# IADB-RG-T4746

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#### **Quick Facts**

Countries	Argentina, Brazil, Paraguay, Uruguay
Financial Institutions	Inter-American Development Bank (IADB)
Status	Active
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2025-07-29
Borrower	IDB borrowing countries
Sectors	Industry and Trade, Technical Cooperation
Investment Type(s)	Advisory Services
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 0.85 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 0.85 million



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#### **Project Description**

According to the IADB, the general objective of this TC is to strengthen the technical and institutional capacity of the MERCOSUR full member countries in the early stages of signing, ratifying, and implementing the bi-regional trade agreement with the European Union (EU). The specific objectives are: (i) to assess the economic and regulatory impacts, as well as the legal and institutional reforms needed to fully leverage the agreement; (ii) to provide technical support to national authorities during the signing, legislative ratification, and design of implementation plans; and (iii) to identify priority areas for intraregional intervention to prevent the erosion of trade preferences, the obsolescence of the regional regulatory framework, and to jointly seize new market access opportunities.



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#### **Contact Information**

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#### **Bank Documents**

- Documento del Proyecto Divulgacion\_36624
- TC Abstract Regional TC RG-T4746