



The Sustainable Finance Challenge

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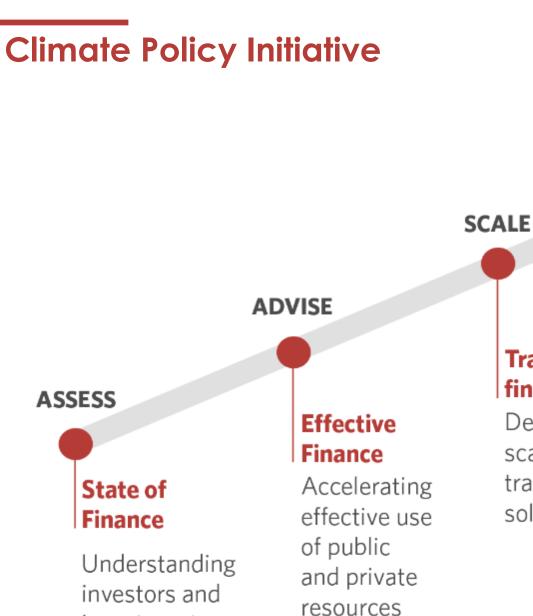
Losses from just five climate-related disasters in 2018











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Transformative finance

Developing and scaling transformative solutions Driving trillions for a low-carbon, climate resilient economy



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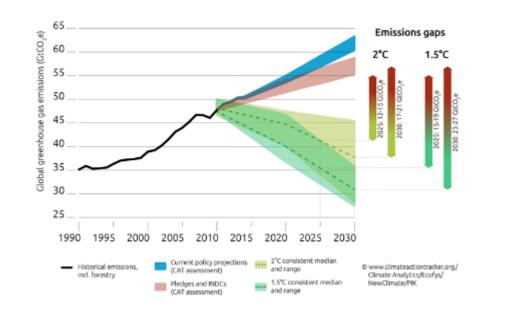
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The role of finance



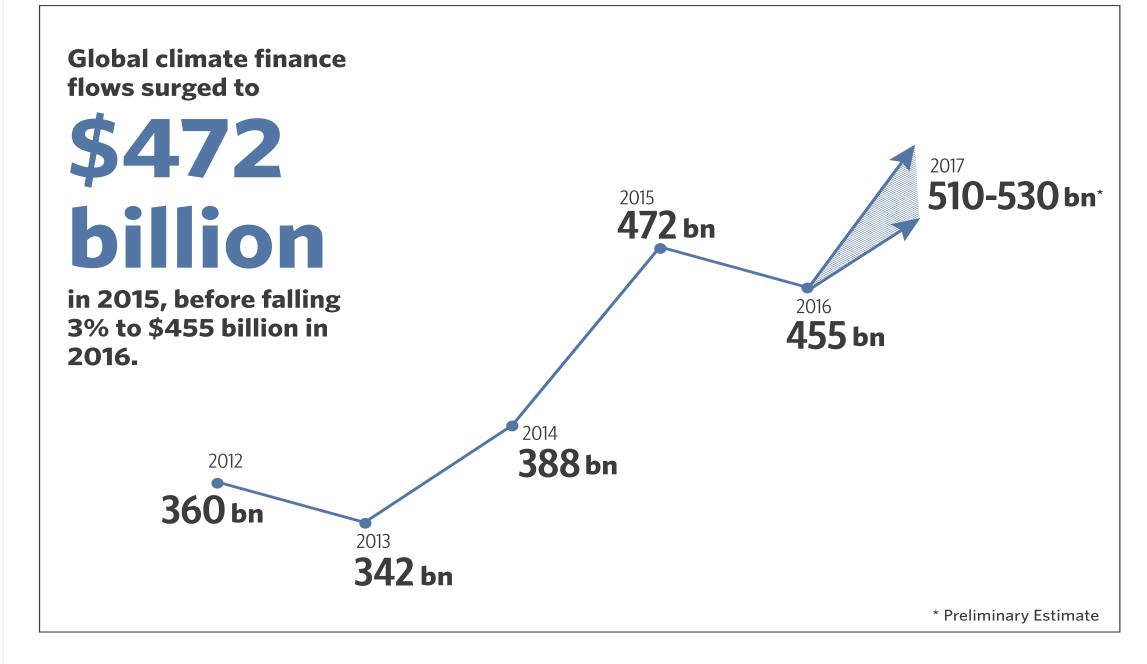
Sustainable investment is critical to tackle the key global challenges of the 21st century

Climate Change – Meeting the Paris Agreement goals and ramping up ambition in emissions reductions Sustainable Development – Meeting the Sustainable Development Goals







