



COUNTRY FACTSHEET KIRIBATI

Up to date as of December 02, 2022

Country Focal Points

Operational Focal Point	Political Focal Point
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GEF-8 Allocations and Commitments

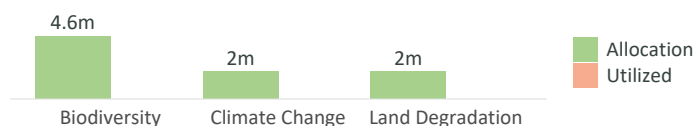
Kiribati has utilized 0 percent of its STAR resources and has **\$8.6 million available for use** out of its \$8.6 million allocation. This utilization rate is lower than the average of GEF countries standing at 0.8 percent.

Utilization of STAR resources

Each dot represents the share of allocated STAR resources utilized by country.



Utilization of resources in \$m by focal area.



Additional GEF resources

The following presents commitments made under additional focal areas, set asides and GEF-managed trust funds. Financing amounts represent the full project financing.

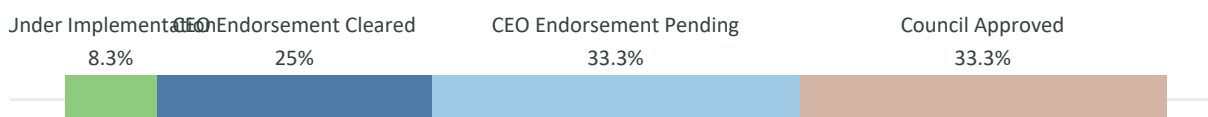
Type (\$m)	Resources
Chemicals and Waste	..
International Waters	..
Impact Program Incentive	..
Enabling Activity	..

Type (\$m)	Approved	Allocation
Least Developed Countries Fund (LDCF)	..	20
Special Climate Change Fund (SCCF)	..	

GEF-7 Portfolio Progress

Kiribati has disbursed 0 percent or \$0 million out of its \$4.6 million active GEF-7 commitments in national projects.

Distribution of GEF-7 projects by status

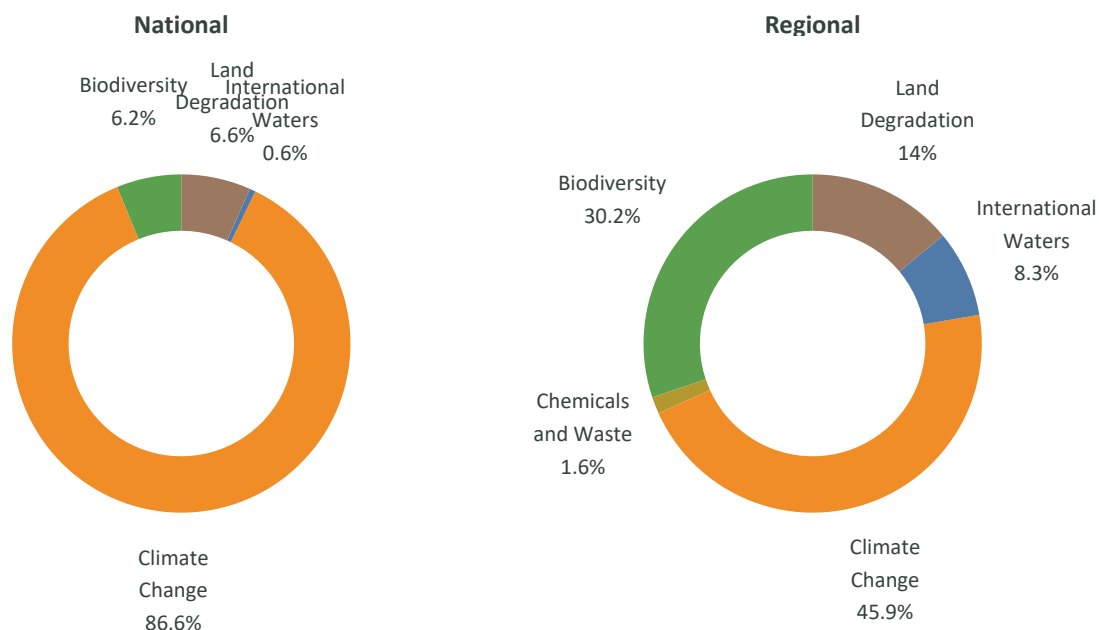


Portfolio of Ongoing Projects

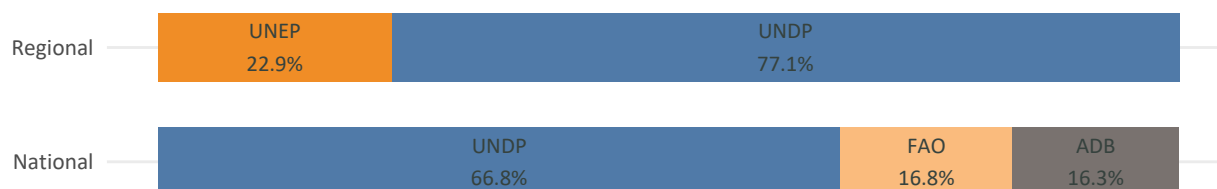
Portfolio of projects across GEF-managed Trust Funds

