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AND THE SPECIAL CLIMATE CHANGE FUND**

Recommended Council Decision

The LDCF/SCCF Council, having reviewed document GEF/LDCF.SCCF.25/03 *Progress Report on the Least Developed Countries Fund and the Special Climate Change Fund*, welcomed the report and took note with appreciation of the progress made under the LDCF and the SCCF.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

1. This report describes the progress made in the operations of the Least Developed Countries Fund (LDCF) and the Special Climate Change Fund (SCCF) during the reporting period from May 1 to October 31, 2018.
2. As of September 30, 2018, total cumulative pledges to the LDCF amounted to approximately \$1.33 billion.¹ Of this amount, \$1.28 billion, or approximately 95 percent, had been received.
3. As of September 30, 2018, cumulative LDCF funding decisions by the Council and the CEO amounted to \$1.25 billion. Of the cumulative amount approved, \$1.13 billion was for projects and project preparation activities, \$109.01 million was for fees, and \$13.53 million was for administrative expenses and corporate activities of the LDCF. Resources available for new funding decisions amounted to \$69.81 million.²
4. Six projects requesting a total of \$45.85 million are being presented to the 25th LDCF/SCCF Council in December 2018 for approval as part of the first Work Program of the LDCF.³ The work program constitution follows the operational improvements agreed by the 24th LDCF/SCCF Council in June 2018, as stipulated in the GEF Programming Strategy on Adaptation to Climate Change for July 2018 to June 2022.⁴
5. In addition, \$30.32 million has been allocated from the LDCF to five projects approved by the LDCF/SCCF Council in June 2018, following the previous project approval procedure of the LDCF. For a complete list of approved LDCF projects and programs to date, please refer to Annex I.
6. As of October 31, 2018, 51 Least Developed Countries (LDCs) had accessed approximately \$12.20 million in support of the preparation of their national adaptation programs of action (NAPA).
7. LDCF support toward national adaptation plan (NAP) processes totaled \$71.63 million as of October 31, 2018. This includes projects that explicitly seek to advance NAP processes in countries, in addition to technical assistance for tailored one-on-one support through the LDCF-

¹ This does not include a new pledge made by the Netherlands of US\$9.10 million, which has not yet been captured by the Trustee's ledgers.

² GEF Trustee, 2018, [Status Report for the Least Developed Countries Fund](#), Council document GEF/LDCF.SCCF.25/Inf.02.

³ The requested amount is \$44.86 million, inclusive of Agency fees, and \$985,500 for project preparation grants (PPG) and fees. See: GEF, 2018, [Work Program for Least Developed Countries Fund](#), Council document GEF/LDCF.SCCF.25/04.

⁴ GEF, 2018, [GEF Programming Strategy on Adaptation to Climate Change for the Least Developed Countries Fund and the Special Climate Change Fund and Operational Improvements July 2018 to June 2022](#), Council document GEF/LDCF.SCCF.24/03.

financed NAP Global Support Program. Notably, several projects combined requests for funding to support NAP processes with requests to support concrete adaptation investments for NAPA implementation. Global projects amounting to \$13.69 million had been approved to support the NAP preparation process in LDCs, and the implementation of elements of the LDC work programme other than NAPAs.

8. Under the LDCF, 145 out of 173 projects, excluding 53 NAPA preparation projects, provided an estimate of the number of direct beneficiaries at the time of the CEO endorsement or approval. These projects seek to directly reduce the vulnerability of over 20 million people. Furthermore, 80 LDCF projects have been endorsed or approved to support countries in their efforts to integrate climate change adaptation into 210 national development policies, plans and frameworks. The LDCF also assists countries in laying the groundwork for climate-resilient development through 82 projects that enable countries to strengthen their national climate information services network.

9. During this reporting period, as decided at the 24th LDCF/SCCF Council, the Secretariat held consultations with eight countries regarding their technically cleared project(s) in the GEF-6 LDCF pipeline⁵ to ascertain the viability of these projects in alignment with the respective countries' current national priorities for adaptation financing from the LDCF. These countries are: Burundi, Chad, Guinea-Bissau, Lao PDR, Mauritania, South Sudan, Sudan, and Timor Leste.

10. Based on the outcomes of these consultations, three countries (Chad, Guinea-Bissau, and Sudan) confirmed their GEF-6 pipelined projects as current priorities for adaptation support and updated them for consideration for the first LDCF Work Program of December 2018. Mauritania proposed another project for the Work Program consideration, which reflects its current adaptation priorities, instead of the GEF-6 pipelined project. Four countries (Burundi, Lao PDR, South Sudan, and Timor Leste) are in the process of refining their priorities and/or preparing LDCF project submissions. A summary of consultations held during the reporting period is included in this report.

11. As of September 30, 2018, cumulative pledges to the SCCF amounted to \$352.31 million. Of the total resources pledged, \$347.31 million or 99 percent had been received. During the reporting period, no projects were approved for funding from the SCCF, and no proposals were submitted.

12. Cumulative SCCF funding decisions by the Council and the CEO amounted to \$354.81 million as of September 30, 2018. Of the total amount approved, \$316.03 million was for projects and project preparation activities, \$30.72 million was for fees, and \$8.05 million was

⁵ The GEF-6 LDCF pipeline is presented in Annex IV.

for administrative expenses and corporate activities of the SCCF. Funds available to support Council or CEO decision amounted to \$12.57 million.⁶

13. As of October 31, 2018, 78 countries had accessed a total of \$349.82 million for 78 projects under the SCCF. Of the total resources approved, \$289.14 million were for 67 projects under the SCCF Adaptation Program (SCCF-A), while twelve projects had been approved under the SCCF Program for Technology Transfer (SCCF-B), with total grant resources amounting to \$60.67 million. One project accessed resources under SCCF-A as well as SCCF-B.

14. Fifty-two out of 76 SCCF projects provided an estimated number of direct beneficiaries at CEO endorsement or approval. These projects, with SCCF resources amounting to \$242.04 million, aim to directly reduce the vulnerability of nearly seven million people.

⁶ GEF Trustee, 2018, [Status Report for the Special Climate Change Fund](#), Council document GEF/LDCF.SCCF.25/Inf.03.

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INTRODUCTION

1. This report describes progress in the operations of the Least Developed Countries Fund (LDCF) and the Special Climate Change Fund (SCCF) since their inception as well as specific activities during the reporting period of May to October 2018.

2. Table 1 presents a summary of LDCF and SCCF operations, including total cumulative pledges, paid contributions, and project approvals.

Table 1: The LDCF and the SCCF at a Glance, as of September 30, 2018*

	LDCF	SCCF	Total
Pledges and contributions ⁷			
Total cumulative pledges (US\$ eq. million)	1,331.30 ⁸	352.31	1,683.61
Cash receipts (\$ million)	1,275.17	347.31	1,622.47
Total investment income (\$ million)	48.95	20.07	69.02
Project approvals			
Total cumulative funding approvals including projects, fees, and admin budgets (\$ million)	1,254.31	354.81	1,609.12
Number of projects	265 ⁹	78 ¹⁰	343
Number of countries	51	78	117 ¹¹
Funding availability			
Current funds available for new approvals (\$ million)	69.81 ¹²	12.57 ¹³	82.38
Projects endorsed or approved by the CEO			
Total cumulative funding commitments, including projects and fees (\$ million)	984.82	344.07	1,328.89
Number of CEO endorsed/approved projects and enabling activities	226	76	302
Number of countries	51	78	117

*Figures are subject to currency exchange fluctuations

⁷ Pledges, cash receipts, investment income, cumulative funding approvals, and current funds available are as of September 30, 2018, according to the Trustee reports:

- GEF Trustee, 2018, [Status Report for the Least Developed Countries Fund](#), Council document GEF/LDCF.SCCF.25/Inf.02.
- GEF Trustee, 2018, [Status Report for the Special Climate Change Fund](#), Council document GEF/LDCF.SCCF.25/Inf.03.

⁸ This total does not include a new pledge made by the Netherlands amounting to US\$9.10 million, which has not yet been captured by the Trustee's ledger.

⁹ These include twelve child projects under five programmatic approaches.

¹⁰ These include three child projects under three programmatic approaches.

¹¹ Total number of countries that have accessed resources from the LDCF or the SCCF.

¹² This amount does not yet reflect the projects being presented in the December 2018 LDCF Work Program.

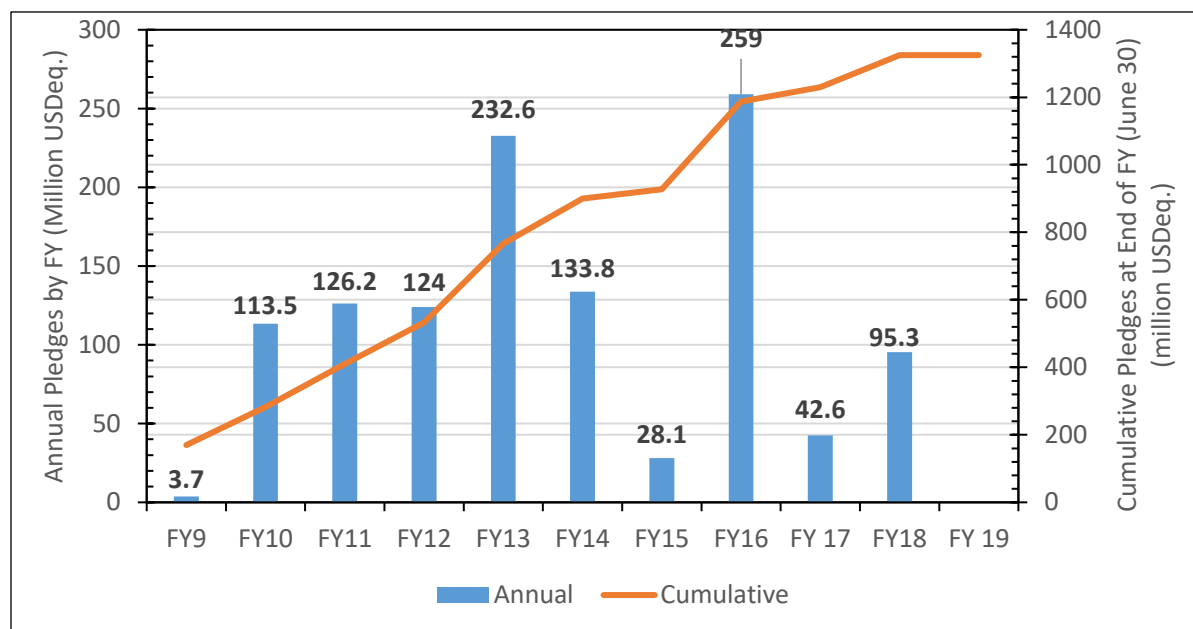
¹³ This comprises \$8.94 million under the SCCF-A and \$3.63 million under the SCCF-B.

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Pledges and Contributions to the LDCF

3. As of September 30, 2018, cumulative pledges and contributions to the LDCF amounted to \$1.33 billion. Figure 1 presents cumulative and annual LDCF pledges. Of the resources pledged, \$1.27 billion or about 95 percent had been received. As of the same date, funds available for new funding decisions amounted to \$69.81 million.

Figure 1: Total Annual and Cumulative Pledges to the LDCF by Fiscal Year (\$ eq. million), as of September 30, 2018



Progress in LDCF Operations

4. As of October 2018, the GEF, through the LDCF, had provided \$12.20 million in support of National Adaptation Program of Action (NAPA) preparation in 51 LDCs through 53 projects.¹⁴ South Sudan was the last country to submit its NAPA to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) in 2017, bringing the total number of countries that had completed and submitted their NAPAs to 51.¹⁵

¹⁴ This includes two global projects supporting the preparation of NAPAs.

¹⁵ These countries are: Afghanistan, Angola, Bangladesh, Benin, Bhutan, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cambodia, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chad, Comoros, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Djibouti, Equatorial Guinea,

5. The LDCF supports the implementation of the urgent and immediate adaptation needs of LDCs identified in their NAPAs. All 47 LDCs currently eligible for LDCF support has had at least one NAPA implementation project approved under the LDCF. The LDCF is also mandated to support the national adaptation plan (NAP) process, which is an iterative and ongoing process encapsulating medium- and long-term planning for adaptation, and the LDC work programme.

6. As of October 2018, 50 LDCs had accessed a total of \$1,254 million for 265 projects, including the NAPA preparation described in paragraph 4. Of this amount, 212 projects support NAPA implementation, the NAP process, and other elements of the LDC work programme. These figures include support for LDCs' NAP processes totaling \$71.63 million. They also include three global projects amounting to \$13.69 million to support the preparation of the NAP process, and the implementation of elements of the LDC work programme other than NAPAs. Figure 2 presents the total annual and cumulative LDCF funding approvals.

