## Project Name
Zhengzhou-Xi'an Railway Project

### Project Number
37487-013

### Country
China, People's Republic of

### Project Status
Closed

### Project Type / Modality of Assistance
Loan

### Source of Funding / Amount
- Loan 2182-PRC: Zhengzhou-Xian Railway Project
  - Ordinary capital resources: US$ 400.00 million

### Strategic Agendas
Inclusive economic growth

### Drivers of Change
Governance and capacity development

### Sector / Subsector
Transport - Rail transport (non-urban)

### Gender Equity and Mainstreaming
Some gender elements

### Description
The Project will improve railway infrastructure and associated facilities along the Zhengzhou-Xian railway corridor. An efficient, safe, reliable, and affordable railway transport system will be developed. The Project will support economic growth and development in poor areas, particularly in the western region of China.

### Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy
The Project meets the railway sector operational strategy of ADB for the PRC to reduce railway network constraints and to promote sustainable economic growth in poor areas not served by railways. The Project is also in line with the Government's western development strategy to provide poor areas with better infrastructure to facilitate economic growth, thereby increasing the opportunities for people to improve their living standards.

### Impact
Improved transport system in the region that supports socioeconomic development and the Western Development Strategy

### Project Outcome
An efficient, safe, reliable, and affordable railway transport system is developed in the region

### Progress Toward Outcome
A total of 32 ADB-financed contracts have been awarded, 7 for materials and 45 for equipment.

### Implementation Progress

#### Description of Project Outputs
1. Railway infrastructure and associated facilities improved along the Zhengzhou-Xian railway corridor
2. Employment opportunities generated for the poor and vulnerable groups to raise incomes and living standards, and reduce poverty
3. Corporate governance promoted
4. Institutional capacity of the Project Company strengthened

#### Status of Implementation Progress (Outputs, Activities, and Issues)
Railway line and stations completed. Supply of equipment ongoing. This was complied with as confirmed in the external monitoring reports. The Project will provide a vital link between the inland provinces to the eastern region.
The ADB loan will finance 20 person-months of international consulting services for (i) strengthening institutional, marketing, and business development functions of the Project Company; and (ii) researching and strengthening the development, operation, and management of the passenger-dedicated railway systems in the PRC. The consultants will be recruited in accordance with ADB's Guidelines on the Use of Consultants. Suitable domestic consulting services may be engaged and financed by MOR in accordance with government procedures acceptable to ADB.
## Loan 2182-PRC

### Milestones

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