

Nigeria to add three ethanol projects in Ondo State

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In Nigeria, the Ondo State Commissioner for Agriculture, Ademola Olorunfemi, [said that the state would approve development of three sugarcane plantations and ethanol plants](#), with a focus on the production of biofuels and rural economic development. The Commissioner also said that the plants could provide materials for the bio-pharma industry.

The projects, whose goals center around industrialization and employment, indicate a new direction for the economy of this agriculture-heavy area of Nigeria