



# Titanium project impact

Kwale county is home to Base Titanium Limited, which is involved in Kenya's first large-scale mining project. Besides its activities in mining, the company is also involved in agricultural livelihood programmes aimed at benefiting the host community. The programmes focus on cotton, potato, sorghum and poultry. At the moment, farmers involved in the poultry and cotton projects are earning income through the sale of their products. The company plans to expand the programmes in order to increase the incomes of the local community. This move will not only improve livelihoods, but also food security in the county. Kwale is currently one of the counties hit by the ongoing drought.

**30 tonnes**

of cotton from the project to be exported to Bangladesh for processing



**800**

acreage under cotton



**5 tonnes**

already produced from Kwale cotton project



**Sh32**

the average market price of 1 kg of Grade A cotton



**5 - 300**

the average increase in number of poultry per farmer



**800**

number of farmers involved in the cotton project