Early Warning System

## ADB-50050-005

Guangxi Regional Cooperation and Integration Promotion Investment Program - Tranche 3



#### **Quick Facts**

Countries	China
Financial Institutions	Asian Development Bank (ADB)
Status	Active
Bank Risk Rating	В
Voting Date	2021-10-01
Borrower	Government of China
Sectors	Agriculture and Forestry, Industry and Trade
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 140.00 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 326.70 million



#### **Project Description**

According to the Bank's website, the Asian Development Bank (ADB) and the People's Republic of China (PRC) signed a framework financing agreement for the Guangxi Regional Cooperation and Integration Promotion Investment Program (GRIP) on 15 October 2016. Under the program, a roadmap was developed to help the Guangxi Zhuang Autonomous Region (GZAR) and Viet Nam capture regional cooperation and integration benefits in their border areas through small and medium-sized enterprise (SME) support enhancement, cross-border financial transaction and investment promotion, cross-border e-commerce platforms development, border economic zone (BEZ) infrastructure construction, and policy coordination improvement. On 1 December 2016, ADB approved the provision of a \$450 million multitranche financing facility (MFF) to the PRC for the GRIP to be implemented through three tranches from 2017-2024. Tranche 1 amounting to \$130 million of ADB financing was approved on 12 December 2016 with the current loan closing date of 30 June 2022. Tranche 2 of \$180 million was approved on 4 April 2018 with the current loan closing date of 30 November 2023.

The Government of the PRC submitted a request for a loan up to \$140 million from ADB's ordinary capital resources for tranche 3 on 6 August 2021. Tranche 3 of the MFF will align with the program strategic roadmap to support (i) SME development in the border areas through vocational training capacity enhancement and expansion of the Sino-ASEAN Agricultural Products Trade Center in Baise City, (ii) integrated cross-border e-commerce platforms development for the PRC and Viet Nam, (iii) provision of key infrastructure and trade-related services in BEZs, and (iv) physical and informational connectivity and policy coordination through development of the Sino-Viet Nam Cross-Border Tourism Cooperation Zone in Chongzuo City.



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### **Investment Description**

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#### **Bank Documents**

- External Environment Monitor Specialist
- External Resettlement and Social Monitor Specialist
- Guangxi Regional Cooperation and Integration Promotion Investment Program Tranche 3: Baise Cross-B [Original Source]
- Guangxi Regional Cooperation and Integration Promotion Investment Program Tranche 3: Baise Sino-Vi [Original Source]
- Guangxi Regional Cooperation and Integration Promotion Investment Program Tranche 3: Chongzuo (Dax [Original Source]
- Guangxi Regional Cooperation and Integration Promotion Investment Program Tranche 3: Chongzuo Chin [Original Source]
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- Guangxi Regional Cooperation and Integration Promotion Investment Program Tranche 3: Environmental [Original Source]
- Guangxi Regional Cooperation and Integration Promotion Investment Program Tranche 3: Fangchenggang [Original Source]
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- Guangxi Regional Cooperation and Integration Promotion Investment Program Tranche 3: Procurement P [Original Source]
- Guangxi Regional Cooperation and Integration Promotion Investment Program Tranche 3: Project Admin [Original Source]
- Guangxi Regional Cooperation and Integration Promotion Investment Program Tranche 3: Social Develo [Original Source]
- Guangxi Regional Cooperation and Integration Promotion Investment Program Tranche 3: Updated Envir [Original Source]
- Loan Agreement (Ordinary Operations) for Loan 4122-PRC: Guangxi Regional Cooperation and Integration
- Program Agreement for Loan 4122-PRC: Guangxi Regional Cooperation and Integration Promotion Investme
- Project Disclosure PDF [Original Source]
- Project Management and Capacity Development

#### **Other Related Projects**

- ADB-50050-003 Guangxi Regional Cooperation and Integration Promotion Investment Program Tranche 1
- ADB-50050-001 Guangxi Regional Cooperation and Integration Promotion Investment Program
- ADB-50050-002 Guangxi Regional Cooperation and Integration Promotion Investment Program
- ADB-50050-004 Guangxi Regional Cooperation and Integration Promotion Investment Program Tranche 2