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Quick Facts

Countries	Bolivia
Financial Institutions	Inter-American Development Bank (IADB)
Status	Closed
Bank Risk Rating	C
Voting Date	2018-10-05
Borrower	Government of Bolivia
Sectors	Climate and Environment, Industry and Trade
Investment Type(s)	Grant
Investment Amount (USD)	$ 0.08 million
Project Cost (USD)	$ 0.08 million

Project Description

According to the bank, the purpose of the TC is to finance diagnostic studies to understand the main development challenges that Bolivia faces, as well as to study issues related to the constraints on the growth of productivity at the firm levels. The results obtained will serve as input for the preparation of the following documents: i) Challenges for the development of the Country (CDC, for its acronym in English) and ii) Agenda f or the Growth of the Andean Region. In the last decade, Bolivia has made important progress in reducing poverty. For example, moderate pove rty went from 60% to 36% between 2006 and 2017 and extreme poverty from 38% to 17%. However, these advances also generate another ki nd of pressure from a new middle class that tends to migrate from the countryside to the city, concentrating on peri-urban areas and often faci ng problems related to the lack of quality public services (water, electricity, health, housing, security, etc.), as well as the difficulty to find sourc es of work in conditions of formality. The rapid growth of the middle class poses challenges such as: the generation of modern, versatile and qu ality information on poverty, the study of the characteristics of this new population, its main needs and vulnerabilities, as well as a diagnosis of the capacity that can be have the main public institutions to meet the demands of this sector of citizenship.

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