



INVESTOR DECK

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Ghana project - Techiman

RESTORATION OF DEGRADED SOILS WITH PRODUCTIVE FOOD FORESTS





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Joachim Ganse has over 30 years of expertise as Managing Director in the Chemical-, construction-financial/ insurance sector, and audit companies (big four). The main projects were to analyze/design risk-/compliance- management -systems based on sustainability aspects for leading companies.

Where we stand

In Africa, almost half of the agricultural land is degraded. Asjeba has been exploring where to start setting up agroforestry projects, considering the following criteria: A) Soil and climate conditions acceptable, B) Local people accepting the Asjeba concept, C) Security for our people, D) Government and authorities willing to support, E) Land titles to be controlled and approved

Various meetings have been held between interested Investors and the Asjeba Group. The following is a synopsis of the discussions:

ASJEBA

- □ have created an agroforestry concept based on UN SDG and Global Compact rules, various oil producing trees are planted on degraded soil: the soil becomes fertile again.
- the 75'000 hectare per project will be leased for minimum 20 years. At the end of the lease the land will belong to a foundation owned by the communities
- a team of experts and plantation management teams with proven track record will start the programme once funding is in place.
- Generating carbon credits. South Pole estimate was minimum 9.4 million carbon credits over the 30-year lifetime of the trees, for 40% of the project

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- Consider replacing fossil oil with Asjeba project vegetable oil.
- Are interested to invest in projects should carbon credits be generated in such a way that "greenwashing" is excluded.
- ☐ Aim to use fossil fuel free raw materials (Moringa, Ricinus oil, vegetable oils, Proteins) which are certified organic and contribute to Climate change adaptation





Project scope



The scope of ASJEBA is to engage in the sustainable restoration and cultivation of degraded soils in the Global South by providing hands-on skills, support services, as well as the promotion and development of a sustainably improved standard of living for the local communities.



ASJEBA provides services of any kind that are suitable to promote this purpose and that are directly related to it. We pursue any project that promotes the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals





Location

Degraded soils in the area of the Municipality of Techiman. Techiman is a city and the capital of Techiman Municipal and Bono East Region of Ghana. Techiman is a leading market town in South Ghana.

LAND:

75,000 ha (Permaculture Ghana) 300,000 ha (Ghana Government)

LAND USAGE RIGHTS:

Emphyteutic lease – 20 years – extendable to 50 years







Use of Funds

Startup budget	Monthly Cost \$	Total cost \$
	(estimated)	
Management total fees	110,000	660,000
Flights Europe, Ghana, South Africa	40,000	240,000
Visa expenses	20,000	120,000
Accommodation	30,000	180,000
Local travel	15,000	90,000
Main Feasibility Studies & Market Appraisal		600,000
Environmental, Social & Health Impact Assessment	80,000	480,000
Land survey (terrain & soil sampling analysis)	25,000	150,000
Covercrop planting phase	30,000	180,000
Water catchment construction	50,000	300,000
Awareness raising & Training of local communities	15,000	90,000
Safety and Security Audit	10,000	60,000
Security services	25,000	150,000
Obtaining approvals / licenses through local experts	20,000	120,000
Mediation with local entities	20,000	120,000
Legal Compliance	25,000	150,000
Tax & Auditing	15,000	90,000
Industrial zone negotiations	15,000	90,000
Outline Design of plantations, infrastructure & facilities/settlements	25,000	150,000
Business plan Revision	50,000	300,000
		4,320,000
Incidential Costs	5%	216,000
		4,536,000
Contingency	10%	453,600
tota	l US\$	4,989,600

Production and Carbon credits

Financial projections:

- Cost of Land: 10 Euro per ha per annum (assumed)
- Cost of Infrastructure: 384 Mio Euro distributed over 20 years
- Bio-Oil and Moringa revenues:
 - A) Castor oil starting with 3,5 Mio Eur in year 2 increasing to 14.2 Mio per anno from year 3.
- B) Moringa approx 73 Mio per anno as of year 3
- C) Jatropha oil starting with 1.2 Mio in year 5 and 23 mio. averaging after year 12 per anno.
- D) Intercropping between the trees will start after year 7 when the soil is fertile again.

CO₂ saved/avoided:

- Sequestration of CO_2 by Jathropha alone = 12 Mio $tCO_2/30$ years (according to Southpole forecasts for Jathropha for 50,000 ha)
- Usage of our Bio-oils as drop-in replacement will generate another = 200,000 tons per anno CO₂ savings resulting
 in another 6 Mio tCO₂/30 years
- We estimate that we will exceed in total "20 Mio tons" per project over 30 years





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		Start-Up Schedule																							
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		Activities																							
1	1	Funding budget for startup activities - € 5 million																							
2	2	Meeting partners in Switzerland fixing tasks and budgets																							
3	3	Delegation visit to Ghana inspecting offered land and select 1																							
4	4	Negotiating terms of emphyteutic land lease with families/owners																							
5	5	Signing emphyteutic land lease agreement with families																							
5	6	Establishing Asjeba Management (Ghana) Ltd. (AMG) in Accra																							
6	7	Installing executive management team AMG																							
7	8	Management team startup activities																							
8		Start of Environmental, Social & Health Impact Assessment																							
9	10	Main Feasibility Studies & Market Appraisal																						<u></u>	
10	11	Land survey (terrain & soil sampling analysis																							
12	12	Visit of 3 plantations and management team and select 1 as model																							
11	13	Infrastructure and development masterplan																							
13	14	Obtain all necessary approvals for the project plus industrial zone																							
14	15	Covercrop planting concept developped																							
15	16	Water catchment masterplan																							
16	17	Outline Design of the project and infrastructure																							
17	18	Awareness raising & Training of local communities																							
		Finance plan adopted to local cicumstances.																							
19	20	Start of seed purchase																							
20	21	Infrastructure and settlement -Phase 1																							
21	22	Start clearing land																							
22	23	Start planting Ricinus																							
23	24	Start construction of nursery																							
24	25	Start growing plants in nursery																							
25	26	Start of planting Moringa																							
26	27	Build Refinery Ricinus oil / Moringa processing facilities																							
27	28	Build Composting Plant														,									
28	29	Harvesting Ricinus																							
29	30	Harvesting Moringa																							
30	31	Start processing Moringa leaves to powder																							
31	32	Exporting Castor oil																							\geq
32	33	Exporting Moringa powder																							
		Associated Funding Summary																							
		Start up Budget	5'000'000																						
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Expected mutual commitments by Investor and ASJEBA

€ 5 million donation for start-up budget;

€25 million down payment for the delivery of vegetable oil. This down payment can be adapted within 10 years;

Long term Raw material purchase agreement to be negotiated;

Assignment and/or partial takeover of future carbon credits at a preferential rate;

Support by Investor to ASJEBA to obtain the needed mortgage.





Questions & Answers Next steps

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