

RW Machamba



Operating through the province of Cabo Delgado with smaller operations in eastern Niassa, and some regions of Nampula, RW Machambas is currently engaged in several projects and initiatives aimed at promoting sustainable food security in Mozambique. These initiatives primarily focus on empowering smallholder farmers and enhancing their agricultural practices. The company's farmer extension networks play a crucial role in providing farmers with essential knowledge, skills, and inputs, enabling them to adopt more effective farming techniques. Additionally, their training programs are designed to equip smallholder farmers with the necessary tools to improve crop yields, enhance crop quality, and optimize resource utilization. These efforts collectively contribute to the growth of the local agriculture sector and the overall goal of achieving sustainable food security.



RW Machambas has a diverse strategy to make sure that the projects it implements have a beneficial and long-lasting effect on neighborhoods communities and their food security. In order to plan impending production requirements and market needs, farmers are invited to monthly

meetings that are market focused. This aims at reducing both over and under production which further stabilizes prices and price expectations when farmers are planting. To further food stability, every crop is cultivated in more than one region at the same time. This stabilizes production amidst challenging weather or climatic conditions.

To amplify the impact of your work in the province, RW Machambas and TechnoServe initially collaborated on the Catalisa program in order to help farmers with a Scale-Up in local horticultural production and distribution. Since the Catalisa project has come to an end, the company has partnered with SNV to support coalitions of communities in achieving sustainable horticultural output. In addition to providing a sustainable food system, RW Machambas coordinates with mining fraternities and catering businesses such as IFS and SMART for planting and consumption plans for optimal production.

RW Machambas is diversifying into the manufacturing of processed agricultural products, with a current emphasis on honey and peanut butter. To educate beekeepers in effective hive care and honey harvesting, a new extension network is being built and mapped. In addition to their portfolio, the company is expanding into Niassa and more regions of Nampula.

RW Machambas supplies many catering companies including IFS, Smart Catering, and Sodexo and collaborates with local mines that run their own kitchens, such as the kitchens in Palma and Afungi.