Early Warning System

# IFC-46744

Partech Africa Fund II



#### **Quick Facts**

International Finance Corporation (IFC)
Approved
В
2022-09-26
PARTECH AFRICA S.L.P.
Finance, Industry and Trade
Equity
\$ 39.91 million



## **Project Description**

According to the Bank's website, Partech Africa Fund II ("PAF II") is an early-stage venture capital fund focused on businesses in the technology sector in Africa. The fund will invest in Seed to Series D rounds, and follow-on rounds in top portfolio companies.

#### **Investment Description**

• International Finance Corporation (IFC)

#### **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.

• Partech Africa GP SAS (Financial Intermediary) is owned by Partech Partners SAS (Parent Company)



#### **Private Actor Relationship**

IFC's proposed investment in Partech Africa Fund is an equity investment of up to  $\leq 25$  million, not to exceed 20% of the total Fund commitment. In addition, IFC has proposed a separate co-investment envelope of up to  $\leq 15$  million on a delegated authority basis, to facilitate IFC's ability to participate in potential future co-investment opportunities alongside the Fund.

#### **Private Actors Description**

The Fund Manager of Partech Africa Fund II is the France-based Partech Africa GP SAS, which is wholly owned by the Francebased Partech Partners SAS. The Partners focused on the African fund are (i) Tidjane Deme (GP), (ii) Cyril Collon (GP), and with active participation of all the other Partech Partners.

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