

 Early Warning System

EIB-20210281

CARRARO GROUP RDI AND DIGITALISATION II



## Quick Facts

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| <b>Countries</b>               | Italy  |
| <b>Financial Institutions</b>  | European Investment Bank (EIB)               |
| <b>Status</b>                  | Approved                                     |
| <b>Bank Risk Rating</b>        | U  |
| <b>Voting Date</b>             | 2022-12-09                                   |
| <b>Borrower</b>                | CARRARO SPA                                  |
| <b>Sectors</b>                 | Agriculture and Forestry, Industry and Trade |
| <b>Investment Type(s)</b>      | Loan   |
| <b>Investment Amount (USD)</b> | \$ 33.75 million                             |



## Project Description

The project will improve the promoter's offer in the field of electrified solutions for agricultural machinery and power transmission systems for tractors and off-highway vehicles. It will also boost the offer of new digital services. The digitalisation activities aim at improving the overall company efficiency and improve its cyber resilience.

The project covers the promoter's Research, Development and Innovation (RDI) activities in the field of electrification technologies for agricultural machinery, power transmission systems for tractors and off-highway vehicles, as well as material science. It also includes investments for product and processes digitalisation, deployment of digital infrastructure and enhancement of cyber security.

RDI activities in the field of agricultural machinery and power transmission systems for tractors and off-highway vehicles as well as the other activities comprised in the proposed project are not listed in the annexes of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Directive 2011/92/EU amended by the Directive 2014/52/EU. Therefore the project is not covered by the EIA Directive. The Bank's Services will however review the environmental aspects of the project during the due diligence process.



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## Investment Description

- European Investment Bank (EIB)



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| Private Actor 1 | Private Actor 1 Role | Private Actor 1 Sector | Relation | Private Actor 2 | Private Actor 2 Role | Private Actor 2 Sector |
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| -               | -                    | -                      | -        | Carraro SpA     | Client               | -                      |

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## Contact Information

*Project contacts not available at the time of disclosure.*

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### Other Related Projects

- EIB-20190423 AGRICULTURE AND BIOECONOMY PROGRAM LOAN II