery Programme Support	17/06/1994	1,200,000	4,080,000
8	Village and Pastoral Water Supply project in Dosso and Tillebary Regions	03/08/2008	1,050,000	3,570,000
9	Kandadji Dam project	27/03/2009	5,700,000	19,380,000
10	Arlit-Assamaka Road Project	08/03/2012	5,000,000	17,000,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>25,294,080</b>	<b>85,999,872</b>

## Grants and Technical Assistance

No.	Project Name	Grant Sign Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	F.S : Integrated Rural Development Project in El-Mekki Region	15/09/1987	240,000	816,000
2	To Finance the Services of an Expert for Ministry of Planning	12/05/1988	70,000	238,000
3	a) Chaya Regional Development Project b) Gabou Bonfeba Agricultural Project	11/03/1990	252,133	857,254
4	Finance the Cost of Economic Expert with Minister of Plan	29/06/1991	70,000	238,000
5	Finance the Cost of the Economic Expert with Minister of Finance	20/09/1993	75,000	255,000
6	F.S. for Niamey - Dosso Road Project	20/03/1995	102,162	347,350
7	Finance the Cost of the Economic Expert with Minister of Finance	20/03/1996	108,937	370,385
8	T.A. Grant: Appointment of an Expert for Ministry of Planning	04/05/1999	109,995	373,984
9	Hiring an Economic Expert for the Ministry of Planning	30/10/2002	34,730	118,082
10	Fisheries project in Liptako Gourma Region	14/06/2009	100,000	340,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>1,162,957</b>	<b>3,954,055</b>

## Government Grants

No.	Project Name	Approval Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	Kuwait Goodwill Fund for the Promotion of Food Security in Islamic Countries	27/10/2008	1,456,805	5,000,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>1,456,805</b>	<b>5,000,000</b>



# Republic of Senegal

Senegal is the most recipient country in West Africa of Kuwait Fund loans. The first agreement was concluded in 1976 a loan of 4 million US dollars for livestock development project in Eastern Senegal. Total loans to Senegal amounted to approximately 324 million US dollars. In addition to two technical assistance to carryout feasibility studies amounted to 1.9 million US dollars.



## Facts and Figures

Official Name	: Republic of Senegal		
Capital	: Dakar	Area	: 196,530 sq km
Population	: 12,767,556 Persons	Infant mortality rate	: 46 per 1,000 live births
Population growth rate	: 2.6 %	Literacy	: 50 %
Population density	: 66 Persons per sq km	Gross domestic product Current	: 14.3 billion \$
Life expectancy (Female)	: 60 Year	GDP per capita	: 111 \$
Life expectancy (Male)	: 58 Year	Monetary unit	: Africaine Franc