	Number	GEF financing (\$m)	Co-financing ratio (1:X)
GEF TRUST FUND			
National projects	3	10.3	3.9
Regional projects	13	122.9	1.6
GEF-MANAGED TRUST FUNDS			
LDCF projects	4	35.8	5
SCCF projects	0	0.0	..

Distribution by Focal Area



Distribution by Agency



Progress

	Key indicators		Projects rated Moderately Satisfactory or above	
	Disbursement rate (%)	Average age (year)	Implementation progress (%)	Development outcomes (%)
National projects	16	4	25	25
Regional projects	16	6	100	80

List of projects by status

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Blue Pacific Finance Hub: Investing in Resilient Pacific SIDS Ecosystems and Economies																
10986	FSP	GEF - 7 / LDCF	Regional	8,990,830	Climate Change	ADB	Council Approved	2022-05-24	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Implementing Sustainable Low and Non-Chemical Development in SIDS (ISLANDS)																
10185	PFD	GEF - 7 / GET	Global	75,000,000	Chemicals and Waste	UNEP	Council Approved	2019-05-14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Climate Resilient Urban Development in the Pacific																
10173	PFD	GEF - 7 / LDCF	Regional	16,055,046	Climate Change	ADB	Council Approved	2019-05-14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Expedited Financing of Climate Change Enabling Activities (Phase II) - PICCAP																
850	EA	GEF - 2 / GET	Regional	..	Climate Change	UNDP	Council Approved	2000-07-27	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Participation in the Clearing House Mechanism of the CBD																
820	EA	GEF - 2 / GET	National	..	Biodiversity	UNDP	Council Approved	2000-05-02	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Umbrella Programme for Preparation of National Communications (NCs) and Biennial Transparency Reports (BTRs) to the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC)																
10973	EA	GEF - 7 / GET	Global	32,131,880	Climate Change	UNEP	CEO Endorsement Pending	2022-05-24	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Securing Kiribati's Natural Heritage: Protected areas for community, atoll, and island climate resilience (Securing Kiribati)																
10775	FSP	GEF - 7 / MTF	National	10,016,195	Multi Focal Area	IUCN	CEO Endorsement Pending	2021-05-18	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Strengthening national-level institutional and professional capacities of country Parties towards enhanced UNCCD monitoring and reporting – GEF 7 EA Umbrella V																
10957	EA	GEF - 7 / GET	Global	1,917,804	Land Degradation	UNEP	CEO Endorsement Cleared	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Global Biodiversity Framework Early Action Support (ASIA-PACIFIC 1)																
10951	EA	GEF - 7 / GET	Global	1,917,811	Biodiversity	UNEP	CEO Endorsement Cleared	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
South Tarawa Water Supply Project																
10593	FSP	GEF - 7 / LDCF	National	4,587,156	Climate Change	ADB	CEO Endorsement Cleared	..	2020-12-11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Building Resilience of Health Systems in Pacific Island LDCs to Climate Change																
8018	FSP	GEF - 6 / LDCF	Regional	17,850,000	Climate Change	UNDP	CEO Endorsement Cleared	2017-03-24	2020-12-02	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Support to Preparation of the Fourth National Biosafety Reports to the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety - ASIA-PACIFIC, GRULAC, CENTRAL AND EASTERN EUROPE REGIONS																
10639	EA	GEF - 7 / GET	Global	1,424,500	Biodiversity	UNEP	Under Implementation	..	..	..	..	..	..	Satisfactory	Satisfactory	40
Mainstreaming climate change and ecosystem-based approaches into the sustainable management of the living marine resources of the WCPFC																
10394	FSP	GEF - 7 / GET	Regional	10,000,000	International Waters	UNDP	Under Implementation	2019-12-12	2022-01-21	2.6
Technology Needs Assessments (TNA) Phase IV																

