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Demobilisation, Disarmament and Reintegration (DDR) Programme

Mogadishu, Somalia

Phase II

A Survey Conducted Two Months after the First Micro-Grant Was Provided to Business Development Participants

Summary

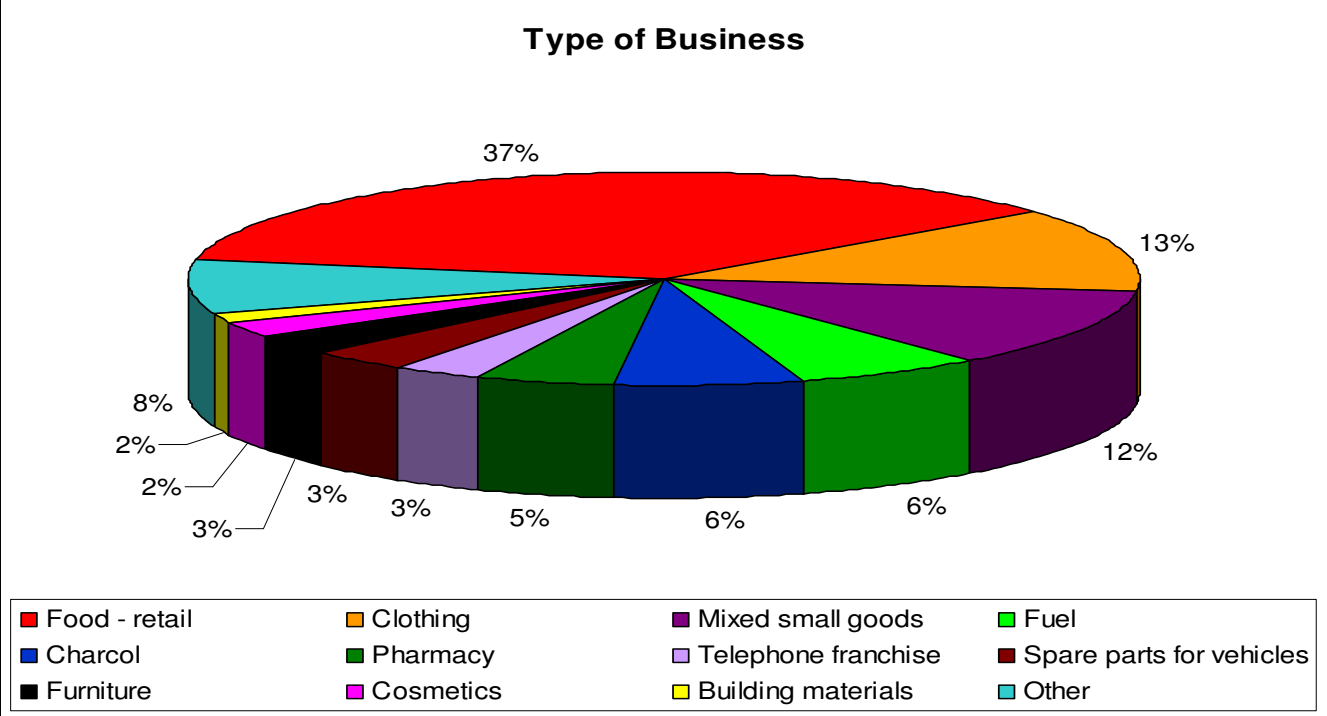
A phased-up DDR programme began in December 2005 for 512 freelance militiamen – drawn equally from all 16 districts of Mogadishu.

One hundred and twenty seven of the militiamen chose to specialise in business development – whereby each participant would receive a phased micro-grant totalling US \$440. After 3-months of Literacy and Numeracy Training (LNT) and 2-months of specialised Business Principles and Practice (BPP) training, the first grant of US \$200 was provided to the participants.

This short survey was conducted 2-months after the initial micro-grant, and was designed to collect data on the effectiveness of the grant to date; and to analyse which participants should receive the second tranche of the micro-grant.

Below is a summary of the results.

What was the type of business?