## Loans

No.	Project Name	Agreement Sign Date	Loan Amt. in KD.	Loan Amt. in U.S \$
1	Livestock Development in Eastern Senegal	30/12/1976	1,196,155	4,066,926
2	Debi Lampsar Irrigation	19/02/1979	1,373,194	4,668,861
3	Senegal River Development	12/06/1982	10,747,514	36,541,546
4	Village and Pastoral Ground Water Supply	04/05/1983	3,000,000	10,200,000
5	Phosphate Fertilizer	04/05/1983	5,999,988	20,399,960
6	Contianer Terminal at Port of Dakar	07/03/1984	808,789	2,749,884
7	Guede-Mbantou Irrigation	27/06/1984	3,000,000	10,200,000
8	The Village and Pastoral Water Supply Project	08/04/1988	2,473,120	8,408,608
9	Emergency Rural Water Supply Project (Thies and East Senegal Regions)	08/04/1988	460,110	1,564,375
10	Dialakoto-Kedougou Road Project	29/03/1989	1,995,980	6,786,331
11	Necessary Infrastructure for Conference Complex Project	13/04/1990	5,000,000	17,000,000
12	The Economic Recovery Programme Support	29/06/1993	1,200,000	4,080,000
13	Guede - Mbantou Irrigation	29/06/1993	1,975,545	6,716,853
14	The Village and Pastoral Water Supply Project (Third Phase)	29/06/1993	2,745,796	9,335,708
15	Rehabilitation of Touba - Kebemer- Lompoul Road	06/12/1995	3,085,903	10,492,070
16	Rehabilitation of Fass Mbao-Diam Niadio Road Project	10/11/1997	1,234,897	4,198,649
17	Small Dams Project (in Niayes Region)	09/01/2002	800,000	2,720,000
18	Fass Mbao-Diam Niadio Road Project	15/05/2002	755,851	2,569,894
19	Bakel Agricultural Development	12/12/2002	2,300,000	7,820,000
20	Dakar Northern Slip Road Project (Section2)	21/01/2004	4,800,000	16,320,000
21	Linguere-Matam Road Project	24/03/2005	4,500,000	15,300,000
22	Dakar Northern Slip Road Project (Section3)	13/07/2005	5,000,000	17,000,000
23	Road Rehabilitation Project in Dakar	22/03/2006	10,000,000	34,000,000
24	Medina Gounass Guinean Border Road Project	18/01/2007	2,967,295	10,088,803
25	Supp. Loan for the Financing of the Roads Rehabilitation Project in Dakar	09/04/2007	2,900,000	9,860,000
26	Second loan for roads rehabilitation project in Dakar	26/03/2008	10,000,000	34,000,000
27	Dakar Northern Slip (Rpad Project Section 3)	15/07/2012	5,000,000	17,000,000
28	TOUBA - DAHRA - LINGUERE Road Rehabilitation	18/11/2013	5,000,000	17,000,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>100,320,138</b>	<b>341,088,470</b>

## Grants and Technical Assistance

No.	Project Name	Grant Sign Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	F.S: Casamance Fisheries	29/09/1975	82,053	278,982
2	T.A. for Carrying out cayor Canal environmental studies	13/09/1992	500,000	1,700,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>582,053</b>	<b>1,978,982</b>

## Government Grants

No.	Project Name	Approval Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	Emergency Programme for Village and Pastoral Water Supply	02/03/1983	1,495,242	5,133,000
2	Kuwait Goodwill Fund for the Promotion of Food Security in Islamic Countries	27/10/2008	1,456,805	5,000,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>2,952,047</b>	<b>10,133,000</b>



- **Dakar Northern Slip Road Project (Section 3)**

The Kuwait Fund has contributed \$ 50 million US in financing the Dakar Northern Slip Road Project (Section 3)Project ,The Project aims to relieve the congestion on the northern entrances of Dakar, to improve the link between the northern suburbs and the City center, and the link between Dakar and the other Regions of Senegal by reducing travel time and vehicle operating costs.

- **Roads Rehabilitation Project in Dakar**

The Kuwait Fund contributed US\$ 77 million in financing Roads Rehabilitation Project in Dakar.

The aim of the Project is to cope with the transportation needs of the convention of the 11th Islamic Summit Conference in Dakar, capital of Senegal, expected during November, 2007. The Project aims, also, at satisfying the demand on road traffic, and to avoid traffic congestions within Dakar, thus contributing to the socio-economic development of the people of Dakar.



# Republic of Sierra Leone

Sierra Leone received 7 loans from Kuwait Fund, the first which on 31/5/1989 for the Water Loo-Kent road with a loan of 10 million US dollar.



## Facts and Figures

Official Name	: Republic of Sierra Leone		
Capital	: Free Town	Area	: 71,620 sq km
Population	: 5,559,853 Persons	Infant mortality rate	: 119 per 1,000 live births
Population growth rate	: 2.2 %	Literacy	: 42 %
Population density	: 84 Persons per sq km	Gross domestic product Current	: 2.9 billion \$
Life expectancy (Female)	: 48 Year	GDP per capita	: 495 \$
Life expectancy (Male)	: 47 Year	Monetary unit	: Leone



