



GROWING FOR THE BETTER



The **SIFCA Foundation** has been working alongside **communities** for **11 years**.



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President of the Board of Directors of the SIFCA Foundation

After 50 years of contributing to the harmonious development of rural areas and the well-being of communities through numerous social actions, the SIFCA Group has decided to take its commitments even further by launching its own Foundation on 13 December 2014, right in the heart of the Banco National Park.

The Foundation, which became a not-for-profit association on 27 January 2016, mainly targets people living outside the SIFCA Group's West African sites.

It is subsidised to a large extent by the Group and its subsidiaries SAPH, PALMCI, SANIA, SUCRIVOIRE and SIPH, and receives other support from development partners for specific rural projects or any other aid that may enable it to do better.

Over the next few years, the SIFCA Foundation intends to do more to make communities happier.



Our Foundation has set itself the goal of contributing to food security through nutrition and helping to preserve the environment.

The challenge is to make a lasting contribution to the development of rural West Africa, which is currently suffering from an unprecedented exodus.

To achieve its objectives, our Foundation runs projects in 4 main areas, with a particular focus on women, young people and children.

Our areas of expertise



EDUCATION

Providing pupils with a balanced meal, combating child labour...



ENVIRONMENT

Protecting flora and fauna, promoting eco-citizenship...



WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT

Encouraging a return to cultivation market gardening and food production...



SPORT & HEALTH

Contributing to access to healthcare, promote sport...

Education: We are working to promote excellence and keep pupils in school



Construction, renovation and/or equipping of school infrastructure.



Setting up and supporting women's groups



Promoting excellence in schools

ELISEE DOESN'T KNOW THE SIFCA FOUNDATION

...AND NOW, he and his classmates enjoy a balanced meal every day in one of the canteens built by the Foundation.

Sport & Health: We contribute to access to health and promote sport's practice



Construction and renovation of health infrastructure and equipment



Construction and renovation of village's water pumps



Support to sport competitions



YEO DOESN'T KNOW THE SIFCA FOUNDATION

...AND NOW, he and his friends have access to drinking water thanks to one of the water pumps built or rehabilitated by the Foundation.

Empowering women: We provide sustainable support



Functional literacy and professional training



Support to income-generating activities



Capacity building



CHANTAL DOESN'T KNOW THE SIFCA FOUNDATION

...AND NOW, like thousands of rural women, her cooperative is thriving thanks to the training and support of the Foundation.

Environment: preserving biodiversity and forests



Protecting endangered species, training eco-guards, Building hatcheries and raising awareness



Increasing forest cover



Support to classified forest monitoring committees



OLIVATRE DOESN'T KNOW THE SIFCA FOUNDATION

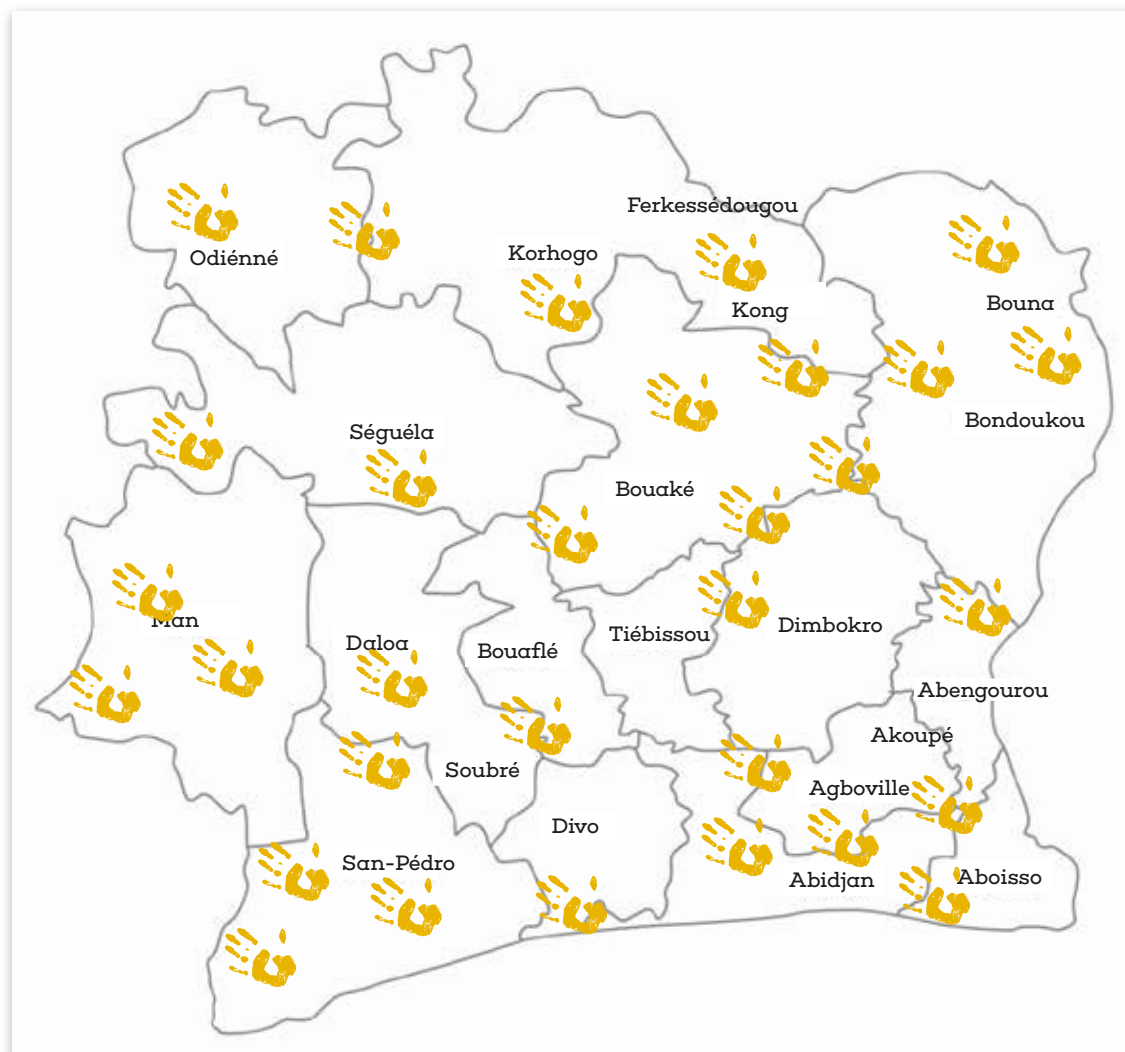
...AND NOW, more than a thousand turtles from the Olivatres family have returned to the sea, thanks to the Foundation's protection actions.



~400 projects completed since 2014

- ▶ **93** in Education
- ▶ **41** in Women's empowerment
- ▶ **16** in the Environment
- ▶ **73** in Sport & Health
- ▶ **~177** other food distribution projects and cultural activities

Our presence in **11 years...**





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