7. The LDCF projects enable countries to move more effectively towards the integration of climate change adaptation considerations across key policies, plans, programs and decision-making processes, in line with guidance from the Conference of the Parties (COP),¹⁶ as well as a LDCF/SCCF Council decision to operationalize support towards NAP process.¹⁷

8. During this reporting period, \$30.32 million has been allocated from the LDCF for five projects approved by the LDCF/SCCF Council in June 2018. Furthermore, six projects requesting \$45.85 million are presented to the 25th LDCF/SCCF Council in December 2018 through the first LDCF Work Program. The requested resource package includes GEF project financing, Agency fees, and project preparation grants (PPGs). The work program constitution is based on the operational improvements agreed by the 24th LDCF/SCCF Council in June 2018 as part of the new GEF Programming Strategy on Adaptation to Climate Change.¹⁸

9. GEF's support for NAPs in the GEF-7 period focuses on the implementation of NAP priorities, as well as additional analysis that may be needed to better align GEF proposals with the NAP framework.

Eritrea, Ethiopia, Gambia, Guinea, Guinea Bissau, Haiti, Kiribati, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lesotho, Liberia, Madagascar, Malawi, Maldives, Mali, Mauritania, Mozambique, Myanmar, Nepal, Niger, Rwanda, Samoa, Sao Tomé and Príncipe, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Solomon Islands, Somalia, South Sudan, Sudan, Timor-Leste, Togo, Tuvalu, Uganda, Tanzania, Vanuatu, Yemen, and Zambia.

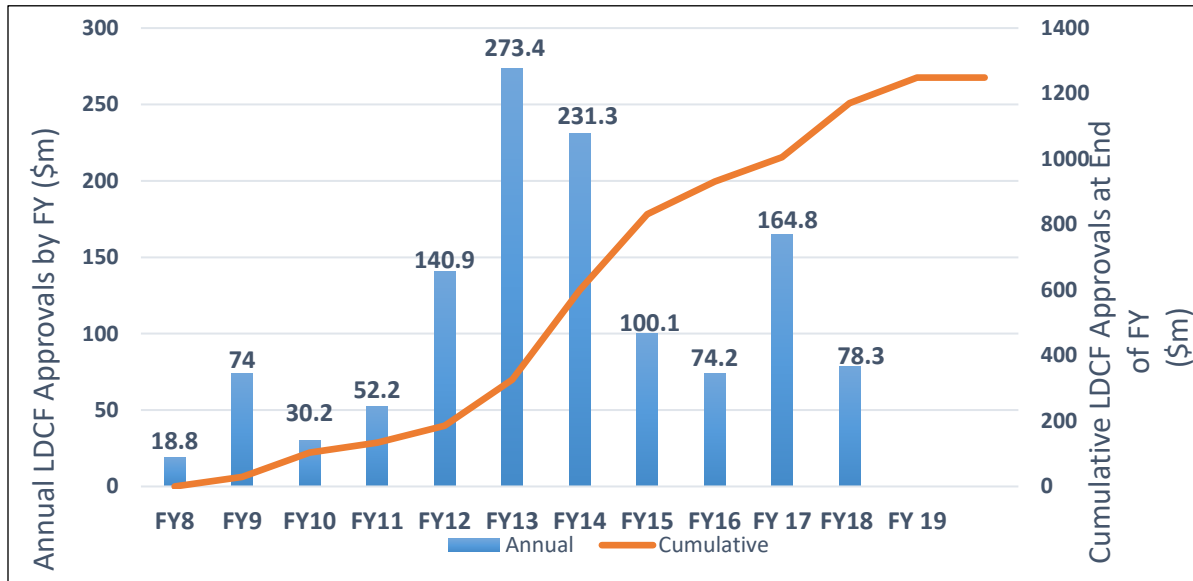
¹⁶ UNFCCC, 2016, [Decision 6/CP.22](#); UNFCCC, 2012, [Decision 9/CP.18](#) and [Decision 12/CP.18](#); UNFCCC, 2011, [Decision 5/CP.17](#).

¹⁷ GEF, 2013, [Operationalizing Support to the Preparation of the National Adaptation Plan Process in Response to Guidance from the UNFCCC COP](#), Council document GEF/LDCF.SCCF.14/06.

¹⁸ GEF, 2018, [GEF Programming Strategy on Adaptation to Climate Change for the Least Developed Countries Fund and the Special Climate Change Fund and Operational Improvements July 2018 to June 2022](#), Council document GEF/LDCF.SCC.24/03.

10. Each project approved during this reporting period or presented for the LDCF/SCCF Council consideration articulates its national priorities and alignment with the NAPA and NAP processes.

Figure 2: Total Annual and Cumulative LDCF Funding Approvals by Fiscal Year (\$ million) as of October 31, 2018



LDCF Resource Access for GEF-7 Period

11. For the GEF-7 period, each LDC is eligible to access up to \$50 million cumulatively from the LDCF (see Table 2). As of July 1, 2018, an initial cap of resource access for the GEF-7 period was introduced, under which each LDC can draw up to \$10 million in LDCF resources toward the \$50 million cumulative ceiling during GEF-7.¹⁹ The rationale behind the introduction of the cap is to ensure more timely access to resources by as many LDCs as possible, while also maintaining the practice of equitable access.

¹⁹ The initial cap could be raised in GEF-7, contingent on resource availability.

Table 2: Status of LDCF Resource Access as of October 2018 (\$ million)

Country	Cumulative Approval + Pending Work Program Approval ²⁰	Resources Accessed in GEF-7, including Pending Work Program Approval	Balance under GEF-7 \$10M Access Cap, including Pending Work Program Approval	Remaining GEF-6 Pipeline	Balance under \$50M Cumulative Ceiling
Afghanistan	30.02	0.00	10.00	0.00	19.98
Angola	30.43	0.00	10.00	0.00	19.57
Bangladesh	29.92	0.00	10.00	0.00	20.08
Benin	30.47	0.00	10.00	10.00	19.53
Bhutan	30.19	0.00	10.00	0.00	19.81
Burkina Faso	29.94	0.00	10.00	0.00	20.06
Burundi	19.79	0.00	10.00	15.00	30.21
Cambodia	25.30	0.00	10.00	0.00	24.70
Central African Republic	11.17	0.00	10.00	0.00	38.83
Chad*	39.75	9.75	0.25	0.00	10.25
Comoros	29.96	0.00	10.00	0.00	20.04
Congo, DR	29.91	0.00	10.00	0.00	20.09
Djibouti	22.24	0.00	10.00	7.87	27.76
Eritrea	10.01	0.00	10.00	0.00	39.99
Ethiopia	31.02	0.00	10.00	9.89	18.98
Gambia	29.54	0.00	10.00	10.07	20.46
Guinea	22.19	0.00	10.00	0.00	27.81
Guinea-Bissau*	24.68	6.73	3.27	0.00	25.32
Haiti	23.48	0.00	10.00	13.73	26.52
Kiribati	23.24	0.00	10.00	0.00	26.76
Lao PDR	25.85	0.00	10.00	4.54	24.15
Lesotho	30.66	0.00	10.00	0.00	19.34
Liberia	15.71	0.00	10.00	0.00	34.29
Madagascar	19.62	0.00	10.00	0.00	30.38
Malawi	33.45	0.00	10.00	3.50	16.55
Mali	33.91	0.00	10.00	0.00	16.09
Mauritania*	30.16	5.00	5.00	0.00	19.84
Mozambique*	31.73	10.00	0.00	0.00	18.27
Myanmar	20.17	0.00	10.00	0.00	29.83
Nepal	32.41	0.00	10.00	0.00	17.59
Niger	29.81	0.00	10.00	0.00	20.19
Rwanda*	40.62	9.37	0.63	0.00	9.38
Sao Tome and Principe	26.74	0.00	10.00	0.00	23.26
Senegal	30.01	0.00	10.00	0.00	19.99
Sierra Leone	26.58	0.00	10.00	0.00	23.42
Solomon Islands	15.69	0.00	10.00	0.00	34.31

²⁰ Excludes NAPA preparation.

Country	Cumulative Approval + Pending Work Program Approval ²⁰	Resources Accessed in GEF-7, including Pending Work Program Approval	Balance under GEF-7 \$10M Access Cap, including Pending Work Program Approval	Remaining GEF-6 Pipeline	Balance under \$50M Cumulative Ceiling
Somalia	29.65	0.00	10.00	0.00	20.35
South Sudan	10.27	0.00	10.00	8.92	39.73
Sudan*	36.99	5.00	5.00	5.00	13.01
Tanzania	17.80	0.00	10.00	0.00	32.20
Timor Leste	28.84	0.00	10.00	11.28	21.16
Togo	20.00	0.00	10.00	10.00	30.00
Tuvalu	11.99	0.00	10.00	0.00	38.01
Uganda	29.80	0.00	10.00	10.05	20.20
Vanuatu	26.75	0.00	10.00	0.00	23.26
Yemen	16.53	0.00	10.00	0.00	33.47
Zambia	27.09	0.00	10.00	12.91	22.91

*Countries with projects in consideration for the December 2018 LDCF Work Program, which is reflected in Cumulative Approved Amount.

Council Approvals and CEO Endorsements

12. During the reporting period, five projects were approved by the LDCF/SCCF Council for funding, totaling \$30.32 million, following the GEF-6 project approval process. One Full-sized Project (FSP) was CEO endorsed, with LDCF commitments amounting to \$5.00 million. Tables 3 and 4 present a list of Council-approved and CEO endorsed projects, respectively, during the reporting period. In total, 226 projects, including the 53 NAPA preparation projects, had been CEO endorsed or approved as of October 31, 2018, as shown in Table 1.

Table 3: LDCF Projects Approved during the Reporting Period (\$ million)

GEF ID	Country	Project Title	Agency	Total LDCF Amount (Grant + Fees)	Co-financing
9318	Burkina Faso	Climate resilience in the Nakambe Basin	UNDP	5.00	16.00
9201	Cambodia	Climate Adaptation and Resilience in Cambodia's Coastal Fishery Dependent Communities	FAO	4.90	21.25
9364	Sao Tome and Principe	São Tomé and Príncipe Adaptation to Climate Change - Additional Financing	WB	6.57	5.40
9166	Chad	Strengthening agro-ecosystems' adaptive capacity to climate change in the Lake Chad Basin (Lac, Kanem, Bahr El Ghazal, and part of the Hadjer-Lamis region)	FAO	4.60	19.10
9392	Congo DR	Climate resilient growth and adaptation in Democratic Republic of Congo	UNDP	9.24	22.00
TOTAL				30.32	83.75

Table 4: Projects CEO Endorsed during the Reporting Period (\$ million)

GEF ID	Country	Project Title	Agency	Total LDCF Amount (Grant + Fees)	Co-financing
8014	Lesotho	Climate Change Adaptation for Sustainable Rural Water Supply in Lowlands Lesotho	AfDB	5.00	17.25
TOTAL				5.00	17.25

Regional and Sectoral Distribution of LDCF Financing

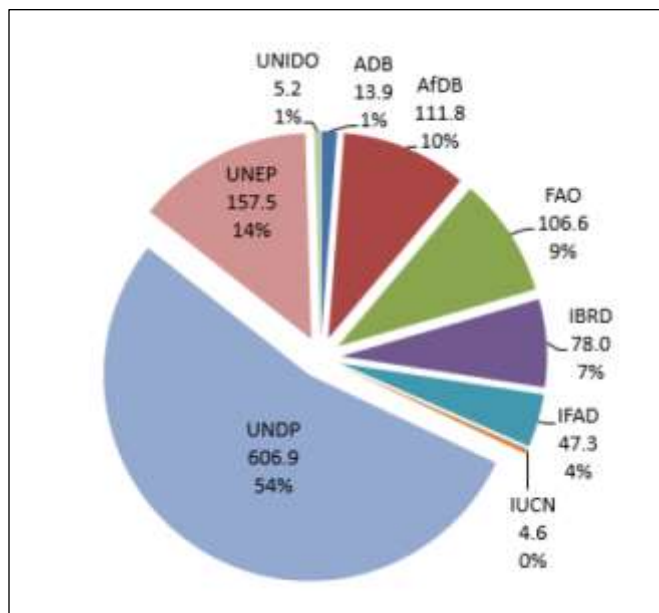
13. The Secretariat is in the process of reconciling and analyzing updated project datasets, including the regional and sectoral distribution of the LDCF portfolio. Updated cumulative analysis will appear in the next progress report, to be presented to the 26th LDCF/SCCF Council. Relevant analysis of the LDCF projects under consideration for approval in GEF-7 appears in the Work Program for the LDCF.

Agency Involvement in LDCF Projects

14. As of September 30, 2018, nine GEF Agencies were involved in LDCF projects and programs totaling \$1,131.77 million. According to the GEF Trustee Report, the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) is the agency that holds the largest share of project funding decisions to date, with 54 percent; followed by United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP), at 14 percent and African Development Bank (AfDB) at 10 percent (see Figure 3, from the Trustee report). Other GEF Agencies include: Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO), World Bank, International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD), Asian Development Bank (ADB), International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN), and United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO).²¹ During the reporting period, newly approved projects were submitted from UNDP, FAO, and the World Bank.

²¹ GEF Trustee, 2018, [Status Report for the Least Developed Countries Fund](#).

Figure 3: Distribution of LDCF Financing by GEF Agency (\$ million), as of September 30, 2018



Expected Results under the LDCF

15. As of the end of this reporting period, 226 projects had been CEO endorsed or approved, and are at various stages of implementation. Of these, 173 projects support NAPA implementation, the NAP process, and the implementation of other elements of the LDC work programme.²² In total, 145 out of 173 implementation-oriented projects that have been CEO endorsed or approved provided an estimate of the number of direct beneficiaries. Key expected results of these projects, including aggregate values of quantitative indicators, are summarized in Table 5.

