

# Fish for Development

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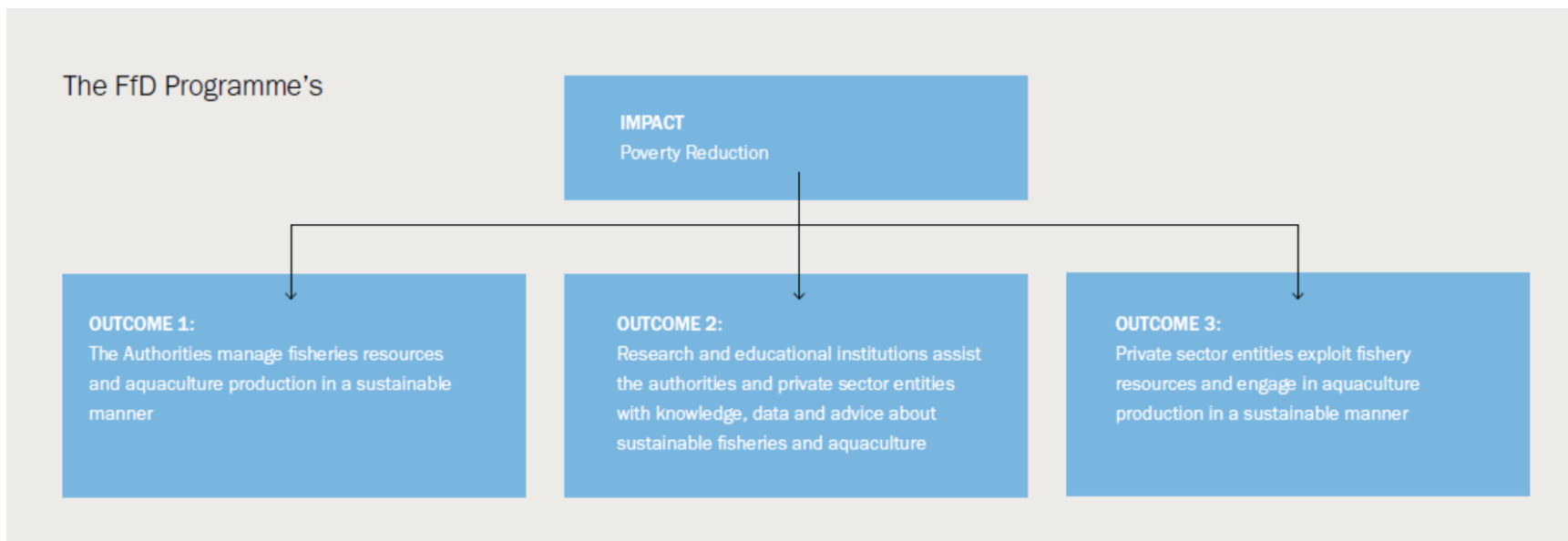


# Background

- Norway is one of the world's leading fishing and aquaculture nations. Norwegian government wants to share Norway's experiences in developing its fisheries and aquaculture sectors.
- Established in 2016, FfD is responsible for coordinating all development projects supported by Norway in the field of fisheries and aquaculture.
- FfD is a result of the increased political focus on the marine and maritime area.



# FfD Programme Goals



Main partner countries are **Colombia**, Ghana og Myanmar.

Read more about our programme in our [annual report](#).

# Secretariat

The Secretariat in Norad coordinates all Norwegian development collaboration within fisheries and aquaculture. It reports to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MFA), which has overall political responsibility.

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## Institutional Cooperation Partners

### **Norwegian Partners**

- Directorate of Fisheries (Fdir)
- Institute of Marine Research (IMR)
- Norwegian Veterinary Institute (VI)

### **Colombian Partners**

- National Authority for Aquaculture and Fisheries (AUNAP) - management institution for the fisheries sector
- Colombian Agricultural Institute (ICA). institution with responsibility for aquatic animal health in the fish farming sector.

The Colombian Federation of Aquaculture Producers (FEDEACUA) has been involved throughout the work with the PD

# Improved sustainable socio-economic development for the Colombian fisheries and aquaculture sectors.

**Outcome 1:** Relevant governmental management institutions and academia have increased capacity and knowledge in subjects regarding sustainable fisheries management, aquaculture and aquatic animal health

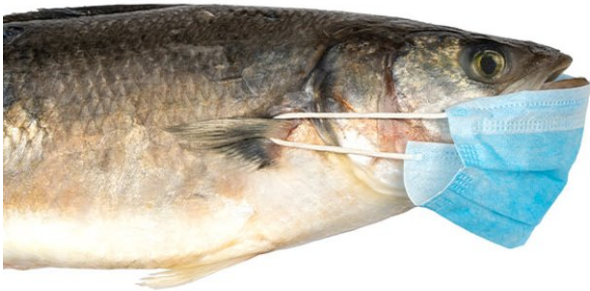
**Outcome 2:** Improved knowledge base for sustainable management of fisheries

**Outcome 3:** Improved capacity for sustainable development of aquaculture

**Outcome 4:** Regulatory Authorities have increased information about fishers and aquaculture producers

**Outcome 5:** Improved health management of farmed aquatic animals in Colombia

# Status of Institutional Cooperation



- Due to Covid-19 there have been delays - partners are working on the Project Document virtually
- Plan to sign institutional agreement early next year.

## Other FfD initiatives in Colombia

### Civil Society Section

#### **Improved Livelihoods in Aquaculture for Rural Youth in Caquetá, 2018 – 2023**

- Caritas Norway
- Budget: NOK 19 902 000

#### **Sustainable Fishing Practices: Reducing Poverty in Colombia, 2018 -2022**

- Conservation International
- Budget: 14 930 000

### Strategic Partnership

#### **Improving Productivity and Sustainability in the Tilapia Value Chain, 2019-2021**

- Caritas, PHARMAQ AS, Piscícola Botero and CCNC
- Budget: NOK 14 999 917