

BINDURI

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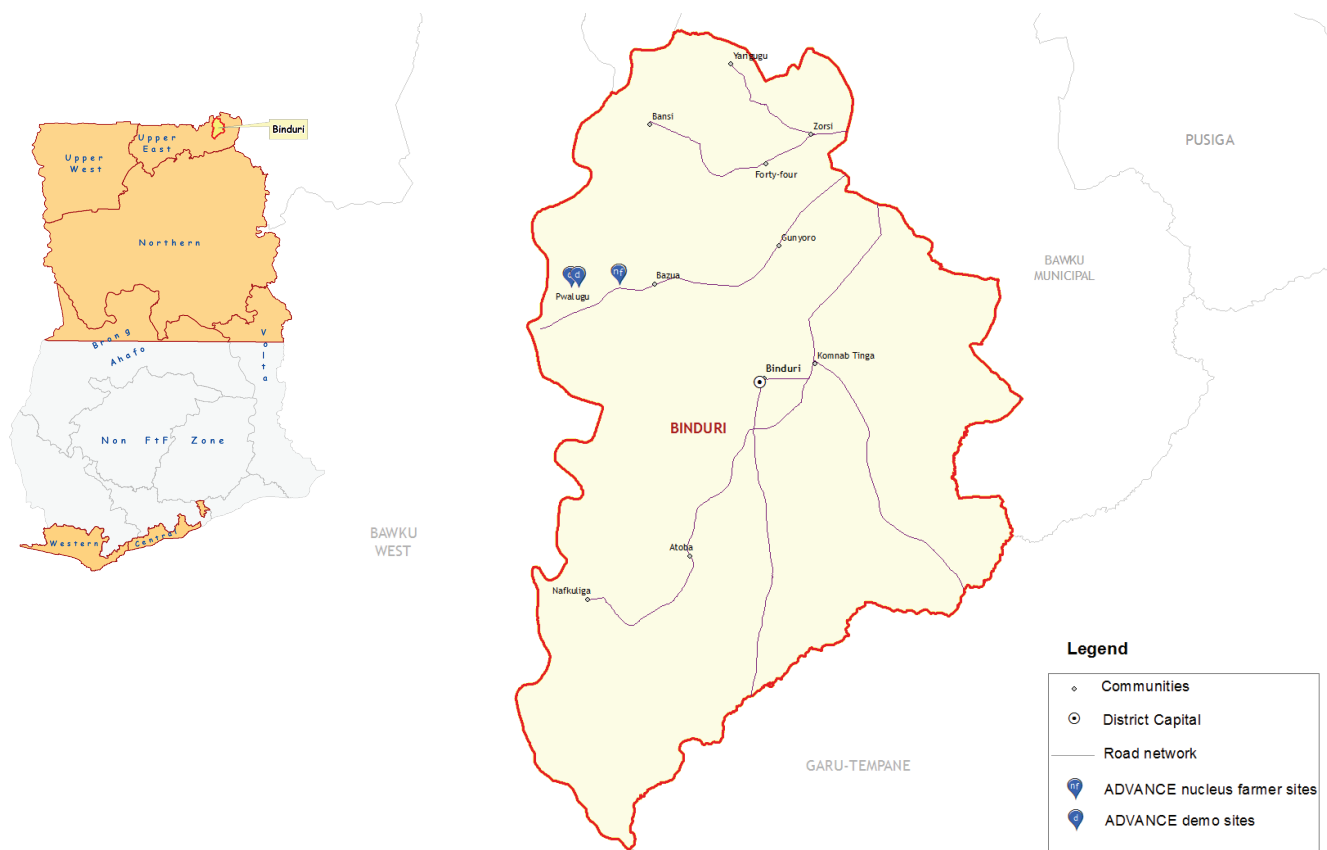
Binduri is one of the districts in the Upper East Region. It shares boundaries with Burkina Faso to the north, Garu-Tempene District to the south, Bawku Municipality to the east and Bawku West District to the west. The district covers a total land area of 391.91 square kilometers and has a population of 66,335 inhabitants, out of which 34,434 are females and 31,901 are males. Average household size is 6.6. The boxes below contain relevant economic indicators such as per capita expenditures and poverty prevalence, for a better understanding of its development.