16. These indicators were aligned with the results framework that was introduced in the *GEF Programming Strategy on Adaptation* for the period from July 1, 2014 to June 30, 2018 and refined in the updated Results-Based Management Framework.²³ Full expected results can be found in the results frameworks specific to each project, available in the project documents posted on the GEF website.²⁴

²² 53 projects out of the 226 projects are NAPA preparation projects, comprising of 51 national and two global support projects.

²³ GEF, 2014, *Updated Results-Based Management Framework for Adaptation to Climate Change under the Least Developed Countries Fund and the Special Climate Change Fund*, Council document GEF/LDCF.SCCF.17/05/Rev.01.

²⁴ Project documents may be found on <https://www.thegef.org/projects>.

17. In response to the request made at the 14th LDCF/SCCF Council in June 2013, the Secretariat, in its Annual Monitoring Reviews of the LDCF and the SCCF, continues to provide a summary of actual, portfolio-level results of projects that have been completed or that are under implementation.²⁵

18. These 145 CEO-endorsed or approved projects seek to directly reduce the vulnerability of more than 20 million people. Given the mandate of the LDCF to support the preparation of the NAP process in LDCs, 80 LDCF projects are supporting countries in their efforts to integrate climate change adaptation into 210 national development policies, plans and frameworks. The LDCF also assists countries in laying the groundwork for climate-resilient development through 82 projects that will enable countries to strengthen their national climate information services network.

19. During the reporting period, one LDCF project was endorsed by the CEO. The project, titled *Climate Change Adaptation for Sustainable Rural Water Supply in Lowlands Lesotho*, implemented by AfDB, aims to improve the livelihoods of 84,000 inhabitants of the South Western Lowlands of Lesotho, in particular, through improved water resources management. The project builds on a robust baseline initiative financed by an AfDB loan, and it puts particular emphasis on managing community vulnerability to climate impact through financing investments in climate-resilient infrastructure, facilitating the establishment of resilient institutions and policies, and targeted awareness-raising activities through various avenues. 5,000 people will be trained to identify, prioritize, implement, monitor and evaluate adaptation strategies and measures relating to more resilient integrated water resources management. At the community level, the project adopts a "village-based" strategy aimed at enhancing community knowledge and skills to manage their local water and sanitation services.

²⁵ GEF, 2018, [FY17 Annual Monitoring Review of the Least Developed Countries Fund and the Special Climate Change Fund](#), Council document GEF/LDCF.SCCF.24/05.

Table 5: Expected Results for CEO Endorsed or Approved LDCF Projects as of October 31, 2018*

Indicator	Value	Number of projects	LDCF amount (\$ million)
No. of direct beneficiaries	20.43 million	145	844.03
Ha. of land better managed to withstand the effects of climate change ²⁶	2.95 million	82	487.86
No. of projects that contribute towards public awareness of climate change impacts, vulnerability and adaptation	-	147	773.75
No. of risk and vulnerability assessments, and other relevant scientific and technical assessments carried out and updated	169	59	321.76
No. of projects that expand access to improved climate information services	-	82	464.10
No. of projects that expand access to improved, climate-related early-warning information	-	60	331.84
No. of people trained to identify, prioritize, implement, monitor and/or evaluate adaptation strategies and measures	748,096	113	663.12
No. of regional, national and sub-national institutions with strengthened capacities to identify, prioritize, implement, monitor and evaluate adaptation strategies and measures	486	81	453.28
No. of regional, national and sector-wide policies, plans and processes developed and strengthened to identify, prioritize and integrate adaptation strategies and measures	210	80	424.42
No. of sub-national plans and processes developed and strengthened to identify, prioritize and integrate adaptation strategies and measures	1,730	89	505.89

*These estimated results include figures from multi-trust fund (MTF) projects financed by the LDCF.

20. In the GEF-7 period, the Updated Results Architecture for the LDCF and SCCF introduces a set of four Core Indicators that LDCF/SCCF projects are expected to track and report, in alignment with the Updated Results Architecture for the GEF Trust Fund.^{27, 28} They are requested at Project Information Form (PIF) or CEO Approval submission stage, and subsequently at CEO Endorsement, mid-term, and terminal stages. Applicable new reporting features for GEF-7 of the GEF Trust Fund, such as the provision of meta-information for projects by agencies, are also applied to the LDCF/SCCF results framework. The Core Indicators, listed

²⁶ Given the number of projects that target agriculture and food systems as a priority sector, this figure includes production systems but also encompasses other vulnerable land, such as catchments and coastal zones.

²⁷ GEF, 2018, [Updated Results Architecture for Adaptation to Climate Change under the Least Developed Countries Fund and the Special Climate Change Fund \(2018-2022\)](#), Council document GEF/LDCF.SCCF.25/Inf.05.

²⁸ GEF, 2018, [Updated Results Architecture for GEF-7](#), Council document GEF/ C.54/11/Rev.02.

below, will contribute to a section of the GEF Scorecard, focused on adaptation to climate change.

- i. Number of direct beneficiaries (gender-segregated, male/female)
- ii. Number of hectares of land under climate-resilient management
- iii. Number of policies, plans and development frameworks that mainstream climate resilience
- iv. Number of people with enhanced capacity to identify climate risk and/or engage in adaptation measures (gender-segregated, male/female)

21. The expected contributions towards these Core Indicators from LDCF projects included in the December 2018 Work Program for approval by the 25th LDCF/SCCF Council are presented in the Work Program document.²⁹

22. The newly approved GEF Gender Policy and GEF Policy on Stakeholder Engagement also apply to LDCF projects.

Consultations with Countries with GEF-6 Pipelined Projects

23. As outlined in the 2018-2022 strategy, LDCF project selection and approval transitioned in GEF-7 to a work program model at the start of GEF-7, under which projects selected based on strategic prioritization factors are presented for approval by the LDCF/SCCF Council.

24. With new funding cycle for GEF-7, the 2018-2022 strategy recognizes the need to address the pipeline of technically cleared projects from GEF-6. At the time of technical clearance in GEF-6, these projects were deemed to address urgent and immediate adaptation needs in a country driven-manner. At the end of GEF-6, there were 21 projects from 17 countries in the LDCF pipeline requesting a total of \$156 million from the LDCF.

25. As many of these projects have been queued in pipeline for over two years, the new strategy stated that a reassessment of the relevance and timeliness of these projects is necessary, particularly taking into consideration the vision for the GEF-7 adaptation strategy, as well as for pursuing renewed opportunities for integration and cross-cutting programming. The strategy further stated that the Secretariat would hold consultations with those countries with projects in the pipeline at the onset of the GEF-7 period.

26. The consultations, in alignment with broader GEF national planning, aimed to enable countries to develop a plan for LDCF support, in light of the new opportunities presented in the new GEF-7 adaptation strategy. The consultations offered countries opportunities to: (i) Seek more synergistic and harmonized programming with the GEF Trust Fund or other sources; and

²⁹ GEF, 2018, [Work Program for Least Developed Countries Fund](#), Council document GEF/LDCF.SCCF.25/04.

(ii) Re-evaluate whether and how their existing pipeline proposal(s) remain viable in terms of alignment with the national plan for GEF-7. Countries were then invited to develop or revisit and submit or re-submit proposals according to their respective national plans, which may or may not include updated proposals from the GEF-6 pipeline.

27. During the reporting period, the Secretariat held consultations with eight countries regarding their technically cleared projects in the GEF-6 LDCF pipeline. The eight countries are: Burundi, Chad, Guinea-Bissau, Lao PDR, Mauritania, South Sudan, Sudan, and Timor Leste. These consultations were organized in person and over video-conference, and when possible held in line with GEF National Consultative Dialogue Initiatives (NDI) or Extended Constituency Meetings (ECW). Table 6 summarizes the status of consultations.

28. Based on the outcomes of these consultations, three countries (Chad, Guinea-Bissau, and Sudan) confirmed their GEF-6 pipelined projects as current priorities for adaptation support, and updated them for consideration for the first LDCF Work Program for December 2018. Mauritania proposed another project for the Work Program consideration as a current adaptation priority, instead of its pipelined project. Four countries (Burundi, Lao PDR, South Sudan, and Timor Leste) are in the process of further refining their priorities and LDCF project submissions.

29. The GEF Secretariat reached out to additional countries, including Ethiopia, Malawi, and Zambia, to discuss their project submissions. Dates for consultations were not confirmed by countries prior to the work program deadline. The GEF Secretariat will continue its outreach to countries with the aim of holding consultations in the near future to confirm their current priorities for adaptation support. Annex IV presents a summary of GEF-6 pipelined projects as well as their status.

Table 6: Summary of Country Consultations

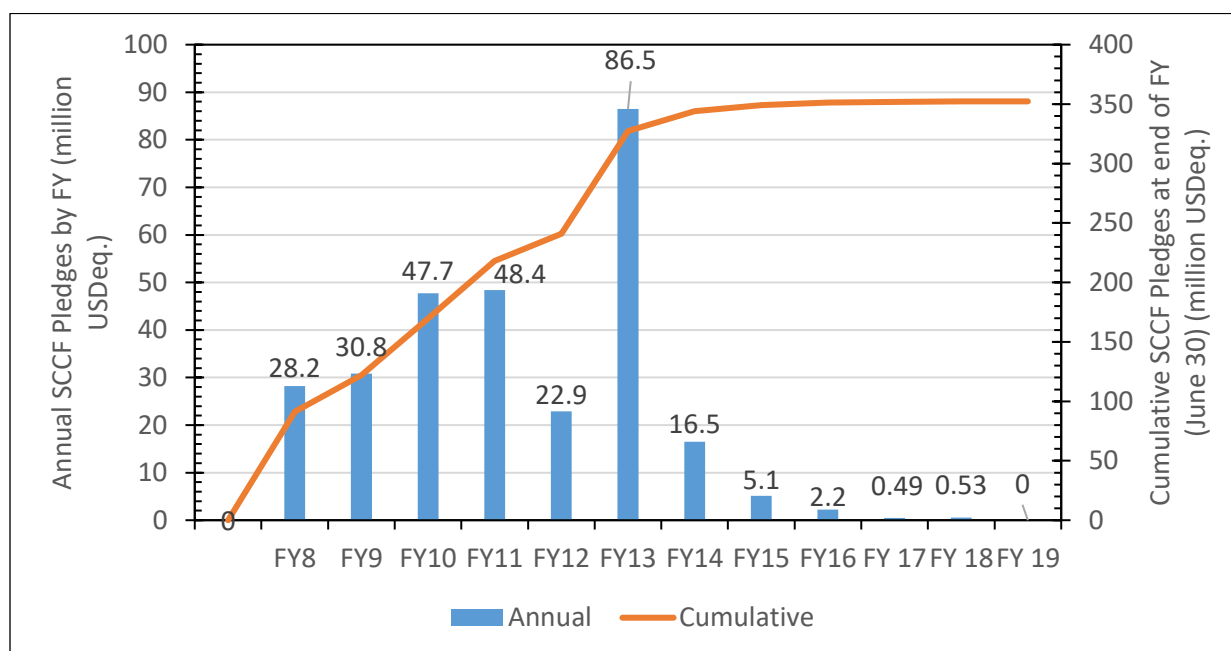
Country	Consultation Summary	Status of Project(s)
Burundi	In person consultation on 9 October 2018 and during GEF National Dialogue Initiative in Bujumbura on adaptation priorities, GEF-6 pipelined project, and new submission.	Operational Focal Point (OFP) is undertaking consultations regarding adaptation priorities and options for LDCF financing.
Chad	Consultation via teleconference on 23 October 2018 on adaptation priorities and GEF-6 pipelined project.	Written confirmation received by GEF Secretariat on October 24, 2018 that GEF ID 10089 “Strengthening rural and urban resilience to climate change and variability by the provision of water supply and sanitation in Chad” is aligned with national priorities for funding from the LDCF. Project is presented in the December 2018 work program.
Guinea-Bissau	Consultation via teleconference on 18 October 2018 on adaptation priorities and GEF-6 pipelined project.	Written confirmation to GEF Secretariat from OFP received on 24 October 2018 that GEF ID 10105 “Strengthening climate information and early warning systems for climate resilient development and adaptation to climate change in Guinea-Bissau” is aligned with national priorities for funding from the LDCF. Project is presented in the December 2018 work program.
Lao PDR	In person consultation on 9 September 2018 on adaptation priorities and GEF-6 pipelined project.	Confirmation of country adaptation priorities for GEF-7 and LDCF funding pending. Follow-up national consultation planned in first quarter of 2019.
Mauritania	Consultation via teleconference on 22 October 2018 on adaptation priorities, GEF-6 pipelined project, and new submission.	Written confirmation to GEF Secretariat from OFP received on 25 October 2018 that GEF ID 10103 “Climate change adaptation and livelihoods in three arid regions of Mauritania” is aligned with current national priorities for funding from the LDCF. Project is presented in the December 2018 work program.
South Sudan	In-person consultation held in Juba on 30 September 2018, on adaptation priorities, GEF-6 pipelined project, and new submission.	National GEF Steering Committee to decide on theme for new project to be submitted to GEF; PIF to be developed for submission to GEF Secretariat for consideration for future work program. Potential priority topics identified.
Sudan	Consultation held via teleconference on 24 October 2018 on adaptation priorities and GEF-6 pipelined projects.	Written confirmation to GEF Secretariat from GEF OFP received endorsing the revised World Bank project from GEF-6 pipeline, following consultation with the GEF Secretariat and country stakeholders. Project is presented in the December 2018 work program. The OFP will carry out further stakeholder consultation to program the remaining LDCF allocation for the country.
Timor Leste	In person consultation on 8 September 2018 on adaptation priorities and GEF-6 pipelined project.	Confirmation of country adaptation priorities for GEF-7 and LDCF funding pending.