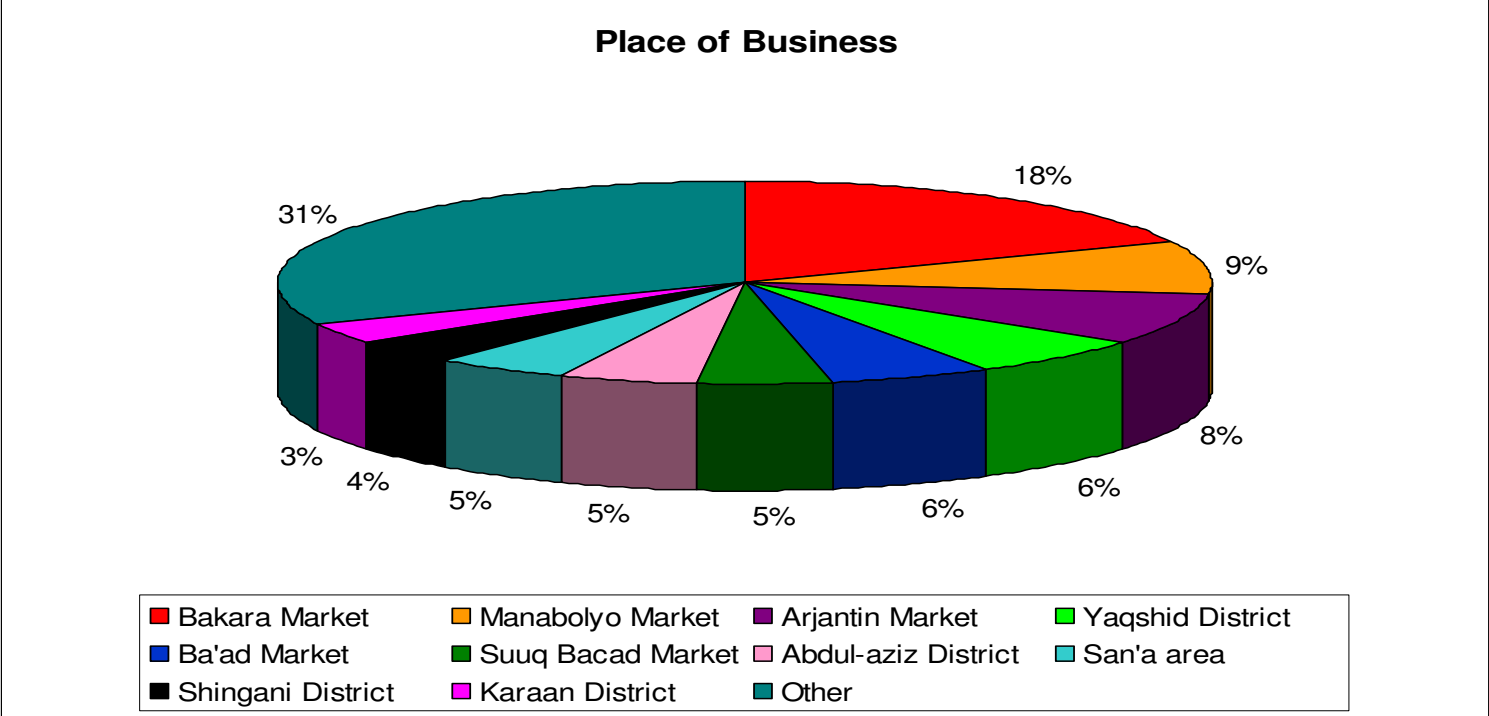


“Other” included:

- Seed grinding business (1)
- Food wholesaler (1)
- Bicycle Rental business (1)
- Electrical Business (1)
- Banana business (1)

- Shoe business (1)
- Salt business (1)
- Bedding business (1)
- Bookshop (1)
- Camel meat business (1)

