

 Early Warning System

AFDB-P-Z1-KC0-001

Multinational - Accelerating sustainable and inclusive industrialization in
the EAC



Quick Facts

Countries	Burundi, Congo, Democratic Republic of, Kenya, Rwanda, South Sudan, Tanzania, Uganda
Specific Location	East African Community (EAC)
Financial Institutions	African Development Bank (AFDB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	C
Voting Date	2025-01-13
Borrower	East African Business Council (EABC)
Sectors	Industry and Trade, Technical Cooperation
Investment Type(s)	Grant
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 1.01 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 1.01 million



Project Description

According to the Bank's website, the goal of this project is to support and facilitate sustainable and inclusive private sector led industrialization in the East African Community (EAC). This will be achieved by supporting improvements of the business and investment climate necessary for the development of priority value chains. The project will strengthen the private sector in the EAC region by addressing competitiveness and production challenges that hinder access to the African Continental Free Trade Area (AfCFTA) which is the target market for the EAC Partner States. The project's general objective is cluster development for edible oils, leather and textiles value chains through technical assistance and capacity support to raise regional competitiveness while increasing their respective contribution to the sustainable and inclusive industrialization of the EAC region.



Early Warning System Project Analysis

Environmental Category: [3] Low Risk



Investment Description

- African Development Bank (AFDB)

Finance Type: Standard grant

Commitments (UA): 763,097

Conversion Rate USD (2025-01-13): 1,32661



Private Actors Description

The *East African Business Council (EABC)* is a regional organization found in 1997 by the private sector associations and corporates from the 7 East African Community (EAC) Partner States (Kenya, Democratic Republic of Congo, Tanzania, Rwanda, Burundi, Uganda and South Sudan), to advocate for a conducive business environment for trade and investment in the region. It is based in Arusha, Tanzania.



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Bank Documents

- [Appraisal Report \(EN\)](#)