SPECIAL CLIMATE CHANGE FUND

Pledges and Contributions to the SCCF

30. As of September 30, 2018, cumulative pledges and contributions to the SCCF amounted to \$352.31 million, as shown in Figure 4. Of the total resources pledged, \$347.31 million or 99 percent had been received.

Figure 4: Total Annual and Cumulative Pledges to the SCCF by Fiscal Year (\$eq. million), as of September 30, 2018

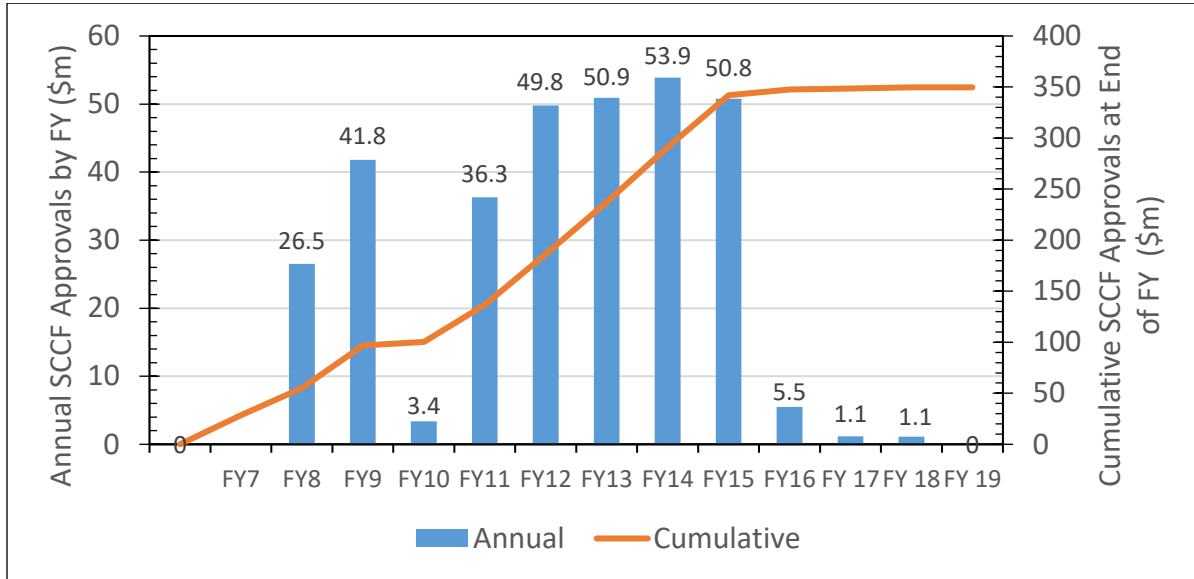


Progress in SCCF Operations

31. As of October 31, 2018, 78 countries had accessed a total of \$354.81 million for 78 projects under the SCCF. Figure 5 presents the total cumulative SCCF resources approved by fiscal year. Table 7 summarizes SCCF resources accessed by countries to date.

32. Of the total resources approved, \$289.14 million were for 67 projects under the SCCF Adaptation Program (SCCF-A), while twelve projects had been approved under the SCCF Program for Technology Transfer (SCCF-B), with total grant resources amounting to \$60.67 million. Of these projects, one project accessed resources under SCCF-A as well as SCCF-B. For a complete list of approved projects under SCCF-A and B, please refer to Annex II.

Figure 5: Total Cumulative Resources Approved Under the SCCF by Fiscal Year (\$ million), as of October 31, 2018



SCCF Resource Access for GEF-7 Period

33. The GEF Secretariat received no new proposals or submissions for the SCCF since July 1, 2018.

Council Approvals and CEO Endorsements

34. During the reporting period, no new projects were approved by the Council or CEO endorsed.

Regional and Sectoral Distribution of SCCF Financing

35. The Secretariat is in the process of reconciling and analyzing updated project datasets, including those relating to regional and sectoral distribution of the SCCF portfolio. Updated cumulative analysis will appear in the next progress report presented to the 26th LDCF/SCCF Council. Relevant analysis of the SCCF projects under consideration for approval in GEF-7 will appear in the Work Program for the SCCF.

Table 7: SCCF Resources Accessed by Country, as of October 31, 2018

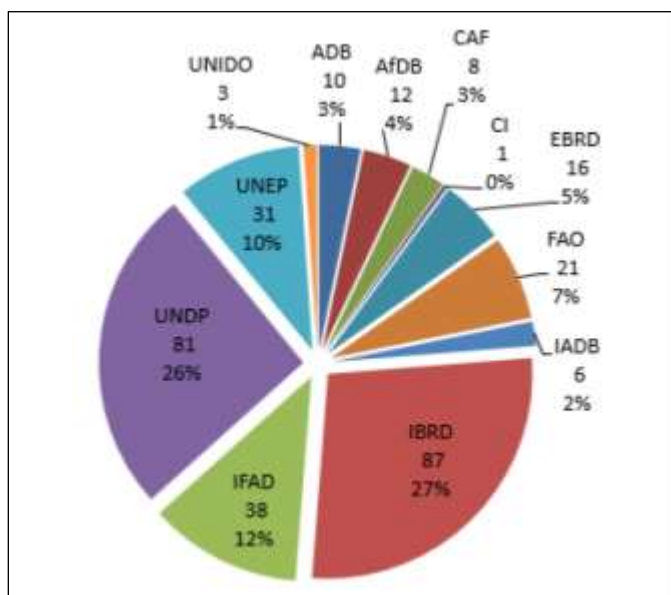
Country	Number of Projects	SCCF Resources (\$ million)	Country	Number of Projects	SCCF Resources (\$ million)
Albania	3	2.2	Mauritania	1	-
Algeria	1	-	Mexico	2	7.5
Antigua & Barbuda	2	5.6	Moldova	1	4.8
Azerbaijan	1	3.1	Mongolia	1	1.8
Barbados	1	-	Montenegro	2	-
Belize	1	8.8	Morocco	4	19
Bhutan	1	-	Mozambique	1	1.1
Bolivia	3	-	Myanmar	1	-
Bosnia-Herzegovina	1	5.6	Namibia	2	5.2
Cambodia	2	5.2	Nauru	1	-
Cameroon	1	4.6	Nepal	1	-
Chile	1	2.9	Nicaragua	1	6.6
China	3	5.9	Nigeria	1	5
Colombia	3	6.9	Niue	1	-
Cook Islands	1	-	Pakistan	1	3.7
Costa Rica	1	5.6	Palau	1	-
Dominica	1	-	Papua New Guinea	1	-
Ecuador	5	7.6	Peru	3	-
Egypt	2	13.1	Philippines	2	7
El Salvador	2	3.4	Samoa	1	-
Ethiopia	1	1.1	Serbia	1	-
Federated States of Micronesia	1	-	Seychelles	1	-
Fiji	2	-	Solomon Islands	1	-
Georgia	1	5.9	South Africa	2	5.7
Ghana	2	4.9	Sri Lanka	2	8.1
Grenada	1	-	St. Kitts and Nevis	1	-
Guyana	1	4.1	St. Lucia	1	-
Honduras	1	3.4	St. Vincent and Grenadines	1	-
India	2	10.8	Swaziland	1	1.9
Indonesia	1	5.6	Tajikistan	1	3.2
Jamaica	1	2.2	Tanzania	1	1.1
Jordan	2	2.4	Thailand	2	1
Kazakhstan	1	5.5	Tonga	2	6
Kenya	3	10.3	Trinidad and Tobago	1	-
Kyrgyz Republic	1	5.5	Tunisia	2	6.2
Lao PDR	1	-	Turkmenistan	1	3.5
Lebanon	1	7.9	Tuvalu	1	-
Libya	1	-	Uzbekistan	1	-
Macedonia	1	-	Vanuatu	1	-
Marshall Islands	1	-	Vietnam	3	9
Mauritania	1	-	Zimbabwe	2	5.6

*Some multi-country and regional projects do not specify resource allocations by country.

Agency Involvement in SCCF Projects

36. As of September 30, 2018, twelve GEF Agencies were involved in SCCF projects totaling \$316.03 million. According to the Trustee Report, the World Bank holds the largest share of the portfolio at 27 percent, followed by UNDP at 26 percent, 12 percent by IFAD, and 10 percent by UNEP (see Figure 6, from the Trustee report).³⁰

Figure 6: Distribution of SCCF Financing by GEF Agency (\$ million), as of September 30, 2018



Expected Results under the SCCF

37. By the end of the reporting period, 76 SCCF projects had been endorsed or approved by the GEF and were under some stage of implementation or ready to enter implementation. For these projects, key expected results are summarized in Table 8. The summary provides an aggregate value for quantitative indicators used in a critical mass of the 76 projects considered. The indicators are aligned with the results framework that was introduced in the GEF-6 period, similar to the LDCF results.

38. Full expected results are found in the results frameworks specific to each project, available in the project documents posted on the GEF website.³¹ In response to the request made at the 14th LDCF/SCCF Council in June 2013, the Secretariat, in its Annual Monitoring

³⁰ GEF Trustee, 2018, [Status Report for the Special Climate Change Fund](#).

³¹ Project documents may be found on <https://www.thegef.org/projects>.

Reviews of the LDCF and the SCCF, continues to provide a summary of actual, portfolio-level results of projects that have been completed or that are under implementation.³²

39. In total, 52 out of 76 projects provided an estimated number of direct beneficiaries at the CEO endorsement/approval stage. These projects aim to directly reduce the vulnerability of close to seven million people. In addition, 33 SCCF projects are supporting countries in their efforts to integrate climate change adaptation into 140 national and sector-wide development policies, plans and frameworks.

Table 8: Expected Results for CEO Endorsed or Approved SCCF Projects as of October 31, 2018*

Indicator	Value	Number of projects	SCCF amount (\$ million)
No. of direct beneficiaries	6.97 million	52	242.04
Ha. of land better managed to withstand the effects of climate change ³³	3.72 million	28	146.34
No. of projects that contribute towards public awareness of climate change impacts, vulnerability and adaptation		51	234.28
No. of risk and vulnerability assessments, and other relevant scientific and technical assessments carried out and updated	7,596	31	157.48
No. of projects that expand access to improved climate information services		31	151.21
No. of projects that expand access to improved, climate-related early-warning information		15	66.56
No. of people trained to identify, prioritize, implement, monitor and/or evaluate adaptation strategies and measures	115,940	45	121.04
No. of regional, national and sub-national institutions with strengthened capacities to identify, prioritize, implement, monitor and evaluate adaptation strategies and measures	215	28	119.16
No. of regional, national and sector-wide policies, plans and processes developed and strengthened to identify, prioritize and integrate adaptation strategies and measures	140	33	159.36
No. of sub-national plans and processes developed and strengthened to identify, prioritize and integrate adaptation strategies and measures	277	24	125.58

* These estimated results include figures from MTF projects financed by the SCCF.

40. In the GEF-7 period, the LDCF/SCCF will follow the GEF policy for reporting on Core Indicators, as presented in detail in the Expected Results under the LDCF section.

³² GEF, 2018, [FY17 Annual Monitoring Review of the Least Developed Countries Fund and the Special Climate Change Fund](#).

³³ Given the number of projects that target agriculture and food systems as a priority sector, this figure includes production systems but also encompasses other vulnerable land, such as catchments and coastal zones.

MULTI-TRUST FUND PROJECTS AND PROGRAMMATIC APPROACHES UNDER THE LDCF AND THE SCCF

41. To date, the LDCF/SCCF Council had approved a total of 15 FSPs and four programmatic approaches that draw resources from multiple trust funds. LDCF and SCCF funding associated with these projects and programs amounted to a total of \$77.78 million from the LDCF and \$35.82 million from the SCCF. The MTFs are listed in Annex III.
42. In the past, due to parallel, rather than coordinated, project approval processes for the GEF Trust Fund and the LDCF/SCCF, MTF projects that combined GEF Trust Fund and LDCF/SCCF resources often comprised components that were separately mapped to various thematic areas, rather than components that sought to integrate the them. The ambition for GEF-7 is to enable better integration and mainstreaming of adaptation and climate resilience in GEF Trust Fund programming, especially in contexts where vulnerability to climate change is high.
43. During this reporting period, no additional MTF projects were approved by the LDCF/SCCF Council. One MTF project is under consideration for approval in the December 2018 LDCF Work Program.

ANNEX I: APPROVED PROJECTS AND PROGRAMS UNDER THE LDCF AS OF OCTOBER 31, 2018³⁴

* Projects approved by the LDCF/SCCF Council during the reporting period.

