

 Early Warning System

**IDBI-13655-01**

**Produbanco Sustainable Bond**



## Quick Facts

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| <b>Countries</b>               | Ecuador  |
| <b>Financial Institutions</b>  | IDB Invest (IDBI)                                    |
| <b>Status</b>                  | Proposed   |
| <b>Bank Risk Rating</b>        | B  |
| <b>Voting Date</b>             | 2021-09-21   |
| <b>Borrower</b>                | Banco de la Produccion S.A. - Produbanco             |
| <b>Sectors</b>                 | Climate and Environment, Finance, Industry and Trade |
| <b>Ring Fence</b>              | Small & Medium Enterprises                           |
| <b>Investment Type(s)</b>      | Fund   |
| <b>Investment Amount (USD)</b> | \$ 10.00 million                                     |
| <b>Project Cost (USD)</b>      | \$ 50.00 million                                     |



## Project Description

The Project consists of supporting Produbanco ("PB") in the first issuance of a Sustainable Bond in the private sector of Ecuador. The total amount of the Bond is up to US\$50 million divided in two series: (i) Serie A where IDB Invest will act as an investor with a 100% subscription for an amount of up to US\$40 million; and (ii) Serie B, where IDB Invest or IDB, the latter as administrator of the Canadian Climate Fund (C2F), will act as an investor with a 100% subscription for an amount of up to US\$10 million. The Serie B will be subject to economic incentives upon compliance of key performance indicators. The funds from the medium-term Bond will be used to finance small and medium-sized companies (SMEs) and PB's green portfolio. Additionally, IDB Invest will provide an advisory service to define the roadmap for PB's NetZero Goal. This will allow it to work towards achieving the commitments assumed to the Net-Zero Banking Alliance initiative to align its loan and investment portfolio with net zero emissions by 2050. Additionally, Produbanco will be supported in the process of structuring the framework and certification of the sustainable bond.



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- IDB Invest (IDBI)

Canadian Climate Fund (C2F). This fund is administrated by the IDB, which may be the IDB Group member that will act as an investor with a 100% subscription for an amount of up to US\$10 million (Serie B), as the text informs.

## 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.

- [IADB](#) (Financial Intermediary) **contracts with** [Canadian Climate Fund](#) (Investor)



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