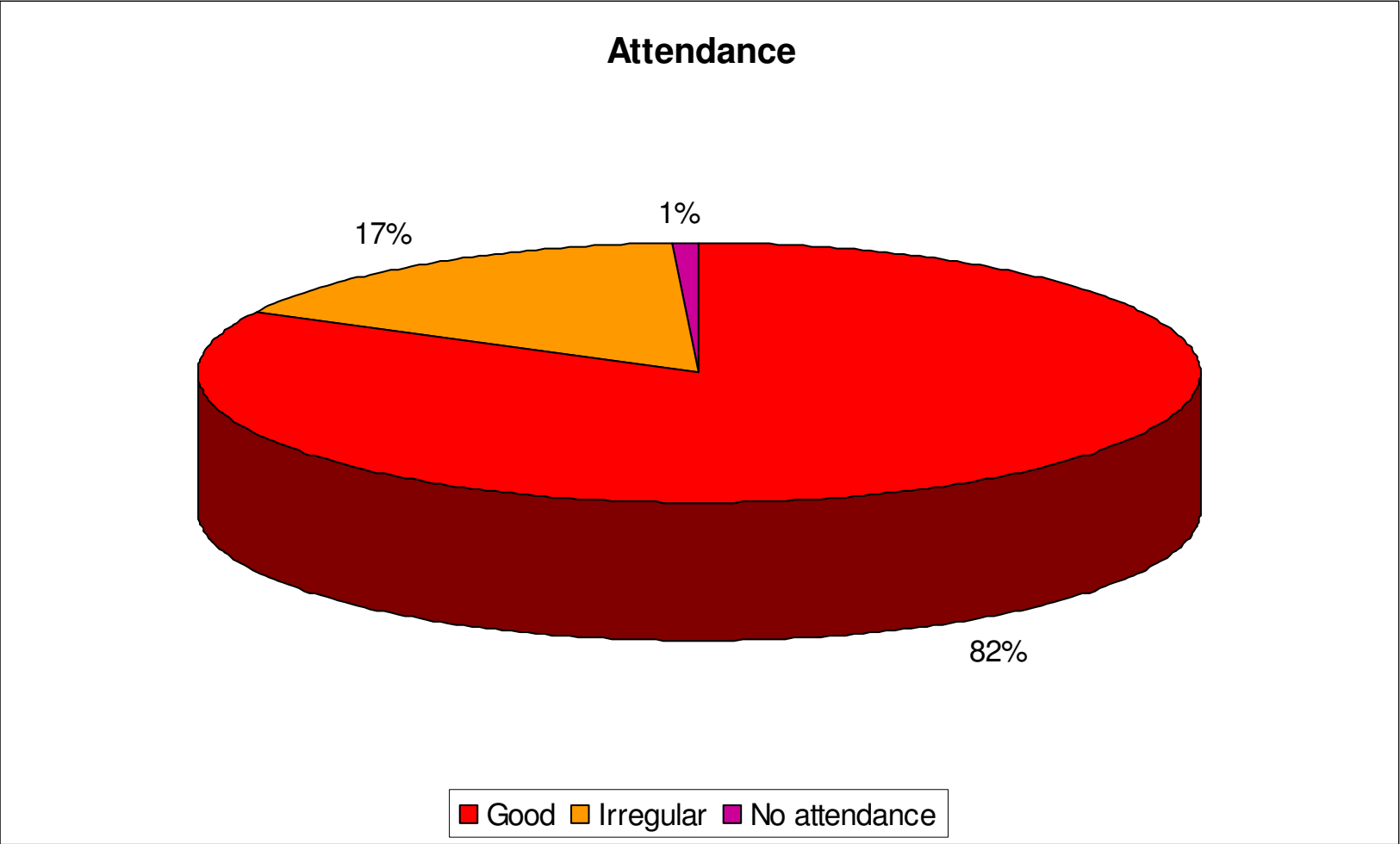
What was the place of business?