** Projects endorsed or approved by the GEF CEO during the reporting period.

GEF ID	Country	Title	GEF Agency	LDCF amount (grant + fees) (\$)	Co-financing (\$)
3219	Bhutan	Reducing Climate Change-induced Risks and Vulnerabilities from Glacial Lake Outburst Floods in the Punakha-Wangdi and Chamkhar Valleys	UNDP	3,987,555	4,286,224
3287	Bangladesh	Community-based Adaptation to Climate Change through Coastal Afforestation in Bangladesh	UNDP	3,740,000	7,150,000
3302	Malawi	Climate Adaptation for Rural Livelihoods and Agriculture (CARLA)	AfDB	3,601,923	6,488,250
3358	Samoa	Integrating Climate Change Risks in the Agriculture and Health Sectors in Samoa (ICCRA & HSS)	UNDP	2,255,000	2,150,000
3404	Cambodia	Promoting Climate-Resilient Water Management and Agricultural Practices in Rural Cambodia	UNDP	2,145,000	2,340,350
3408	Djibouti	Implementing NAPA priority interventions to build resilience in the most vulnerable coastal zones in Djibouti	UNEP	2,359,500	2,425,000
3430	Sudan	Implementing NAPA Priority Interventions to Build Resilience in the Agriculture and Water Sectors to the Adverse Impacts of Climate Change in Sudan	UNDP	3,740,000	3,560,000
3581	Cape Verde	Building adaptive capacity and resilience to climate change in the water sector in Cape Verde	UNDP	3,410,000	63,989,027
3684	Burkina Faso	Strengthening Adaptation Capacities and Reducing the Vulnerability to Climate Change in Burkina Faso	UNDP	3,300,000	20,194,595
3689	Zambia	Adaptation to the effects of drought and climate change in Agro-ecological Regions I and II	UNDP	4,284,500	9,904,000
3694	Tuvalu	Tuvalu: Increasing Resilience of Coastal Areas and Community Settlements to Climate Change	UNDP	3,696,000	4,560,000
3701	Burundi	Enhancing Climate Risk Management and Adaptation in Burundi (ECRAMB)	AfDB	3,526,171	15,798,000
3703	Guinea	Increasing Resilience and Adaptation to Adverse Impacts of Climate Change in Guinea's Vulnerable Coastal Zones	UNDP	3,377,000	162,985,000
3704	Benin	Integrated Adaptation Programme to Combat the adverse Effects of Climate Change on Agricultural Production and Food Security in Benin	UNDP	3,839,000	7,959,900

³⁴ Excludes NAPA preparation.

GEF ID	Country	Title	GEF Agency	LDCF amount (grant + fees) (\$)	Co-financing (\$)
3716	Sierra Leone	Integrating Adaptation to Climate Change into Agricultural Production and Food Security in Sierra Leone	IFAD	3,019,280	8,736,000
3718	Congo DR	Building the Capacity of the Agriculture Sector in DR Congo to Plan for and Respond to the Additional Threats Posed by Climate Change on Food Production and Security	UNDP	3,410,000	4,150,000
3728	Gambia	Strengthening of the Gambia's Climate Change Early Warning Systems	UNEP	1,164,350	1,605,000
3733	Haiti	Strengthening adaptive capacities to address climate change threats on sustainable development strategies for coastal communities in Haiti	UNDP	3,960,000	9,880,000
3776	Mali	Enhancing Adaptive Capacity and Resilience to Climate Change in Mali's Agriculture Sector	UNDP	2,684,000	8,577,300
3798	Vanuatu	Increasing Resilience to Climate Change and Natural Hazards	World Bank	6,303,000	6,067,000
3838	Rwanda	Reducing Vulnerability to Climate Change by Establishing Early Warning and Disaster Preparedness Systems and Support for Integrated Watershed Management in flood prone areas	UNEP, UNDP	3,999,600	12,557,000
3841	Lesotho	Improvement of Early Warning System to Reduce Impacts of Climate Change and Capacity Building to Integrate Climate Change into Development Plans	UNEP	1,963,500	2,771,500
3847	Maldives	Integrating Climate Change Risks into Resilient Island Planning in the Maldives	UNDP	4,999,500	4,911,211
3857	Comoros	Adapting water resource management in the Comoros to expected climate change	UNDP, UNEP	4,224,000	9,316,318
3885	Liberia	Enhancing Resilience of Vulnerable Coastal Areas to Climate Change Risks In Liberia	UNDP	3,300,000	4,753,420
3890	Cambodia	Vulnerability Assessment and Adaptation Programme for Climate Change within the Coastal Zone of Cambodia Considering Livelihood Improvement and Ecosystems	UNEP	1,853,500	4,245,000
3893	Mauritania	Support to the adaptation of agricultural production systems that are vulnerable to climate change	IFAD	3,960,000	10,588,550
3916	Niger	Implementing NAPA priority interventions to build resilience and adaptive capacity of the agriculture sector to climate change in Niger	UNDP	3,960,000	10,950,000
3979	Mali	Integrating Climate Resilience into Agricultural Production for Food Security in Rural Areas	FAO	2,400,000	4,575,000

GEF ID	Country	Title	GEF Agency	LDCF amount (grant + fees) (\$)	Co-financing (\$)
4018	Sao Tome and Principe	São Tomé and Príncipe: Adaptation to Climate Change	World Bank	4,873,330	13,458,600
4019	Guinea-Bissau	Strengthening adaptive capacity and resilience to Climate Change in the Agrarian and Water Resources Sectors in Guinea-Bissau	UNDP	4,543,000	20,084,431
4034	Lao PDR	Improving the Resilience of the Agriculture Sector in Lao PDR to Climate Change Impacts	UNDP	4,999,995	7,818,548
4068	Kiribati	Increasing resilience to climate variability and hazards	World Bank	3,300,000	7,800,000
4141	Tanzania	Developing Core Capacity to Address Adaptation to Climate Change in Productive Coastal Zones of Tanzania	UNEP	3,801,930	67,878,498
4216	Samoa	Integration of Climate Change Risks and Resilience into Forestry Management in Samoa (ICCRIFS)	UNDP	2,695,000	2,630,000
4222	Ethiopia	Promoting autonomous adaptation at the community level in Ethiopia	UNDP	5,950,324	24,856,020
4227	Afghanistan	Building adaptive capacity and resilience to climate change in Afghanistan	UNEP	6,039,000	14,509,000
4234	Senegal	Climate Change adaptation project in the areas of watershed management and water retention	IFAD	5,632,000	10,333,000
4268	Liberia	Enhancing Resilience to Climate Change by Mainstreaming Adaption Concerns into Agricultural Sector Development in Liberia	UNDP	2,702,040	6,420,122
4274	Sao Tome and Principe	Strengthening the adaptive capacity of most vulnerable Sao Tomean's livestock-keeping households	AfDB	2,321,275	6,316,000
4276	Mozambique	Adaptation in the coastal zones of Mozambique	UNDP	4,976,400	9,786,000
4318	Central African Republic	Integrated Adaptation Programme to Combat the Effects of Climate Change on Agricultural Production and Food Security	UNDP	3,135,000	42,060,000
4431	Maldives	Increasing Climate Change Resilience of Maldives through Adaptation in the Tourism Sector	UNDP	1,815,482	1,650,438
4434	Cambodia	Strengthening the adaptive capacity and resilience of rural communities using micro watershed approaches to climate change and variability to attain sustainable food security	FAO	5,691,800	25,728,477
4447	Haiti	Strengthening Climate Resilience and Reducing Disaster Risk in Agriculture to Improve Food Security in Haiti Post Earthquake	FAO	2,999,700	9,329,724
4453	Lesotho	Adaptation of Small-scale Agriculture Production (ASAP)	IFAD	4,892,074	21,500,204
4511	Regional	Sahel and West Africa WB/GEF Program in support of the Great Green Wall Initiative	World Bank	16,000,000	125,829,640
4551	Nepal	Community Based Flood and Glacial Lake Outburst Risk Reduction	UNDP	6,999,850	20,416,010

GEF ID	Country	Title	GEF Agency	LDCF amount (grant + fees) (\$)	Co-financing (\$)
4554	Lao PDR	Effective Governance for small-scale rural infrastructure and disaster preparedness in a changing climate	UNDP	5,302,000	31,134,396
4568	Madagascar	Adapting coastal zone management to climate change in Madagascar considering ecosystem and livelihood improvement	UNEP	6,013,865	12,189,900
4570	Togo	Adapting Agriculture Production in Togo - ADAPT	IFAD	6,000,000	11,329,000
4585	Samoa	Enhancing the resilience of tourism-reliant communities to climate change risks	UNDP	2,200,000	17,338,500
4599	Sierra Leone	Building adaptive capacity to catalyze active public and private sector participation to manage the exposure and sensitivity of water supply services to climate change in Sierra Leone	UNDP	3,311,000	10,220,000
4625	Malawi	Shire Natural Ecosystems Management Project	World Bank	1,650,000	11,736,000
4692	Guinea	Strengthening resilience of farming communities' livelihoods against climate changes in the Guinean Prefectures of Gaoual, Koundara and Mali	UNDP	4,198,000	29,440,000
4696	Timor Leste	Strengthening the Resilience of Small Scale Rural Infrastructure and Local Government Systems to Climatic Variability and Risk	UNDP	5,192,000	52,510,399
4700	Bangladesh	Integrating Community-based Adaptation into Afforestation and Reforestation Programmes in Bangladesh	UNDP	6,270,000	47,375,000
4701	Niger	Scaling up Community-Based Adaptation (CBA) in Niger	UNDP	4,180,000	15,676,000
4702	Niger	Integrating Climate Resilience into Agricultural and Pastoral Production for Food Security in Vulnerable Rural Areas through the Farmers Field School Approach	FAO	4,234,750	14,008,871
4714	Tuvalu	Effective and responsive island-level governance to secure and diversify climate resilient marine-based coastal livelihoods and enhance climate hazard response capacity	UNDP	4,757,500	19,995,880
4724	Gambia	Enhancing Resilience of Vulnerable Coastal Areas and Communities to Climate Change in the Republic of Gambia	UNDP	9,955,000	41,538,000
4725	Solomon Islands	Solomon Islands Water Sector Adaptation Project (SIWSAP)	UNDP	7,700,000	43,772,462
4797	Malawi	Climate proofing local development gains in rural and urban areas of Machinga and Mangochi Districts - Malawi	UNDP	6,015,020	36,650,000
4822	Mali	Strengthening Resilience to Climate Change through Integrated Agricultural and Pastoral Management in the Sahelian zone in the Framework of the Sustainable Land Management Approach	FAO	2,499,500	14,347,259

GEF ID	Country	Title	GEF Agency	LDCF amount (grant + fees) (\$)	Co-financing (\$)
4950	Liberia	Strengthening Liberia's capability to provide climate information and services to enhance climate resilient development and adaptation to climate change	UNDP	7,513,000	12,282,112
4952	Rwanda	Landscape Approach to Forest Restoration and Conservation (LAFREC)	World Bank	4,499,000	5,696,000
4958	Sudan	Climate risk finance for sustainable and climate resilient rainfed farming and pastoral systems	UNDP	6,380,000	18,920,000
4971	Burkina Faso	Reducing vulnerability of natural resource dependent livelihoods in two landscapes at risk of the effects of climate change in Burkina Faso: Boucles du Mouhoun Forest Corridor and Mare d'Oursi Wetlands Basin	UNDP	7,831,400	30,822,541
4974	Comoros	Enhancing adaptive capacity and resilience to climate change in the agriculture sector in Comoros	UNDP	9,999,981	38,409,621
4976	Bhutan	Addressing the risk of climate-induced disasters through enhanced national and local capacity for effective actions	UNDP	12,750,320	54,939,829
4990	Burundi	Community disaster risk management in Burundi	UNDP	9,663,500	27,070,000
4991	Tanzania	Strengthening climate information and early warning systems in Eastern and Southern Africa for climate resilient development and adaptation to climate change – Tanzania	UNDP	4,510,000	23,659,749
4992	Ethiopia	Strengthening climate information and early warning systems in Eastern and Southern Africa for climate resilient development and adaptation to climate change – Ethiopia	UNDP	5,500,000	33,759,879
4993	Uganda	Strengthening climate information and early warning systems in Eastern and Southern Africa for climate resilient development and adaptation to climate change – Uganda	UNDP	4,510,000	26,861,600
4994	Malawi	Strengthening climate information and early warning systems in Eastern and Southern Africa for climate resilient development and adaptation to climate change – Malawi	UNDP	4,510,000	11,722,907
4995	Zambia	Strengthening climate information and early warning systems in Eastern and Southern Africa for climate resilient development and adaptation to climate change – Zambia	UNDP	4,510,000	13,156,656
5002	Benin	Strengthening climate information and early warning systems in Western and Central Africa for climate resilient development and adaptation to climate change – Benin	UNDP	4,510,000	14,963,724

