

# Introduction & Overview of the Ghanalinks.org KM Portal

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# Background

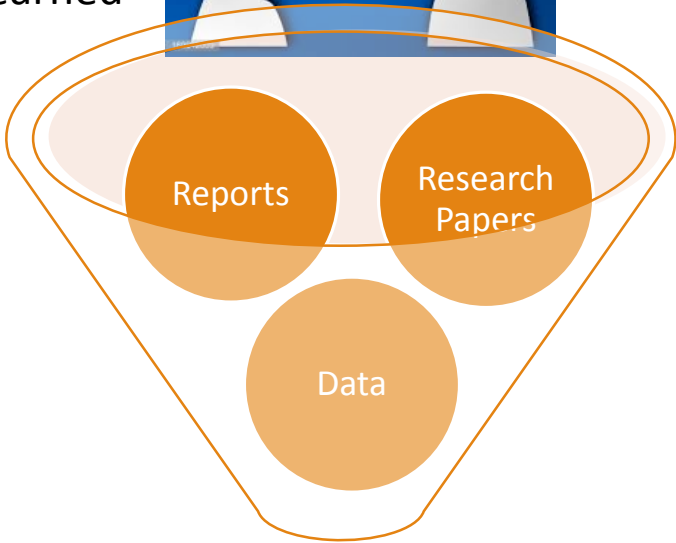
From USAID projects, GoG - MOFA, GSS, other sources

Presentations  
Lessons Learned



Experiences

Manuals/handbooks/guides



**Need for a Centralized Platform for USAID Ghana, Implementing Partners and Stakeholders for Effective Decision Making**

Evidence-based decision



Effective Knowledge Sharing, Results, Collaboration, Learning, Decision Making – Avoid Duplication  
Right place, right time, less time in finding information



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# Overview – What is the Ghanalinks.org portal?



**Ghanalinks.org KM portal**

[www.Ghanalinks.org](http://www.Ghanalinks.org)

527 registered users (as at September 25, 2017) from USAID, partners and stakeholders.

Ghanalinks.org is an online knowledge management portal that seeks to make data, information and knowledge more accessible for stakeholders in Ghana and elsewhere for effective decision making.



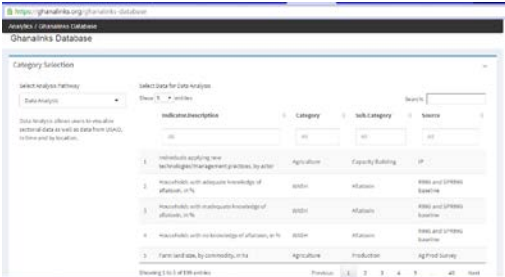
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# Overview – What does Ghanalinks.org offer?

## Analytics



- 1. Ghanalinks.org database**
  - About than **200 datasets** on poverty, nutrition, population, per capita expenditure, yield, production, gross margin, WASH etc
  - Viewed at district, regional, ZOI, etc levels
  - Data year covers, 2008-2015
  - Data can be downloaded - tables, maps, charts-CSV, pdf

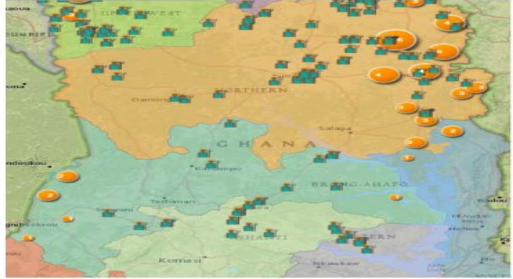


- 2. Poverty and Nutrition dashboard**
  - Data analysis of 2012 and 2015 PBS data e.g stunting, underweight, per capita, WEAI



- 3. FinGAP Investment Mapping System** - Map specifies infrastructure type and opportunities for investment in agriculture

## Where we Work



- 4. Feed the Future Activity Map**
  - 34 Layers** on poverty, nutrition, population, per capita expenditure, yield, production, gross margin, etc
  - Viewed at district, regional, ZOI, etc levels
  - Maps and data can be downloaded as pdf and CSV separately



- 5. RING**
  - Map specifies where RING communities and interventions are.



