# ADB-54111-008

Resilient Livelihoods and Empowerment of Rural Women Project



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### **Quick Facts**

Countries	Tajikistan
Specific Location	Viloyati Khatlon
Financial Institutions	Asian Development Bank (ADB)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	В
Borrower	Government of Tajikistan
Sectors	Agriculture and Forestry, Industry and Trade
Investment Type(s)	Grant
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 17.50 million
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#### **Project Description**

According to the ADB, the project will address the vulnerabilities, and improve the livelihoods of rural women in the Khatlon province by strengthening their employability, agriculture productivity, and response to gender-based violence. The focus will be on women farmers with household gardens (less than 1.3 hectares of land), with many of them also engaged as mardikors. The project will (i) improve women's agricultural skills for improved production, (ii) promote women's role in the agriculture value chain through social entrepreneurship, and (iii) enhance employment readiness of women agricultural workers to improve household incomes and reduce food insecurity. This will lead to an economic empowerment of women farmers and female youths for resilient, climate adaptive, and sustainable livelihoods.



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### **Early Warning System Project Analysis**

The ADB categorized the project E&S risks as follows:

Environment B
Involuntary ResettlementC
Indigenous Peoples C



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### **Investment Description**

• Asian Development Bank (ADB)

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#### **Contact Information**

#### **ADB Team Leader:**

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#### **Executing Agency - Ministry of Agriculture:**

Website: https://moa.tj/

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#### **Bank Documents**

- Initial Poverty and Social Analysis
- Project Disclosure PDF

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#### **Other Related Projects**

- ADB-54111-001 Preparing and Implementing Gender-Inclusive Projects in Central and West Asia
- ADB-54111-002 Monitoring and Achieving Gender Targets in Central and West Asia Operations
- ADB-54111-005 Subproject 5: Putting Women on the Right Track in the Railway Sector
- ADB-54111-004 Preparing and Implementing Gender-Inclusive Projects in Central and West Asia Subproject 2: Preparing and Monitoring Gender Actions and Targets in Central and West Asia Operations Phase 2
- ADB-54111-006 Subproject 12: Building Capacities of Women in the Energy Sector in Pakistan
- ADB-54111-007 Subproject 3: Integrating Gender Design Features in Project Preparation, Supporting Monitoring, and Reporting on Gender Equality Results in Central and West Asia Operations
- ADB-54111-011 Subproject 6: Strengthening Gender Capacity of Pakistan's National Transmission Company
- ADB-54111-012 Subproject 13: Supporting Implementation of Strategy 2030 OP 2 in a Post-COVID- 19 Environment-Gender Mainstreaming in Project Preparation, Supporting Monitoring, and Reporting on Gender Equality Resu
- ADB-54111-010 Subproject 14: Preparing Resilient Livelihoods and Empowerment of Rural Women Project
- ADB-54111-009 Subproject 10: Mainstreaming Gender in Project Preparation for Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia, Kyrgyz Republic, and Turkmenistan