

# 2025 SIDS NDE Joint Programme

## GCF SUPPORT FOR SIDS



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# GCF Overview

*GCF occupies a unique position to mobilize public and private climate finance through its scale, flexible financing solutions, country-driven approach, and commitment to innovation.*

## World's Largest Climate Fund

Established under the UNFCCC, GCF is the largest multilateral climate fund, strategically positioned as a key player in global climate finance, investing in climate transactions in developing countries.

## Country-Driven Approach

GCF follows a country-driven approach, empowering developing countries by aligning investments closely with their national priorities, strategies, and needs.



## Flexible Financing Solutions

GCF drives innovative co-investment opportunities, using concessional debt, equity, grants and guarantees to mobilize blended public and private finance.

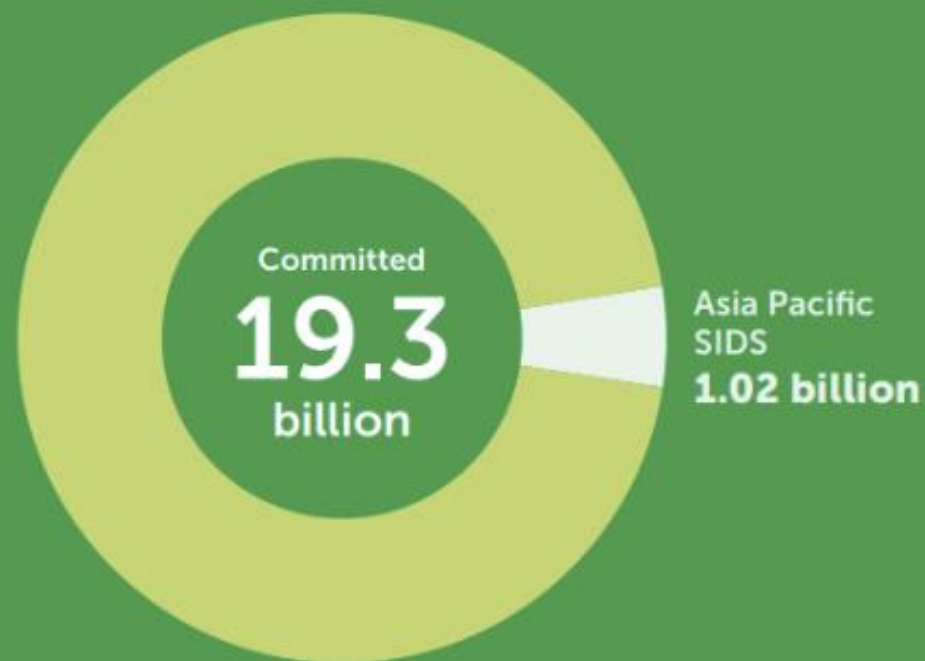
## Sectoral and Geographical Balance

GCF targets both climate adaptation and mitigation efforts, across various sectors and emerging markets, including Small Island Developing States (SIDS) and Least Developed Countries (LDCs).

