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The first Goal Project

On 6 April 2002, FIFA President Joseph S. Blatter opened the House of Football in Lusaka in the presence of Norman Chibamba, the Zambian Minister of Sport. The funds were supplied by Goal, the FIFA Financial Assistance Programme and the Government, the latter also donating the land needed to realise the project. This new building will prove invaluable for the administrative work of the Zambian FA as all activities will be coordinated and conducted from one central location. Just a few years ago, Zambia were one of the leading lights in Southern African football, but the elite players of a whole football generation were lost in that tragic accident. Since that dark day, the national association has been working hard to rebuild football, which is easier said than done. This new House of Football is sure to give a boost to the Zambian game. A long-term development plan is currently being drafted.



Financing of Goal project

Project

National association headquarters in Lusaka

Project approved

4 July 2001

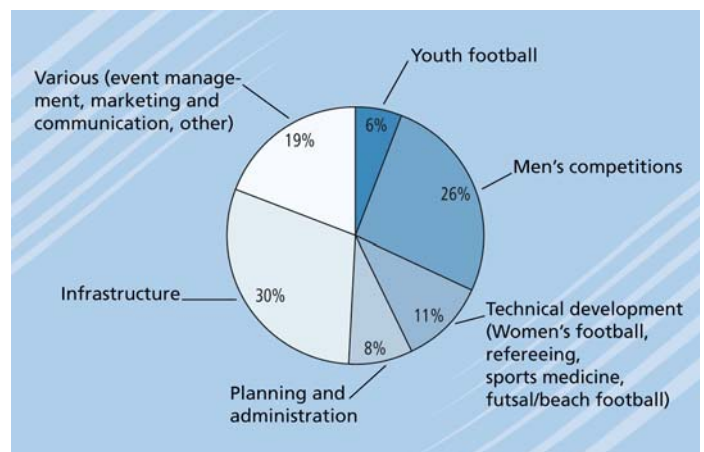
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Opened on 6 April 2002

Financed by

Goal	USD	400,000
FAP	USD	70,000
Government	USD	85,000 and land
Total cost	USD	555,000

Use of FAP funds



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The second Goal project

The inauguration of the House of Football in Lusaka, erected as part of the first Goal project, marked a big step forward in restoring FIFA member association Zambia to its former prominent position. The next logical step is to improve the sports facilities. On 22 September 2004, the Goal Bureau approved the construction of a national training centre in Lusaka, containing sports equipment as well as overnight accommodation facilities and conference rooms. The project is being financed by Goal and the FIFA Financial Assistance Programme. The land has been donated by the government.



Financing of Goal project

Project

National training centre In Lusaka

Project approved

22 September 2004

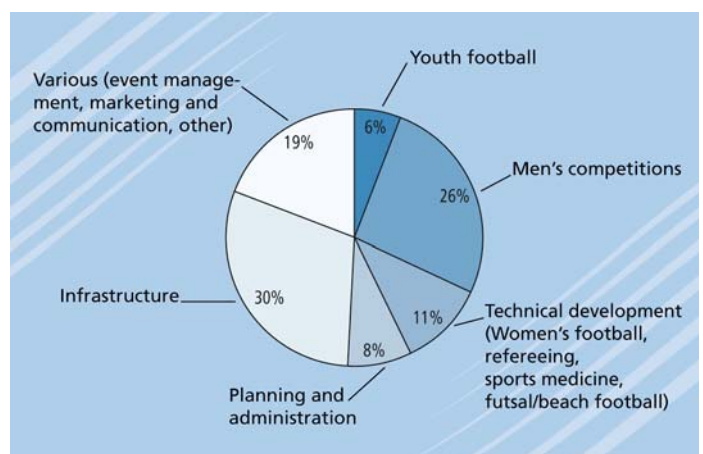
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Implementation

Financed by

Goal	USD	400,000
FAP	USD	85,000
Government	Land	
Total cost	USD	485,000

Use of FAP funds



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Third Goal project

The second phase of construction will see the completion of the national technical centre in Lusaka, which will significantly increase the Zambian association's scope for running football development programmes for youths and women. On 21 March 2007, the Goal Bureau allocated the necessary funds and the government supplied the necessary land free of charge.

Financing of Goal project

Project

Completion of technical centre in Lusaka

Project approved on

21 March 2007

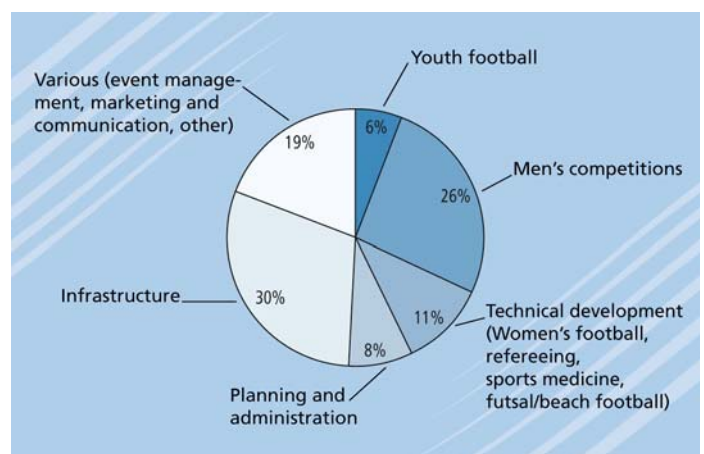
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Implementation

Financing

Goal	USD	400,000
Total cost	USD	400,000

Use of FAP funds



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)																					
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?	1983
From which age on, players are registered?	n/a
Women's teams (open or over 16 years)	100
Women's teams (below 16 years, youth)	112
National competition (or women's league)	yes
Regional competitions	yes
University competitions	no
School competitions	yes
Futsal competitions	no
National "A" team	yes
National youth teams: age categories	U-17, U-20

Win in Africa with Africa

Under this motto, FIFA is seeking to use football pointedly as a development tool. At the same time, the governing body is aiming to focus attention on Africa in the build-up to the 2010 FIFA World Cup™ and project a positive image of a continent that is working hard for its own development.. The Win in Africa with Africa campaign was endorsed by the FIFA Congress in Marrakesh and assigned a USD 70 million budget by the Congress in Munich.

At its heart lies the initiative to provide every African nation with an international-standard artificial turf pitch. The remainder of the eight-point programme is intended to develop domestic competitions, train African sports executives, promote sports medicine and address topical issues relating to the FIFA World Cup™ in South Africa.

Further information on *Win in Africa with Africa*:
http://www.fifa.com/mm/goalprojectWinAF_E.pdf



The Independence Stadium in Lusaka before the installation of an all-weather football turf pitch.

