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Strengthening upstream project origination for climate investment pipelines

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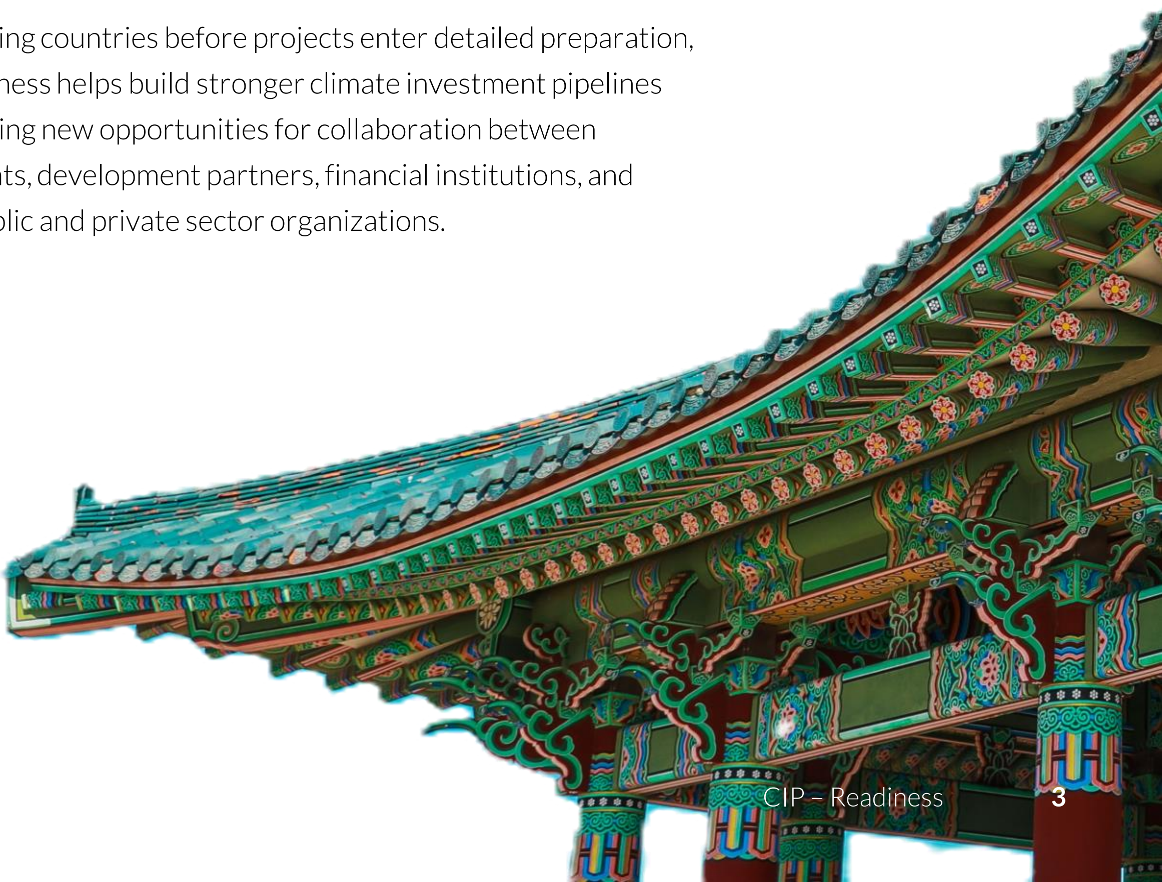
Climate Investment Pipelines (CIP) – Readiness

Turning national climate priorities into investment-ready opportunities

Countries have ambitious climate commitments, but too few projects reach the stage where they can access climate finance. CIP–Readiness helps bridge this gap by strengthening the early stages of project development, where promising ideas are transformed into well-defined, nationally endorsed climate investment concepts that can enter formal preparation pipelines.

Implemented by the Global Green Growth Institute (GGGI) in partnership with the Korea Development Institute (KDI) and supported by the Ministry of Finance and Economy of the Republic of Korea through the Korea Green New Deal Trust Fund (KGNDTF), the initiative works with governments to strengthen institutional capacity, improve project origination, and connect national priorities with financing opportunities.

By supporting countries before projects enter detailed preparation, CIP–Readiness helps build stronger climate investment pipelines while creating new opportunities for collaboration between governments, development partners, financial institutions, and Korean public and private sector organizations.



Why CIP-Readiness?

Developing countries have identified climate investment priorities through their Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs). Yet relatively few progress into formal preparation or secure climate finance. The challenge is often not a lack of funding, but a shortage of investment-ready projects.

