

AQUA NAM



INTRODUCTION

The AquaNam project utilizes aquaponics, which is a horticulture production system which combines aquaculture (cultivating aquatic creatures in tanks) with hydroponics, a method which uses the nutrient rich aquaculture water to feed hydroponically grown plants; the fish used in this grow system are also suitable for consumption.

TARGET IMPACTS

- ✓ Build a commercially viable network of aquaponics farms owned and operated by SMEs, producing a greater variety of well-priced vegetables for local consumption.
- ✓ Increase the awareness, acceptance and technical skills related to aquaponics and entrepreneurship.

STATISTICS



Unemployment rate in Mariental as of 2018:
45%



Mariental enrolment rate post primary school
level : 27%



Higher cost for produce in Mariental compared to Windhoek: 80%



Average Namibian monthly minimum wage:
N\$1565

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