



Myanmar: Railway Modernization Project

Project Name	Railway Modernization Project
Project Number	47087-006
Country	Myanmar
Project Status	Proposed
Project Type / Modality of Assistance	Grant Loan
Source of Funding / Amount	Loan: Railway Modernization Project concessional ordinary capital resources lending / Asian Development Fund US\$ 60.00 million
Strategic Agendas	Environmentally sustainable growth Inclusive economic growth
Drivers of Change	Governance and capacity development Knowledge solutions Partnerships
Sector / Subsector	Transport - Rail transport (non-urban)
Gender Equity and Mainstreaming	Some gender elements
Description	The proposed project (the Project) will (i) upgrade railway infrastructure for the 238 kilometers (km) single non-electrified railway line linking Yangon and Pyay, (ii) modernize track maintenance of Myanma Railways (MR), and (iii) strengthen MR's institutional capacity. The Project will improve railway sector competitiveness and sustainability through developing an efficient, modern, safe, and environmentally friendly transportation system.
Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy	.
Impact	Efficient, modern, safe, and environmentally-friendly transportation system developed
Outcome	Competitiveness and sustainability in railway sector improved
Outputs	Railway infrastructure for the Yangon-Pyay section rehabilitated
Geographical Location	Pyay District, Yangon Region
Safeguard Categories	
Environment	B
Involuntary Resettlement	B
Indigenous Peoples	C
Summary of Environmental and Social Aspects	
Environmental Aspects	Still the project is in preparation stage.
Involuntary Resettlement	Still the project is in preparation stage.
Indigenous Peoples	Still the project is in preparation stage.
Stakeholder Communication, Participation, and Consultation	
During Project Design	Still the project is in preparation stage.
During Project Implementation	Still the project is in preparation stage.
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Responsible ADB Department	Southeast Asia Department
Responsible ADB Division	Transport and Communications Division, SERD

Timetable

Concept Clearance	23 Jan 2018
Fact Finding	20 Aug 2018 to 31 Aug 2018
MRM	31 Oct 2018
Approval	-
Last Review Mission	-
Last PDS Update	25 Sep 2018

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