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### **Quick Facts**

Countries	Argentina
Financial Institutions	Inter-American Development Bank (IADB)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	В
Borrower	Government of Argentina
Sectors	Communications
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 100.00 million
Loan Amount (USD)	\$ 100.00 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 100.00 million



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#### **Project Description**

According to the Bank´s website, the general objective of the project is to contribute to digital connectivity in areas far from urban centers through the development and deployment of the federal fiber optic network. Likewise, it is planned to finance the updating of the equipment of the Data Center of Empresa Argentina de Soluciones Satelitales S.A. AR-SAT, which works under the orbit of the Secretariat of Public Innovation of the Chief of Cabinet of Ministers, allowing the Argentine State to have greater data storage and processing capacities. The investment will increase connectivity throughout the country, as well as increase the offer of cloud services, which may be provided to state institutions, municipalities and other organizations that due to their scale do not have the possibility of access to have its own infrastructure.



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### **Investment Description**

• Inter-American Development Bank (IADB)

The description of investment type was not available at the time of the snapshot.



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#### **Contact Information**

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