



Indonesia: Reducing Marine Debris Program, Subprogram 1

Project Name	Reducing Marine Debris Program, Subprogram 1	
Project Number	57018-001	
Country / Economy	Indonesia	
Project Status	Proposed	
Project Type / Modality of Assistance	Loan	
Source of Funding / Amount	Loan: Reducing Marine Debris in Indonesia Program	
	Ordinary capital resources	US\$ 500.00 million
Operational Priorities	OP1: Addressing remaining poverty and reducing inequalities OP2: Accelerating progress in gender equality OP3: Tackling climate change, building climate and disaster resilience, and enhancing environmental sustainability OP4: Making cities more livable OP6: Strengthening governance and institutional capacity OP7: Fostering regional cooperation and integration	
Sector / Subsector	Agriculture, natural resources and rural development / Water-based natural resources management Public sector management / Public administration Water and other urban infrastructure and services / Urban solid waste management	
Gender	Effective gender mainstreaming	
Description	Indonesia is the world's largest archipelago and among the largest contributors of plastic marine debris globally, with 5,000 tonnes of plastic entering Indonesia's ecosystems every day. Plastic pollution damages marine ecosystems, undermines coastal tourism and fishing livelihoods, and introduces microplastics into the food system. More than 60% of plastic waste is either not collected or mishandled with the majority being burnt in the open, this loss of recyclable material to the circular economy, and resulting improper disposal, directly contributes to resulting increases in greenhouse gas emissions (GHGs), and air pollution, and hinders the adaption of ecosystems to climate change. To address this issue, the Government of Indonesia has committed to an ambitious target of handling 70% of plastic marine debris by 2025 in a National Action Plan (NAP) for Handling Marine Debris. The Reducing Marine Debris Program is aligned with this action plan. A programmatic approach that combines policy-based loans, technical assistance (TA), and knowledge support was selected to support the government as it allows complex and ambitious reforms to be addressed comprehensively and enables ADB to support acceleration of the implementation of the NAP.	
Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy	The program is aligned with the government's Indonesia Vision 2045, National Medium-Term Development Plan (RPJMN) 2020-2024 and Low Carbon Development Initiative (LCDI). It is also aligned with ADB's Strategy 2030 as it will contribute to the following operational priorities: (i) addressing remaining poverty and reducing inequalities by improving the delivery of public services; (ii) tackling climate change, building climate and disaster resilience and enhancing environmental sustainability by helping reduce carbon emissions; (iii) making cities more livable by improving access to basic services in urban areas. It will contribute to the pathway three of ADB's Country Partnership Strategy for Indonesia 2020-2024 on strengthening resilience.	
Impact		
Outcome		
Outputs		
Geographical Location		
Safeguard Categories		
Environment		C
Involuntary Resettlement		C
Indigenous Peoples		C
Summary of Environmental and Social Aspects		
Environmental Aspects		
Involuntary Resettlement		
Indigenous Peoples		
Stakeholder Communication, Participation, and Consultation		
During Project Design		
During Project Implementation		
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Responsible ADB Department	Southeast Asia Department	
Responsible ADB Division	Indonesia Resident Mission (IRM)	
Executing Agencies	Coordinating Ministry for Maritime Affairs and Investment	
Timetable		

Concept Clearance	20 Jul 2023
Fact Finding	23 Oct 2023 to 31 Oct 2023
MRM	02 Nov 2023
Approval	-
Last Review Mission	-
Last PDS Update	23 Oct 2023

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