# GCF portfolio in Asia Pacific SIDS

As of November 2025, figures in USD

## GCF investment in Asia Pacific SIDS as a share of its global portfolio



## GCF financing in Asia Pacific SIDS

**1.02b**  
GCF funding

**1.2b**  
Co-financing

**70m**  
Readiness financing

**39**  
Approved projects  
(not including  
Readiness grants)

**32**  
Approved projects  
under implementation  
(not including Readiness grants)

# GCF portfolio in Asia Pacific SIDS

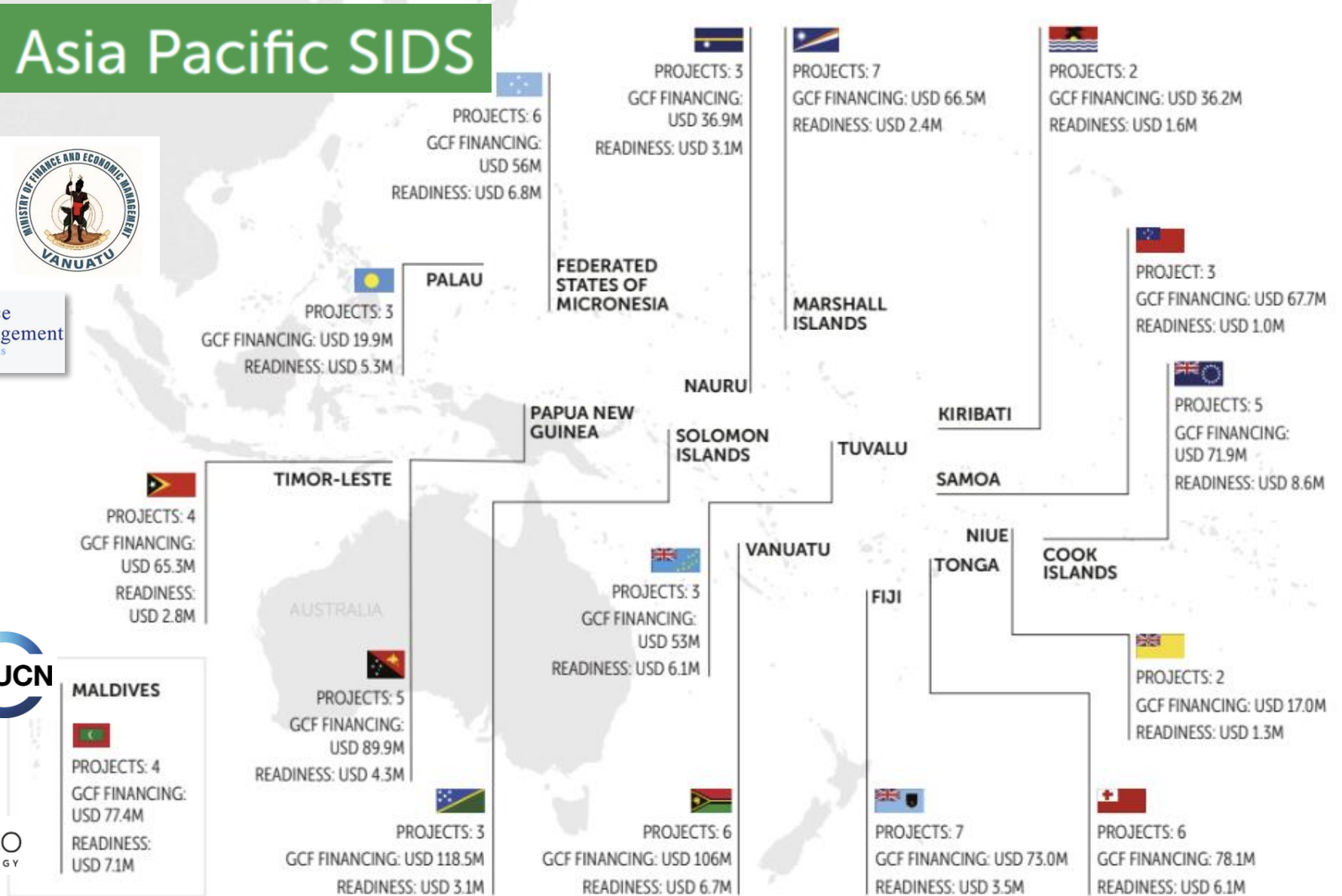
## DIRECT ACCESS ENTITIES (8)



