



COUNTRY FACTSHEET SOLOMON ISLANDS

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

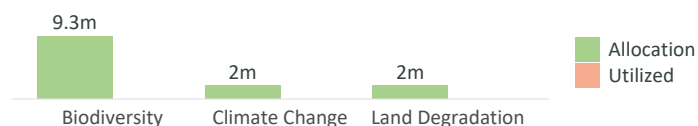
Solomon Islands has utilized 0 percent of its STAR resources and has **\$13.3 million available for use** out of its \$13.3 million allocation. This utilization rate is lower than the average of GEF countries standing at 0.8 percent.

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.

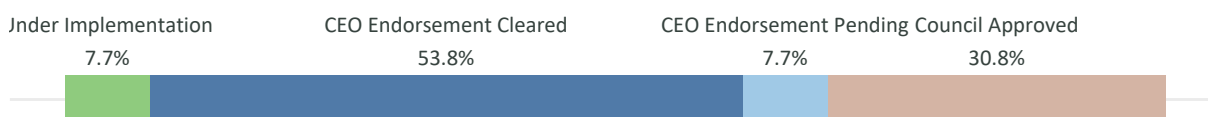
Type (\$m)	Resources
Chemicals and Waste	..
International Waters	..
Impact Program Incentive	..
Enabling Activity	1.7

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

GEF-7 Portfolio Progress

Solomon Islands has disbursed 0 percent or \$0 million out of its \$19.5 million active GEF-7 commitments in national projects.