Poverty Prevalence 25%

Poverty Depth 4.9%

Daily per capita expenditure 2.74 USD

Total Population of the Poor 9,021





This section contains data and information related to USAID sponsored interventions in Binduri

Table I: USAID Projects Info, Binduri, 2014-2016

Beneficiaries Data	2014	2015	2016
Direct Beneficiaries	374	1,190	2,419
Male	187	550	1,331
Female	187	640	1,088
Undefined			
Nucleus Farmers	1	2	n/a
Male	1	2	n/a
Female			
Undefined			
Demoplots	4	7	n/a
Male	4	3	
Female		1	
Undefined		3	
Production			
Maize Gross Margin USD/ha	n/a	593.9	n/a
Maize Yield MT/ha	n/a	2.97	n/a
Rice Gross Margin USD/ha	n/a	936.7	n/a
Rice Yield MT/ha	n/a	3.76	n/a
Investment and Impact			
Ag. Rural loans		7,315	
USAID Projects Present	1		
Beneficiaries Score	1.0	2.0	2.0
Presence Score 2014-2016	1.4		
District Flag 2014-2016	Yellow		

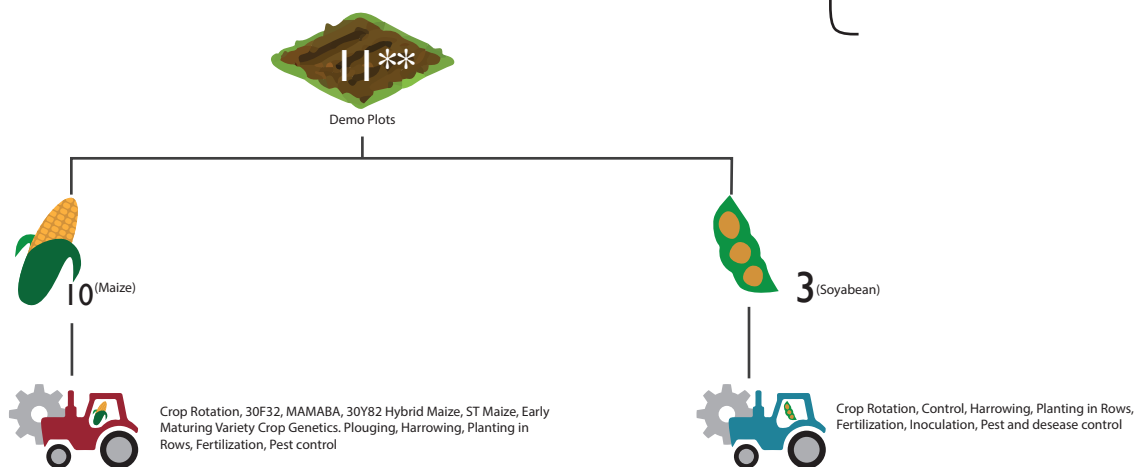
Source: USAID Project Reporting, 2014-2015

Binduri accounted for a decent number of beneficiaries during 2015-2016. Only four demo plots have been established to provide training about new technologies to the beneficiaries and two nucleus farmers are operating in the area. No agricultural loans have been distributed through the support of USAID as shown in Table I.

As a result of the aforementioned, the presence score in Binduri is 1.4 out of 4. This shows that the intervention there is below average, as compared to other districts. In addition, there is not enough information to assign a district flag.

Figure 1 shows gross margins and yields of beneficiaries for maize and rice.

Infographic I: Demo Plots in Binduri, 2014-2015



Source: USAID Project Reporting, 2014, 2015

The presence calculation includes the number of direct beneficiaries and Agricultural Rural Loans.

