

# Construction of a greenhouse complex

Aqmola Region



## PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The project involves the construction of a greenhouse complex for growing tomatoes, cucumbers, eggplants, and leafy lettuce.

**Investment amount:** 7.0 billion tenge

**Land area for construction:** 10-15 hectares

**Production capacity:** 7,000 tons per year

**Estimated payback period:** 5 years

## JUSTIFICATION OF FEASIBILITY

Kazakhstan is currently unable to provide itself with vegetables during the off-season, especially in the winter period. The lion's share of the domestic market is occupied by imported products from China and Uzbekistan. Of the total volume of vegetables sold in markets and supermarkets, only 20% comes from Kazakhstani products.

Currently, the population's demand for vegetable crops is as follows: tomatoes and cucumbers — 87,000 tons during the off-season, from November to June inclusive.

90% of all greenhouses in Kazakhstan are concentrated in the Almaty, Kyzylorda, and Turkestan regions.

## GOVERNMENT SUPPORT MEASURES

**Land for construction:** provided by the district akimat

**Tax and customs preferences:** exemption from customs duties, value-added tax on imported raw materials and technological equipment under the investment contract

**Infrastructure provision:** electricity supply, heating supply, water supply and sewage, railway siding as part of the Unified Comprehensive Program for supporting and developing small and medium-sized businesses

**Preferential lending:** preferential financing provided by development institutions