

 Early Warning System

ADB-57196-001

Punjab Climate-Resilient and Low-Carbon Agriculture Mechanization
Project



Quick Facts

Countries	Pakistan
Specific Location	Punjab
Financial Institutions	Asian Development Bank (ADB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	C
Voting Date	2025-12-05
Borrower	Government of the Punjab - Agriculture Department
Sectors	Agriculture and Forestry
Investment Type(s)	Grant, Loan
Loan Amount (USD)	\$ 120.00 million
Grant Amount (USD)	\$ 3.60 million



Project Description

According to the Bank's website, the proposed project will support the just transition to a climate-resilient and low-carbon agriculture. This is to mitigate climate change, improve air quality and enhance agriculture productivity, sustainability and resilience. It will underpin Asian Development Bank (ADB)'s value addition and innovative approach to supporting food security in Punjab.

A \$120 million concessional loan and \$4 million grant have been allocated for the the project to accelerate the province's transition to modern, disaster-resilient, and low-carbon agriculture practices, benefiting 220,000 rural farm households. The project will help mechanize farming and provide alternative livelihoods for agricultural workers including through boosting the knowledge and skills of 15,000 women. It will introduce a new financing model for farm mechanization service providers to equip small-scale farmers with advanced machinery.



Early Warning System Project Analysis

Environment: B

Involuntary Resettlement: C

Indigenous Peoples: C



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- Asian Development Bank (ADB)

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Bank Documents

- Capacity Building to Support Just Transition to Low-Carbon and Mechanized Agriculture: Technical Ass
- Grant Agreement (Externally Financed) for Grant 1089-PAK: Punjab Climate-Resilient and Low-Carbon Ag
- Grant Agreement (Externally Financed) for Grant 1090-PAK: Punjab Climate-Resilient and Low-Carbon Ag
- Loan Agreement (Ordinary Operations [Concessional]) for 4715-PAK: Punjab Climate-Resilient and Low-C
- Project Agreement for Loan 4715-PAK, Grant 1089-PAK (EF), and Grant 1090 (EF): Punjab Climate-Resili
- Punjab Climate-Resilient and Low Carbon Agriculture Mechanization Project: Draft Initial Environment
- Punjab Climate-Resilient and Low Carbon Agriculture Mechanization Project: Social Due Diligence Repo
- Punjab Climate-Resilient and Low Carbon Agriculture Mechanization Project: Updated Initial Environme
- Punjab Climate-Resilient and Low Carbon Agriculture Mechanization Project: Updated Social Due Dilige
- Punjab Climate-Resilient and Low-Carbon Agriculture Mechanization Project: Gender Assessment and Act
- Punjab Climate-Resilient and Low-Carbon Agriculture Mechanization Project: Procurement Plan
- Punjab Climate-Resilient and Low-Carbon Agriculture Mechanization Project: Project Administration Ma
- Punjab Climate-Resilient and Low-Carbon Agriculture Mechanization Project: Report and Recommendation

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- ADB Approves \$381 Million Financing to Modernize Agriculture, Education, and Health Services in Punj