## INTERNATIONAL ACCESS



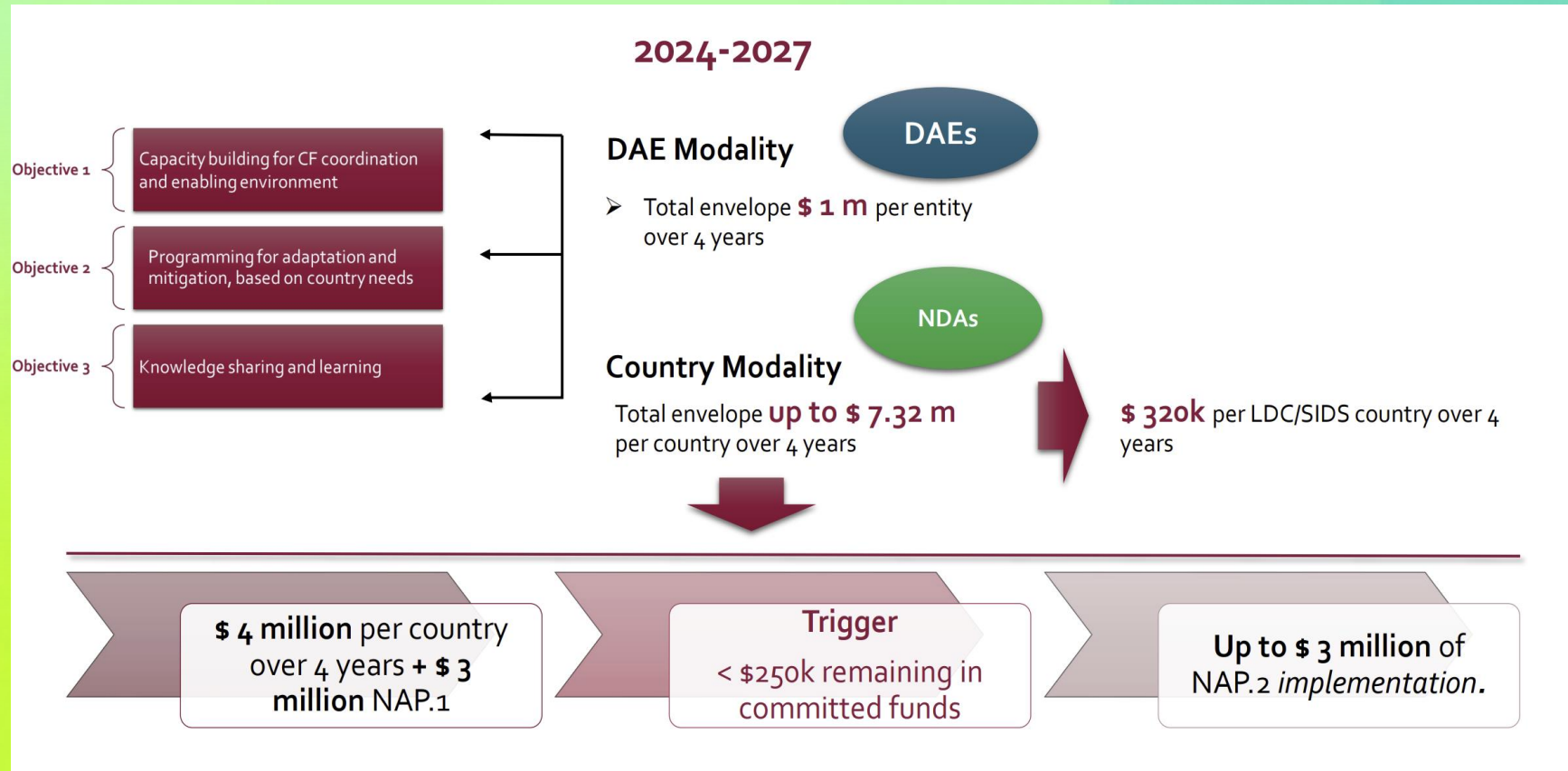
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## GCF Support for SIDS

# GCF Readiness Programme



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## Direct Access

### PACIFIC DIRECT ACCESS ENTITIES (8)



# 03

## GCF Support for SIDS

# Regional Approach



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# Efficient GCF



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## GCF Support for SIDS

# Simplified Approval Process (SAP)



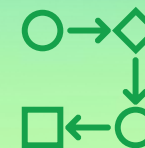
### SUBMISSION

- Less documentation needed
- Simplified CN/FP format
- Optional concept note
- SAP checklist and extra guidance provided
- SAP fast-tracking templates (in development)



### REVIEW

- Streamlined appraisal by the Secretariat teams
- Simplified-CIC2 (subset of PAP CIC2)



