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FOR BETTER INTEGRATED SOIL FERTILITY MANAGEMENT IN SENEGAL, DUNDËL SUUF RAISES THE DEBATE

One of the objectives of the Feed the Future Senegal Dundël Suuf project is to bring together stakeholders from the agricultural sector in its intervention zones to discuss Integrated Soil Fertility Management (ISFM) by setting up regional dialogue platforms.

Led by the Directions Régionales de Développement Rural (DRDR), nine regional platforms held meetings from November 15 to December 2 with a total of 253 participants, including 38 women and 35 young people.

The meetings focused on presenting the results of soil fertility mapping in Senegal, discussing strategies for the extension of ISFM techniques, building the capacity of stakeholders about phosphating, and the availability and appropriate use of organic and mineral fertilizers.



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Result





After much deliberation from each regional platform, the following recommendations were made:

- ◇ Considering that not all producers can carry demonstration plots, it is recommended that the Dundël Suuf project develop and make technical fact sheets on Urea Deep Placement (UDP) and Microdosing (MD) available to stakeholders for a better understanding of the promoted technologies.
- ◇ Considering the performance recorded with the application of MD and UDP technologies, it is recommended that the project support producers in the acquisition of applicators.
- ◇ Given the importance of organic matter and phosphating to improve soil fertility, it is recommended that the project support producers in setting up compost production platforms to increase the level of supply and encourage the practice of phosphating.
- ◇ Given the large number of fertilizers on the market, it is recommended that the project support producers with analysis kits to choice suit products to use.

SUBSIDIZED AND UNSUBSIDIZED FERTILIZER PRICES IN SENEGAL - December 2023

Result

Fertilizer	Type	Unit	Average price (F CFA)
DAP	Unsubsidized	50kg	35,000
	Subsidized	50kg	-
NPK 10 10 20	Unsubsidized	50kg	21,375
	Subsidized	50kg	-
NPK 15 10 10	Unsubsidized	50kg	16,000
	Subsidized	50kg	10,000
NPK 15 15 15	Unsubsidized	50kg	23,100
	Subsidized	50kg	11,000
NPK 6 20 10	Unsubsidized	50kg	18,250
	Subsidized	50kg	8,000
Urea	Unsubsidized	50kg	25,417
	Subsidized	50kg	12,500

Comment :

- Compared with the previous month, fertilizers prices are stable.

(Source : Dundël Suuf 2023)



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Best Wishes

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