OPENING THE PROGRAMME IN NEW COUNTRIES

AVN's programme aims to meet the expectations and needs of as many people as possible in Sahelian Africa (and elsewhere) in terms of adaptation of the construction and housing sectors. AVN relies on an architectural concept validated by the populations concerned, and a range of proven mechanisms for deploying the green construction market at local, regional and national scales.

To extend its programme to new countries with dry climates, AVN offers three alternative intervention proposals:

- the implementation of the methodology for the territorial deployment of the NV market in at least one region and three municipalities;
- the deployment of this methodology in multi-stakeholder projects (integrated approach);
- the development of a pilot construction project offering good visibility, making it possible to promote the architectural concept and its dissemination to decision-makers and operators.



STRONG POINTS OF THE PROPOSAL

- An experience of more than 20 years in six West African countries;
- The capacity to respond to growing needs given the challenges (demographic, climatic, economic, environmental, etc.);
- The ability to assess feasibility, stakeholder interest and market potential;
- A capacity for rapid implementation of training activities and construction projects thanks to internationally available skills (artisan masons, trainer masons, project managers, etc.);
- The mobilisation of a network of partners and the enhancement of the recognition of the AVN programme;
- A proven territorial deployment methodology based on operator partners from civil society, well established in the areas of intervention, as well as institutional decision-makers and technical and financial partners;

- Dual training courses and materials adapted to vulnerable young rural people and to all actors in an emerging eco-construction sector;
- The capacity to integrate this territorial deployment methodology into multi-actor projects (integrated approach).



EXAMPLES OF INSERTION IN INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT SYSTEMS

- Rural development
- Vocational training and employment
- Climate adaptation and mitigation
- Water, sanitation and hygiene
- Gender
- Public policies
- Infrastructures

DOCUMENTATION



Results and impacts

Nubian Vault eco-construction

(Pre-Operational Guide)

Map of potential deployment areas (FR)