Distribution of GEF-7 projects by status

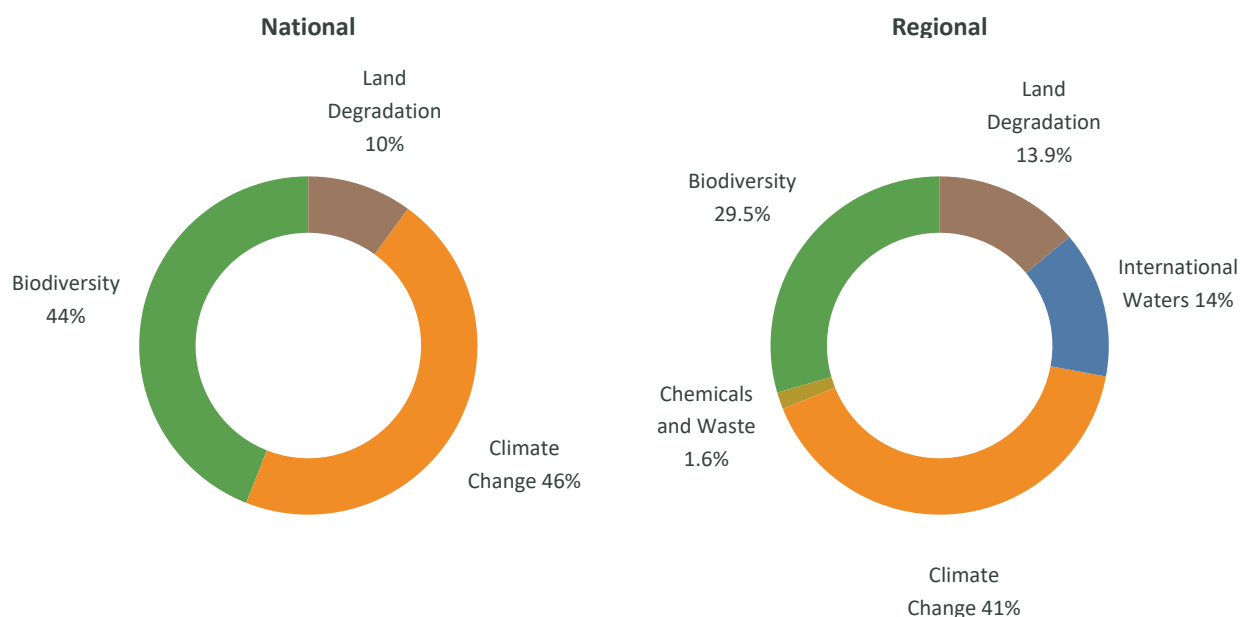


Portfolio of Ongoing Projects

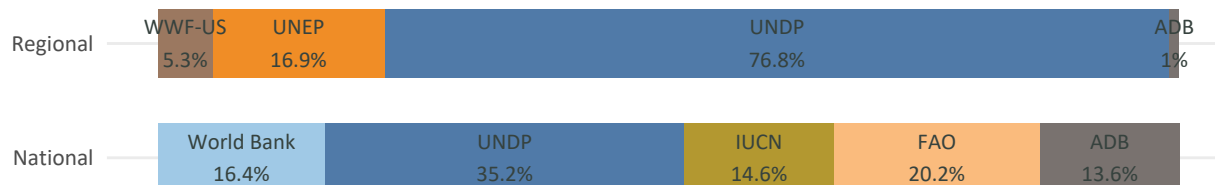
Portfolio of projects across GEF-managed Trust Funds

	Number	GEF financing (\$m)	Co-financing ratio (1:X)
GEF TRUST FUND			
National projects	6	24.5	3.5
Regional projects	12	127.4	2.1
GEF-MANAGED TRUST FUNDS			
LDCF projects	3	27.0	6.4
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	15	3	100	33
Regional projects	13	6	100	80

List of projects by status

GEFID	Type	Trust fund/phase	National or Regional	GEF financing amount	Focal area	Lead Agency	Status	Dates		Time to (in number of years)				Ratings		Disbrst. rate (%)
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Umbrella Programme to Support Development of Biodiversity Finance Plans																
11054	EA	GEF - 8 / GET	Global	18,690,000	Biodiversity	UNDP	CEO PIF Cleared	2022-11-01	..		..	..	..	..	..	..
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	..		..	..	..	..	..	..
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	..		..	..	..	..	..	..
Enhancing water-food security and climate resilience in volcanic island countries of the Pacific																
10712	FSP	GEF - 7 / GET	Regional	6,000,000	International Waters	FAO	CEO Endorsement Pending	2020-11-06	..		..	..	..	..	..	..
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 2)																
10950	EA	GEF - 7 / GET	Regional	1,917,811	Biodiversity	UNEP	CEO Endorsement Cleared	..	..		..	..	..	..	..	..
Integrated Economic Development and Community Resilience (IEDCR)																
10861	FSP	GEF - 7 / LDCF	National	4,566,211	Climate Change	World Bank	CEO Endorsement Cleared	2021-11-12	2022-04-19		..	..	..	..	..	..
Strengthening capacity in the agriculture and land-use as well as energy sectors in Solomon Islands for enhanced transparency in implementation and monitoring of Solomon Island’s Nationally Determined Contribution (NDC)																
10760	MSP	GEF - 7 / GET	National	1,137,215	Climate Change	FAO	CEO Endorsement Cleared	2022-07-11	..		..	..	..	..	..	..
Strengthening Resilience of Water Supply in Honiara																
10746	FSP	GEF - 7 / LDCF	National	4,587,156	Climate Change	ADB	CEO Endorsement Cleared	..	2021-05-17		..	..	..	..	..	..
Safeguarding Solomon Islands endemic and globally threatened biodiversity and ecosystem services from key threats, particularly invasive alien species and unsustainable land use practices (SAFE project)																
10698	FSP	GEF - 7 / GET	National	9,212,358	Multi Focal Area	UNDP	CEO Endorsement Cleared	2020-11-06	2022-06-17	