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10171	EA	GEF - 7 / GET	Global	4,590,000	Climate Change	UNEP	Under Implementation	2019-05-14	..	2.4	Satisfactory	Satisfactory	24
GEF Support to UNCCD 2018 National Reporting Process - Umbrella IV																
10030	EA	GEF - 6 / GET	Global	1,598,174	Land Degradation	UNEP	Under Implementation	2018-04-02	..	0.1	..	..	..	Satisfactory	Satisfactory	69
Promoting Outer Island Development through the Integrated Energy Roadmap (POIDIER)																
9905	FSP	GEF - 6 / GET	National	5,379,452	Climate Change	UNDP	Under Implementation	2017-11-30	2020-07-21	3.0	..	..	..	Moderately Unsatisfactory	Unsatisfactory	4
Support to Eligible Parties to Produce the Sixth National Report to the CBD (Pacific)																
9823	MSP	GEF - 6 / GET	Regional	1,270,500	Biodiversity	UNEP	Under Implementation	2017-06-19	..	1.0	..	..	..	..	..	..
Development of Minamata Convention Mercury Initial Assessment in Pacific																
9187	EA	GEF - 6 / GET	Regional	500,000	Chemicals and Waste	UNEP	Under Implementation	2016-03-09	..	0.4	..	..	..	Not Rated	Not Rated	91
Enhancing Whole of Islands Approach to Strengthen Community Resilience to Climate and Disaster Risks in Kiribati																
9041	FSP	GEF - 6 / LDCF	National	8,925,000	Climate Change	UNDP	Under Implementation	2017-03-02	2020-11-17	4.2	..	..	..	Unsatisfactory	Unsatisfactory	0
Continuing Regional Support for the POPs Global Monitoring Plan under the Stockholm Convention in the Pacific Region																
6978	MSP	GEF - 6 / GET	Regional	1,995,000	Chemicals and Waste	UNEP	Under Implementation	2014-11-30	..	0.8	..	..	..	Satisfactory	Satisfactory	96
Umbrella Programme for Biennial Update Report to the United National Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC)																
6925	FSP	GEF - 6 / GET	Global	14,414,400	Climate Change	UNEP	Under Implementation	2014-10-30	2015-06-23	1.3	..	..	..	Not Rated	Not Rated	57
Ratification and Implementation of the Nagoya Protocol in the Countries of the Pacific Region																
5634	MSP	GEF - 5 / NPIF	Regional	1,762,557	Biodiversity	UNEP	Under Implementation	2016-05-11	..	0.6	..	..	..	Satisfactory	Satisfactory	71
Resilient Islands, Resilient Communities																
5551	FSP	GEF - 5 / GET	National	4,720,030	Multi Focal Area	FAO	Under Implementation	2013-11-07	2018-01-07	4.8	..	..	..	Moderately Satisfactory	Moderately Satisfactory	21
Enhancing National Food Security in the Context of Global Climate Change																
5414	FSP	GEF - 5 / LDCF	National	4,446,210	Climate Change	UNDP	Under Implementation	2013-07-03	2015-03-09	3.0	7.2	..	..	Unsatisfactory	Moderately Unsatisfactory	74
Building National and Regional Capacity to Implement MEAs by Strengthening Planning, and State of Environment Assessment and Reporting in the Pacific Islands																
5195	FSP	GEF - 5 / GET	Regional	4,319,635	Multi Focal Area	UNEP	Under Implementation	2013-04-12	2016-09-14	3.8	6.5	..	..	Satisfactory	Satisfactory	93
GEF SGP Fifth Operational Phase - Implementing the Program Using STAR Resources II																
4678	FSP	GEF - 5 / GET	Global	72,851,267	Multi Focal Area	UNDP	Under Implementation	2013-04-12	2013-05-09	-1.8	..	..	..	..	..	..
Support to GEF Eligible Parties (LDCs & SIDs) for the Revision of the NBSAPs and Development of Fifth National Report to the CBD - Phase II																
4623	FSP	GEF - 5 / GET	Global	6,118,200	Biodiversity	UNEP	Under Implementation	2011-11-09	2012-02-07	0.4	3.6	..	..	Satisfactory	Satisfactory	92
National Biodiversity Strategy and Action Plan and Country Report to the COP																
473	EA	GEF - 1 / GET	National	198,790	Biodiversity	UNDP	Under Implementation	1998-03-19	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Support to Preparation of the Third National Biosafety Reports to the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety - Asia Pacific Region																

