

Onion sector

Investment opportunity #1: Modern warehouses & onion yards

- Description: Construction of modern onion parks consisting of warehouses and dryers for the storage and marketing of onions in the regions and departments of Senegal where demand is high.
- Investment: between 200 and 300 M FCFA for small parks and between 400 and 600 M FCFA for large parks
- Implementing structure: Agency for the Regulation of Contracts / Ministry of Trade and SMEs
- **Location:** whole country
- Example: 5 storage warehouses and onion dryers in Dagana, Louga, Kébémer and Mboro, financed to the tune of 5 MEURO by the EU through the 9ème and 10ème European Development Fund (EDF)

Investment opportunity #2: Construction and operation of onion dehydration units

- **Description:** Construction and operation of dehydration plants for processing fresh onions into dried, frozen or powdered onions
- Investment: between 8 and 10 billion FCFA
- Implementing structure: Ministry of Industry and SMIs
- Location: Niayes area and Senegal River Valley
- Example: Construction of an onion dehydration plant in Saint-Louis by the Société Africaine d'Ingrédients (SAF Ingrédients): production of 5,000 tonnes of dehydrated onions per year around a 760-hectare farm; CAPEX: 8.5 billion FCFA (13 million euros)

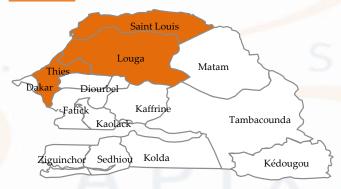
Investment opportunity #3: Production of onion powder, frozen, puree and broth

- **Description:** Construction of production and packaging plants for onion powder, frozen, candied, pureed or flavoured broth
- ► **Investment:** between 1 and 3 billion FCFA
- Implementing structure: Ministry of Industry and SMIs
- Location: Niayes area and Senegal River Valley

Sector overview

- Challenge: Priority sectors for the State (ref. PRACAS, agricultural component of the PES)
 - Self-sufficiency, reduction of post-harvest losses, processing and improvement of added value
- Institutional support: Ministry of Trade and SMEs, Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Equipment

Location:



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