- 6. SPRING**- Map provides data related to the health facilities and communities where SPRING has works

# Overview – What does Ghanalinks.org offer?- Cont'd

## 7. eLibrary

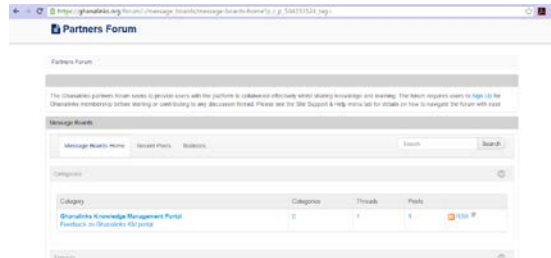


About **449 reports and other resources** on poverty, nutrition, population, per capita expenditure, yield, production, gross margin, etc

- Downloadable
- Searchable
- Subscribe to receive any report and other resources

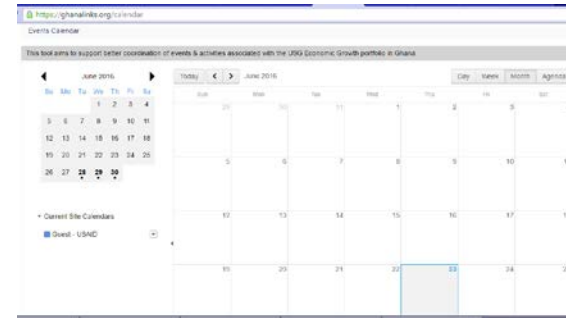
## 8. Forum

- The Ghanalinks partners forum seeks to provide users with the platform to collaborate effectively whilst sharing knowledge and learning.



## 11. Did you Know?

## 9. Calendar



- This tool aims to support better coordination of events & activities associated with USG Assistance in Ghana.
- Public and restricted views

## 12. Welcome

This Page has links to all pages on the portal.