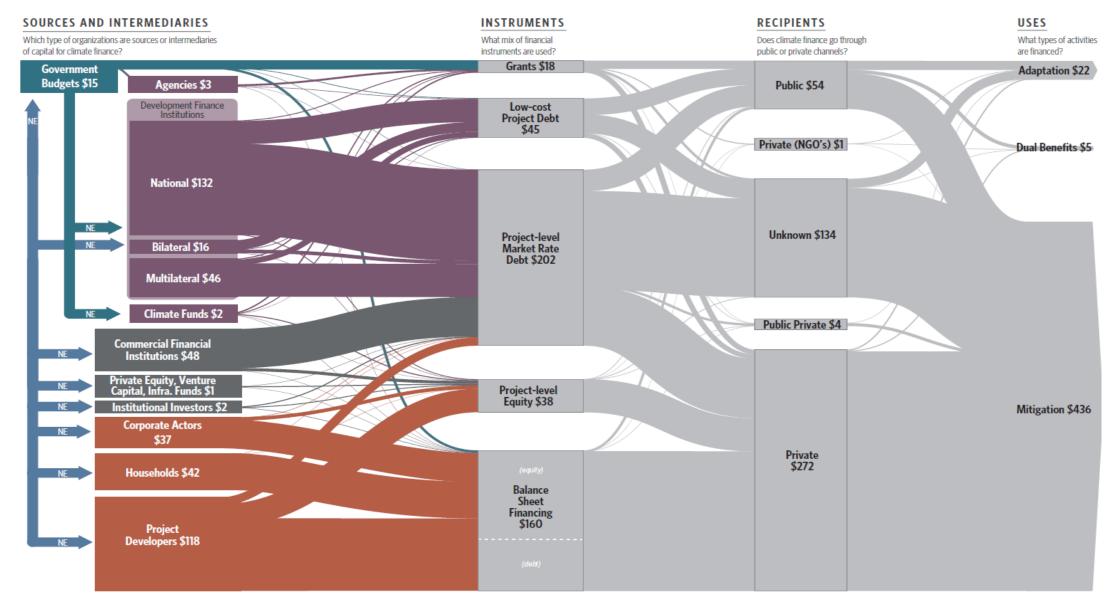




LANDSCAPE OF CLIMATE FINANCE IN 2015/2016

Global climate finance flows along their life cycle in 2015 and 2016. Values are average of two years' data, in USD billions.

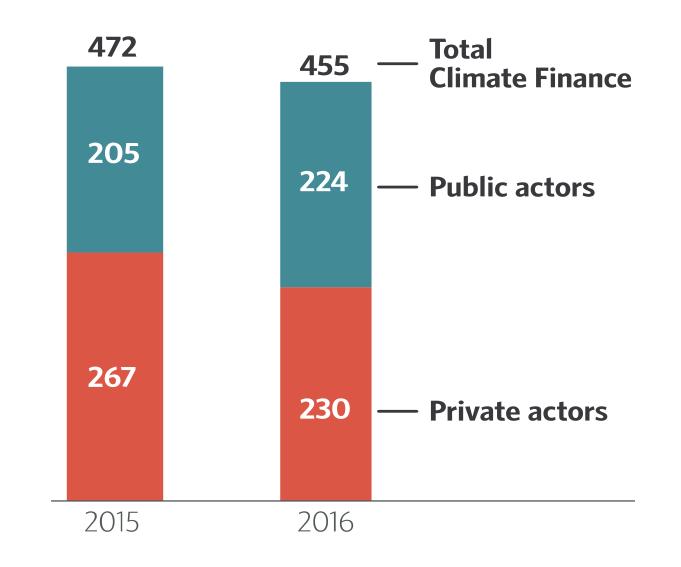




KEY	PUBLIC	PRIVATE	PUBLIC FINANCIAL	PRIVATE FINANCIAL	FINANCE FOR INVESTORS & LENDERS
	MONEY	MONEY	INTERMEDIARIES	INTERMEDIARIES	NE: NOT ESTIMATED

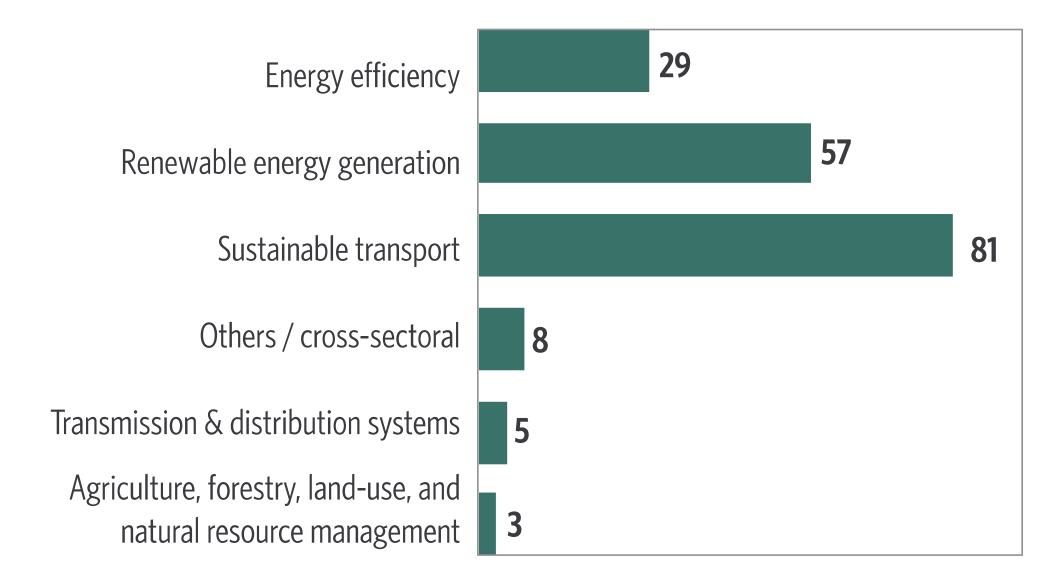


The private sector is doing more than ever, while the overall share of public investment remains steady



