

 Early Warning System

ADB-51241-001

Integrated Information and Communications Technology Development
Project



Quick Facts

Countries	Pakistan
Financial Institutions	Asian Development Bank (ADB)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	B
Borrower	Government of Pakistan
Sectors	Communications
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 200.00 million
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Project Description

According to the bank website, the proposed project outputs will be: (i) an IT park set up as a benchmark model in Karachi; (ii) National IT parks strategy developed; (iii) smart city strategy developed and piloted; and (iv) ICT skills in higher education stream strengthened with technological readiness for knowledge-based economy. These outputs will result in the following outcome: strengthened holistic development of ICT sector in Pakistan. The project will be aligned with the following impact: ICT industry contribution to inclusive growth increased, as outlined in Pillar VI of Pakistan Vision 2025. The investment is also in line with the government's mid-term IT development policy, the Digital Pakistan Policy 2017 (footnote 2).



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Bank Documents

- [Integrated Information and Communications Technology Development Project: Initial Poverty and Social](#) [Original Source]
- [Integrated Information and Communications Technology Development Project: Project Data Sheet \(Urdu t](#) [Original Source]
- [Project Disclosure PDF](#) [Original Source]