

## Mali Compact Progress

- ★ **Alatona Irrigation Project:** Procurement actions were launched for the agricultural systems development services, upgrades to the main water conveyance system and construction of irrigation canals, as well as the supervision of irrigation construction and design of social infrastructure such as health clinics and schools.
- ★ A local NGO is providing communication and coordination assistance to 800 families in preparation for their relocation to new villages which are adjacent to the irrigated land parcels they will receive as part of their resettlement compensation package.
- ★ The Niono-Goma Coura road construction and supervision contracts are expected to be signed in late October or early

November; road resettlement compensation will be complete by December 2008 when construction is scheduled to begin.

- ★ **Bamako-Sénou Airport Improvement Project:** Selection of design and supervision consultants for airside and landside activities is underway with mobilization projected for December 2008. Airside construction activities are scheduled to start in 2009
- ★ *Note: The Mali Compact was formally restructured due to escalating global construction costs, currency fluctuations, and feasibility and operational efficiencies. Funds formerly designated for the Industrial Park Project have been dedicated towards the completion of the Airport Project, as requested by the Government of Mali.*

### Compact At-A-Glance

Signed ..... 11/13/2006

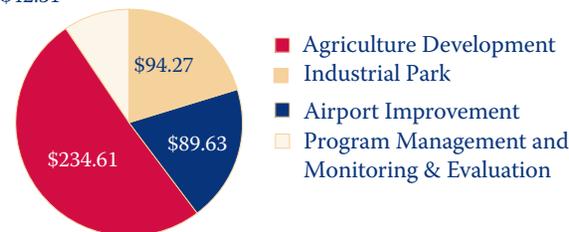
Entry Into Force..... 9/17/2007

The five-year, \$460.8 million compact will increase the productivity of agriculture.

The compact will expand Mali's access to markets and trade through key infrastructure investments that capitalize on the Bamako-Sénou Airport and the Niger River for irrigated agriculture.

### Obligations by Project

in millions  
\$42.31



\$59,614,246 total contract commitments  
\$10,300,831 disbursed to date

### Country At-A-Glance

Population..... 11,995,402\*

GNI per Capita ..... \$500\*



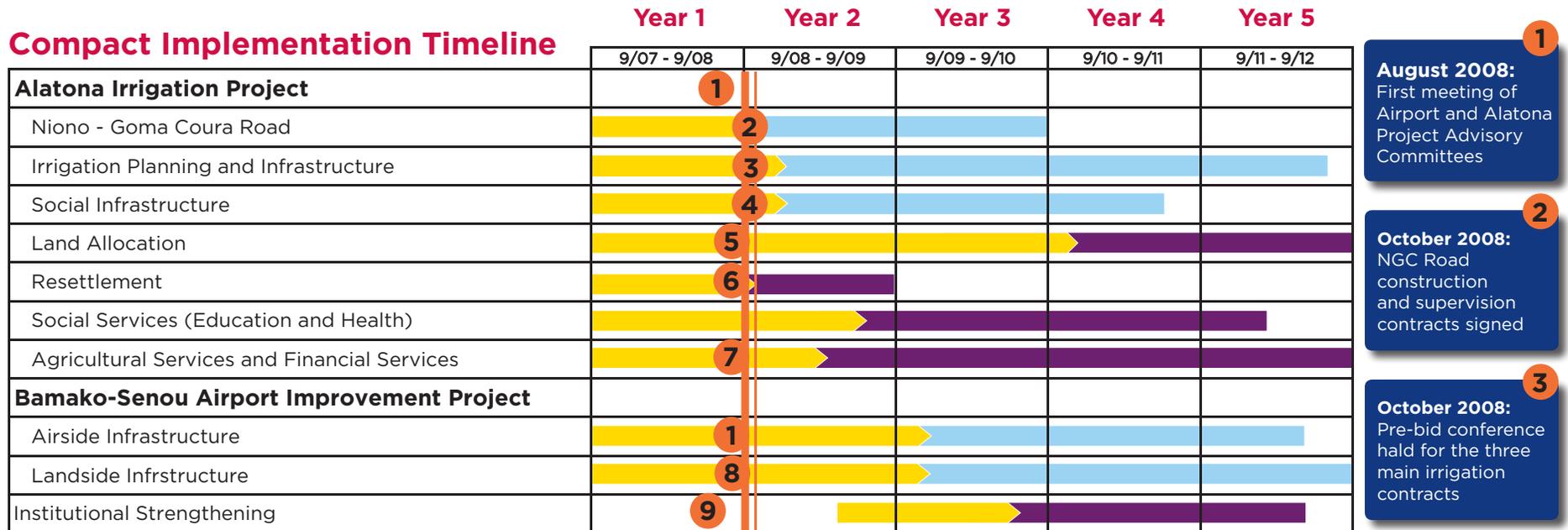
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## Compact Implementation Timeline



- 1 **August 2008:** First meeting of Airport and Alatona Project Advisory Committees
- 2 **October 2008:** NGC Road construction and supervision contracts signed
- 3 **October 2008:** Pre-bid conference held for the three main irrigation contracts

■ Project Preparation  
■ Construction - Infrastructure  
■ Project Activities - Other Sectors

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**October, 2008**  
**Disbursements to Date..... \$10,300,831**  
**Total Contract Commitments..... \$59,614,246**

- 4 **October 2008:** Significant advancement on the design of social infrastructure for Alatona Villages (housing, schools, health centers, etc.)
- 5 **September 2008:** Land selection criteria finalized for 5-10 ha parcels
- 6 **September 2008:** Local NGO signs contract for preparation of resettlement implementation in the Alatona zone
- 7 **September 2008:** Key procurement for agricultural services launched
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- 9 **August 2008:** MCA requests institutional strengthening proposals from key aviation agencies

\* For more information on country proposals, due diligence, program set-up, implementation and monitoring, and ongoing impact, please see the diagram entitled *Typical MCC Program Cycle* at [www.mcc.gov](http://www.mcc.gov).