

 Early Warning System

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## Quick Facts

<b>Countries</b>	Rwanda
<b>Financial Institutions</b>	European Investment Bank (EIB)
<b>Status</b>	Approved
<b>Bank Risk Rating</b>	FI
<b>Voting Date</b>	2023-11-15
<b>Borrower</b>	Development Bank of Rwanda (BRD) PLC
<b>Sectors</b>	Agriculture and Forestry, Construction, Energy, Hydropower, Transport, Water and Sanitation
<b>Investment Type(s)</b>	Loan
<b>Investment Amount (USD)</b>	\$ 21.71 million
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<b>Project Cost (USD)</b>	\$ 43.42 million



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## Project Description

According to the EIB, the framework loan with the Development Bank of Rwanda (BRD) will finance climate action and environmentally sustainable projects in the country.

The aim is to support projects in Rwanda eligible for Climate Action and Environmental Sustainability. The concerned sectors are renewable energy (mainly small-scale run-of-river hydropower and rooftop solar photovoltaic), sustainable agriculture, waste recycling, new energy efficient buildings, as well as e-mobility.



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## Investment Description

- European Investment Bank (EIB)

## Financial Intermediary

Financial Intermediary: A commercial bank or financial institution that receives funds from a development bank. A financial intermediary then lends these funds to their clients (private actors) in the form of loans, bonds, guarantees and equity shares. Financial intermediaries include insurance, pension and equity funds. The direct financial relationship is between the development bank and the financial intermediary.

- [Development Bank of Rwanda \(BRD\) PLC](#) (Financial Intermediary)



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### Private Actors Description

As stated by FitchRatings, BRD is Rwanda's sole development bank and its unique policy mandate is to promote social and economic development. Its strategy is directly aligned with Rwanda's economic transformation plan and is highly influenced by the government.



## Contact Information

*No project contacts provided at the time of disclosure.*

### Financial Intermediary - Development Bank of Rwanda (BRD) PLC:

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## ACCESS TO INFORMATION

You can submit an information request for project information at: <https://www.eib.org/en/infocentre/registers/request-form/request-form-default.htm>

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