CTCN AFCIA
Overview, experience and lessons learnt

Annual Climate Finance Readiness Seminar for NIE of the AF
14 SEPTEMBER 2023
Current status
AFCIA and Adaptation Innovation

ADAPTATION FUND

Climate Innovation Accelerator

SMALL GRANTS. BIG IMPACT.
AFCIA Overview of the programme

Status of AFCIA Programme

- Closed
- Under implementation
- Under bidding process
- Under approval
- On hold

AFCIA Geographical repartition

- Africa
- Lac
- Asia
AFCIA by sector

AFCIA by type of TAs

- Water Food Energy Nexus: 6
- Agriculture: 6
- Water management and infrastructure: 5
- EWS: 6

Water Food Energy Nexus
Agriculture
Water management and infrastructure
EWS
Lessons learnt

Large appetite for adaptation-related technical assistance in developing countries.

LCDs and SIDs need support to articulate their adaptation technology demands.

The percentage of eligible and pre-selected requests could be increased.
Opportunities for scaling up innovation small grants under AFCIA
Scaling up most promising projects – the example of Burundi
3 UNEP CTCN’s vision for expansion of the AFCIA programme phase II
AFCIA Phase II

Timeline: 2024 – 2029
Budget: 10 Million USD
Components:

- Component 1: Innovative, transformative, and locally-led climate adaptation technologies are identified, assessed and tested.
- Component 2: Innovative, transformative and locally led climate adaptation technologies are scaled up.
- Component 3: Innovative, transformative, and locally led adaptation technologies are leveraged through the establishment of enabling environments (NSI), finance and knowledge.