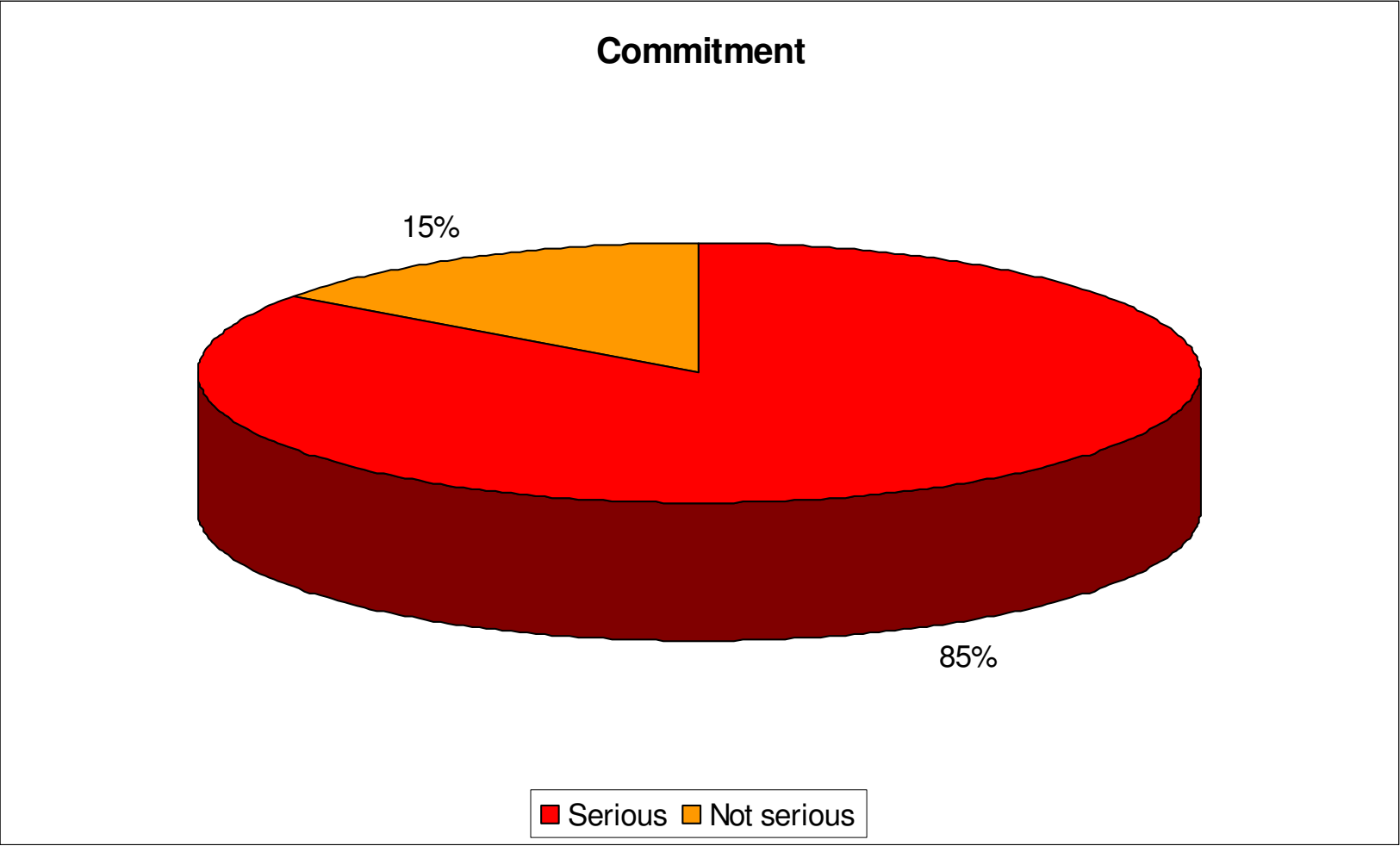
“Other” included:

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| Sii Sii area (3) | Jamhuriya Market (2) | Bar Ubah area (2) | Wadajir District (1) | Wardhigley District (1) |
| Taleh area (3) | Hawl-wadag District (2) | Behani area (2) | Jungle market (1) | Ifka Halan area (1) |
| Hamar-weyne District (3) | SOS area (2) | Ageto Market (1) | Warberi District (1) | Kpp Market (1) |
| Towfiq Market (2) | Black Sea market (2) | Heliwaa District (1) | Lafwayn area (1) | Fagax area (1) |
| Sanca Market (2) | Shibis District (2) | Huriwa area (1) | Bexani Market (1) | |

Has the participant attended his business regularly?

