

 Early Warning System

DFC-2021-IFRIACOLDCHAI

Ifria Cold Chain TA



Quick Facts

Countries	Morocco, Senegal
Specific Location	Agadir (MOR), Dakar (SEN)
Financial Institutions	US International Development Finance Corporation (DFC)
Status	Active
Bank Risk Rating	U
Borrower	Ifria Cold Chain Development Company
Sectors	Agriculture and Forestry, Energy, Industry and Trade, Technical Cooperation, Transport
Investment Type(s)	Grant
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 0.34 million
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Project Cost (USD)	\$ 0.72 million



Project Description

As stated by the DFC, the technical assistance will "support project development work needed to prepare two cold chain anchor warehouses in Agadir, Morocco, and Dakar, Senegal for DFC financing. Activities will include an assessment of incorporating both solar power generation and energy efficiency measures into the warehouses, an analysis of pharmaceutical and agricultural products cold chain integration, site selection assessments, and environmental and social impact assessments, among other things."



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Private Actors Description

As stated on the company's website, Ifria is an integrated Cold Chain development company focused on developing and operating, in franchise, license or directly Cold Chain logistics assets ranging from added value storage/logistic hubs to first mile Cold Chain. Ifria integrates lessons from its founders Management work in Cold Chain development in developing and frontier markets globally to profitably develop impactful Cold Chain assets in developing North and West African markets.



Private Actor 1	Private Actor 1 Role	Private Actor 1 Sector	Relation	Private Actor 2	Private Actor 2 Role	Private Actor 2 Sector
-	-	-	-	Ifria Cold Chain Development Company	Client	Industry and Trade



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No contacts provided in the project disclosure.

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