

 Early Warning System

GCF-FP001

Building the Resilience of Wetlands in the Province of Datem del
Maranon, Peru



Quick Facts

Countries	Peru
Financial Institutions	Green Climate Fund (GCF)
Bank Risk Rating	C
Borrower	PROFONANPE
Investment Type(s)	Grant
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 6.24 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 9.11 million



Project Description

Enhancing the climate resilience and livelihoods of the indigenous wetlands communities of Datem del Marañon in the Amazon basin, while reducing greenhouse gas emissions from deforestation.

The swamps of Datem del Marañon hold a total carbon stock estimated at around 3.78 billion tonnes of carbon dioxide equivalent (CO₂ eq.). The project will avoid deforestation of an estimated 4,861 hectares of palm swamp and terra firma forests over a 10-year period and enhance resilience and conservation of 343,000 ha of peatlands and forest.

Climate change will also have profound impacts on the region, with more frequent droughts, flooding, and heatwaves, and changes in primary productivity, affecting people and ecosystems.

The project will facilitate better land-use planning and management of the region's wetlands, while strengthening sustainable, commercial bio-businesses of non-timber forest products. It will entrust indigenous communities with the management of resources, improve their livelihoods, and empower women in the decision-making processes.

The funding will support government departments in developing the land-use plan, and provide support to community-based organizations for the participation of indigenous people. The largest share of funds will support bio-businesses, including for business plans, marketing and management, equipment and supplies, and the development of solar energy for operations. The nature-based products include salted fish, smoked meat, aguaje pulp (from palm trees), and "dragon's blood," a croton tree resin used as an anti-inflammatory and anti-viral.

Expected project benefits:

GCF results areas

Gender benefits

* Enhance income levels of women through bio-business opportunities.

UN Sustainable Development Goal

* #13 Climate action



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Bank Documents

- [Funding proposal](#) [Original Source]