

 Early Warning System

ADB-51295-003

Financing Agrochemical Reduction and Management in Agri-Food Value  
Chains



### Quick Facts

<b>Countries</b>	Vietnam
<b>Financial Institutions</b>	Asian Development Bank (ADB)
<b>Status</b>	Approved
<b>Bank Risk Rating</b>	U
<b>Voting Date</b>	2024-07-10
<b>Borrower</b>	Government of Vietnam - Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development
<b>Sectors</b>	Agriculture and Forestry, Technical Cooperation
<b>Investment Type(s)</b>	Grant
<b>Investment Amount (USD)</b>	\$ 7.50 million
<b>Project Cost (USD)</b>	\$ 8.05 million



### **Project Description**

According to the Bank's website, the technical assistance (TA) will support the Government of Viet Nam in green financing for agrochemical reduction and management in the agri-food value chains in five selected provinces in Viet Nam through (i) strengthening policy and regulatory coherence and capacity to manage and finance agrochemical reduction; (ii) enabling and catalyzing finance and investments for improved agrochemical reduction and agricultural plastics management; and (iii) enhancing agricultural management, monitoring systems, capacity and knowledge in agrochemicals management and natural capital accounting and assessment.

The TA outputs are (i) Output 1: Policy and regulatory coherence and capacity to manage and finance agrochemicals reduction strengthened; (ii) Output 2: Agrochemical reduction and agricultural plastics management improved through enabling and catalyzing finance and investments; and (iii) Output 3: Agricultural management and monitoring system and capacity and knowledge in agrochemical management and natural capital accounting and assessment enhanced.



### Investment Description

- Asian Development Bank (ADB)

The TA financing amount is \$7,500,000 which will be financed on a grant basis by the Global Environment Facility (GEF); and partially administered by ADB.

The government will provide counterpart support to complement the TA activities. The support will include a cash contribution equivalent to \$550,000 and in-kind contribution equivalent to \$150,000, which will include counterpart staff, office facilities and meeting rooms, provision of available government data sets and reports for the TA consultants' use, and access to forums and/or networks, and other contributions.



### Contact Information

*No contacts available at the time of disclosure.*

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### Bank Documents

- [Financing Agrochemical Reduction and Management in Agri-Food Value Chains: Gender Action Plan](#)
- [Financing Agrochemical Reduction and Management in Agri-Food Value Chains: Technical Assistance Repo](#)



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### Other Related Projects

- ADB-51295-001 Climate-Smart Horticulture Value Chain Infrastructure Project