

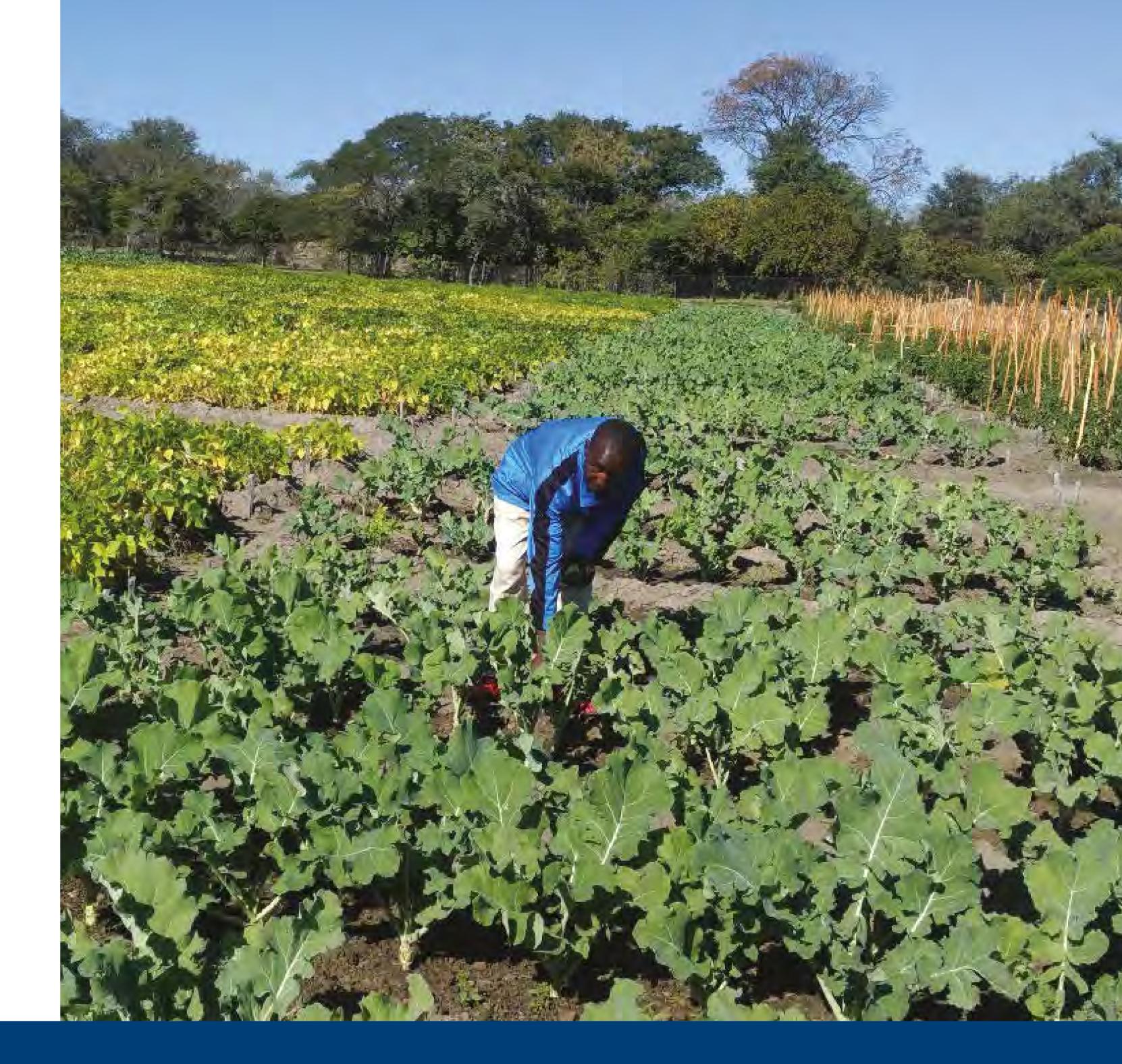
FOOD ASSISTANCE FOR ASSETS (FFA) PROGRAM ZIMBABWE

Reducing the number of people needing food assistance in drought-prone areas by constructing community assets that enhance future food security

Implementing Partners: World Food Program, World Vision International, Cultivating New Frontiers in Agriculture

USAID Investment: \$50 million since 2011

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Constructing community-based assets that enhance food security and diversify livelihoods for food insecure households

• Building irrigation systems, dip tanks, fishponds, cattle sales pens, dams, etc.



Helping local communities create, manage, and maintain their own assets

• Establishing and equipping community-based committees (Project Implementation Teams and Asset Management Committees) with both software and hardware skills



Allocating leadership roles in community-based committees that manage day-to-day construction

- Increasing skills and raising confidence through training
- Improving livelihoods by ensuring that at least 50% of beneficiaries are women



Partnering with other donors, such as the Swiss and the Japanese Governments

 Constructing community assets in the same communities that complement each other