

Navigating ESG Challenges:

How the Financial Sector Drives Sustainable Change



Immense Challenges to Sustainable Development WON OR LOST IN Across Asia Pacific Region ASIA AND THE 64 MILLION ASIANS PACIFIC. VILL BE PUSHED NTO POVERTY ASIA AND THE PACIFIC IS **CURRENTLY RESPONSIBLE** FOR OVER 50% OF THAILAND WILL BECOME **GLOBAL CARBON** A FULLY AGED SOCIETY IN 2022 **OVER 60% OF ASIA** DIOXIDE EMISSIONS. AND THE PACIFIC'S **POPULATION** AT-RISK FROM CLIMATE Climate Change Changing **Universal Impact** Society Ageing/Consumption Behavior Cities in the region expected to Table 1: Estimated Infrastructure Investment Needs by Region, 45 DMCs, 2016-2030 Needs grow in population by more than (\$ billion in 2015 prices) 2030 **Baseline Estimates** Climate-adjusted Estimates** 550 million in the next decade Projected Region/Subregion GDP Per Investment Annual of GDP of GDP Disappearing (billion) (2015\$)**Biodiversity** 0.096 6,202 492 33 565 38 Central Asia 7.8 5.1 1.503 18,602 13.781 919 4.5 16,062 1,071 5.2 East Asia 6.5 2.059 3,446 5,477 365 7.6 6,347 423 8.8 South Asia* 42% of all species in SE Asia lost by Southeast Asia 5.1 0.723 7,040 2,759 184 5.0 3,147 210 5.7 3.1 0.014 2,889 42 2.8 8.2 3.1 9.1 46 The Pacific end of century? Asia and the Pacific 5.3 4.396 9,277 22,551 1,503 5.1 26,166 1.744

Asia Pacific: 99 of top 100 cities

facing largest environmental risks

\$711 billion needed annually to reverse biodiversity loss by 2030



Catalyze Finance From ALL Sources

In Time!

"Leverage Development Funds + Technical Solutions + Institutional Solutions"



ADB Initiatives Underway

In Thailand and SEA Region

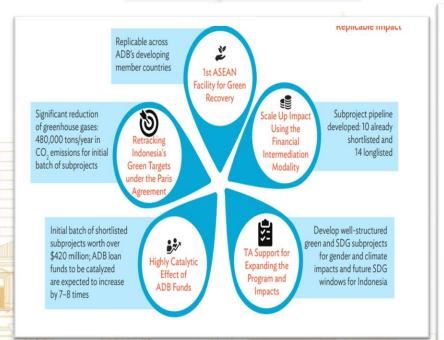
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GSS + Bonds Initiative: \$ 2 bn catalyzed



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Replicable **Projects** Development

ADB Private Sector Financing Supports Two New Bangkok Metro Lines



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BANGKOK, THAILAND (4 June 2019) — The Asian Development Bank (ADB) signed an agrewith a financing package of 9.9 billion Thai baht (\$311 million equivalent) for the constructi operation of the Pink and Yellow lines of Bangkok's mass rapid transit (MRT) system.

ADB, BANPU Sign 2.4 Billion Thai Baht Deal to Support Electric Tuktuks in Thailand and Battery Production in PRC



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Programs Development



is a broader definition that

encompasses biodiversity

("all life on Earth") plus "the

Bindiversity is "the variability among living organisms terrestrial, marine and othe aquatic ecosystems and of which they are part; this includes diversity within species, between species

wetlands

Asia Particularly at Risk

wo fifths of the world's most significant marine biodiversity has been lost and the rest will disappear by 2100 (WWF). Southeast Asia alone:

the last 15 years

up to 80% wetlands threatened with drainage through conversion to agricult or development

han migratory wading bird lion imperilled due to lost

540 million living on coastlines rising sea levels and

Nature is critical in building climate resilien

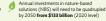
Rehabilitation and conservation of ecosystems and improving ecosystems services is critical for and infrastructure to climate impacts. This includes measures such as restoration of coastal mangroves, wetlands, and mountain landscapes; watershed management; reforestation for cooling climate resilient cropping systems; and water resource management.

