

## Afghanistan – Rural Access Project

**IDA Grant:** US\$125 million equivalent

**Project ID:** P125961

**Project Description:** The project development objective is to enable rural communities to benefit from all-season road access to basic services and facilities.

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## Africa - Improved Investment Climate within the Organization for the Harmonization of Business Law in Africa Project (OHADA)

**IDA Grant:** US\$15 million equivalent

**Project ID:** P126663

**Project Description:** The project development objective is to strengthen the Organization for the Harmonization of Business Law in Africa Project's institutional capacity to support, in its member countries, selected aspects of investment climate reforms, including improved corporate financial reporting.

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## Burkina Faso – Proposed First Growth and Competitiveness Grant

**IDA Grant:** US\$90 million equivalent

**Terms:** Maturity = 40 years: Grace = 10 years

**Project ID:** P126207

**Project Description:** The first growth and competitiveness grant will catalyze private sector growth and employment, improve governance and public resource management and reduce vulnerability in Burkina Faso.

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### **Cape Verde – Seventh Poverty Reduction Support Credit**

**IDA Credit:** US\$12 million equivalent

**Terms:** Maturity = 40 years: Grace = 10 years

**Project ID:** P122669

**Project Description:** The development objectives of the program are to improve the efficiency and transparency of public resources and preserve macroeconomic stability through the implementation of a reform agenda for public finance management, debt management, procurement, and the government's statistical system.

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### **Côte d'Ivoire – Emergency Infrastructure Renewal Project**

**IDA Grant:** US\$100 million equivalent

**Terms:** Maturity = 40 years: Grace = 10 years

**Project ID:** P124715

**Project Description:** The objective of the project is to improve access to basic infrastructure in targeted areas. The project will support the Government of Côte d'Ivoire's long-term capital districts program which addresses the impact of political economic turmoil on the Ivorian population in terms of access to, and quality of, basic infrastructure and services.

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### **Georgia – Third East-West Highway Improvement Project [Additional Financing]**

**IDA Credit:** \$43 million equivalent

**Terms:** Maturity = 25 years: Grace = 5 years

**Project ID:** P128863

**Project Description:** The goal of the additional financing for the Third East-West Highway Improvement Project in Georgia is to continue road upgrades on E60 highway. This will help reduce road transport costs, improve access, ease of transit, and road safety along the central part of Georgia's East-West corridor.

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**Mozambique – Pilot Program for Climate Resilience of the Strategic Climate Fund for the Climate Change Technical Assistance Project**

**IDA Grant:** \$2 million (Pilot Program for Climate Resilience of the Strategic Climate Fund)

**Project ID:** P131195

**Project Description:** The program aims to strengthen the Government of Mozambique's institutional and technical capacity to mainstream climate change resilience into key economic sectors and to improve future development policy and planning.

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**Nepal – Sunaula Hazar Din – Community Action for Nutrition**

**IBRD Credit:** \$22 million equivalent

**Terms:** Maturity = 40 years: Grace = 10 years

**IDA Grant:** \$18 million equivalent

**Project ID:** P125359

**Project Description:** The development objective for the project is to enhance awareness of and encourage best practices known to improve nutritional outcomes of women of reproductive age and children under the age of 2. Changes in attitudes and practices will address the key risk factors for child malnutrition.

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**Niger – Competitiveness and Growth Support Project**

**IDA Credit:** US\$50 million equivalent

**Terms:** Maturity = 40 years: Grace = 10 years

**Project ID:** P127204

**Project Description:** The objective the project is to improve selected aspects of Niger's business environment, to support the development of the meat industry, and to increase local business participation in the extractive industries sector.

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**Niger – Proposed First Shared Growth Credit**

**IDA Credit:** US\$50 million equivalent  
**Terms:** Maturity = 40 years: Grace = 10 years  
**Project ID:** P125272

**Project Description:** The objective of the development policy operation is to support reforms that would help improve the business environment for investment and trade, increase agricultural productivity, and strengthen public financial management.