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9120	MSP	GEF - 6 / GET	Global	1,099,050	Biodiversity	UNEP	Project Implemented	2015-06-08	..	0.3	..	5.1
Support to Alignment of Kiribati's National Action Programme to the UNCCD Ten-Year Strategy and Reporting Process																
5885	EA	GEF - 5 / GET	National	136,986	Land Degradation	UNEP	Project Implemented	2014-06-12	..	3.2	..	..	..	..	..	..
R2R: Testing the Integration of Water, Land, Forest & Coastal Management to Preserve Ecosystem Services, Store Carbon, Improve Climate Resilience and Sustain Livelihoods in Pacific Island Countries																
5404	FSP	GEF - 5 / GET	Regional	10,317,454	International Waters	UNDP	Project Implemented	2013-06-20	2015-04-05	2.4	5.9	8.6	..	..	..	..
Integrating Global Environmental Priorities into National Policies and Programmes																
5130	MSP	GEF - 5 / GET	National	500,000	Multi Focal Area	UNDP	Project Implemented	2014-08-17	..	0.7	..	6.6	..	..	..	..
Implementation of Global and Regional Oceanic Fisheries Conventions and Related Instruments in the Pacific Small Island Developing States (SIDS)																
4746	FSP	GEF - 5 / GET	Regional	10,000,000	International Waters	UNDP	Project Implemented	2012-06-07	2014-06-30	3.3	5.6	9.1	..	..	..	..
PAS: Pacific POPs Release Reduction Through Improved Management of Solid and Hazardous Wastes																
4066	FSP	GEF - 4 / GET	Regional	3,275,000	POPs	UNEP	Project Implemented	2010-03-17	2012-07-23	3.2	7.5	11.4	..	..	..	..
PAS: Phoenix Islands Protected Area (PIPA)																
3897	MSP	GEF - 4 / GET	National	870,200	Biodiversity	UNEP	Project Implemented	2011-09-11	..	0.3	..	5.9	..	..	..	..
LDC/SIDS Portfolio Project: Capacity Building for Sustainable Land Management in Kiribati																
3488	MSP	GEF - 3 / GET	National	0	Land Degradation	UNDP	Project Implemented	2004-09-21	..	..	..	8.4	..	..	..	..
Enhancing Capacity to Develop Global and Regional Environmental Projects in the Pacific																
6982	MSP	GEF - 6 / GET	Regional	1,000,000	Multi Focal Area	UNDP	Financially Closed	2014-12-01	..	0.4	..	2.9	3.6	..	..	..
PAS: Grid Connected Solar PV Central Station Project																
4282	MSP	GEF - 4 / GET	National	1,000,000	Climate Change	World Bank	Financially Closed	2012-11-20	..	1.1	..	6.4	6.5	..	..	..
Increasing Resilience to Climate Variability and Hazards																
4068	FSP	GEF - 4 / LDCF	National	3,000,000	Climate Change	World Bank	Financially Closed	2009-10-02	2011-08-25	2.5	5.1	9.7	9.6	..	..	..
PAS: Prevention, Control and Management of Invasive Alien Species in the Pacific Islands																
3664	FSP	GEF - 4 / GET	Regional	3,031,818	Biodiversity	UNEP	Financially Closed	2009-01-27	2011-03-20	2.6	..	8.1	9.8	..	..	..
PAS: Supporting the POPs Global Monitoring Plan in the Pacific Islands Region																
3663	MSP	GEF - 4 / GET	Regional	517,000	POPs	UNEP	Financially Closed	2008-11-23	..	0.6	..	5.0	9.9	..	..	..
Pacific Islands Greenhouse Gas Abatement through Renewable Energy Project (PIGGAREP)																
2699	FSP	GEF - 3 / GET	Regional	5,225,000	Climate Change	UNDP	Financially Closed	2005-06-08	2006-09-05	2.2	5.1	11.5	13.8	..	..	..
PAS: Implementing Sustainable Integrated Water Resource and Wastewater Management in the Pacific Island Countries - under the GEF Pacific Alliance for Sustainability																
2586	FSP	GEF - 4 / GET	Regional	9,025,688	International Waters	UNDP	Financially Closed	2008-04-24	2008-12-02	1.2	4.1	6.1	9.5	..	..	..
Kiribati Adaptation Program - Pilot Implementation Phase (KAP-II)																
2543	FSP	GEF - 3 / GET	National	1,800,000	Climate Change	World Bank	Financially Closed	2005-11-10	2006-04-30	0.8	3.0	6.2	6.1

