



## Project Data Sheet

Project 35225-013

Project Name SME Sector Development (Program Loan)

Project Number 35225-013

Country / Economy Bangladesh

Project Status Closed

Project Type / Modality of Assistance Loan  
Technical Assistance

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### **Loan 2148-BAN: SME Sector Development (Program Loan)**

Asian Development Fund US\$ 15.00 million

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### **Loan 2149-BAN: SME Sector Development (Project Loan)**

Asian Development Fund US\$ 30.00 million

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### **Loan 2150-BAN: SME Sector Development (TA Loan)**

Asian Development Fund US\$ 5.00 million

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### **TA 4507-BAN: Support Program Implementation and Coordination of SMESDP**

Technical Assistance Special Fund US\$ 600,000.00

Strategic Agendas Inclusive economic growth

Drivers of Change Gender Equity and Mainstreaming  
Private sector development

Sector / Subsector **Industry and trade** / Small and medium enterprise development

Gender Effective gender mainstreaming

Description The objective of SMESDP is to support government efforts to foster development of the SME sector by strengthening the policy environment for SMEs and improving SMEs' access to credit and related services. This will enable the sector to attain its full potential for contributing to sustainable economic growth and, through generation of employment, the reduction in poverty.

Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy tbd  
The national poverty reduction strategy of Bangladesh recognizes that reducing income poverty will require more concerted and intensified effort. Poverty reduction target is more than 3% per year, that was 1.5% during 1990s. Accordingly, Government's priority is to accelerate and expand a sustainable SME sector for pro-poor economic growth and employment generation.

Impact Accelerate development of SME sector and enable SMEs to attain their full potential for contributing to sustainable economic growth and poverty reduction.

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## **Project Outcome**

Description of Outcome	Enhanced growth of commercially viable SMEs and increased employment in the SME sector;	
Progress Toward Outcome		
<b>Implementation Progress</b>		
	<div>1. SME policy and development framework</div> <div>2. Institutional structure and mechanisms to implement the SME development strategy.</div> <div>3. Action program to support SME development strategy</div> <div>4. Rationalized government assistance to SMEs</div> <div>5. Tax and Incentives</div> <div>6. Improved SME access to business support services and government assistance</div> <div>7. Business registry of establishments used for 2001-2003 Census of Nonfarm Economic Activities will be used for sampling frame for surveys of SMEs and development of SME database.</div>	
Description of Project Outputs		
Status of Implementation Progress (Outputs, Activities, and Issues)		
Geographical Location		
<b>Safeguard Categories</b>		
Environment		FI
Involuntary Resettlement		
Indigenous Peoples		
<b>Summary of Environmental and Social Aspects</b>		
Environmental Aspects		
Involuntary Resettlement		
Indigenous Peoples		
<b>Stakeholder Communication, Participation, and Consultation</b>		
During Project Design		
During Project Implementation		
<b>Business Opportunities</b>		
Consulting Services		N/R
Procurement		N/R
Responsible ADB Officer	Rahman, Zillur M.M.	
Responsible ADB Department	South Asia Department	
Responsible ADB Division	Bangladesh Resident Mission	

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**Timetable**

Concept Clearance	02 Mar 2003
Fact Finding	29 Feb 2004 to 10 Mar 2004
MRM	16 Jul 2004
Approval	20 Dec 2004
Last Review Mission	-
PDS Creation Date	13 Nov 2006
Last PDS Update	16 Jan 2011

**Loan 2148-BAN****Milestones**

Approval	Signing Date	Effectivity Date	Closing	Revised	Actual
			Original		
20 Dec 2004	26 Jan 2005	20 Jun 2005	31 Dec 2007	31 Dec 2008	21 Jun 2010

**Financing Plan****Loan Utilization**

Total (Amount in US\$ million)			Date	ADB	Others	Net Percentage
Project Cost	15.00	Cumulative Contract Awards				
ADB	15.00	17 Jun 2022	15.64	0.00		100%
Counterpart	0.00	Cumulative Disbursements				
Cofinancing	0.00	17 Jun 2022	15.64	0.00		100%

**Status of Covenants**

Category	Sector	Safeguards	Social	Financial	Economic	Others
Rating	-	Satisfactory	-	-	-	-

**Loan 2149-BAN****Milestones**

Approval	Signing Date	Effectivity Date	Closing	Revised	Actual
			Original		
20 Dec 2004	26 Jan 2005	20 Jun 2005	31 Dec 2010	-	21 Jun 2010

**Financing Plan****Loan Utilization**

	Total (Amount in US\$ million)	Date	ADB	Others	Net Percentage
Project Cost	30.00	Cumulative Contract Awards			
ADB	30.00	17 Jun 2022	30.23	0.00	100%
Counterpart	0.00	Cumulative Disbursements			
Cofinancing	0.00	17 Jun 2022	30.23	0.00	100%

### Status of Covenants

Category	Sector	Safeguards	Social	Financial	Economic	Others
Rating	-	Satisfactory	-	-	-	-

## Loan 2150-BAN

### Milestones

Approval	Signing Date	Effectivity Date	Closing		
			Original	Revised	Actual
20 Dec 2004	26 Jan 2005	20 Jun 2005	30 Jun 2008	30 Jun 2010	29 Nov 2010

### Financing Plan

### Loan Utilization

	Total (Amount in US\$ million)	Date	ADB	Others	Net Percentage
Project Cost	5.00	Cumulative Contract Awards			
ADB	5.00	17 Jun 2022	3.22	0.00	100%
Counterpart	0.00	Cumulative Disbursements			
Cofinancing	0.00	17 Jun 2022	3.22	0.00	100%

### Status of Covenants

Category	Sector	Safeguards	Social	Financial	Economic	Others
Rating	-	Satisfactory	-	-	-	-

## TA 4507-BAN

### Milestones

Approval	Signing Date	Effectivity Date	Closing		
			Original	Revised	Actual
20 Dec 2004	12 Jul 2005	12 Jul 2005	31 Dec 2007	30 Jun 2009	30 Jun 2009

### Financing Plan/TA Utilization

							Cumulative Disbursements	
ADB	Cofinancing	Counterpart		Project Sponsor	Others	Total	Date	Amount
		Gov	Beneficiaries					
600,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	600,000.00	17 Jun 2022	542,418.65

## Status of Covenants

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Category	Sector	Safeguards	Social	Financial	Economic	Others
Rating	-	Satisfactory	-	-	-	-

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