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**Uganda – Water Management and Development Project**

**IDA Credit:** US\$135 million equivalent  
**Terms:** Maturity = 40 years: Grace = 10 years  
**Project ID:** P123204

**Project Description:** The project development objectives are to improve water resources planning, management and development, and access to water and sanitation services in priority areas. The project's broader objective is to improve integrated water resources planning, management, and development. In addition, it aims to protect water resources, conserve the environment, and improve productivity through better management of water for livestock, irrigation, and energy.

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## **Brazil - Proposed Bahia Socio Economic Development for Inclusive Growth**

**IBRD Loan:**\$700 million

**Terms:** Maturity = 30 years: **Grace = 6 months**

**Project ID:** P078817

**Project Description:** The US\$700 million Development Policy Loan (DPL) for the State of Bahia will focus on reducing social inequality and promoting inclusion, benefiting this Brazilian northeastern state and its 14 million residents.

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## **Democratic Republic of Congo - Southern African Power Market Project [Additional Grant]**

**IDA Grant:** \$201.5 million equivalent

**Project ID:** P126421

**Project Description:** The objective of the project is to expand transmission capacity to better serve domestic and regional power demand.

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## **Egypt - Emergency Labor Intensive Investment Project**

**IBRD Loan:**\$200 million

**Terms:** Maturity = 29 years: Grace = 7 years

**Project ID:** P126339

**Project Description:** The project's objectives are to create short-term employment opportunities for unemployed unskilled and semi-skilled workers; and to provide access to basic infrastructure services to the target population in poor areas.

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## Montenegro - Proposed Financial Sector Policy-Based Guarantee

**IDA Grant:** \$79.2 million equivalent

**Terms:** Maturity = 5-7 years

**Project ID:** P130157

**Project Description:** The objective of the operation is to support the authorities' efforts to strengthen the banking system and increase its resilience to possible future shocks by continuing to undertake sectoral policy reforms and system restructuring.

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## Morocco - Proposed Program-for-Results Financing for a National Initiative for Human Development 2 Program

**IBRD Loan:** \$300 million equivalent

**Terms:** Maturity = 29 years: Grace = 6 years

**Project ID:** P116201

**Project Description:** The development objective is to improve access to local governance mechanisms, basic infrastructure, social services and economic opportunities.

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## Nepal - Proposed Program-for-Results Financing for a Bridges Improvement and Maintenance Program

**IDA Credit:** \$60 million

**Terms:** Maturity = 40 years: Grace = 10 years

**Project ID:** P125495

**Project Description:** The development objective of the project for Nepal is to provide safe, reliable and cost effective bridges on Nepal's strategic roads network.

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**Azerbaijan - Second Rural Investment Project**

**IBRD Loan:** US\$30 million

**Terms:** Maturity = 17 years: Grace = 4 years

**Project ID:** P122944

**Project Description:** The development objective of the project is to improve access to and use of community-driven rural infrastructure and expand economic activities for rural households.

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**Egypt - Enhanced Water Resources Management Project**

**Global Environment Facility Trust Fund Grant:** US\$6.7 million

**Project ID:** P118090

**Project Description:** The objective of the project is to pilot the International Water Resources Management (IWRM) in the Nile Delta. It will establish the basis for scaling up investments through the Government of Egypt's IWRM plan and contribute to pollution control and improved ecosystem health of the Mediterranean Sea.

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**Morocco - Integrated Coastal Zone Management Project**

**Proposed Global Environment Facility (GEF) Trust Fund Grant:** US\$5.18 million

**Project ID:** P121271

**Project Description:** The objective of the project is to will pilot the application of integrated coastal zone management (ICZM) approach at the local level in view of improving resources management, inclusion and job creation in the Eastern Mediterranean coastal areas of Morocco.

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### **Uruguay - Sustainable and Efficient Project**

**IBRD Loan:** US\$42 million

**Terms:** Maturity = 23 years: Grace = 5 years

**Project ID:** P118064

**Project Description:** The objective of the project is to strengthen the State Sanitation Works Office (*Administración de Obras Sanitarias del Estado*) by improving the reliability and resilience of its water supply and sanitation systems, as well as enhancing its efficiency and management capacity.

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### **Colombia – Second Disaster Risk Management Development Policy Loan with a Catastrophe Deferred Drawdown Option**

**IBRD Loan:** US\$250 million

**Terms:** Maturity = 18 years

**Project ID:** P126583

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