

Climate Finance Training (CliFiT)

Accessing and Managing Climate Adaptation Finance

Why does it matter?

Anthropogenic climate change is causing **more extreme heat, flooding, drought, sea level rise and wildfires** all over the world. Vulnerable and marginalised communities are disproportionately affected by these events. Mitigation alone is not enough to avoid the growing consequences of climate change, making **adaptation an urgent necessity** to reduce potential losses and damages. Climate adaptation is mandated by the Paris Agreement and embedded in the Global Goal on Adaptation. However, despite rising needs, it remains **severely underfunded**. Strengthening countries' capacities to better access and manage climate adaptation finance is therefore essential.



- Every USD 1 invested in adaptation and resilience generates more than USD 10 in benefits over 10 years.
- In 2023, USD 65 billion went to adaptation, versus USD 1,780 billion to mitigation.
- The 10 most climate-vulnerable countries in Africa received only 11% of adaptation finance in 2022.

What is the focus?

The training material enables climate project developers to gain a better understanding of the global adaptation finance landscape, how to address the adaptation finance gap, and on implementing, monitoring, and reporting on adaptation projects.

Structure

- What is climate adaptation finance?
- Global and national policy frameworks
- Landscape of adaptation finance
- Finance tools and mechanisms
- Innovative adaptation finance tools
- What makes a good adaptation project?
- Sources of adaptation finance: Climate funds
- Implementation and Monitoring

In-depth analysis

Facts and figures, numerous concrete examples as well as detailed case studies allow for in-depth analysis and application of the training tools.

Interactivity

Highly interactive approach allows participants to directly apply training content while facilitating engagement with and feedback from their training peers for lasting networks.

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