GEF ID	Country	Title	GEF Agency	LDCF amount (grant + fees) (\$)	Co-financing (\$)
5003	Burkina Faso	Strengthening climate information and early warning systems in Western and Central Africa for climate resilient development and adaptation to climate change – Burkina Faso	UNDP	4,510,000	61,698,149
5004	Sao Tome and Principe	Strengthening climate information and early warning systems in Western and Central Africa for climate resilient development and adaptation to climate change – São Tomé and Príncipe	UNDP	4,510,000	40,741,249
5006	Sierra Leone	Strengthening climate information and early warning systems in Western and Central Africa for climate resilient development and adaptation to climate change – Sierra Leone	UNDP	4,510,000	20,807,034
5014	Burkina Faso	Integrating Climate Resilience into Agricultural and Pastoral Production for Food Security in Vulnerable Rural Areas Through the Farmers Field School Approach.	FAO	4,300,500	19,535,000
5015	Malawi	Implementing urgent adaptation priorities through strengthened decentralized and national development plans	UNDP	5,060,000	7,090,841
5021	Djibouti	Implementing adaptation technologies in fragile ecosystems of Djibouti's Central Plains	UNEP	8,182,350	14,264,000
5037	Regional	Climate Proofing Development in the Pacific	ADB	15,012,000	51,220,000
5049	Vanuatu	Adaptation to Climate Change in the Coastal Zone in Vanuatu	UNDP	9,108,000	31,397,253
5056	Timor Leste	Strengthening Community Resilience to Climate Induced Natural Disasters in the Dili to Ainaro Road Development Corridor, Timor Leste	UNDP	5,880,150	37,656,780
5071	Gambia	Strengthening climate services and early warning systems in the Gambia for climate resilient development and adaptation to climate change – 2nd Phase of the GOTG/GEF/UNEP LDCF NAPA Early Warning Project	UNDP, UNEP	8,910,000	21,632,000
5075	Lesotho	Reducing Vulnerability from Climate Change in the Foothills, Lowlands and the Lower Senqu River Basin	UNDP	9,195,998	27,600,000
5111	Nepal	Reducing Vulnerability and Increasing Adaptive Capacity to Respond to Impacts of Climate Change and Variability for Sustainable Livelihoods in Agriculture Sector in Nepal	FAO	2,999,750	12,990,000
5113	Regional	Enhancing Climate Change Resilience in the Benguela Current Fisheries System	FAO	1,891,900	6,846,973
5124	Lesotho	Strengthening Capacity for Climate Change Adaptation through Support to Integrated Watershed Management Programme in Lesotho	FAO	3,999,700	8,437,000
5133	Regional	Senegal River Basin Climate Change Resilience Development Project	World Bank	13,080,000	49,600,000

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5174	Yemen	Rural Adaptation in Yemen	IFAD	11,037,600	55,146,200
5177	Angola	Promoting climate-resilient development and enhanced adaptive capacity to withstand disaster risks in Angolan's Cuvelai River Basin	UNDP	9,143,250	46,865,004
5184	Sao Tome and Principe	Enhancing capacities of rural communities to pursue climate resilient livelihood options in the Sao Tome and Principe districts of Caué, Me-Zochi, Principe, Lemba, Cantagalo, and Lobata (CMPLCL)	UNDP	4,462,125	16,361,281
5190	Mauritania	Improving climate resilience of water sector investments with appropriate climate adaptive activities for pastoral and forestry resources in southern Mauritania	AfDB	7,258,750	14,814,000
5192	Mali	Strengthening the resilience of women producer group's and vulnerable communities in Mali	UNDP	6,116,000	16,600,000
5194	Rwanda	Building resilience of communities living in degraded forests, savannahs and wetlands of Rwanda through an ecosystem management approach	UNEP	6,132,000	9,344,000
5202	Afghanistan	Strengthening the resilience of rural livelihood options for Afghan communities in Panjshir, Balkh, Uruzgan and Herat Provinces to manage climate change-induced disaster risks	UNDP	9,964,500	103,100,000
5203	Nepal	Catalyzing ecosystem restoration for resilient natural capital and rural livelihoods in degraded forests and rangelands of Nepal	UNEP	5,854,390	11,139,000
5204	Uganda	Building resilience to climate change in the water and sanitation sector	AfDB	9,438,900	38,250,000
5209	Sierra Leone	Building resilience to climate change in the water and sanitation sector	AfDB	4,599,000	28,735,000
5211	Yemen	Integrated Water Harvesting Technologies to Adapt to Climate Change Induced Water Shortage	UNDP	5,496,900	19,721,596
5226	Congo DR	Building the resilience and ability to adapt of women and children to changing climate in Democratic Republic of Congo	UNDP	5,283,375	15,600,000
5228	Regional	Rural livelihoods' adaptation to climate change in the Horn of Africa (RLACC)	AfDB	5,700,000	34,336,765
5230	Angola	Addressing Urgent Coastal Adaptation Needs and Capacity Gaps in Angola	UNDP, UNEP	6,931,350	12,311,467
5231	Angola	Integrating Climate Change into Environment and Sustainable Land Management Practices	AfDB	5,000,000	19,995,000
5232	Benin	Flood Control and Climate resilience of agriculture infrastructures in Oueme Valley	AfDB	8,157,750	67,904,000
5233	Madagascar	Enabling climate resilience in the agriculture sector in the southwest region of Madagascar	AfDB	7,009,199	37,434,000

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5279	Togo	Strengthening climate resilience of infrastructure in coastal areas in Togo	AfDB	10,000,000	90,000,000
5280	Congo DR	Resilience of Muanda's communities from coastal erosion, Democratic Republic of Congo	UNDP	5,973,225	11,500,000
5318	Cambodia	Strengthening climate information and early warning systems in Cambodia to support climate resilient development and adaptation to climate change	UNDP	5,541,012	21,884,540
5320	Global	Assisting Least Developed Countries (LDCs) with country-driven processes to advance National Adaptation Plans (NAPS)	UNDP, UNEP	2,187,810	8,400,000
5328	Malawi	Building climate change resilience in the fisheries sector in Malawi	FAO	6,110,100	12,120,000
5332	Djibouti	Supporting Rural Community Adaptation to Climate Change in Mountain Regions of Djibouti	UNDP	6,000,000	28,630,000
5376	Chad	Enhancing the resilience of the agricultural ecosystems (Projet d'amélioration de la résilience des systèmes agricoles au Tchad) - PARSAT	IFAD	8,000,000	24,500,000
5380	Haiti	Increasing resilience of ecosystems and vulnerable communities to CC and anthropic threats through a ridge to reef approach to BD conservation and watershed management	UNDP	6,000,000	25,446,145
5382	Guinea	Ecosystem-Based Adaptation targeting vulnerable communities of the Upper Guinea Region	UNDP	8,979,000	114,180,000
5394	Zambia	Climate Resilient Livestock Management Project	AfDB	7,000,001	20,708,000
5395	Regional	Pacific Islands Ridge-to-Reef National Priorities – Integrated Water, Land, Forest and Coastal Management to Preserve Biodiversity, Ecosystem Services, Store Carbon, Improve Climate Resilience and Sustain Livelihoods	FAO, UNDP, UNEP	13,650,000	90,000,000
5414	Kiribati	Enhancing national food security in the context of global climate change	UNDP	5,000,000	7,140,000
5417	Samoa	Economy-wide integration of climate change adaptation and DRM/DRR to reduce climate vulnerability of communities in Samoa	UNDP	13,650,000	12,322,936
5419	Cambodia	Strengthening the resilience of Cambodian rural livelihoods and sub-national government system to climate risks and variability	UNDP	5,165,663	15,860,000
5431	Benin	Strengthening the resilience of the energy sector in Benin to the impacts of climate change	UNDP	8,979,000	31,570,000
5432	Angola	Integrating Climate Resilience into Agricultural and Agropastoral Production Systems through Soil Fertility Management in Key Productive and Vulnerable Areas Using the Farmers Field School Approach	FAO	7,465,909	25,325,000

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5433	Mozambique	Strengthening Capacities of Agricultural Producers to Cope with Climate Change for Increased Food Security through the Farmers Field School Approach	FAO	10,074,000	27,344,657
5435	Zambia	Promoting Climate Resilient Community-based Regeneration of Indigenous Forests in Zambia's Central Province	UNDP	4,363,575	29,030,090
5436	Niger	Disaster Risk Management and Urban Development Project	World Bank	7,500,000	100,000,000
5451	Congo DR	Strengthening Hydro-Meteorological and Climate Services	World Bank	6,000,000	32,700,000
5456	Bangladesh	Ecosystem-based Approaches to Adaptation (EbA) in the Drought-prone Barind Tract and Haor wetland Area	UNEP	5,803,500	55,032,617
5462	Lao PDR	Strengthening Agro-climatic Monitoring and Information Systems to Improve Adaptation to Climate Change and Food Security in Lao PDR	FAO	6,164,250	16,130,000
5489	Lao PDR	Climate Adaptation in Wetlands Areas (CAWA)	FAO	5,329,999	15,367,380
5495	Rwanda	Increasing the Capacity of Vulnerable Rwandan communities to adapt to adverse effects of Climate change: Livelihood diversification and investment in rural infrastructures	AfDB	9,882,100	45,386,000
5503	Senegal	Mainstreaming Ecosystem-based Approaches to Climate-resilient Rural Livelihoods in Vulnerable Rural Areas through the Farmer Field School Methodology	FAO	6,985,000	24,607,385
5504	Central African Republic	Reducing Rural and Urban Vulnerability to Climate Change by the Provision of Water Supply	AfDB	8,037,300	21,469,000
5531	Haiti	Ecosystem Approach to Haiti's Cote Sud	UNEP	3,524,628	19,934,000
5566	Senegal	Strengthening land & ecosystem management under conditions of climate change in the Niayes and Casamance regions - Republic of Senegal	UNDP	4,653,750	13,200,000
5567	Myanmar	Adapting Community Forestry landscapes and associated community livelihoods to a changing climate, in particular an increase in the frequency and intensity of extreme weather events	UNEP	5,570,813	19,211,000
5580	Mauritania	Development of an improved and innovative delivery system for climate resilient livelihoods in Mauritania	UNEP	5,584,500	8,500,000
5581	Solomon Islands	Community Resilience to Climate and Disaster Risk in Solomon Islands Project	World Bank	7,993,500	7,330,000

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5592	Somalia	Enhancing Climate Resilience of the Vulnerable Communities and Ecosystems in Somalia	UNDP	8,979,000	64,820,000
5603	Uganda	Reducing Vulnerability of Banana Producing Communities to Climate Change Through Banana Value Added Activities - Enhancing Food Security And Employment Generation	UNIDO	3,182,800	7,065,502
5615	Global	Building capacity for LDCs to participate effectively in intergovernmental climate change processes	UNDP, UNEP	4,544,250	15,232,380
5632	Madagascar	Enhancing the Adaptation Capacities and Resilience to Climate Change in Rural Communities in Analamanga, Atsinanana, Androy, Anosy, and Atsimo Andrefana	UNDP	6,600,000	61,361,670
5636	Bangladesh	Community-based Climate Resilient Fisheries and Aquaculture Development in Bangladesh	FAO	6,050,000	16,350,000
5651	Sudan	Livestock and Rangeland Resilience Program	IFAD	9,415,970	32,349,000
5664	Afghanistan	Building Resilience of Communities Living Around the Northern Pistachio Belt (NPB) and Eastern Forest Complex (EFC) of Afghanistan through an EbA approach	UNEP	7,665,000	7,000,000
5671	Timor Leste	Building Shoreline Resilience of Timor Leste to Protect Local Communities and their Livelihoods	UNDP	7,829,250	31,644,402
5694	Comoros	Building Climate Resilience through Rehabilitated Watersheds, Forests and Adaptive Livelihoods	UNEP	5,737,800	16,480,000
5695	Tanzania	Ecosystem-Based Adaptation for Rural Resilience	UNEP	8,400,000	20,750,000
5702	Myanmar	FishAdapt: Strengthening the Adaptive Capacity and Resilience of Fisheries and Aquaculture-dependent Livelihoods in Myanmar	FAO	6,734,250	12,885,000
5703	Sudan	Enhancing the resilience of communities living in climate change vulnerable areas of Sudan using Ecosystem Based approaches to Adaptation (EbA)	UNEP	4,800,480	7,915,000
5710 (Child: 9488, 9501)	Regional	Rural livelihoods' adaptation to climate change in the Horn of Africa -Phase II (RLACC II)	AfDB	18,433,000	30,000,000
9488	Somalia	Rural livelihoods' adaptation to climate change in the Horn of Africa -Phase II (RLACC II)	AfDB	10,784,000	22,950,000
9501	Sudan	Rural livelihoods' adaptation to climate change in the Horn of Africa -Phase II (RLACC II)	AfDB	7,649,000	29,600,000