## 10. USAID projects

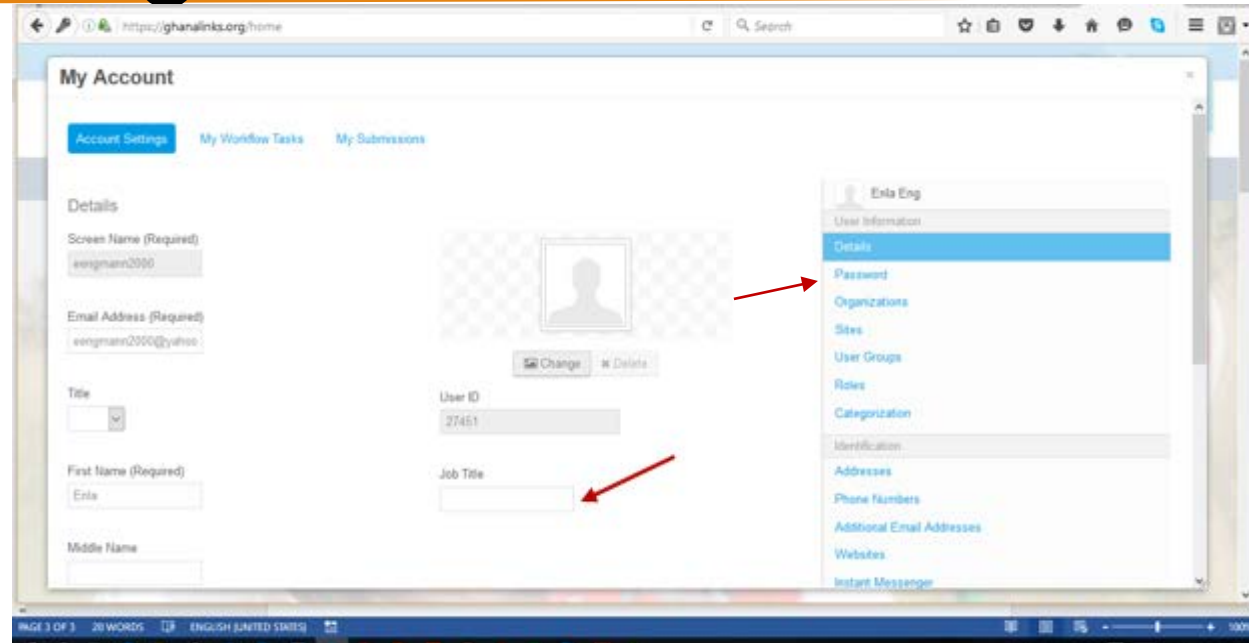
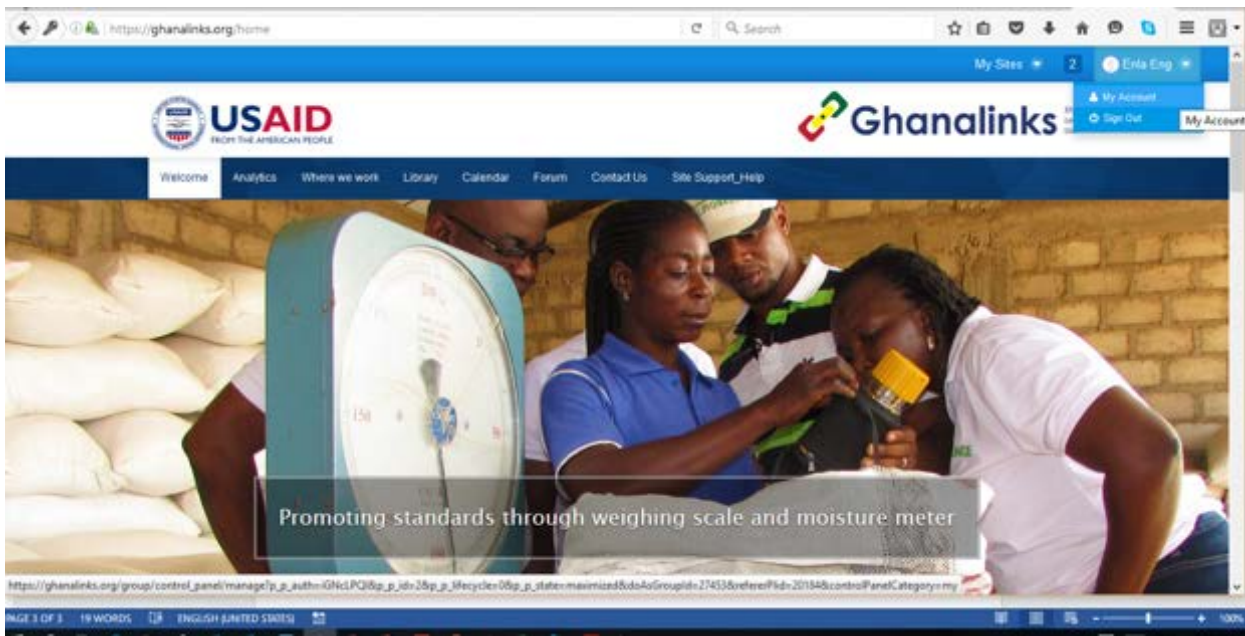
Provides a quick reference to USAID projects and resources



## 13. Help and Contact

Help provides guidance for users. Users can contact the METSS team at [ghanalinks@metssghana.org](mailto:ghanalinks@metssghana.org)

# Overview – Access and Registration



- Register at <http://www.Ghanalinks.org>
- Await approval email and log-in
- You can use all aspects without logging-in except *the forum and some Calendar events.*

## Edit Account details

Edit password and job detail

Forgot Password if forgotten– Reset



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# Walkthrough / Hands-on

## Walkthrough – Brief overview of all features



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# Walkthrough / Hands-on – Cont'd

## 1. Database :

- Search for some datasets at the district, regional and/or ZOI level.
- View, Export/Download table, map and chart

## 3. eLibrary

- Browse by Type
- Sort by
- Download
- Search using AND or OR

## 2. Feed the Future Activity Map

- Explore layers
- Search for a district
- View, Export table and map

## 4. Forum

- Respond to a Post
- Post a thread





For more information, please visit [www.Ghanalinks.org](http://www.Ghanalinks.org)

