

Flour Milling and Blending Systems for Wheat, Sorghum and Millet



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Produce a premium wheat, sorghum and millet flour close to production areas

This technology comprises milling and blending systems that enable the production of premium flour products in both rural and urban areas. Different milling systems are available, meeting industry standards.

This technology is **TAAT1 validated**.

 Scaling readiness: idea maturity: 7/9; level of use: 7/9

Cost: \$ \$ 3,500 USD		ROI: \$ \$ 12—15 %	
For small flour mill machine with a capacity of 300 - 500 kg flour per hour		increase in milling yield	
38,000 USD	80—82 %	18—20 %	IP
Base price for a fully automatic flour mill with a capacity of 30 ton flour per day	maximal recovery of flour	maximal recovery of bran	Open source / open access

Problem

- The traditional grinding and cooking of millet and sorghum grains are associated with significant time, energy burden, and labor intensity.
- Transport and cost issues arise in the distribution of raw grain to rural consumers.
- A lack of value addition to raw grain for products sold in urban markets and food processing.

Solution

- The milling and blending systems automate the process, saving time, energy, and labor.
- They reduce the necessity to transport raw grain over long distances, lowering costs for rural consumers.
- The flour processing adds value to raw grain.

Key points to design your business plan

To use this technology, consider:

- Costs include around 3,500 USD for a small manual mill
- Approximately 38,000 USD for a fully automatic mill with a 30-ton daily capacity.
- Training on safety and quality is important, and key partners involve agro dealers or manufacturers.
- Estimating profit is crucial for implementation.

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Technology from
ProPAS

Commodities
Sorghum/Millet, Wheat

Sustainable Development Goals

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Best used with

- [Millet and Sorghum Varieties for Better Nutrition and Stress Resistance >](#)