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5782	Gambia	Adapting Agriculture to Climate Change in the Gambia	FAO	7,050,000	36,830,000
5815	Regional	Building Climate Resilience of Urban Systems through Ecosystem-based Adaptation (EbA) in the Asia-Pacific region	UNEP	6,734,250	88,190,417
5855	Mali	Flood Hazard and Climate Risk Management to Secure Lives and Assets in Mali	UNDP	9,937,125	51,746,907
5867	Senegal	Promoting innovative finance and community based adaptation in communes surrounding community natural reserves (Ferlo, Niokolo Koba, Senegal river Bas Delta & Saloum Delta), Senegal	UNDP	6,142,950	16,900,000
5868	Global	Expanding the Ongoing Support to Least Developed Countries (LDC) with Country-driven Processes to Advance National Adaptation Plans (NAPs)	UNDP, UNEP	6,953,250	13,700,000
5902	Sierra Leone	Adapting to Climate Change induced Coastal Risks in Sierra Leone	UNDP	11,141,625	30,000,000
5904	Benin	Strengthening the Resilience of Rural Livelihoods and Sub-national Government System to Climate Risks and Variability in Benin	UNDP	4,982,250	56,496,273
6912	Comoros	Strengthening Comoros Resilience Against Climate Change and Variability Related Disaster	UNDP	10,000,001	37,650,000
6914	Afghanistan	Adapting Afghan Communities to Climate-Induced Disaster Risks	UNDP	6,351,000	54,721,000
6923	Eritrea	Mainstreaming climate risk considerations in food security and IWRM in Tsilima Plain	UNDP	10,014,975	27,500,000
6926	Lesotho	Strengthening climate services in Lesotho for climate resilient development and adaptation to climate change	UNEP	5,606,400	15,909,275
6967	Ethiopia	CCA Growth: Implementing Climate Resilient and Green Economy plans in highland areas in Ethiopia	UNDP	6,982,815	10,450,000
6968	Chad	Chad National Adaptation Plan	UNDP	6,487,875	18,000,000
6983	Mozambique	Building resilience in the coastal zone through Ecosystem – based approaches to adaptation (EbA)	UNEP	6,679,500	24,903,784
6984	Regional	Building Resilience of Health Systems in Asian LDCs to Climate Change	UNDP	10,380,600	34,565,500
6986	Rwanda	Building the capacity of Rwanda’s government to advance the National Adaptation Planning process	UNEP	6,734,250	27,898,600
6988	Guinea-Bissau	Strengthening the resilience of vulnerable coastal areas and communities to climate change in Guinea Bissau	UNDP	13,407,000	26,150,000
6991	Senegal	Senegal National Adaptation Plan	UNDP	3,300,056	9,000,000
6989	Nepal	Developing climate resilient livelihoods in the vulnerable watershed in Nepal	UNDP	7,829,250	40,000,000

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7997	Uganda	Integrating climate resilience into agricultural and pastoral production in Uganda, through a Farmer/Agro-pastoralist Field School Approach	FAO	7,760,088	29,269,269
8001	Chad	Community-based climate risks management in Chad	UNDP	5,913,000	16,000,000
8009	Nepal	Ecosystem-Based Adaptation for climate-resilient development in the Kathmandu Valley, Nepal	UNEP	7,000,007	15,184,000
8010	Burundi	Natural Landscapes Rehabilitation and Climate Change Adaptation in the Region of Mumirwa in Bujumbura and Mayor of Bujumbura through a Farmer Field School Approach	FAO	6,600,000	17,400,000
8013	Malawi	Climate Adaptation for Sustainable Water Supply	AfDB	3,000,000	39,500,000
8014**	Lesotho	Climate Change Adaptation for Sustainable Rural Water Supply in Lowlands Lesotho	AfDB	5,000,000	17,250,000
8015	Liberia	Enhancing Resilience Of Liberia Montserrado County Vulnerable Coastal Areas To Climate Change Risks	UNDP	2,190,000	2,163,540
8018	Regional	Building Resilience of Health Systems in Pacific Island LDCs to Climate Change	UNDP	19,783,500	76,000,000
8020	Niger	Planning and financing adaptation in Niger	UNDP	9,937,125	27,000,000
8023	Guinea	Strengthening climate information and early warning systems for climate resilient development and adaptation to climate change in Guinea	UNDP	5,639,250	30,514,330
8032	Burkina Faso	Promoting index-based weather insurance for small holder farmers in Burkina Faso	UNDP	4,999,962	18,955,036
8033	Mauritania	Project for the conservation, restoration and improvement of the resilience of ecosystems in continental wetlands	IUCN	5,000,000	4,500,000
8035	Uganda	Reducing the Climate Change Vulnerability of Local Communities in Uganda through EbA in Forest and Wetland Ecosystems	UNEP	4,905,600	17,500,000
9750	Haiti	Resilient productive landscapes in Haiti	World Bank	7,000,000	20,000,000
8036	Bangladesh	Integrating climate change adaptation into sustainable development pathways of Bangladesh	UNDP	6,329,100	17,700,000
9041	Kiribati	Enhancing “whole of islands” approach to strengthen community resilience to climate and disaster risks in Kiribati	UNDP	9,991,875	45,000,000
8028	Somalia	Support for Integrated Water Resources Management to Ensure Water Access and Disaster Reduction for Somalia’s Pastoralists	UNDP	9,888,945	21,148,000

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8034	Zambia	Building the Resilience of Local Communities in Zambia through the introduction of Ecosystem-based Adaptation (EbA) into Priority Ecosystems, including Wetlands and Forests	UNEP	6,936,825	17,650,000
9194	The Gambia	Strengthening Adaptive Capacities to Climate Change through Capacity Building for Small Scale Enterprises and Communities Dependent on Coastal Fisheries in The Gambia	UNIDO	2,463,750	5,500,000
9723	South Sudan	South Sudan: Strengthening the Capacity of Government and Communities in South Sudan to Adapt to Climate Change	UNEP	10,054,750	30,000,000
9131	Myanmar	Reducing Climate Vulnerability of Coastal Communities of Myanmar through an Ecosystem-based Approach	UNDP	7,863,206	21,800,000
9113	São Tomé & Príncipe	Strengthening Resilience and Adaptive Capacity to Climate Change in São Tomé and Príncipe's Agricultural and Fisheries Sectors	AfDB	4,000,000	17,021,480
8022	Lao PDR	Building the Capacity of the Lao PDR Government to Advance the National Adaptation Planning Process	UNEP	4,054,751	40,000,000
9303	Ethiopia	Climate Change Adaptation in the Lowland Ecosystems of Ethiopia	UNDP	6,500,000	41,200,000
9318*	Burkina Faso	Climate resilience in the Nakambe Basin	UNDP	5,000,000	16,000,000
9201*	Cambodia	Climate Adaptation and Resilience in Cambodia's Coastal Fishery Dependent Communities	FAO	4,905,000	21,250,000
9364*	Sao Tome and Principe	São Tomé and Príncipe Adaptation to Climate Change - Additional Financing	WB	6,570,000	5,400,000
9166*	Chad	Strengthening agro-ecosystems' adaptive capacity to climate change in the Lake Chad Basin (Lac, Kanem, Bahr El Ghazal, and part of the Hadjer-Lamis region)	FAO	4,600,000	19,100,000
9392*	Congo DR	Climate resilient growth and adaptation in Democratic Republic of Congo	UNDP	9,244,538	22,000,000

ANNEX II: APPROVED PROJECTS AND PROGRAMS UNDER THE SCCF AS OF OCTOBER 31, 2018

Approved Projects and Programs Under SCCF Adaptation Program (SCCF-A), as of October 31, 2018

* Projects approved by the LDCF/SCCF Council during the reporting period.

** Projects endorsed or approved by the CEO during the reporting period.

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2553	Global	Piloting climate change adaptation to protect human health	UNDP	5,466,654	16,588,559
2832	Tanzania	Incorporating Climate Change in integrated Water Resources Management in Pangani River Basin (Tanzania)	UNDP	1,090,000	1,574,875
2902	Regional	Adaptation to the Impact of rapid glacier retreat in the tropical Andes Project	World Bank	9,297,700	25,542,000
2931	Ecuador	Adaptation to Climate Change through Effective Water Governance in Ecuador	UNDP	3,685,000	16,335,432
3101	Regional	Pacific Adaptation to Climate Change (PACC)	UNDP	14,822,500	44,703,799
3103	Vietnam	Promoting Climate Resilient Infrastructure in Northern Mountain Provinces of Vietnam	ADB, UNDP	3,850,000	145,270,000
3154	Ethiopia	Coping with Drought and Climate Change	UNDP	1,084,550	1,866,667
3155	Mozambique	Coping with Drought and Climate Change	UNDP	1,046,400	929,840
3156	Zimbabwe	Coping with Drought and Climate Change	UNDP	1,071,470	1,156,000
3159	Mexico	Adaptation to Climate Change Impacts on the Coastal Wetlands in the Gulf of Mexico	World Bank	5,280,000	19,000,000
3218	Ghana	Integrating climate change into the management of priority health risks in Ghana	UNDP	2,000,000	55,783,146
3227	Guyana	Conservancy Adaptation Project	World Bank	4,142,000	16,200,000
3242	Egypt	Adaptation to Climate Change in the Nile Delta through Integrated Coastal Zone Management	UNDP	4,510,000	12,905,060
3243	Philippines	Philippine Climate Change Adaptation Project	World Bank	5,782,700	50,580,000
3249	Kenya	Adaptation to Climate Change in Arid and Semi-Arid Lands (KACCAL)	UNDP, World Bank	7,401,100	42,618,000
3265	China	Mainstreaming Climate Change Adaptation in Irrigated Agriculture Project	World Bank	5,847,600	51,000,000
3299	Thailand	Strengthening the Capacity of Vulnerable Coastal Communities to address the Risk of Climate Change and Extreme Weather Events	UNDP	1,000,000	2,744,772

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3679	Global	Economic Analysis of Adaptation Options	UNEP	1,100,000	3,500,000
3695	Mongolia	Mongolia Livestock Adaptation Project (Project for Market and Pasture Management Development)	IFAD	1,787,500	11,605,000
3934	South Africa	Reducing disaster risks from wildfire hazards associated with climate change in South Africa	UNDP	3,999,996	31,140,100
3967	Morocco	Integrating Climate Change in the Implementation of the Plan Maroc Vert	World Bank	4,779,999	26,950,000
4255	Swaziland	Adapting national and transboundary water resource management in Swaziland to manage the expected impacts of climate change	UNDP	1,893,750	5,876,400
4261	Azerbaijan	Integrating Climate Change Risks into Water and Flood Management by Vulnerable Mountainous Communities in the Greater Caucasus Region	UNDP	3,080,000	7,360,000
4340	Indonesia	Strategic Planning and Action to Strengthen climate Resilience of rural Communities in Nusa Tenggara Timor province (SPARC)	UNDP	5,599,000	74,764,690
4366	Moldova	Climate Resilience through Conservation Agriculture	IFAD	4,807,000	24,071,900
4368	Ghana	Promoting a Value Chain Approach to Climate Change Adaptation in Agriculture	IFAD	2,860,000	9,105,390
4422	Tajikistan	Increasing Climate Resilience through Drinking Water Rehabilitation in North Tajikistan	EBRD	3,219,774	23,896,400
4492	Nicaragua	Adaptation of Nicaragua's Water Supplies to Climate Change	World Bank	6,600,000	31,250,000
4511	Regional	Sahel and West Africa WB/GEF Program in support of the Great Green Wall Initiative	World Bank	5,000,000	293,930,000
4512	Regional	Pilot Asia-Pacific Climate Technology Network and Finance Center	ADB, UNEP	2,000,000	15,000,000
4515	Regional	Southeast Europe and Caucasus Catastrophe Risk Insurance Facility	World Bank	6,050,000	21,500,000
4536	India	Climate Resilient Coastal Protection and Management	ADB	2,000,000	54,334,000
4609	Sri Lanka	Strengthening the Resilience of Post Conflict Recovery and Development to Climate Change Risks in Sri Lanka	UNDP	3,499,999	57,155,000
4610	Colombia	Adaptation to Climate Impacts in Water Regulation and Supply for the Area of Chingaza–Sumapaz–Guerrero	IADB	4,637,325	23,709,000
4616	El Salvador	Climate Change Adaptation to Reduce Land Degradation in Fragile Micro-Watersheds Located in the Municipalities of Texistepeque and Candelaria de la Frontera	FAO	1,135,000	3,835,545
4649	Regional	Greater Mekong Subregion Forests and Biodiversity Program (GMS-FBP)	ADB	500,000	7,000,000
4657	Honduras	Competitiveness and Sustainable Rural Development Project in the South Western Border Corridor (PROLENCA-GEF)	IFAD	3,412,751	25,005,460

