

State of Palestine

Ministry of Labor

General Department for
International Cooperation &
Projects



دولة فلسطين

وزارة العمل

الإدارة العامة للتعاون الدولي
والمشاريع

Support to Agricultural Cooperatives in Palestine Technically and Financially

Name of the Ministry or Institution	Cooperative Work Agency
Project Objectives	Enhancing the productivity of the productive Agricultural Cooperatives and enhancing the marketability of their products with special focus on the women-led cooperatives and those located in Area C.
Project Description	The agricultural cooperatives constitute the largest subsector, accounting for around 45% of the total legally sound cooperatives. However, most of these cooperatives suffer from weak adherence to cooperative principles and values and lack of business management skills and financing that are necessary to increase the quality of their products and services. Therefore, the project will address these challenges to enhance the performance of such cooperatives in terms of their governance and the management of their enterprises.
Duration of the project	One Year
Project Cost (USD)	1,000,000 \$
Ministries and institutions Responsible for Implementation	Cooperative Work Agency, Ministry of Agriculture, Agricultural Cooperatives Union in Palestine.
Project Beneficiaries	60 Productive agricultural cooperatives, including food-processing co-ops.