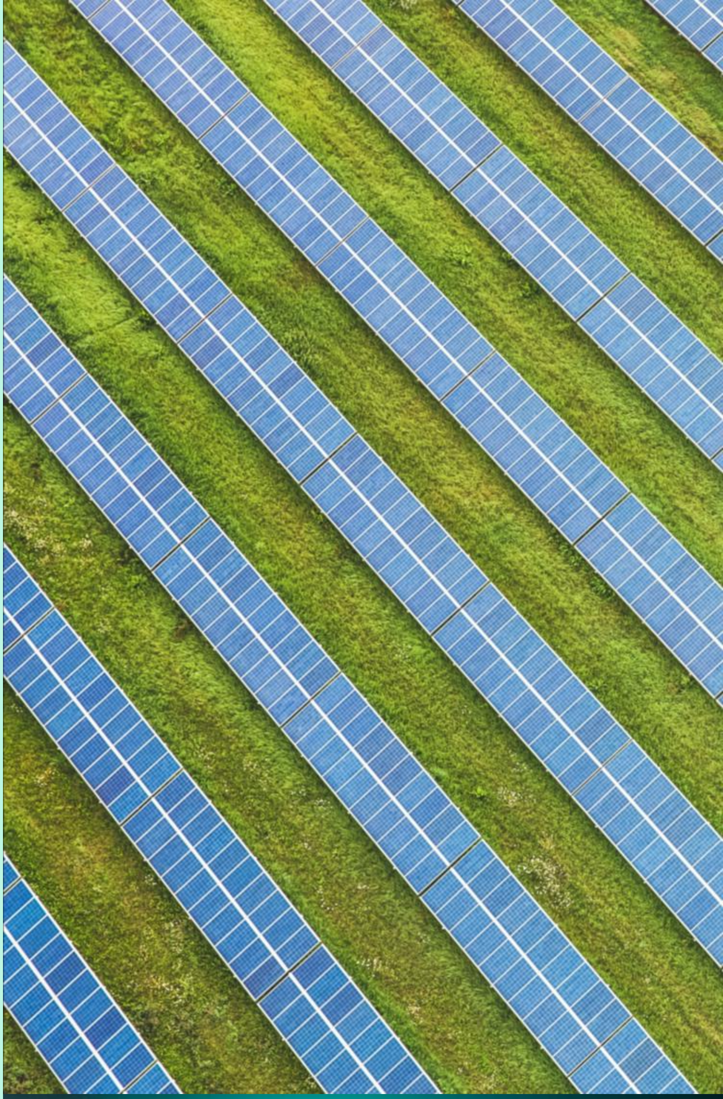
Many project ideas fail to advance because they are insufficiently defined, lack institutional ownership, or are not aligned with the requirements of financing mechanisms. As a result, promising opportunities remain unrealized despite growing demand for climate investment.

CIP–Readiness addresses this critical upstream gap by helping governments develop stronger project concepts before they enter formal preparation processes.

Priority Investment Areas

CIP–Readiness supports the development of investment-ready climate projects in sectors that are central to countries' green growth and climate priorities. The initiative focuses on areas where stronger project pipelines can unlock public and private investment.

- Clean Energy
- Green Industry and Industrial Decarbonization
- Sustainable Transport
- Climate-Resilient Infrastructure
- Water Security and Resilient Water Systems
- Circular Economy and Waste Management



Working in Partnership Across Key Regions

CIP–Readiness will be implemented in selected GGGI Member Countries that are also priority Official Development Assistance (ODA) partner countries of the Republic of Korea. By building on existing partnerships and country engagement, the initiative strengthens national capacity to develop investment-ready climate projects aligned with development priorities and financing opportunities.

Uzbekistan

Regional Flagship Program (Mongolia, Nepal, Uzbekistan, Thailand, Jordan)

Korea-Asia-Middle East Carbon Investment Platform: Scaling Article 6 ITMO Pipelines

