



Cambodia: Urban Water Supply Project

Project Name	Urban Water Supply Project	
Project Number	41403-013	
Country	Cambodia	
Project Status	Active	
Project Type / Modality of Assistance	Loan	
Source of Funding / Amount	Loan 3232-CAM: Urban Water Supply and Sanitation Project concessional ordinary capital resources lending / Asian Development Fund US\$ 34.00 million	
Strategic Agendas	Environmentally sustainable growth Inclusive economic growth Regional integration	
Drivers of Change	Governance and capacity development Knowledge solutions Partnerships Private sector development	
Sector / Subsector	Water and other urban infrastructure and services - Urban water supply	
Gender Equity and Mainstreaming	Effective gender mainstreaming	
Description	<p>The project will provide additional new and rehabilitated water supply infrastructure and extend system coverage to expand access to safe water in nine towns. The project will also provide piped water supply to an additional 58,000 residents through (i) a new water supply system in Stung Treng, (ii) a new distribution zone in Siem Reap, and (iii) system expansion in Kampong Cham and Svay Rieng. In addition, the project will rehabilitate existing water treatment plants in seven towns. The project interventions will replicate initiatives that made PPWSA successful and build on PPWSA experience. It will also incorporate lessons from previous ADB projects. The project will help the PWW's reduce real NRW levels to below 15% by using improved material and construction practices in its works to complement ongoing NRW reduction initiatives by the service providers and other development partners.</p>	
Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy	<p>The project will address the problems identified by the MIH in its priorities and strategies for 2013_2018. These are (i) inadequate legal and regulatory frameworks; (ii) the continued dependence of the country's PWWs, except for PPWSA and SRWSA, on financial support from the government; (iii) old production and distribution systems and inadequate human resources; (iv) a lack of financial resources for rehabilitating and developing the sector; and (v) the overall inadequate water supply coverage in the country's urban areas. The project will improve the performance of water utilities in nine provincial towns to give residents greater access to safe piped water supply. It will contribute to the government's target of achieving 100% piped water supply coverage in urban areas by 2025 by (i) rehabilitating and improving existing water treatment plants, (ii) providing new water sources and treatment plants, (iii) augmenting or replacing existing distribution pipelines to increase system pressure and improve service delivery, and (iv) providing new transmission and distribution pipelines. After limited involvement since 2006, ADB is seeking to reengage in and provide long-term support for the country's urban water supply sector, starting with this project.</p>	
Impact	Expanded access to sustainable and safe water supply services for the urban population in Cambodia.	

Project Outcome

Description of Outcome	Improved water supply infrastructure and service provision in selected provincial waterworks.
Progress Toward Outcome	
Implementation Progress	

Description of Project Outputs	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Water treatment plants provided or improved. 2. Water distribution systems improved and coverage increased. 3. Existing pumping stations rehabilitated. 4. Institutional capacity of MIME and regulatory system strengthened.
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Status of Implementation Progress (Outputs, Activities, and Issues)

Geographical Location

Safeguard Categories

Environment	B
Involuntary Resettlement	C
Indigenous Peoples	C

Summary of Environmental and Social Aspects

Environmental Aspects

Involuntary Resettlement

Indigenous Peoples

Stakeholder Communication, Participation, and Consultation

During Project Design

During Project Implementation

Responsible Staff

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Timetable

Concept Clearance	02 Aug 2012
Fact Finding	06 Dec 2013 to 13 Dec 2013
MRM	14 Oct 2014
Approval	11 Dec 2014
Last Review Mission	-
Last PDS Update	10 Oct 2016

Loan 3232-CAM

Milestones					
Approval	Signing Date	Effectivity Date	Closing		
			Original	Revised	Actual
11 Dec 2014	18 Dec 2014	16 Jun 2015	30 Jun 2020	-	-

Financing Plan		Loan Utilization			
	Total (Amount in US\$ million)	Date	ADB	Others	Net Percentage
Project Cost	37.40	Cumulative Contract Awards			
ADB	34.00	11 Dec 2014	4.24	0.00	13%

Counterpart	3.40	Cumulative Disbursements			
Cofinancing	0.00	11 Dec 2014	1.11	0.00	4%

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