

AFD Group Offer in India



AFD Group at a glance

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THE AFD GROUP CONSISTS OF 3 ENTITIES

PUBLIC SECTOR



French Development Agency funds and supports public partners and civil society organizations.

PRIVATE SECTOR



Proparco is a subsidiary dedicated to private sector financing and support.

TECHNICAL COOPERATION



Expertise France implements technical cooperation projects that strengthen the public policies of its partners.

AFD Group Strategy

CONTEXT

- A renewal of the international aid agenda: the SDGs and the Paris Agreement on Climate.
- A new ambition of the French government: for **official development assistance** financing (ODA) to reach 0.55% of **gross national income** (GNI), a target met in 2022.



**100% PARIS AGREEMENT,
ACTING FOR THE PLANET**



**100% SOCIAL LINK,
ACTING FOR PEOPLE**



**PARTNERSHIP
BY DESIGN**

**€12.9
BILLION**

of new
commitments
in 2023

Net
outstanding
loans

**€45.4
BILLION**

AFD Group in South Asia

In 2019, the South Asia Regional Office was created to ground and foster operational synergies between the three Group entities, to the benefit of clients and partners. The Regional Office of South Asia based in New Delhi and Colombo covers 8 countries: Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Nepal, Pakistan, Sri Lanka and The Maldives.



STRATEGIC MARKERS OF AFD GROUP IN THE SOUTH ASIA REGION

A diverse portfolio of activities amounting to more than €7 billion committed over the last ten years, in numerous sectors including urban mobility, clean energy, water and sanitation, sustainable banking sector, health, biodiversity, financial inclusion and innovation.

A regional strategy climate oriented that fully contributes to the implementation of **the Indo-Pacific agenda of France**. Proparco's support for Indian private players investing in the Indo-Pacific currently represents more than USD 143 million, with a leverage effect of more than USD 1 billion of investments.

A strong commitment to climate, with a minimum of 70% of annual commitments presenting climate co-benefits, and significant supports towards low-carbon and resilient trajectories.

Gender equality as a cross-cutting pillar, a pro-gender approach to mainstream gender during the whole project cycle, and monitoring and accountability: a minimum of 60% of projects rated DAC 1 or DAC 2 and projects qualified under the "2X Challenge" for Proparco.



AFD Group Strategy in India (2023 – 2028)

SUPPORTING INDIA IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF A LOW-CARBON, INCLUSIVE
AND RESILIENT DEVELOPMENT TRAJECTORY, IN LINE WITH THE INTERNATIONAL
CLIMATE AND INDO-PACIFIC AGENDAS

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS



STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES



Contribute to the
energy transition



Support a low-carbon
and inclusive **transition**
of Indian cities



Preserve and invest in
biodiversity and the
resilience of territories



Contribute to **reduce**
inequalities

TRANSVERSAL OBJECTIVES



Ensure social cohesion,
participatory approach
and **gender equality**
project design



