**Bolivia**

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| **Programme Title:** | Productive patrimonial assets building and citizenship programme for women in extreme poverty in Bolivia |
| **Programme number & MDTF ref:** | MDGF-1732-B-BOL Gender (67166) |
| **Window:** | Gender Equality & Women's Empowerment |
| **Approved Budget by NSC (US$):** | 9 million |
| **Participating Organizations:** | FAO, UNDP, UNIDO |
| **First Tranche transferred on:** | 20-Nov-2008 |
| **Second Tranche transferred on:** | 12-Mar-2010 |

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| **ACTIVITIES Reported:** |
| **Main Substantive Activities:** |
| 2,452 rural women and their families have increased their economic patrimony by 50% and increased its turnover by 30%. This, as a result of the financial services and technical training and assistance, with focus on gender, to women with both family and associative economic enterprises in 17 municipalities where the joint programme works. As part of the empowerment of women, and by the initiative of their organizations, the following activities have been done with the Bolivian State:   * Agreements with 5 Mayors and the program to co-finance capital investment to enable the growth of cooperative ventures. * The Department of equal opportunities has been strengthened in its regulatory tracking system, operating. * MOU with the Public Management School to incorporate a curricula of gender equity issues in the education of public service. * MOU with the Asociacion de Concejalas de Bolivia to work with women in the Municipalities. * An evaluation of half term whose recommendations have been included in a plan for the year 2011. |
| **Problems and lessons learned:** |
| Managerial (fund transfers to the field and agency limitations on large contracts). |
| **The programme reports relevant linkage to the UNDAF:** Yes |
| **The programme has communications strategy in place:** Yes |

CHARTS & FIGURES

As of 31 December 2010

