

Tailored funding and complementary partnerships

10 years of the ACP Investment Facility



10 key figures from the last 10 years

In the ten years since its inception, the ACP Investment Facility has provided lending of EUR 3 363m in Africa, the Caribbean and Pacific.

The creation of the ACP Investment Facility in 2003 reflected the recognition of the private sector as a key driver of sustainable growth, itself a determining factor in reducing poverty. This goes hand in hand with the EIB's lending for basic infrastructure invest-

ments, largely from its own resources, as a prerequisite for private sector development. The IF enables the EIB to support the growth of local enterprises and foreign direct investment, especially by increasing SMEs' access to risk sharing instruments and term finance.





88 projects co-financed with more than 25 partner institutions

EUR 500m for energy projects



EUR 2bn supporting financial sector development



EUR 71m towards clean drinking water and sustainable sanitation projects



45 projects benefited from over EUR 330m in interest rate subsidies



EUR 412m for projects with climate action components

Nearly EUR 280m towards local microfinance institutions



EUR 190m towards 21 private equity funds worth a total of EUR 1.3bn, supporting 374 SMEs



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