## Loans

No.	Project Name	Agreement Sign Date	Loan Amt. in KD.	Loan Amt. in U.S \$
1	Waterloo-Kent Road	31/05/1989	3,000,000	10,200,000
2	Waterloo-Kent Road	09/07/1996	1,963,494	6,675,879
3	Waterloo-Kent-Tokeh Road Project	27/03/2002	3,100,000	10,540,000
4	Tokeh - Lumley Road Project	31/08/2004	2,500,000	8,500,000
5	Kenema - Pendembu Road Project of the kenema - Koidu Corridor	13/12/2007	3,000,000	10,200,000
6	Developing three Tertiary Hospitals in Freetown Project	30/05/2011	4,250,000	14,450,000
7	Reconstruction of the Matotoka-Sefadu Road Project	20/03/2013	4,000,000	13,600,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>21,814,494</b>	<b>74,165,879</b>

## Grants and Technical Assistance

No.	Project Name	Grant Sign Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	F.S for water Supply Programme for Two Rural Communities (Port Loko & Koidu New Sembehun City and Yengena)	29/11/2010	120,000	408,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>120,000</b>	<b>408,000</b>

## Government Grants

No.	Project Name	Approval Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	Kuwait Goodwill Fund for the Promotion of Food Security in Islamic Countries	27/10/2008	874,083	3,000,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>874,083</b>	<b>3,000,000</b>

## Projects Financed by the Fund

- **Reconstruction of the Matotoka-Sefadu Road Project**

The Kuwait Fund has contributed \$ 13.6 million US in financing the Reconstruction of the Matotoka-Sefadu Road Project, The aim of the Project is to enhance the economic and social development of the Eastern Province of Sierra Leone, and at the same time participate in linking Tonkolili and Kono Districts with the capital Freetown. The Project consists of reconstruction works to attain an all-weather 6.7m. wide asphalted road (with 1.5m. shoulders on each side) with an approximate length of 130 kms between Matotoka and Sefadu.

# Togolese Republic

In Togo, Kuwait Fund participated in financing Several Project starting with the 16/5/1983 loan agreement for Natchamba - Kara - Ketao - Bagouda highway of 13 million US dollars in addition to 2 technical assistance of 623 thousand.



## Facts and Figures

Official Name	: Togolese Republic		
Capital	: Lome	Area	: 54,390 sq km
Population	: 6,154,813 Persons	Infant mortality rate	: 72 per 1,000 live births
Population growth rate	: 2 %	Literacy	: 57 %
Population density	: 113 Persons per sq km	Gross domestic product Current	: 3.6 billion \$
Life expectancy (Female)	: 58 Year	GDP per capita	: 588 \$
Life expectancy (Male)	: 55 Year	Monetary unit	: Africaine France



## Loans

No.	Project Name	Agreement Sign Date	Loan Amt. in KD.	Loan Amt. in U.S \$
1	Natchamba-Kara -Ketao- Pagouda Highway	16/05/1983	3,952,133	13,437,252
2	Nangbeto Hydroelectric on the River Mono	17/07/1984	2,448,444	8,324,708
3	Dapaong Water Supply Project	17/05/1996	2,839,427	9,654,052
4	Rehabilitation of Notse-Atakpame Road	20/11/1998	2,578,045	8,765,354
5	Bassar - Katchamba Road Project	24/03/2010	4,000,000	13,600,000
6	Kpalime-Adagali Atakpame Road Project	14/03/2013	3,400,000	11,560,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>19,218,049</b>	<b>65,341,367</b>

## Grants and Technical Assistance

No.	Project Name	Grant Sign Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	F.S.:Small Irrigation Projects + Design & Tender Documents	28/05/1986	155,862	529,932
2	F.S. For the Sokode-Tchamba Kambde Road	21/06/1997	27,491	93,468
<b>Total</b>			<b>183,353</b>	<b>623,400</b>

## Government Grants

No.	Project Name	Approval Date	Amt. in KD.	Amt. in U.S \$
1	Kuwait Goodwill Fund for the Promotion of Food Security in Islamic Countries	27/10/2008	874,083	3,000,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>874,083</b>	<b>3,000,000</b>

## Projects Financed by the Fund

- Bassar - Katchamba Road**

The Kuwait Fund has contributed 13,6 million US in financing the Bassar - Katchamba road, the Project aims to support the economic and social development of the North Western and Central regions of Togo by improving their link with the Capital Lomé and the remaining regions of the Country. The project also aims at accommodating the increased traffic and providing a higher degree of safety.