



Regional: REG: Impact Evaluation of Financial Technology Innovations in Selected Developing Member Countries

Project Name	REG: Impact Evaluation of Financial Technology Innovations in Selected Developing Member Countries
Project Number	54246-001
Country	Regional
Project Status	Proposed
Project Type / Modality of Assistance	Technical Assistance
Source of Funding / Amount	
Strategic Agendas	Inclusive economic growth
Drivers of Change	Knowledge solutions Partnerships Private sector development
Sector / Subsector	Finance - Inclusive finance - Small and medium enterprise finance and leasing Information and communication technology - ICT industries and ICT-enabled services - ICT infrastructure - ICT strategy and policy, and capacity development
Gender Equity and Mainstreaming	Some gender elements
Description	
Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy	
Impact	
Outcome	
Outputs	
Geographical Location	Regional
Summary of Environmental and Social Aspects	
Environmental Aspects	
Involuntary Resettlement	
Indigenous Peoples	
Stakeholder Communication, Participation, and Consultation	
During Project Design	
During Project Implementation	
Business Opportunities	
Consulting Services	ADB will engage the consultants following the ADB Procurement Policy (2017, as amended from time to time) and its associated staff instructions. In collaboration with research institutes or universities, firms may be recruited either through quality- and cost-based selection or direct contracting. The proposed selection methods are deemed justified since only a few survey firms specialize in socioeconomic research. To produce 20 research studies on the various aspects of aging using the project-generated datasets and other similar datasets, up to 15 individual international consultants will be engaged. One international economics editor will be hired to edit the studies, including an international comparative study and an executive report. Two national consultants are expected to provide overall assistance for the TA activities, especially in coordinating the studies and processing data. Experts, including ADB staff members, will be engaged to share knowledge and/or facilitate workshops, trainings, and conferences.
Procurement	ADB will engage consultants and carry out procurement (consulting services and equipment) following ADB's Procurement Policy (2017, as amended from time to time) and its associated staff instructions. Nonconsulting services for separately contracted data collection will be procured using open advertisement or request for quotation. Procurement of equipment will take place in coordination with ADB's Office of Information Systems and Technology and Office of Administrative Services. When the TA is completed, any procured equipment will remain ADB property and/or will be disposed of in accordance with relevant ADB guidelines. Disbursements under the TA will be made in accordance with ADB's Technical Assistance Disbursement Handbook (2010, as amended from time to time).
Responsible ADB Officer	Yamano, Takashi
Responsible ADB Department	Economic Research and Regional Cooperation Department
Responsible ADB Division	Economic Analysis and Operations Support Division
Executing Agencies	Asian Development Bank 6 ADB Avenue, Mandaluyong City 1550, Philippines

Timetable	
Concept Clearance	-
Fact Finding	-
MRM	-
Approval	-
Last Review Mission	-
Last PDS Update	14 Oct 2020

Project Page	https://www.adb.org/projects/54246-001/main
Request for Information	http://www.adb.org/forms/request-information-form?subject=54246-001
Date Generated	16 October 2020

ADB provides the information contained in this project data sheet (PDS) solely as a resource for its users without any form of assurance. Whilst ADB tries to provide high quality content, the information are provided "as is" without warranty of any kind, either express or implied, including without limitation warranties of merchantability, fitness for a particular purpose, and non-infringement. ADB specifically does not make any warranties or representations as to the accuracy or completeness of any such information.