

 Early Warning System

DFC-2026-EXCEEDWORLDWID

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Quick Facts

Countries	Argentina
Financial Institutions	US International Development Finance Corporation (DFC)
Status	Active
Bank Risk Rating	U
Borrower	Argentina Potash Corporation
Sectors	Mining
Investment Type(s)	Fund
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 4.07 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 8.15 million



Project Description

According to the DFC, Argentina Potash Corporation is receiving reimbursable Project Development ("PD") Funds for the establishment of a greenfield potash mine and processing facility across the Neuquen and Mendoza provinces in Argentina known as El Ceibo, to prepare the Project for potential DFC investment. The PD funding will support a structured program of technical and ESG activities designed to confirm the project's readiness for mining feasibility and construction of the mine. These activities include: (a) geological verification and classification of mineral resources under the SK-1300; (b) development of an Environmental and Social Impact Assessment aligned with IFC Performance Standards and national requirements; (c) preparation of a Preliminary Feasibility Study for resource and reserve upgrading; (d) acquisition of new high-resolution 3D seismic data to support horizontal well geo-steering; (e) required licensing and permitting processes; (f) stock exchange listing requirements; (g) re-domiciliation process; (h) detailed engineering for the pilot plant; and (i) Environmental Impact Assessment for the pilot plant required by Neuquén authorities.



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Contact Information

No contacts available at the time of disclosure

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Bank Documents

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