Nature is a vital carbon sink

- Land-based ecosystems can provide up to 20%-30% of the mitigation required to ensure global warming stays below 1.5°C towards 2050 (UNCCD)
- nissions, and captures 90% of the excess heat these emissions generate (UN)
- · Forest and wetland ecosystems are critical for carbon storage (UNEP)

NBSs require a massive scaling up in funds to fight against nature los An estimated \$711 billion needed each

Lack of national/regional focus on NB





Lack of knowedge on innovative finance approaches to scale up Risk perception of global pools

Protection of biodiversity

Some estimates indicate that investing in nature can generate up to \$10 trillion in additional annual business revenue and create employment opportunities worth up to \$395 million by 2030

ADB to Help Build 100-MW Solar Park in Cambodia

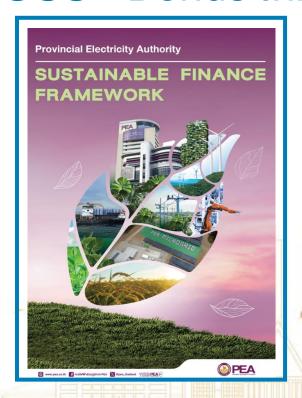
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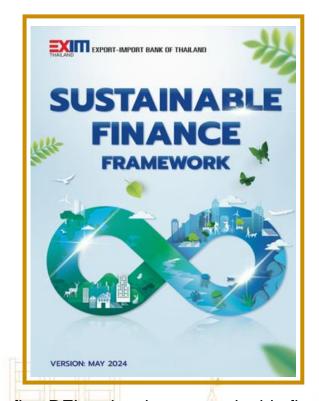
PHNOM PENH, CAMBODIA (24 May 2019) — The Asian Development Bank (ADB) has approved a \$7.64 million loan to support the construction of a 100-megawatt (MW) solar power park in Cambodia, which will help the country develop renewable energy resources, diversify its energy mix, and improve the



GSS+ Bonds Initiative



- First sustainability bond by a utility operator in Thailand
- THB 1 billion (\$35 million),5 years maturity
- Listing on 21 August 2024
- Aligned with ASEAN Taxonomy for Sustainable Finance



- The first DFI to develop a sustainable finance framework covering blue projects
- The framework extended from green and social projects in 2022 to include eligible blue projects such as:
 - marine renewable energy,
 - sustainable fisheries, aquaculture and marine value chain,
 - sustainable marine transportation and ports
 - sustainable coastal and marine tourism



Mobilizing Capital Markets for a Climate-Responsive Inclusive Southeast Asia (adb.org)

GSS+ Bonds Initiative





 Seven internationally-awarded sustainable bond transactions



Krungsri: Join Forces to Support Thailand's Net Zero Transition



- Involvement in Sustainable Finance **Development in ASEAN and Thailand**
 - Working Group on Strengthening Demand and Supply for Sustainable Finance



 Funding support from **MDBs**



Thailand ESG Fund











Financing the Transition (Brown to Less-brown Business)



- Knowledge sharing from MUFG **MUFG** on international **ESG** case studies
- Collaboration with ADB to build quality supply



- MOF Sustainability Bond
- **EXIM Blue Bond**
- Krungsri's Sustainable Finance products











o Phase 1 Energy and **Transportation**

Thailand Taxonomy

 Phase 2: Manufacturing, Agriculture, Real Estate and Construction, and Waste Management sector.



- **MUFG Asia Transition White Paper**
- Climate Change Act (in progress)



Krungsri as Your Strategic Partner to Reach Net Zero Targets

CORPORATE & INVESTMENT BANKING CLIENTS

SME CLIENTS









WOMEN-LED SMES (WSMES)



TRANSITION

To be further explored under Thailand Taxonomy and Thai SEC Guideline



















Embark on Your Transition Finance Journey

- Begin NOW with data collection, developing ESG corporate strategy & pathway towards net zero, and addressing investment requirements.
- Krungsri is ready to support your Transition Finance requirement and be partner of choice.
- 1 CORPORATE'S TRANSITION PLAN PREPARATION
 - 1 Data Collection
 - Collect operational and ESG data
 - Preparation for upcoming Climate Change Act/ Carbon Tax

- Strategy & Pathway
 Towards Net Zero
 - Set sustainability targets
 - Identify economic benefit in doing less-brown activities
 - Formulate decarbonization strategy

- Investment Requirement
 - Assess financial needs from ESG related investments
 - Data disclosure to lenders/ investors

2 SUSTAINABLE FINANCE SUPPORT



- Due Diligence
- Ensure alignment with Best Market Practices and Standards
- Financing support through Sustainable Finance initiatives