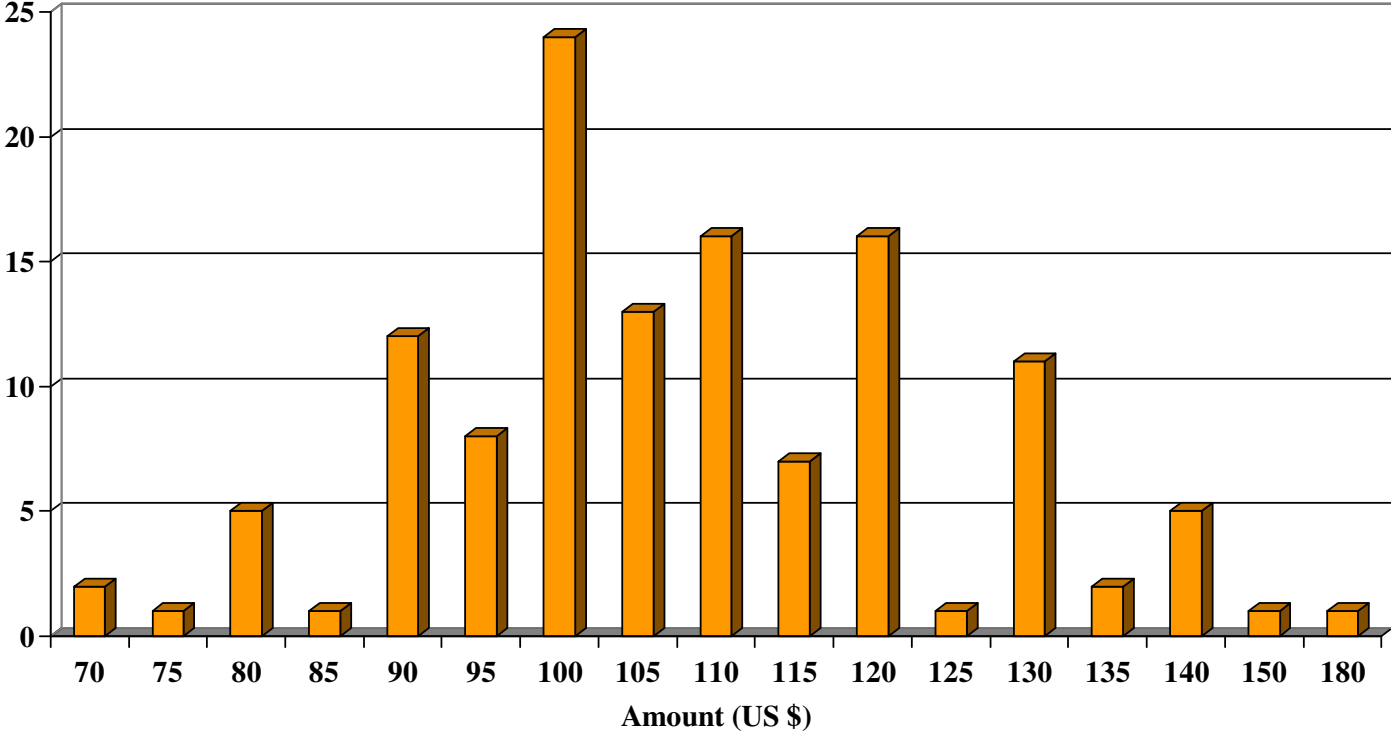


In your opinion, is the participant taking the business opportunity seriously?



What was the monthly turnover that was achieved?