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4775	Ecuador	Promotion of Climate-smart Livestock Management Integrating Reversion of Land Degradation and Reduction of Desertification Risks in Vulnerable Provinces	FAO	1,642,500	2,912,822
4901	India	Sustainable Livelihoods and Adaptation to Climate Change (SLACC)	World Bank	8,800,000	52,200,000
4960	Zimbabwe	Scaling up adaptation in Zimbabwe, with a focus on rural livelihoods, by strengthening integrated planning systems	UNDP	4,487,500	12,827,000
4967	Philippines	Scaling up Risk Transfer Mechanisms for Climate Vulnerable Farming Communities in Southern Philippines	UNDP	1,210,000	16,250,000
5105	Tunisia	Addressing climate change vulnerabilities and risks in vulnerable coastal areas of Tunisia	UNDP	6,160,000	74,048,000
5113	Regional	Enhancing Climate Change Resilience in the Benguela Current Fisheries System	FAO	3,431,525	12,419,027
5115	Kyrgyz Republic	Promoting Climate Resiliency of Water Supplies in Kyrgyzstan	EBRD	5,500,000	35,220,000
5125	Lebanon	Sustainable Agricultural Livelihoods in Marginal Areas (SALMA)	FAO	7,862,398	26,980,000
5147	Georgia	Enhancing Resilience of Agricultural Sector in Georgia (ERASIG)	IFAD	5,928,550	27,620,000
5228	Regional	Rural livelihoods' adaptation to climate change in the Horn of Africa (RLACC)	AfDB	2,892,000	59,082,735
5343	Namibia	Scaling up community resilience to climate variability and climate change in Northern Namibia, with a special focus on women and children	UNDP	3,504,000	20,017,263
5386	Albania	Building the resilience of Kune-Vaini Lagoon through ecosystem based adaptation (EbA)	UNEP	2,193,285	11,528,872
5523	Antigua and Barbuda	Building climate resilience through innovative financing mechanisms for climate change adaptation	UNEP	5,584,500	12,900,000
5667	Regional	Climate Change Adaptation in the Eastern Caribbean Fisheries Sector	FAO	6,142,950	37,542,000
5681	Regional	Building Climate Resilience of Urban Systems through Ecosystem-based Adaptation (EbA) in Latin America and the Caribbean	UNEP	6,734,250	29,734,000
5683	Global	Assisting non-LDC Developing Countries with Country-driven Processes to Advance National Adaptation Plans (NAPs)	UNDP, UNEP	5,091,750	41,800,000
5685	Morocco	Increasing Productivity and Adaptive Capacities in Mountain Areas of Morocco (IPAC-MAM)	IFAD	7,198,450	28,000,000
5687	Belize	Energy Resilience for Climate Adaptation	World Bank	3,285,000	1,800,000
5723	Regional	West Balkans Drina River Basin Management Project	World Bank	5,000,000	74,110,000
5814	Regional	Pacific Resilience Program	World Bank	6,000,000	40,217,000
6915	Kazakhstan	Kazakhstan: Southeast Europe and Central Asia Catastrophe Risk Insurance Facility	World Bank	5,475,000	15,000,000

GEF ID	Country	Title	GEF Agency	Amount (grant + fees) (\$)	Co-financing (\$)
6924	Vietnam	Promoting Climate Resilience in Viet Nam Cities	ADB	5,150,000	77,897,000
6927	Egypt	Integrated Management and Innovation in Rural Settlements	IFAD	8,624,143	38,132,600
6945	Costa Rica	Strengthening Capacities of Rural Aqueduct Associations' (ASADAS) to Address Climate Change Risks in Water Stressed Communities of Northern Costa Rica	UNDP	5,639,250	26,658,949
6951	Morocco	Enhancing the climate resilience of the Moroccan ports sector	EBRD	7,000,000	48,900,000
6955	Chile	Strengthening the Adaptive Capacity to Climate Change in the Fisheries and Aquaculture Sector	FAO	2,847,000	15,737,794
6960	Turkmenistan	Supporting Climate Resilient Livelihoods in Agricultural Communities in Drought-prone Areas	UNDP	3,500,000	20,830,000
9107	Sri Lanka	Resilient and Integrated Urban Development for Greater Colombo	ADB	4,600,000	128,000,000
9670	Regional (Albania, Algeria, Libya, Montenegro, Morocco, Tunisia)	Enhancing regional climate change adaptation in the Mediterranean marine and coastal areas	UNEP	1,149,750	4,450,000
9941	Global	Structuring and launching CRAFT: the first private sector climate resilience & adaptation fund for developing countries	CI	1,171,750	1,418,000

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GEF ID	Country	Title	GEF Agency	Amount (grant + fees) (\$)	Co-financing (\$)
3907	Global	Technology Needs Assessments	UNEP	9,000,000	2,855,000
4036	Jordan	dRHS Irrigation Technology Pilot Project to face Climate Change impact in Jordan	IFAD	2,365,020	5,716,000
4880	Regional	Climate technology transfer mechanisms and networks in Latin America and the Caribbean	IADB	1,998,150	6,650,000
4904	Regional	Pilot African Climate Technology Finance Center and Network	AfDB	5,775,000	27,200,000
4934	Global	Enhancing Capacity, Knowledge and Technology Support to Build Climate Resilience of Vulnerable Developing Countries	UNEP	5,500,000	34,850,000

GEF ID	Country	Title	GEF Agency	Amount (grant + fees) (\$)	Co-financing (\$)
4956	Regional	Finance and Technology Transfer Centre for Climate Change (FIN-TeCC)	EBRD	2,000,000	12,601,667
5263	Cameroon	Enhancing the Resilience of Poor communities to urban flooding in Yaounde	AfDB	4,551,915	156,280,000
5604	Bosnia-Herzegovina	Technology Transfer for Climate Resilient Flood Management in Vrbas River Basin	UNDP	5,639,250	77,260,000
5666	Pakistan	Mainstreaming Climate Change Adaptation through Water Resource Management in Leather Industrial Zone Development	UNIDO	3,723,000	14,700,000
5687	Belize	Energy Resilience for Climate Adaptation	World Bank	5,475,000	3,000,000
9103	Cambodia	Building Adaptive Capacity through the Scaling-up of Renewable Energy Technologies in Rural Cambodia (S-RET)	IFAD	5,201,250	21,092,000

ANNEX III: APPROVED MULTI-TRUST FUND PROJECTS AND PROGRAMS AS OF OCTOBER 31, 2018

* Projects approved by the LDCF/SCCF Council during the reporting period.

** Projects endorsed or approved by the CEO during the reporting period.

GEF ID	Country	Title	GEF Agency	Trust fund	Amount (grant + fees) (\$)	Co-financing (\$)
4511	Regional	Sahel and West Africa WB/GEF Program in support of the Great Green Wall Initiative	World Bank	LDCF SCCF	16,000,000 5,000,000	125,829,640 293,930,000
4512	Regional	Pilot Asia-Pacific Climate Technology Network and Finance Center	ADB, UNEP	SCCF	2,000,000	15,000,000
4616	El Salvador	Climate Change Adaptation to Reduce Land Degradation in Fragile Micro-Watersheds Located in the Municipalities of Texistepeque and Candelaria de la Frontera	FAO	SCCF	1,135,000	3,835,545
4625	Malawi	Shire Natural Ecosystems Management Project	World Bank	LDCF	1,650,000	11,736,000
4649	Regional	Greater Mekong Subregion Forests and Biodiversity Program (GMS-FBP)	ADB	SCCF	500,000	7,000,000
4775	Ecuador	Promotion of Climate-smart Livestock Management Integrating Reversion of Land Degradation and Reduction of Desertification Risks in Vulnerable Provinces	FAO	SCCF	1,642,500	2,912,822
4880	Regional	Climate technology transfer mechanisms and networks in Latin America and the Caribbean	IADB	SCCF	1,998,150	6,650,000
4904	Regional	Pilot African Climate Technology Finance Center and Network	AfDB	SCCF	5,775,000	27,200,000
4952	Rwanda	Landscape Approach to Forest Restoration and Conservation (LAFREC)	World Bank	LDCF	4,499,000	5,696,000
4956	Regional	Finance and Technology Transfer Centre for Climate Change (FIN-TeCC)	EBRD	SCCF	2,000,000	12,601,667
5113	Regional	Enhancing Climate Change Resilience in the Benguela Current Fisheries System	FAO	LDCF SCCF	1,891,900 3,431,525	6,846,973 12,419,027
5133	Regional	Senegal River Basin Climate Change Resilience Development Project	World Bank	LDCF	13,080,000	49,600,000
5228	Regional	Rural livelihoods' adaptation to climate change in the Horn of Africa (RLACC)	AfDB	LDCF SCCF	5,700,000 2,892,000	42,730,034 21,556,633
5380	Haiti	Increasing resilience of ecosystems and vulnerable communities to CC and anthropic threats through a ridge to reef approach to BD conservation and watershed management	UNDP	LDCF	6,000,000	25,446,145
5384	Regional	Adaptation to the impact of climate change in water resources for the Andean Region	CAF	SCCF	9,450,000	18,470,000

GEF ID	Country	Title	GEF Agency	Trust fund	Amount (grant + fees) (\$)	Co-financing (\$)
5395	Regional	Pacific Islands Ridge-to-Reef National Priorities – Integrated Water, Land, Forest and Coastal Management to Preserve Biodiversity, Ecosystem Services, Store Carbon, Improve Climate Resilience and Sustain Livelihoods	FAO, UNDP, UNEP	LDCF	13,650,000	90,000,000
5531	Haiti	Ecosystem Approach to Haiti’s Cote Sud	UNEP	LDCF	3,524,628	10,915,000
9199	Bhutan	Enhancing Sustainability and Resilience of Forest Landscape and Community Livelihoods	UNDP	LDCF	11,772,000	26,000,000

ANNEX IV: STATUS OF GEF-6 PIPELINE OF TECHNICALLY CLEARED PROJECTS AS OF OCTOBER 31, 2018

Projects with *, from Sudan (9575), Guinea-Bissau (9647), and Chad (9896), have been updated, based on confirmation from the respective OFPs as current adaptation and LDCF priorities. They are included in the December 2018 LDCF work program for consideration by 25th LDCF/SCCF Council.

GEF ID	Country	Title	Status	GEF Agency	LDCF amount (grant + fees) (\$)	Co-financing (\$)
9458	Togo	Strengthening resilience to climate change of coastal communities in Togo		FAO	10,000,000	39,432,000
9104	Malawi	Building the capacity of Malawi's government to advance the National Adaptation Plan process	Re-submitted. Consultation to avoid possible duplication and alignment with new strategy to continue.	UNDP	3,504,000	34,680,000
9543	Timor Leste	Developing capacities for iterative National Adaptation Planning process for climate resilient development		UNDP	4,544,250	28,200,000
9244	Lao PDR	Strengthening the Capacities for Iterative National Adaptation Planning Process in Lao PDR		UNDP	4,544,250	26,700,000
9596	Burundi	Landscape restoration project	Different proposal submitted. Internal consultations to continue.	World Bank	15,000,000	52,000,000
9538	Zambia	Promoting the adoption and upscaling of proven climate-resilient agricultural practices and technologies by smallholder farmers in Zambia	Re-submitted. Consultation to confirm priority requested and not yet organized.	UNDP	5,000,000	35,074,971
9550	Mauritania	Improved Resilience of Local Communities and their Livelihoods through the Restoration of a Degraded Catchment area in the Wilayas of South-East Mauritania	Different proposal submitted, and included in December 2018 LDCF Work Program.	FAO	5,000,000	25,600,000
7996	Timor Leste	IkanAdapt: Strengthening the Adaptive Capacity and Resilience of Fisheries and Aquaculture-dependent Livelihoods in Timor-Leste		FAO	6,734,250	8,000,000
10083*	Sudan	Sudan Sustainable Natural Resources Management Project- Additional Financing	Revised proposal included in December 2018 LDCF Work Program.	World Bank	5,000,000	12,700,000
9689	Ethiopia	Upscaling community-based adaptation in Ethiopia	Re-submitted. Consultation to confirm priority requested and not yet organized.	UNDP	9,891,976	29,000,000

GEF ID	Country	Title	Status	GEF Agency	LDCF amount (grant + fees) (\$)	Co-financing (\$)
9699	Zambia	Climate change adaptation in forest and agricultural mosaic landscapes	Re-submitted. Consultation to confirm priority requested and not yet organized.	FAO	7,905,572	24,328,409
10105*	Guinea-Bissau	Strengthening climate information and early warning systems for climate resilient development and adaptation to climate change in Guinea Bissau	Revised proposal included in December 2018 LDCF Work Program.	UNDP	6,734,250	38,734,250
9729	Haiti	Strengthening the climatic resilience of the drinking water sector in South of Haiti		UNDP	6,999,900	35,465,000
9175	Sudan	Resilience of Pastoral and Farming Communities to Climate Change in North Darfur – RPFCC-CC		FAO	5,669,910	16,930,000
9763	Uganda	Strengthening Adaptive Capacity and resilience through integrated watershed management under the agricultural value chain development program (AVCP) in Uganda		AfDB	10,050,700	100,000,000
9843	South Sudan	Strengthening Climate Information and Early Warning Systems in South Sudan		UNDP	8,924,250	17,185,000
9186	Djibouti	Increasing Knowledge and Capacity for Mainstreaming Climate Change Adaptation into Regional Development Plans in Djibouti's Gobaad Plain and Tadjourah Ville		UNEP	7,869,437	15,025,000
9902	Gambia	Improving Water Availability in The Gambia's Rural and Peri-Urban Communities for Domestic and Agricultural Use		AfDB	10,074,000	5,500,000
10089*	Chad	Strengthening rural and urban resilience to climate change and variability by the provision of water supply and sanitation in Chad	Revised proposal included in December 2018 LDCF Work Program.	AfDB	9,745,500	13,645,740
9859	Benin	Protection of the coastline and resilience of coastal communities to sea level rise	Re-submitted. Consultation to confirm priority not yet organized.	UNDP	10,000,200	35,000,000
9958	Haiti	Building Resilience in the Wake of Climate Disasters in Southern Haiti		UNEP	6,734,250	17,400,000