

 Early Warning System

WB-P180895

Strengthening the Rice System in Sierra Leone through South-South  
Cooperation



## Quick Facts

<b>Countries</b>	Sierra Leone
<b>Financial Institutions</b>	World Bank (WB)
<b>Status</b>	Proposed
<b>Bank Risk Rating</b>	B
<b>Borrower</b>	Government of Sierra Leone - Ministry of Finance; Ministry of Agriculture and Food Security
<b>Sectors</b>	Agriculture and Forestry
<b>Project Cost (USD)</b>	\$ 2.80 million



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### **Project Description**

According to the Bank's website, the objective of this project is to increase adoption of sustainable climate smart and best practices in rice production by smallholders in four districts in Sierra Leone. To achieve this, the proposed pilot project will facilitate knowledge and experience sharing between Sierra Leone and Vietnam to strengthen institutional/technical capacities of 10,000 rice farmers in Sierra Leone in improved climate smart rice production techniques.



### Early Warning System Project Analysis

The potential environmental risk classification is Moderate, as the activities under Component 2 involve the supply of the following equipment and facilities to beneficiaries: (i) agricultural production equipment such as animal traction implements, power tillers, manually operated weeders/hand-held cultivators, transplanters and seeders/planters, (ii) harvesting and postharvest management equipment and facilities, e.g., mobile harvesters, mobile threshers, and tarpaulins, and (iii) agricultural marketing equipment, such as transport equipment (ox-cart).



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### Investment Description

- World Bank (WB)

Investment type and amount not available at the time of disclosure.



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### Bank Documents

- [Concept Environmental and Social Review Summary \(ESRS\) - Strengthening the Rice System in Sierra Leo](#) [Original Source]
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