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National Adaptation Programme of Action (NAPA)																
2388	EA	GEF - 3 / LDCF	National	200,000	Climate Change	UNDP	Financially Closed	2003-10-27	8.2
Pacific Islands Oceanic Fisheries Management Project																
2131	FSP	GEF - 3 / GET	Regional	10,946,220	International Waters	UNDP	Financially Closed	2005-04-06	2005-05-23	..	3.2	6.7	7.5	..	..	..
National Capacity Self-Assessment for Global Environment Management (NCSA)																
2061	EA	GEF - 3 / GET	National	200,000	Multi Focal Area	UNDP	Financially Closed	2005-06-30	..	..	..	..	6.5	..	..	..
Enabling Activities for the Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs): National Implementation Plan for Kiribati																
1930	EA	GEF - 3 / GET	National	399,000	POPs	UNEP	Financially Closed	2002-11-22	..	0.2	..	..	15.9	..	..	..
Assessment of Capacity Building Needs and Country-specific Priorities in Biodiversity Including Clearing House Mechanism (add on)																
1744	EA	GEF - 3 / GET	National	198,000	Biodiversity	UNDP	Financially Closed	2002-08-19	..	..	..	..	10.1	..	..	..
Pacific Islands Renewable Energy Programme (PIREP)																
1058	MSP	GEF - 2 / GET	Regional	700,000	Climate Change	UNDP	Financially Closed	2002-01-31	..	..	..	4.7	8.1	..	..	..
Implementation of the Strategic Action Programme (SAP) of the Pacific Small Island Developing States																
530	FSP	GEF - 2 / GET	Regional	12,000,000	International Waters	UNDP	Financially Closed	1998-07-01	2000-01-17	..	..	5.7	11.7	..	..	..
South Pacific Biodiversity Conservation Programme																
403	FSP	Pilot Phase / GET	Regional	10,000,000	Biodiversity	UNDP	Financially Closed	1991-05-01	1991-05-01	..	..	11.1	13.0	..	..	..
Pacific Islands Climate Change Assistance Project (PICCAP)																
336	EA	GEF - 1 / GET	Regional	2,440,000	Climate Change	UNDP	Financially Closed	1995-10-01	1997-03-18	..	..	17.3	11.3	..	..	..
Climate Change Training Phase II - Training Programme to Support the Implementation of the UNFCCC																
299	EA	GEF - 1 / GET	Global	2,700,000	Climate Change	UNDP	Financially Closed	1995-05-01	1996-03-25	..	..	..	9.7	..	..	..
Enhancing Capacity to Develop Global and Regional Environmental Projects in the Pacific_1																
6981	MSP	GEF - 6 / GET	Regional	1,000,000	Multi Focal Area	UNDP	Dropped	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Continuing regional Support for the POPs Global Monitoring Plan under the Stockholm Convention in the Pacific Region.																
5901	MSP	GEF - 5 / GET	Global	1,995,000	POPs	UNEP	Dropped	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
GEF SGP Fifth Operational Phase - Implementing the Program Using STAR Resources II_1																
5588	FSP	GEF - 5 / GET	Global	0	Multi Focal Area	UNDP	Dropped	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kiribati: Resilient Islands, Resilient Communities																
5545	FSP	GEF - 5 / GET	National	4,720,030	Multi Focal Area	FAO	Dropped	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
GEF SGP Fifth Operational Phase—Implementing the Program Using STAR Resources II																
5428	FSP	GEF - 5 / GET	Global	0	Multi Focal Area	UNDP	Dropped	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
GEF SGP Fifth Operational Phase—Implementing the Program Using STAR Resources II 1																

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5422	FSP	GEF - 5 / GET	Global	0	Multi Focal Area	UNDP	Dropped
R2R 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																
5416	PFD	GEF - 5 / GET	Regional	0	Multi Focal Area	UNDP	Dropped	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Continuing Regional Support for the POPs Global Monitoring Plan under the Stockholm Convention in the Pacific Region_1																
4935	MSP	GEF - 5 / GET	Regional	1,995,000	POPs	UNEP	Dropped	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pacific Invasive Species Management																
1561	FSP	GEF - 2 / GET	Regional	4,475,000	Biodiversity	UNDP	Dropped	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
R2R- 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																
5395	PFD	GEF - 5 / MTF	Regional	..	Multi Focal Area	UNDP	Cancelled	2013-06-20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Enhancing Capacity to Develop and Manage Global Environmental Projects in the Pacific																
5131	MSP	GEF - 5 / GET	Regional	1,000,000	Multi Focal Area	UNDP	Cancelled	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
PAS: Energizing the Pacific Regional Project																
4089	FSP	GEF - 4 / GET	Regional	3,600,000	Climate Change	World Bank	Cancelled	2009-11-12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
PAS GEF Pacific Alliance for Sustainability																
3420	PFD	GEF - 4 / GET	Regional	..	Multi Focal Area	World Bank	Cancelled	2008-04-24	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..