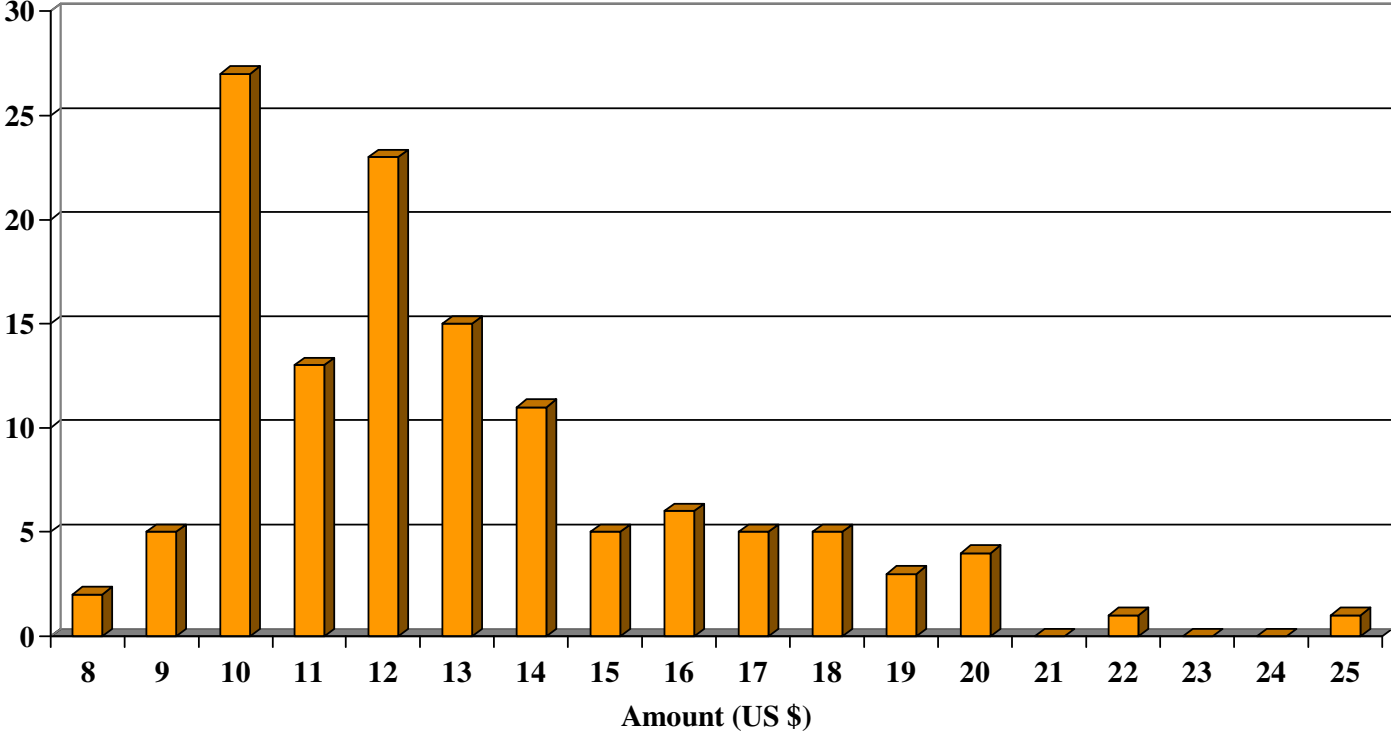
Monthly Turnover



* After the first US \$200 micro-grant tranche (2-months of business trading), the average monthly turnover per business was US \$108

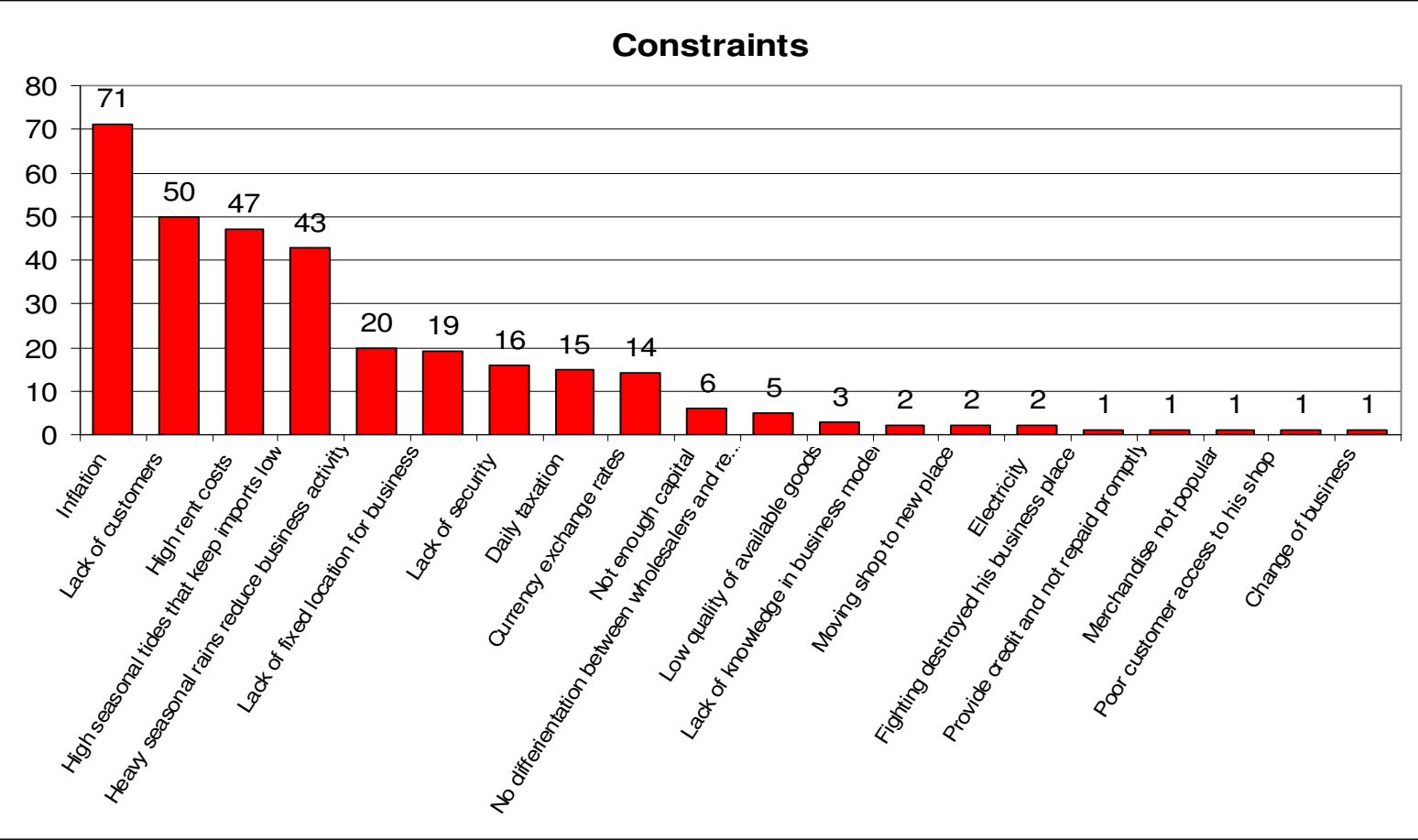
What was the monthly take-home profit that was achieved?

