

 Early Warning System

**IADB-RG-T3788**

**We3A: Improving Access to Value Chains**



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## Quick Facts

<b>Financial Institutions</b>	Inter-American Development Bank (IADB)
<b>Status</b>	Approved
<b>Bank Risk Rating</b>	C
<b>Borrower</b>	Regional
<b>Sectors</b>	Industry and Trade, Technical Cooperation
<b>Investment Type(s)</b>	Grant
<b>Investment Amount (USD)</b>	\$ 1.00 million
<b>Project Cost (USD)</b>	\$ 1.00 million



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## Project Description

This Technical Cooperation (TC) will seek to promote the growth and resilience of women-led/owned SMEs (WSMEs), with a special focus on WSMEs that are tapping into value chains. The program's specific objectives will be to improve: 1) WSMEs' access to value chains, and 2) WSMEs' access to disruptive technologies and digital financial inclusion. We3A will pay special attention to mitigating post-COVID-19 economic turbulence, both by supporting WSMEs that have been negatively impacted and by identifying solutions and new business opportunities, such as WSMEs that leverage disruptive technologies to innovate.



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## Investment Description

- Inter-American Development Bank (IADB)



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## Contact Information

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