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The first Goal Project

The new national training centre in Croix-des-Bouquets, a suburb of the capital city of Port-au-Prince, was opened on 25 April 2002. The guests of honour included FIFA vice-president, Jack Warner, and Haiti's Minister for Sport, Herman Nau. The new training centre boasts a 300-person auditorium, 16 air-conditioned rooms to accommodate 32 persons, and a new pitch. The complex will allow the national association to implement a number of new projects and provide a base for the various national teams to prepare for international matches. By donating land for the training centre, the Haiti Government has also contributed to the successful construction of the centre. «In the past, we have lost a lot of talented players because we did not have the facilities that this new complex boasts,» explained the Minister for Sport in his address. However, he went on to say that he was sure that this would now change and boost football in his country.



Financing of Goal project

Project

National training centre in Port-au-Prince with offices, classrooms, dormitory and pitch

Project approved

13 February 2001

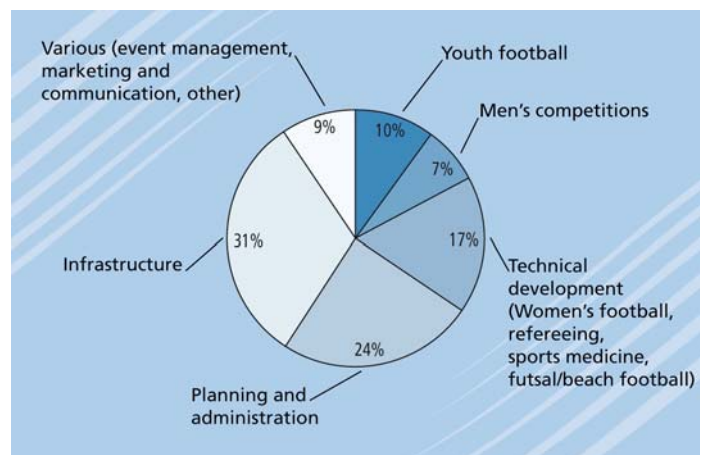
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Opened on 25 April 2002

Financed by

Goal	USD	747,883
Government	Land	
Total cost	USD	747,883

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Second Goal project

The development project approved by the Goal Bureau on 22 October 2008 includes the construction of accommodation for national teams and the completion and upgrading of offices and a women's dormitory, neither of which could be fully completed during the first stage (2002). The technical centre will be fully operational upon completion.

Use of FAP funds

Project

Upgrading and completion of the technical centre in Port-au-Prince

Project approved on

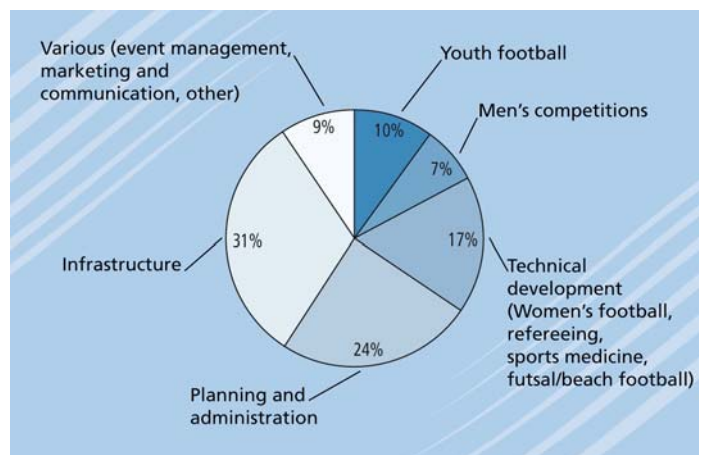
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Status

Implementation

Financed by

Goal	USD	400,000
Other sources	USD	88,099
Total cost	USD	488,099



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Third Goal project

The artificial turf pitch, which was approved by the *Goal* Bureau on 22 October 2008, will be part of the Haitian football academy that was built in Port-au-Prince under the country's first two *Goal* projects. Thanks to the addition of an all-weather pitch, players of all ages will be able to use the training centre all year round, which will also lead to the introduction of long-term training programmes.

Use of FAP funds

Project

Artificial turf pitch at national football academy in Port-au-Prince

Project approved on

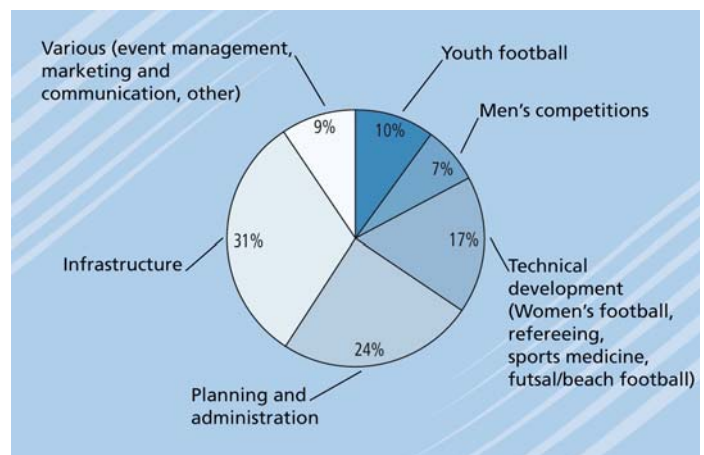
22 October 2008

Status

Implementation

Financed by

Goal	USD	400,000
Total cost	USD	400,000



Football education and courses	No of courses until 1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
FUTURO III regional courses																					
Refereeing (men and women)																					
Coaching (men)																					
Coaching (women)																					
Administration and management																					
Football medicine																					
Seminars																					
Women's football																	●				
Futsal																					
Com-Unity																					
MA Seminars																					
MA courses																					
Administration																					
Refereeing (men and women)																					
Coaching (men and women)																			●		
Beach soccer																					
Futsal																					
Olympic solidarity coaching courses		●	●				●										●				
Development courses and academies (1975 - 1990)	1		●						●					●							
FUTURO I-II courses for all football branches																					

●: Course host country

□: Course participant in another country

Women's football

When, in 1995, today's FIFA President said "The future of football is feminine", it was more than mere lip service. It reflected a strong belief in the huge potential that women's football has to develop. Ever since, FIFA has given targeted support for the efforts of associations who offer women the same opportunities to develop as male players. Launched in 1998, FIFA's Financial Assistance Programme (FAP) introduced a requirement in 2004 for the associations and confederations to invest at least 4% of their FAP funding into women's football. This threshold was increased to 10% in 2005. On top of this commitment, FIFA also promotes the women's game in more general ways by directly financing women's matches and organising competitions and symposiums. Thanks to its development programmes, FIFA is also playing an active role in the training of administrators, coaches, referees and sports doctors.

Does an organised women's football set-up exist?	yes
If so, since when?	2006
From which age on, players are registered?	n/a
Women's teams (open or over 16 years)	48
Women's teams (below 16 years, youth)	121
National competition (or women's league)	yes
Regional competitions	n/a
University competitions	n/a
School competitions	n/a
Futsal competitions	yes
National "A" team	yes
National youth teams: age categories	n/a