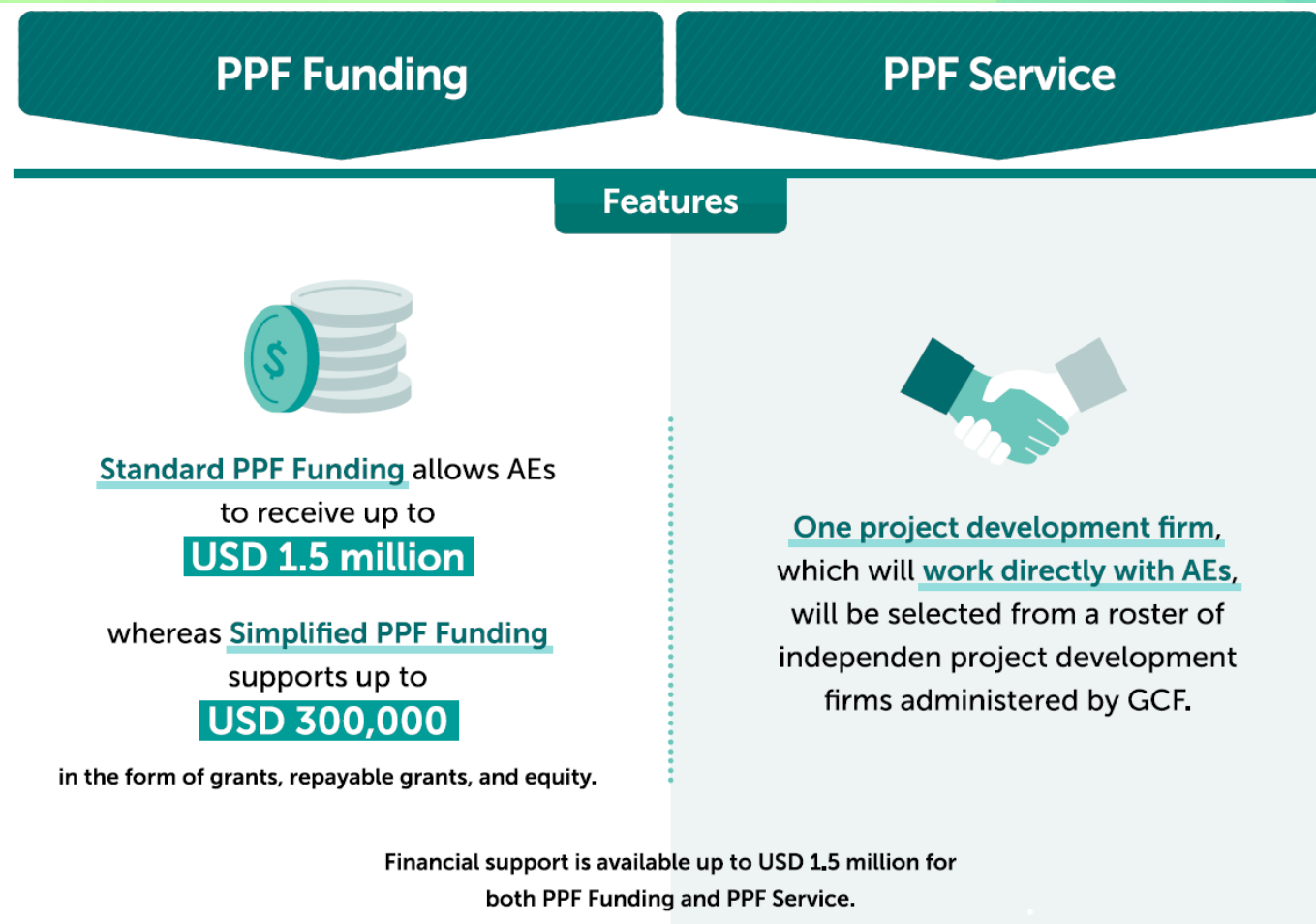
### IMPLEMENTATION

- Implementing simplified project reporting via a streamlined annual performance report in the digital PPMS
- Publication of simplified reporting guidance materials by year-end

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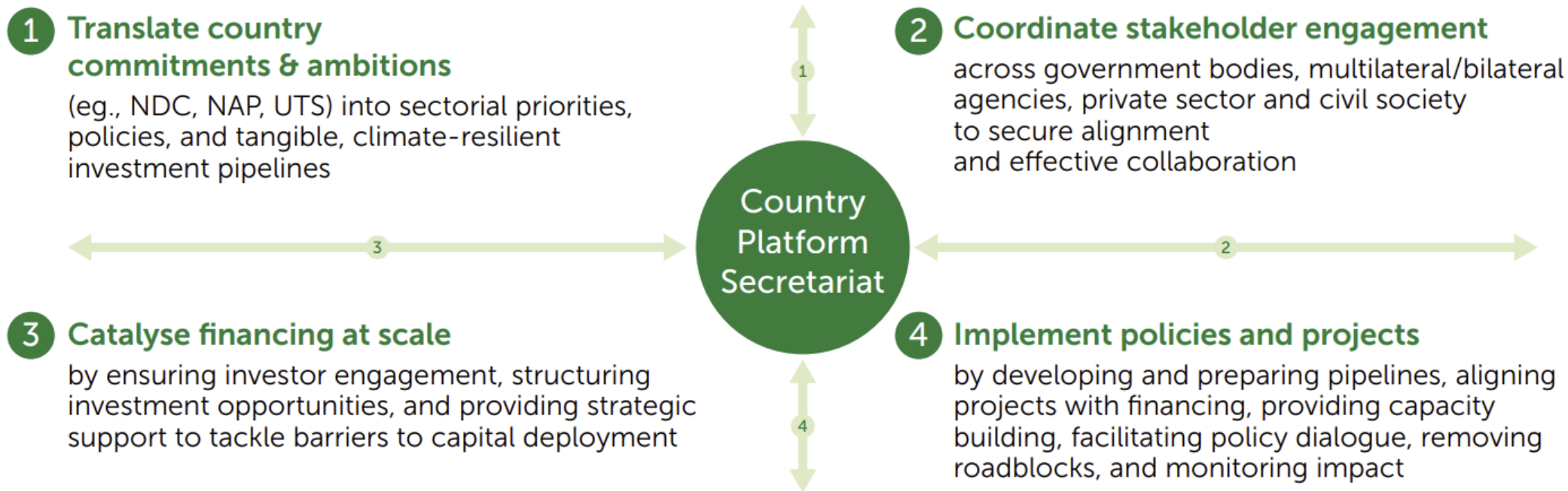
# Project Preparation Facility



