

 Early Warning System

AIIB-000682

Cambodia: Integrated Water Resources Management Project



Quick Facts

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| Countries | Cambodia |
| Specific Location | Pursat and Sangker River Basins |
| Financial Institutions | Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB) |
| Status | Proposed |
| Bank Risk Rating | B |
| Borrower | Government of the Kingdom of Cambodia |
| Sectors | Agriculture and Forestry, Infrastructure, Water and Sanitation |
| Investment Type(s) | Loan |
| Investment Amount (USD) | \$ 80.00 million |
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Project Description

As stated by the AIIB, the objective of Cambodia Integrated Water Resources Management Project is to improve dry season irrigation water availability and to cope with wet season flooding in Pursat and Sangker River Basins through an integrated water resource management (IWRM) approach.

The Project will be co-financed with the Asian Development Bank (ADB), who will be the lead co-financier. To achieve the objective, the Project will:

- (i) strengthen the planning and coordination capacities of the provincial River Basin Management Committees (RBMCs);
- (ii) increase irrigation water availability in the dry season through construction and rehabilitation of water regulator and canals; and
- (iii) improve flood-control and drainage facilities to reduce flood risks in the wet season.

Three components have been proposed for the Project:

Component 1 - Strengthen the planning and coordination capacities of water resources management of provincial RBMCs;

Component 2 - Increase irrigation water availability during the dry season; and

Component 3 - Reduce flood risks during the wet season.



Early Warning System Project Analysis

As stated by the AIIB, the ADB has categorized the ES risks and impacts of the Project as Category B for Environment, B for Involuntary Resettlement, and B for Indigenous Peoples.



Investment Description

- Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB)



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ACCESS TO INFORMATION

You can submit an information request for project information at: <https://www.aiib.org/en/contact/information-request/index.html>

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Bank Documents

- [Project Summary \(January 30, 2024\)](#) [Original Source]



Other Related Projects

- ADB-55197-001 Integrated Water Resources Management Project