

 Early Warning System

EIB-20210702

ITALIAN UTILITIES PROGRAMME LOAN



Quick Facts

Countries	Italy
Financial Institutions	European Investment Bank (EIB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2022-05-18
Borrower	Borrower not available at the time of the snapshot
Sectors	Energy, Industry and Trade, Water and Sanitation
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 1,131.12 million
Loan Amount (USD)	\$ 1,131.12 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 1,885.21 million



Project Description

According to the bank website, the project consists of financing of utilities in Italy under a Programme Loan. Sectors include waterworks (water and wastewater), electricity distribution, district heating, energy efficiency measures (including public lighting), renewable energy generation and waste collection/treatment facilities.

The proposed Programme Loan (PL) aims at addressing the investment needs of small and medium-sized utilities operating in the water, energy and solid waste sector, throughout Italy. In particular, the following investments are expected to be financed under the PL: (i) electricity and water distribution networks; (ii) wastewater collection and wastewater treatment schemes; (iii) waste collection, recycling, treatment and disposal facilities; (iv) district heating facilities and co-generation plants; and, (v) municipal public lighting for energy saving purposes.



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Contact Information

No project contacts provided at the time of disclosure.

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Bank Documents

- [EIB response to RFI 29.08.23](#)
- [Environmental and Social Data Sheet](#)



Other Related Projects

- EIB-20220167 SMAT WATER INVESTMENTS GREEN LOAN
- EIB-20220580 ACQUE WATER INVESTMENTS
- EIB-20220647 IREN WATER SECTOR GREEN LOAN
- EIB-20220708 CIIP WATER INVESTMENTS
- EIB-20210698 COMO WATER INVESTMENTS