Monthly Take-Home Profit



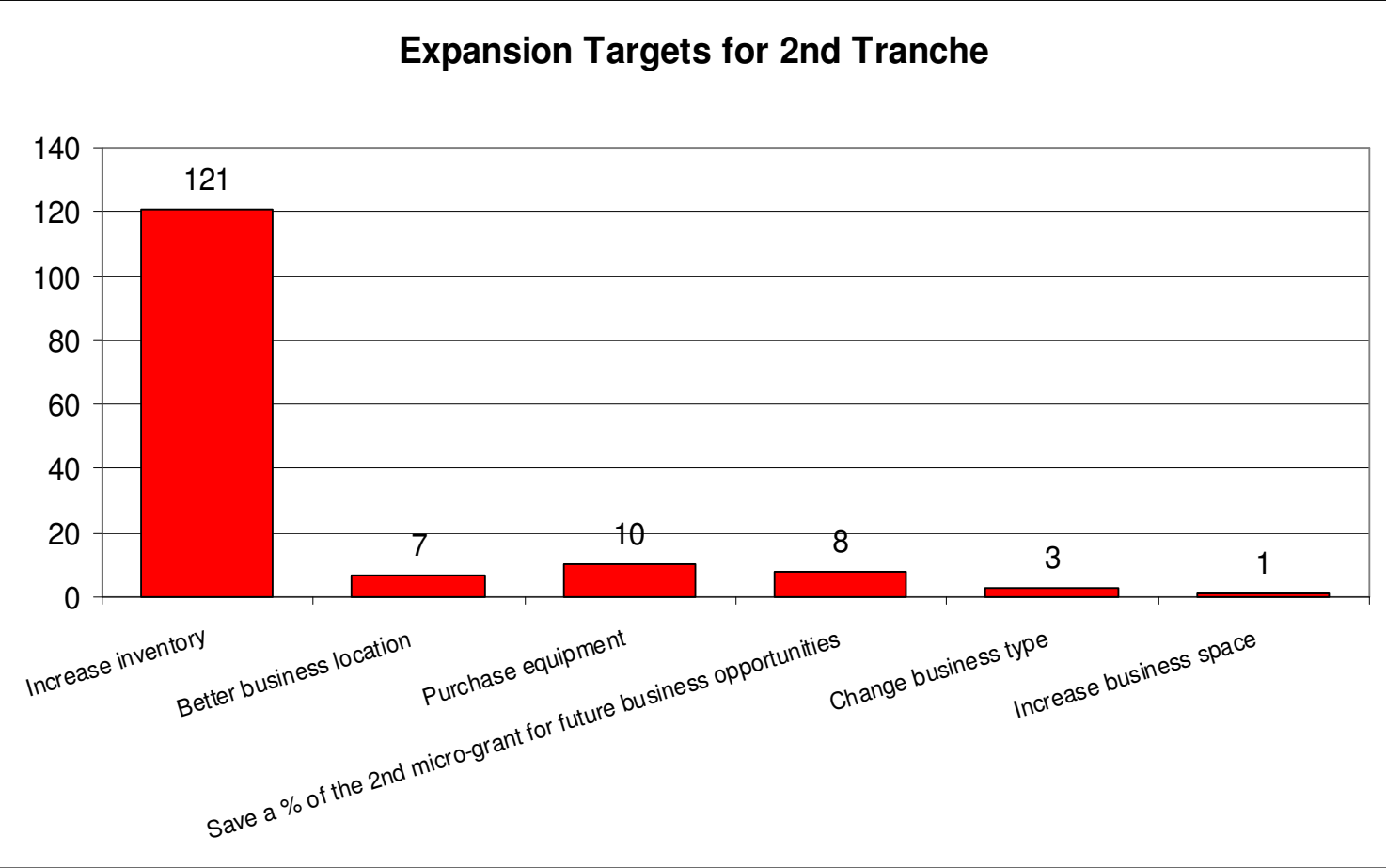
* After the first US \$200 micro-grant tranche (2-months of business trading), the average monthly take-home profit per business was US \$13

What constraints have been faced by the participants thus far?



