

 Early Warning System

WB-P179402

Sustainable Management of Substances Controlled by the Montreal
Protocol



Quick Facts

Countries	Vietnam
Financial Institutions	World Bank (WB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	B
Voting Date	2025-12-18
Borrower	Government of Viet Nam
Sectors	Energy
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 12.20 million
Loan Amount (USD)	\$ 12.20 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 5.50 million



Project Description

According to the WB, the development objective is to reduce HFC and HCFC consumption in support of Viet Nam's obligations under the Montreal Protocol

The SMS-MP Project aims to reduce hydrofluorocarbon (HFC) and hydrochlorofluorocarbon (HCFC) consumption to support Viet Nam's compliance with its Montreal Protocol (MP) phasedown and phaseout obligations between 2024 and 2030. Given that both HFCs and HCFCs are potent greenhouse gases (GHGs), the project will make a significant contribution to Viet Nam's and global climate mitigation efforts with annual avoided emissions of more than 6 million tCO₂eq starting in 2030. The project will comprise two national plans that were approved under the MP's financial mechanism, the Multilateral Fund (MLF) in December 2023: 1) The Stage I Kigali Implementation Plan (KIP), which is the first plan to address the import and use of HFCs (non-ozone depleting, short-lived climate pollutants), focuses on the servicing sector and a demonstration activity to design lower-global warming train mobile AC, HFC management support, and technical assistance (TA); and, 2) The Stage III HCFC Phaseout Management Plan (HPMP), which is a continuation and the last of two previous HPMPs implemented, will lead to the near, total phaseout of HCFCs by 2030 and is entirely centered on Viet Nam's HCFC-consuming servicing sector as well as HCFC management support and TA. (UNEP is providing Viet Nam complementary MLF support in the HFC servicing sector (training and workshops) under the KIP.) The project is consequently structured to include a component on HFC consumption reductions, a second component on HCFC consumption reductions, and a third component for project management. The proposed project will be the Bank's fourth consecutive investment project financing (IPF) on the phase out of MP controlled substances prepared with and implemented by Viet Nam's Ministry of Agriculture and Environment (MAE, formerly, MONRE), the official focal point for fulfilling national obligations as a party to the ozone and climate treaties.



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- World Bank (WB)



Contact Information

No contacts available at the time of disclosure

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Bank Documents

- [Appraisal Environmental and Social Review Summary \(ESRS\) - Sustainable Management of Substances Cont](#)
- [Concept Environmental and Social Review Summary \(ESRS\) - Sustainable Management of Substances Contro](#)
- [Concept Project Information Document \(PID\) - Sustainable Management of Substances Controlled by the](#)
- [Disclosable Version of the ISR - Sustainable Management of Substances Controlled by the Montreal Pro](#)
- [Environmental and Social Commitment Plan \(ESCP\) - Sustainable Management of Substances Controlled by](#)
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- [Official Documents- Disbursement and Financial Information Letter for OTF Grant TF0C9671-VN.pdf](#)
- [Official Documents- Grant Agreement for OTF Grant TF0C9671-VN.pdf](#)
- [Revised Environmental and Social Management Plan \(ESMP\) Sustainable Management of Substances Control](#)
- [Revised Labor Management Procedures Sustainable Management of Substances Controlled by the Montreal](#)
- [Revised Stakeholder Engagement Plan \(SEP\) Sustainable Management of Substances Controlled by the Mon](#)
- [Stakeholder Engagement Plan \(SEP\) - Sustainable Management of Substances Controlled by the Montreal](#)
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