

 Early Warning System

IDBI-14942-01

BlueOrchard Emerging Markets Carbon Impact Fund



Quick Facts

Financial Institutions	IDB Invest (IDBI)
Status	Hold
Bank Risk Rating	B
Voting Date	2025-02-25
Borrower	BlueOrchard Finance Ltd
Sectors	Climate and Environment, Finance
Investment Type(s)	Fund
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 5.00 million
Loan Amount (USD)	\$ 5.00 million



Project Description

According to the IDB Invest, the project aims to support one of the first private equity impact funds in Emerging Markets ("EMs") and Latin America and the Caribbean ("LAC") focused on mobilizing capital at scale to support the origination of high-quality Carbon Dioxide Removal ("CDRs") certificates--from the Amazonia and EMs' tropical areas--to develop the Voluntary Carbon Market ("VCM") and promote convergence towards Compliance Carbon Markets ("CCM") aligned with the Paris Agreement, through an IDB Invest anchor investment of up to US\$15 million, including an up to US\$10 million blended finance investment from the Canadian Net Zero and Climate Resilience Accelerator in the BlueOrchard Carbon Impact Fund (the "Fund"), (the "Project").

The Fund's investment strategy is built around providing long-term funding for nature-based, biodiversity-enriching, and carbon sequestration projects in EM countries to generate financial returns and CDR credits.



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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.

- [BlueOrchard Finance Ltd.](#) (Financial Intermediary)



Private Actors Description

The Fund will be managed by BlueOrchard Finance Ltd. ("BO", "BlueOrchard" or the "Fund Manager"), a pioneer impact investment manager with more than 22 years of experience and a founding member of the Amazonia Finance Network.



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