Savings –led microfinance in South Sudan
Survey Findings- Overview

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Village Savings and Loans Associations (VSLA) is the most reported approach.
Target Populations

- Most organizations target women, men, youth and rural farmers.
Integration of Savings Groups in other sectors

• 47% of the organizations have integrated savings groups in agriculture and livelihoods interventions, while 21% reported to have implemented stand alone microfinance projects.

• Almost 32% of organizations have integrated microfinance in some of the projects
Savings Groups Integration in other Sectors

- Savings groups are largely integrated in agriculture and education interventions.
- Other sectors include fisheries, nutrition, Early Childhood Development, health and WASH
Key Trainings Provided to Savings Groups

- Most organizations include savings groups and business management training in microfinance interventions.
- Other trainings include financial and adult literacy.
Savings-led microfinance outreach

• Microfinance projects are being implemented in 29 counties of 18 states
• Projects have organized 27,586 active members in approximately 1,100 savings groups with 21,315 women active members.
• Total savings accumulated amount to USD529,448, October 2017 to September 2018
## Funding Sources

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