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# Country Platforms



# Asia Pacific SIDS Approved Projects

<p><b>FP007</b> <span>ADAPTATION</span></p> <p><b>MALDIVES</b></p> <p>Supporting vulnerable communities in Maldives to manage climate change-induced water shortages</p> <p><b>\$ 28.2m</b> <b>Water security</b></p>	<p><b>FP008</b> <span>ADAPTATION</span></p> <p><b>FIJI</b></p> <p>Fiji Urban Water Supply and Wastewater Management Project</p> <p><b>\$ 405.1m</b> <b>Water Supply &amp; Wastewater Management</b></p>	<p><b>FP015</b> <span>ADAPTATION</span></p> <p><b>TUVALU</b></p> <p>Tuvalu Coastal Adaptation Project (TCAP)</p> <p><b>\$ 38.9m</b> <b>Coastal Adaptation</b></p>	<p><b>FP035</b> <span>ADAPTATION</span></p> <p><b>VANUATU</b></p> <p>Climate Information Services for Resilient Development Planning in Vanuatu (Van-CIS-RDP)</p> <p><b>\$ 26.6m</b> <b>Climate Information Services</b></p>	<p><b>FP036</b> <span>CROSS-CUTTING</span></p> <p><b>MULTIPLE COUNTRIES</b></p> <p>Pacific Islands Renewable Energy Investment Program</p> <p><b>\$ 29.2m</b> <b>Renewable Energy</b></p>	<p><b>FP037</b> <span>ADAPTATION</span></p> <p><b>SAMOA</b></p> <p>Integrated Flood Management to Enhance Climate Resilience of the Vaisigano River Catchment in Samoa</p> <p><b>\$ 65.7m</b> <b>Integrated Flood Management</b></p>
<p><b>FP044</b> <span>CROSS-CUTTING</span></p> <p><b>SOLOMON ISLANDS</b></p> <p>Tina River Hydropower Development Project</p> <p><b>\$ 241.9m</b> <b>Renewable Energy</b></p>	<p><b>FP052</b> <span>CROSS-CUTTING</span></p> <p><b>NAURU</b></p> <p>Sustainable and Climate Resilient Connectivity for Nauru</p> <p><b>\$ 65.2m</b> <b>Climate Resilient Infrastructure</b></p>	<p><b>FP066</b> <span>ADAPTATION</span></p> <p><b>MARSHALL ISLANDS</b></p> <p>Pacific Resilience Project Phase II for RMI</p> <p><b>\$ 59.9m</b> <b>Climate Resilient Infrastructure</b></p>	<p><b>FP090</b> <span>MITIGATION</span></p> <p><b>TONGA</b></p> <p>Tonga Renewable Energy Project under the Pacific Islands Renewable Energy Investment Program</p> <p><b>\$ 47.6m</b> <b>Renewable Energy</b></p>	<p><b>FP091</b> <span>CROSS-CUTTING</span></p> <p><b>KIRIBATI</b></p> <p>South Tarawa Water Supply Project</p> <p><b>\$ 58.1m</b> <b>Water Security</b></p>	<p><b>FP109</b> <span>ADAPTATION</span></p> <p><b>TIMOR-LESTE</b></p> <p>Safeguarding rural communities and their physical and economic assets from climate induced disasters in Timor-Leste</p> <p><b>\$ 59.4m</b> <b>Climate Resilient Infrastructure &amp; Livelihood</b></p>

# Asia Pacific SIDS Approved Projects

FP112 ADAPTATION

**MARSHALL ISLANDS**

Addressing Climate Vulnerability in the Water Sector (ACWA) in the Marshall Islands