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Coral Reef Rescue: Resilient Coral Reefs, Resilient Communities																
10575	FSP	GEF - 7 / GET	Global	7,000,000	International Waters	WWF-US	CEO Endorsement Cleared	2020-11-08	2022-05-31
Partnerships for Coral Reef Finance and Insurance in Asia and the Pacific																
10431	MSP	GEF - 7 / MTF	Regional	1,278,539	Climate Change	ADB	CEO Endorsement Cleared	2021-10-28	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
EREPA - Ensuring Resilient Ecosystems and Representative Protected Areas in the Solomon Islands																
9846	FSP	GEF - 6 / GET	National	4,918,364	Multi Focal Area	IUCN	CEO Endorsement Cleared	2017-11-30	2021-05-21	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
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																
10171	EA	GEF - 7 / GET	Global	4,590,000	Climate Change	UNEP	Under Implementation	2019-05-14	..	2.4	..	..	..	Satisfactory	Satisfactory	24
Umbrella Programme for Preparation of National Communications and Biennial Update Reports to the UNFCCC																
10019	EA	GEF - 6 / GET	Global	7,383,040	Climate Change	UNEP	Under Implementation	2018-06-26	2019-05-03	1.2	..	..	..	Not Rated	Not Rated	27
Stimulating Progress towards Improved Rural Electrification in the Solomons (SPIRES)																
9787	FSP	GEF - 6 / GET	National	2,639,726	Climate Change	UNDP	Under Implementation	2017-11-30	2020-08-03	3.4	..	..	..	Moderately Satisfactory	Moderately Unsatisfactory	23
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
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
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
Integrated Forest Management in the Solomon Islands																
5122	FSP	GEF - 5 / GET	National	5,676,454	Multi Focal Area	FAO	Under Implementation	2013-04-12	2016-05-03	4.0	8.2	..	..	Satisfactory	Satisfactory	62
Umbrella Programme for National Communication to the UNFCCC																
4794	FSP	GEF - 5 / GET	Global	7,210,000	Climate Change	UNEP	Under Implementation	2012-06-07	2013-03-06	1.3	Not Rated	Not Rated	61

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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 1																	
4513	FSP	GEF - 5 / GET	Global	6,798,000	Biodiversity	UNEP	Under Implementation	2011-11-09	2012-01-18	0.2	3.6	..	..	Satisfactory	Satisfactory	86	..
SB Development of Community-based Renewable Energy Mini-Grids																	
4284	MSP	GEF - 4 / GET	National	946,750	Climate Change	World Bank	Under Implementation	2014-03-26	..	6.9	..	..	..	Moderately Satisfactory	Moderately Unsatisfactory	100	..
Support to Eligible Parties to Produce the Sixth National Report to the CBD – (Global: Africa-3, Maldives, Nicaragua, Pakistan and Solomon Islands)																	
9832	MSP	GEF - 6 / GET	Global	1,963,500	Biodiversity	UNEP	Project Implemented	2017-06-01	..	0.9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Support to Preparation of the Third National Biosafety Reports to the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety - Asia Pacific Region																	
9120	MSP	GEF - 6 / GET	Global	1,099,050	Biodiversity	UNEP	Project Implemented	2015-06-08	..	0.3	..	5.1	..	..	..	..	..
Pacific Islands Regional Oceanscape Program (PROP)																	
6970	FSP	GEF - 6 / GET	Regional	6,301,370	Multi Focal Area	World Bank	Project Implemented	2014-10-30	2014-11-23	0.6	4.6	5.9	..	..	..	..	..
Support to 16 GEF Eligible Parties for Alignment of National Action Programs and Reporting Process under UNCCD																	
5898	MSP	GEF - 5 / GET	Global	1,045,000	Land Degradation	UNEP	Project Implemented	2014-06-15	..	0.4	..	5.0	..	..	..	..	..
Community Resilience to Climate and Disaster Risk in Solomon Islands Project																	
5581	FSP	GEF - 5 / LDCF	National	7,300,000	Climate Change	World Bank	Project Implemented	2014-01-22	2014-02-06	0.8	3.4	6.4	..	..	..	..	..
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 Environment Commitments in Investment and Development Decision-making																	
5045	MSP	GEF - 5 / GET	National	850,000	Multi Focal Area	UNDP	Project Implemented	2014-07-07	..	0.9	3.4	4.2	..	..	..	..	..
Enhancing the Conservation Effectiveness of Seagrass Ecosystems Supporting Globally Significant Populations of Dugong Across the Indian and Pacific Ocean Basins (Short Title: The Dugong and Seagrass Conservation Project)																	
4930	FSP	GEF - 5 / GET	Global	5,884,018	Biodiversity	UNEP	Project Implemented	2012-06-07	2014-07-07	2.6	4.6	7.1	..	..	..	..	..
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	..	..	..	..	..
Solomon Islands Water Sector Adaptation Project (SIWSAP)																	
4725	FSP	GEF - 5 / LDCF	National	6,850,000	Climate Change	UNDP	Project Implemented	2012-06-29	2014-03-10	2.2	4.6	7.0	..	..	..	..	..
LDC/SIDS Portfolio Project: Capacity Building for Sustainable Land Management in the Solomon Islands																	
3489	MSP	GEF - 3 / GET	National	0	Land Degradation	UNDP	Project Implemented	2004-09-21	..	..	..	8.2	..	..	..	..	..
Sustainable Energy Financing																	
2944	FSP	GEF - 3 / GET	Regional	9,480,000	Climate Change	World Bank	Project Implemented	2006-08-01	2007-05-17	1.6	4.5	15.8	..	Not Rated	Not Rated	73	..
Enhancing Capacity to Develop Global and Regional Environmental Projects in the Pacific																	