Contribute to the **India**
Climate Trajectory



Sustain SDGs agenda
within an **Indo-Pacific**
context

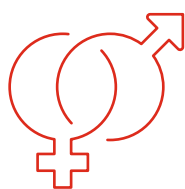
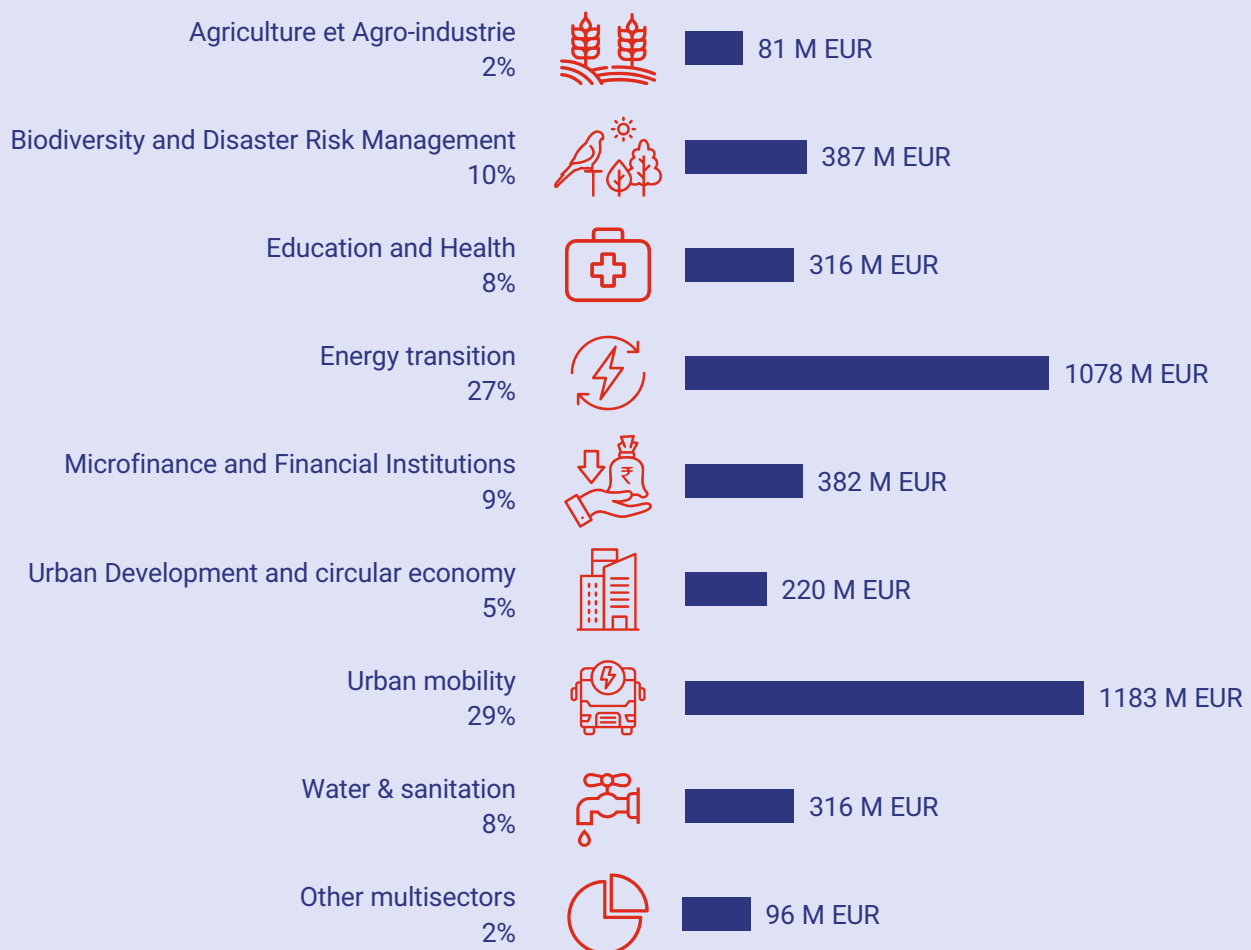
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Main figures

Between 2008 and 2023, the cumulated commitments reached

4,1 Bn EUR

Breakdown by sector in M EUR



63%

of the projects contribute to
gender equality

83%

of total
portfolio

of the projects contribute to the
fight against **climate change**



AFD Group offer:

a wide range of products, to best meet the demands of our clients and partners



DESIGNING SOLUTIONS FOR PUBLIC ACTORS

- Loans to the Government, public banks and public companies
- Financing infrastructure projects as well as programs and public policies
- Financing Expertise
- Partnerships and sector dialogue
- Mobilizing co-financing and delegated grants

Activities in India
started in

2008

46

projects under
implementation

3,1 Bn €

of cumulated commitments

FOSTERING PRIVATE INVESTMENT

- Long term loans
- Equity for growth and innovation
- Quasi-equity
- Guarantees
- Technical Assistance : trainings, studies, process enhancement
- Innovation and access to new markets
- Management of E&S risks

Activities in India
started in

2008

58

projects under
implementation

988 M €

of cumulated commitments

MOBILIZING TECHNICAL EXPERTISE AND PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION

- Designing and managing technical assistance programs
- Advisory services : diagnostics, recommendations...
- Public expertise and capacity building
- Grant project management and implementation
- Supply of goods and services

Activities in India
started in

2017

Deployment of

3

international experts to
partner institutions

1300 days

of technical expertise

Expected impacts of the projects financed by AFD Group in India



1Mn

people gaining improved access to **water**



2,8Mn

people gaining access to improved sustainable **urban mobility**



80 000

hectares of new **forest plantations**



570 000

women gaining access to **microfinance loans**

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For a world in common

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