

 Early Warning System

WB-P515128

Accelerating Innovation and Catalyzing Capacity for Resilience in Africa
- FSRP Phase 4



Quick Facts

Countries	Ethiopia, Ghana, Kenya, Mali, Senegal, Zambia
Financial Institutions	World Bank (WB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	B
Voting Date	2026-03-26
Borrower	International Centre of Insect Physiology and Ecology
Sectors	Agriculture and Forestry, Law and Government
Investment Type(s)	Grant
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 43.00 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 53.50 million



Project Description

According to the Bank's website, the objective of this project is to scale agriculture innovation in Africa.

Component 1 (Strengthening agricultural information systems and institutional capacity) will strengthen the data systems and infrastructure on which agriculture innovation is based, while improving the capacity of regional organizations and national partners to use those data and tools to generate, manage, and disseminate innovation.

Component 2 (Scaling the use of agriculture innovation) will develop a menu of mechanisms through which public and private actors will deliver innovation to farmers, while improving technical and entrepreneurial skills so agriculture professionals can access job opportunities and continue driving agriculture innovation.

Component 3 (Project Management) will support the day-to-day implementation, coordination, supervision, and overall communication and management of project activities.



Early Warning System Project Analysis

The environmental and social risks of the Project are assessed as **moderate**, given the small-scale and low-complexity nature of the activities, which are not expected to result in significant adverse impacts on the environment, human health, or safety. A negative exclusion list will be used to exclude any large-scale activities with significant environmental and social (E&S) impacts, including activities that could result in land acquisition, restrictions on land use, involuntary resettlement, or economic or physical displacement, as well as impacts on cultural heritage, land degradation, or biodiversity. Since activities will be confined to pilot demonstration sites, risks related to pollution and impacts on biodiversity, flora, and fauna are expected to be minimal, including the risk of introducing invasive species. The risks of forced and child labor are considered low, as project workers will primarily consist of skilled professionals, including scientists and researchers; however, the use of family labor by farmers on demonstration plots cannot be entirely excluded. The risk of sexual exploitation, abuse, and harassment (SEA/SH) has been screened and assessed as low.



Investment Description

- World Bank (WB)

The proposed Project is an Investment Project Financing (IPF), comprising an IDA grant of US\$43.0 million, a grant of US\$2.76 million from the Government of Japan through the Japan Policy and Human Resources Development Fund (PHRD), and a grant of US\$0.24 million from the FoodSystems2030 Trust Fund, to be implemented over a four year period.

Commercial Financing: US\$ 7.50 million

Total Project Cost: US\$ 53.50 million



Private Actors Description

The *International Centre of Insect Physiology and Ecology (ICIPE)* is an international scientific research institute, headquartered in Nairobi, Kenya that works towards improving lives and livelihoods of people in Africa.



Private Actor 1	Private Actor 1 Role	Private Actor 1 Sector	Relation	Private Actor 2	Private Actor 2 Role	Private Actor 2 Sector
-	-	-	-	International Centre of Insect Physiology and Ecology (ICIPE)	Client	-



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Bank Documents

- Appraisal Environmental and Social Review Summary (ESRS) - Accelerating Innovation and Catalyzing Ca
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- Appraisal Project Information Document (PID)
- Appraisal Project Information Document (PID)
- Climate Finance Assessment (P515128)
- Concept Environmental and Social Review Summary (ESRS) - Accelerating Innovation and Catalyzing Capa
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- Disclosable Version of the ISR - Accelerating Innovation and Catalyzing Capacity for Resilience in A
- Environmental and Social Commitment Plan (ESCP) - Accelerating Innovation and Catalyzing Capacity fo
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- WB-P508689 Accelerating Innovation and Catalyzing Capacity for Resilience in Africa