



The Vitamin A from Mangoes (VitAngo) partnership, a partnership between local and international NGOs, and a network of primary and secondary schools initiated in the Lake Victoria Basin in Western Kenya, seeks to reduce vitamin A deficiency and generate income by promoting preservation, increasing production and solar drying of mangoes, improving marketing mechanisms in an environmentally friendly and sustainable way, and improving agroforestry education in schools and communities. The programme will also include nutrition, business and agroforestry education in schools and communities. Schools will become accessible resource centres for local communities and small enterprise models for the commercialisation of dried fruits. VitAngo will bring together viable applicable technology, capital and know-how to leverage entrepreneurial talent and accelerate the commercialisation of fruit products and solar drying technologies. If successful, the partnership model has the potential to be replicated across many parts of Africa.

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