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AFDB-P-Z1-KF0-067
SUPPORT TO SADC MACROECONOMIC CONVERGENCE AND FINANCIAL INTEGRATION

## Quick Facts

| Financial Institutions | African Development Bank (AFDB) |
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| Status | Approved |
| Bank Risk Rating | U |
| Voting Date | $2021-10-18$ |
| Borrower | Southern African Development Community (SADC) |
| Sectors | Finance, Law and Government |
| Investment Type(s) | Grant |
| Investment Amount (USD) | $\$ 6.92$ million |
| Project Cost (USD) | $\$ 7.61$ million |

## Project Description

According to the bank website, the objective of this operation is to assist SADC in enhancing its financial integration and monetary cooperation. Specifically, the objective of the project is firstly, to enhance macroeconomic stability and convergence of the SADC region. Currently there is a strong variation in levels of macroeconomic stability between SADC countries, as reflected in variations in inflation rates, fiscal deficits, public debt levels and current account deficits which public debt levels, current account and government debt, which limit cross-border and foreign investment within the region. Secondly, to support the development of integrated financial markets in the SADC, which will facilitate the most efficient allocation of savings and investment. Non-integrated financial markets limit capital mobility and do not allow for the most efficient level of risk diversification.

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## Contact Information

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## Bank Documents

- Appraisal report (en)
- Appraisal report (fr)
- Environmental Study (en)
- Environmental Study (fr)
- Expression of interest (en)
- Expression of interest (en)
- Expression of interest (en)
- Expression of interest (en)
- General Procurement Notice (en)