* Multiple answers were accepted for this question

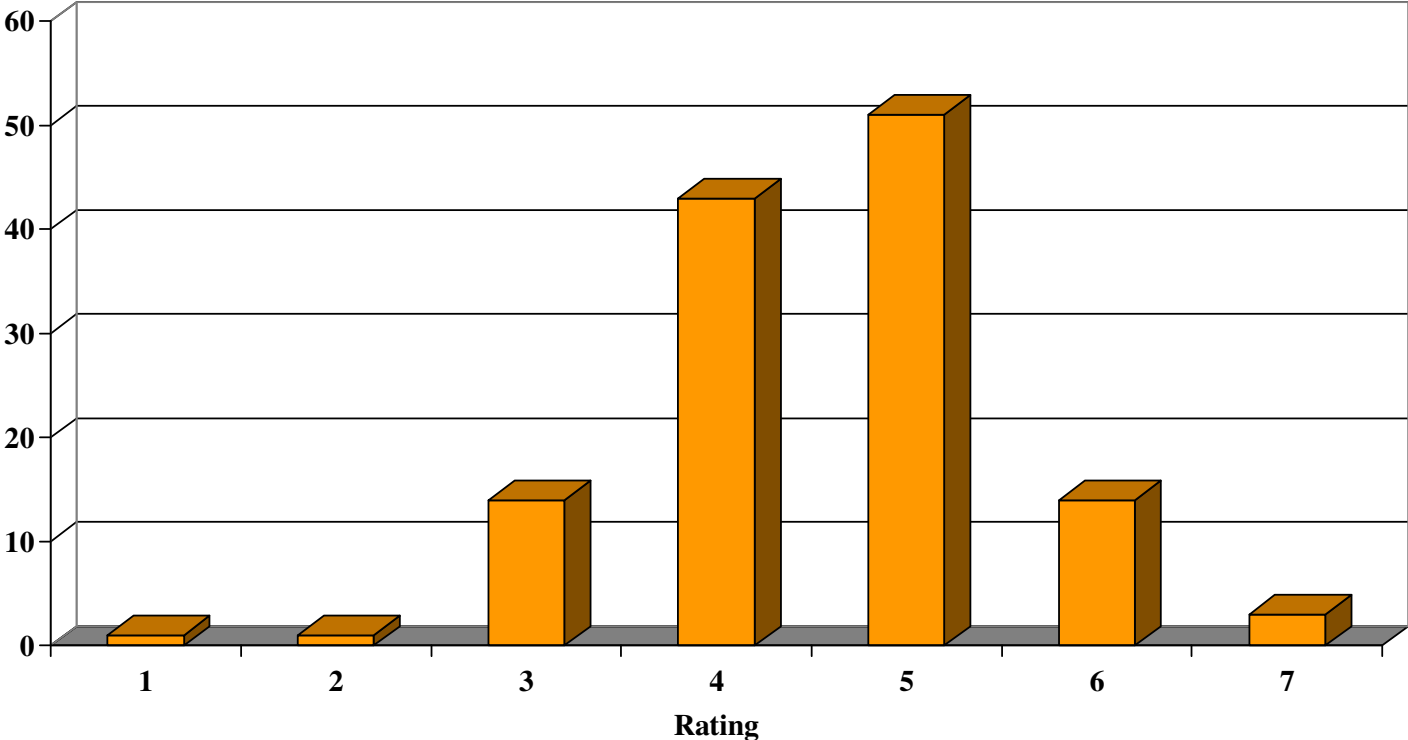
How will the participant utilise the second micro-grant tranche (US \$150)?



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How do you rate the business?

Monitor's Rating For Each Business



1 = Failed 3 = Below average performance 5 = Above average performance 7 = Perfect performance
2 = Very poor performance 4 = Average performance 6 = Excellent performance