* "Direct Beneficiary, an individual who comes in direct contact with a set of interventions" FTF Handbook, 2016

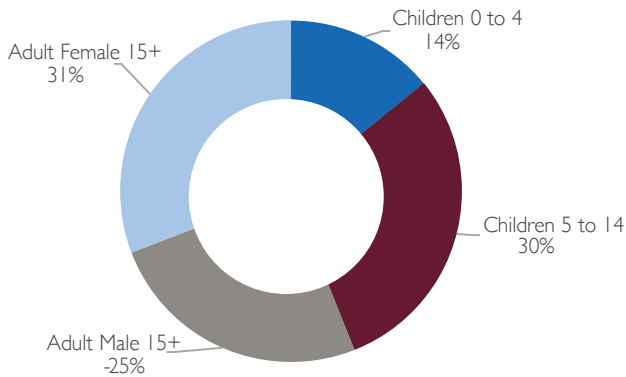


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DEMOGRAPHICS & WEATHER

This section contains facts and figures related to Binduri demographics, religious affiliation, literacy and weather indicators

Figure 1: Household composition in Binduri, 2015



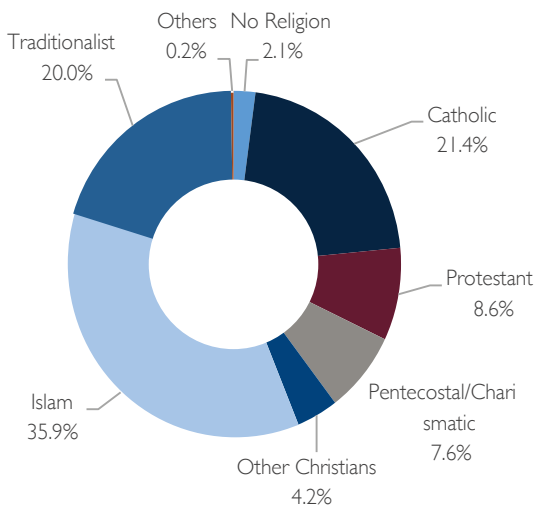
Source: PBS, 2015, Kansas State University, METSS

Binduri has a total population of 66,335 of which 34,434 are females and 31,901 are males.

Average household size in the district is 6.6 persons.* The district has a total land size of about 391.91 sq km. Binduri lies in the tropical continental climacteric zone.

Average precipitation and temperature are similar to the other districts in the Upper East. Figure 5 shows average maximal and minimal temperatures as well as yearly average precipitation.

Figure 2: Religious Affiliation, Binduri, 2010

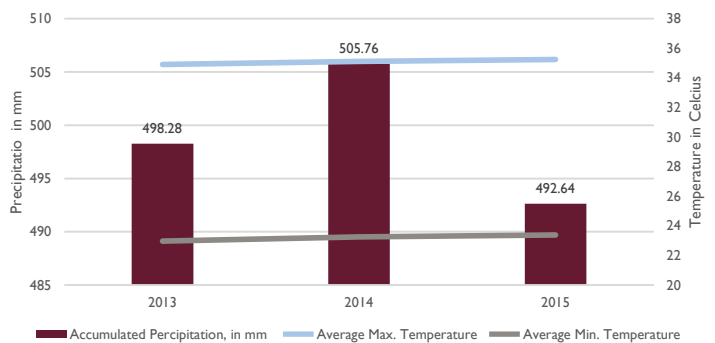


Source: Binduri Analytical Report, GSS, 2010

Binduri has a relatively young population as Figure 1 shows, with 44% of the population falling in the age range: 0 to 15 years old.

In terms of religious affiliation, 41.8% of the population are Christians followed by Muslims (35.9%) and Traditionalists (20%). For more details refer to Figure 3.

Figure 3: Average Accumulated Precipitation in mm and Average Temperature in Celcius, in Binduri, 2013 - 2015



Source: Ghanalinks, www.ghanalinks.org, 2016

All data and information including full citations can be accessed at www.ghanalinks.org



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DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

This section contains discussion questions and potential research topics as a result of the data and analysis presented on Binduri District

QUESTION I

Given Binduri's figures presented in this profile where should development focus on in the following years?

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