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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: 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	..	..	..
PAS: Strengthening Coastal and Marine Resources Management in the Coral Triangle of the Pacific - under the Pacific Alliance for Sustainability Program																
3591	FSP	GEF - 4 / GET	Regional	13,118,183	Multi Focal Area	ADB	Financially Closed	2008-04-24	2010-11-08	3.2	6.5	11.2	11.2	..	..	..
Pacific Adaptation to Climate Change Project (PACC)																
3101	FSP	GEF - 4 / SCCF	Regional	13,125,000	Climate Change	UNDP	Financially Closed	2008-04-01	2008-10-14	1.0	4.6	6.6	10.9	..	..	..
Formulation of a National Adaptation Programme of Action (NAPA) for Solomon Islands																
2814	EA	GEF - 3 / LDCF	National	200,000	Climate Change	UNDP	Financially Closed	2005-06-16	..	..	..	..	8.1	..	..	..
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	..	..	..
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 Needs Self Assessment (NCSA) for Global Environment Management																
1704	EA	GEF - 3 / GET	National	200,000	Multi Focal Area	UNDP	Financially Closed	2004-11-08	..	..	..	..	10.4	..	..	..
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	..	..	..
Clearing House Mechanism Enabling Activity																
556	EA	GEF - 2 / GET	National	8,580	Biodiversity	UNEP	Financially Closed	1998-09-29	..	-1.8	..	..	16.7	..	..	..
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	..	..	..
National Biodiversity Strategies, Action Plan, and the First National Report to the Convention on Biological Diversity																

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Pacific Invasive Species Management																
1561	FSP	GEF - 2 / GET	Regional	4,475,000	Biodiversity	UNDP	Dropped
Marine Resources Management and Conservation Project (Fisheries Management & Marine Biodiversity Conservation Project)																
1238	FSP	GEF - 2 / GET	National	2,000,000	Biodiversity	ADB	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	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
CTI The Coral Triangle Initiative (PROGRAM)																
3647	PFD	GEF - 4 / GET	Regional	..	Multi Focal Area	ADB	Cancelled	2008-04-24	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
PAS GEF Pacific Alliance for Sustainability																
3420	PFD	GEF - 4 / GET	Regional	..	Multi Focal Area	World Bank	Cancelled	2008-04-24	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..