



LOW EMISSION CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAMME

PROGRAMME FACT SHEET

General Programme Information

PROGRAMME NAME	THE LOW EMISSION CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAMME
Tagline	A global initiative to support mitigation actions
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End Date	December 2016
Programme Donors	European Commission German Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation and Nuclear Safety (BMU) Government of Australia
Total Funding	40,000,000 USD
Website	www.lowemissiondevelopment.org

The Programme by the Numbers

Number of NAMAs with associated MRV systems being developed

60

Number of LEDS (national/sectoral) being developed

13

Number of countries that engage the private sector in formulation of NAMA proposal

15

Number of GHG National Inventory Systems being strengthened/established

17

Programme Summary

The United Nations Development Programme's (UNDP) Low Emission Capacity Building (LECB) Programme is supporting 25 countries around the globe to enhance the capacity of the public and private sectors to scale up mitigation action through the development of Low Emission Development Strategies (LEDS) and Nationally Appropriate Mitigation Actions (NAMAs), and the strengthening of the underlying systems for Measuring, Reporting and Verification (MRV) and national greenhouse gas (GHG) inventories. Funded through generous contributions from the European Commission and the German and Australian governments, the LECB Programme acts as a pathfinder for policymakers – paving the way to define a low carbon future that also delivers national sustainable development goals.

Support to the participating LECB countries is provided by a Global Support Unit (GSU), which sits within the larger green, low-emission climate resilient strategies (GLECRDS) team of UNDP. The GSU works closely with UNDP-GEF regional technical advisors and UNDP Country Offices to provide synergized support and technical guidance that builds on UNDP's extensive experience in bringing together the key elements for ensuring successful mitigation actions and raising of ambition: robust public and private sector institutional capacities, strong linkages with both low-emission, climate resilient development strategies and national planning processes, and best practice approaches for overcoming market barriers and derisking investments.

PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES (25)

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China
Colombia
Costa Rica
DRC
Ecuador
Egypt
Ghana
Indonesia
Kenya
Lebanon
Malaysia
Mexico
Moldova
Morocco
Peru
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Tanzania
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