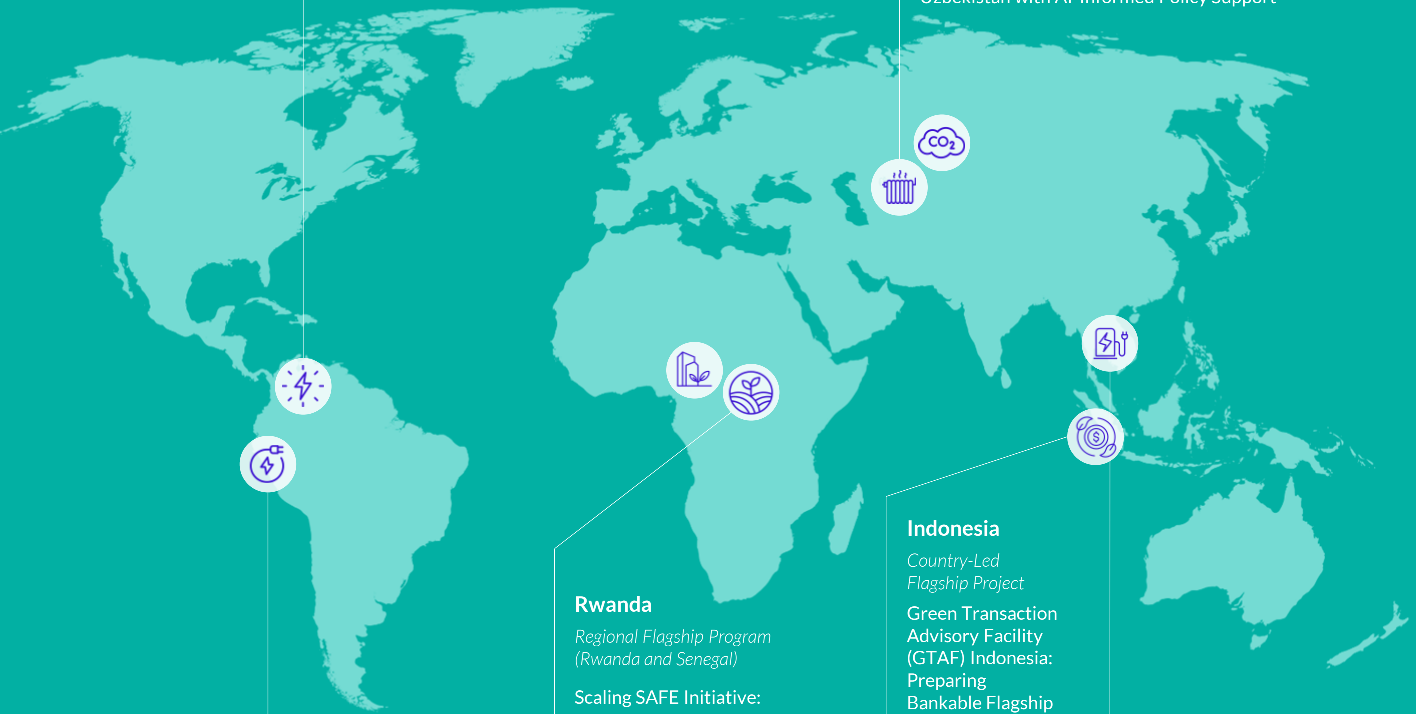
Country-Led Flagship Project

Bankable Project Development for Decentralized Low-Carbon Heating Supply Solutions in Uzbekistan with AI-Informed Policy Support

Colombia

Country-Led Flagship Project

Green Finance Readiness and Renewable Energy Transition Support for GENSA's Coal Phase-Out



Peru

Regional Flagship Program (Colombia, Mexico, Costa Rica, Ecuador and Peru)

Accelerating Hybrid Renewable Energy Systems in Latin America and the Caribbean

Rwanda

Regional Flagship Program (Rwanda and Senegal)

Scaling SAFE Initiative:

Climate Smart Agriculture Expansion for Food Security and Trade Program

Country-Led Flagship Project

Project Readiness and Proposal Development for Climate Resilience in Mbirurume Sub-catchment of Rwanda

Indonesia

Country-Led Flagship Project

Green Transaction Advisory Facility (GTAF) Indonesia: Preparing Bankable Flagship Pipelines

Viet Nam

Country-Led Flagship Project

Catalyzing Viet Nam's Electric Motorbike Transition through Battery Swapping Infrastructure and Innovative Finance

Building Climate Investment Opportunities Together

As countries accelerate implementation of their climate commitments, demand is growing for practical solutions, technical expertise, and investment partnerships. Korea's experience in green growth, technology innovation, infrastructure, and sustainable industrial development positions its public and private sectors as valuable partners in this transition.

CIP–Readiness provides a platform for Korean institutions, companies, financial organizations, and research partners to engage before projects enter formal preparation. By participating early, partners can contribute knowledge and innovation while helping governments develop investment-ready concepts that respond to national priorities and financing opportunities..

The initiative also creates opportunities to build long-term partnerships, strengthen country engagement, explore emerging markets, and support the development of climate investment.

Opportunities for Korean Partners

- Share technical expertise and practical implementation experience
- Contribute innovative technologies and sector-specific solutions
- Participate in technical exchanges, workshops, and knowledge-sharing activities
- Engage with governments during early project development
- Identify emerging climate investment priorities and collaboration opportunities
- Build partnerships with international organizations and country counterparts
- Support the development of investment-ready climate project concepts

Become a CIP–Readiness Partner

Share your organization's expertise and areas of interest through a short survey. Your responses will help GGGI identify potential partners for future knowledge exchange, technical collaboration, and matchmaking opportunities under CIP–Readiness.

Disclaimer: Survey participation does not imply selection for any project or procurement process. Organizations with relevant expertise may be contacted regarding future engagement opportunities with GGGI and its partners.

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