**\$ 24.7m**  
**Water Security**

FP147 ADAPTATION

**MULTIPLE COUNTRIES**

Enhancing Climate Information and Knowledge Services for resilience in 5 island countries of the Pacific Ocean

**\$ 49.9m**  
**Climate Information**

FP165 ADAPTATION

**MALDIVES**

Building Climate Resilient Safer Islands in the Maldives

**\$ 66m**  
**Climate Resilient Infrastructure & Livelihood**

FP169 ADAPTATION

**MICRONESIA (FEDERATED STATES OF)**

Climate change adaptation solutions for Local Authorities in the Federated States of Micronesia

**\$ 19.7m**  
**Health, food, water security, and livelihoods**

FP171 ADAPTATION

**TIMOR-LESTE**

Enhancing Early Warning Systems to build greater resilience to hydro-meteorological hazards in Timor-Leste

**\$ 21.7m**  
**Health, food, water security, and livelihoods**

FP184 ADAPTATION

**VANUATU**

Vanuatu community-based climate resilience project (VCCRP)

**\$ 32.7m**  
**Climate Resilient Communities**

FP191 ADAPTATION

**VANUATU**

Enhancing Adaptation and Community Resilience by Improving Water Security in Vanuatu

**\$ 28.3m**  
**Water Security**

FP215 ADAPTATION

**MULTIPLE COUNTRIES**

Community Resilience Partnership Program

**\$ 750m**  
**Livelihood, food & water security, and health**

FP234 ADAPTATION

**TONGA**

Tonga Coastal Resilience

**\$ 23.9m**  
**Coastal Resilience**

FP259 ADAPTATION

**MULTIPLE COUNTRIES**

Adapting tuna-dependent Pacific Island communities and economies to climate change

**\$ 56.89m**  
**Livelihood, food & water security, and health**

FP273 MITIGATION

**PAPUA NEW GUINEA**

Papua New Guinea REDD-plus RBP for results period 2014-2016

**\$ 63.4m**  
**Forest and land use**

FP281 ADAPTATION

**COOK ISLANDS**

Direct Financing for Communities and Businesses to Respond to Climate Change in the Cook Islands

**\$ 44.2m**  
**Infrastructure and built environment**

# Asia Pacific SIDS Approved Projects

SAP016 **MITIGATION**



**FIJI**

Fiji Agrophotovoltaic Project in Ovalau

**\$ 10.0m**  
**Renewable Energy**

SAP020 **ADAPTATION**



**MICRONESIA (FEDERATED STATES OF)**

Climate resilient food security for farming households across the Federated States of Micronesia (FSM)

**\$ 9.4m**  
**Food Security**

SAP021 **MITIGATION**



**TIMOR-LESTE**

Community-based Landscape Management for Enhanced Climate Resilience and Reduction of Deforestation in Critical Watersheds

**\$ 15.4m**  
**Forest and land use**

SAP027 **ADAPTATION**



**SOLOMON ISLANDS**

Solomon Islands Knowledge-Action-Sustainability for Resilient Villages (SOLKAS) Project

**\$ 31.8m**  
**Health, food, water security, and livelihoods**

SAP029 **ADAPTATION**



**MULTIPLE COUNTRIES**

Ecosystem-based Adaptation (EbA) for Reducing Community Vulnerability to Climate Change in Northern Pacific Small Island Developing States (SIDS)

**\$ 76.4m**  
**Ecosystem services**

SAP034 **ADAPTATION**



**COOK ISLANDS**

Akamatuturanga To Tatou Ora'anga Meitaki (ATOM): Building a healthy and resilient Cook Islands Community – one block at a time

**\$ 13.4m**  
**Health, livelihoods, built environment**

SAP050 **ADAPTATION**



**MALDIVES**

Toward Risk-Aware and Climate-resilient communities (TRACT) - Strengthening climate services and impact-based multi-hazard early

**\$ 25.2m**  
**Climate services and early warning systems**

SAP051 **ADAPTATION**



**MICRONESIA (FEDERATED STATES OF)**

Increasing resilience to the health risks of climate change in the Federated States of Micronesia

**\$ 18.8m**  
**Health, food, water security**

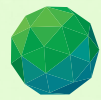
SAP054 **ADAPTATION**



**MULTIPLE COUNTRIES**

SOURCE Pacific Drinking Water Project

**\$ 45.8m**  
**Health, food, water security**



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