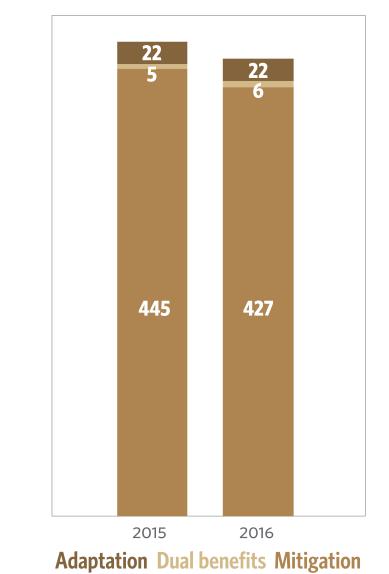


In public finance, sustainable transport is the largest segment driven by new data coverage in China





Adaptation finance, at \$22 billion, is a small part of overall flows due to a number of methodological reasons



Two aspects make it difficult to compare to mitigation:

1. Only public finance data captured

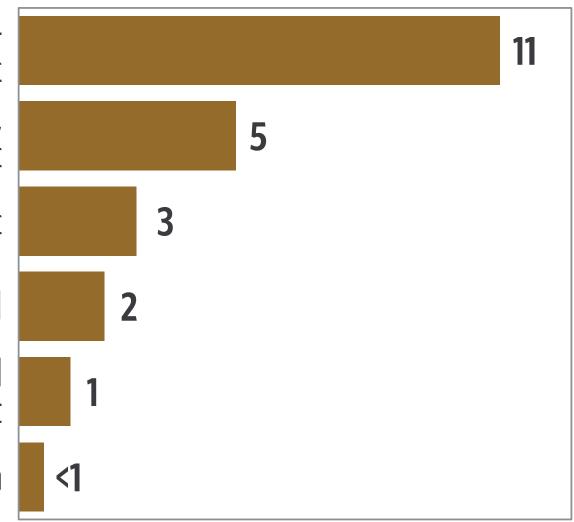
2. Incremental investment vs whole cost

• Reporting is patchy



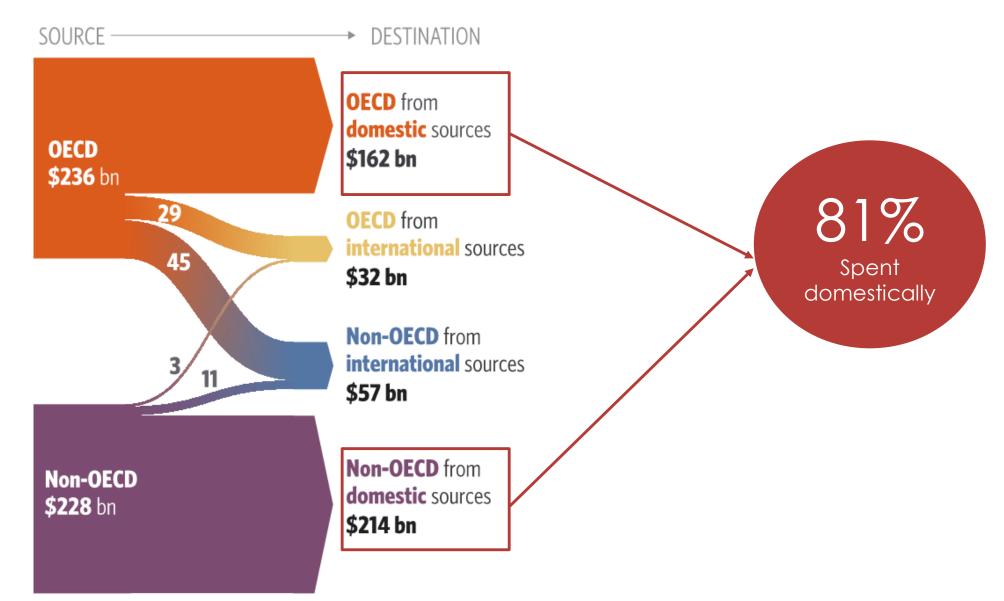
In adaptation, water and wastewater management captured 50% of public finance, on average, during 2015/16

Water and wastewater management Agriculture, forestry, land-use, and natural resource management (Other) Disaster risk management Others / cross-sectoral Infrastructure, energy and other built environment Coastal protection <1



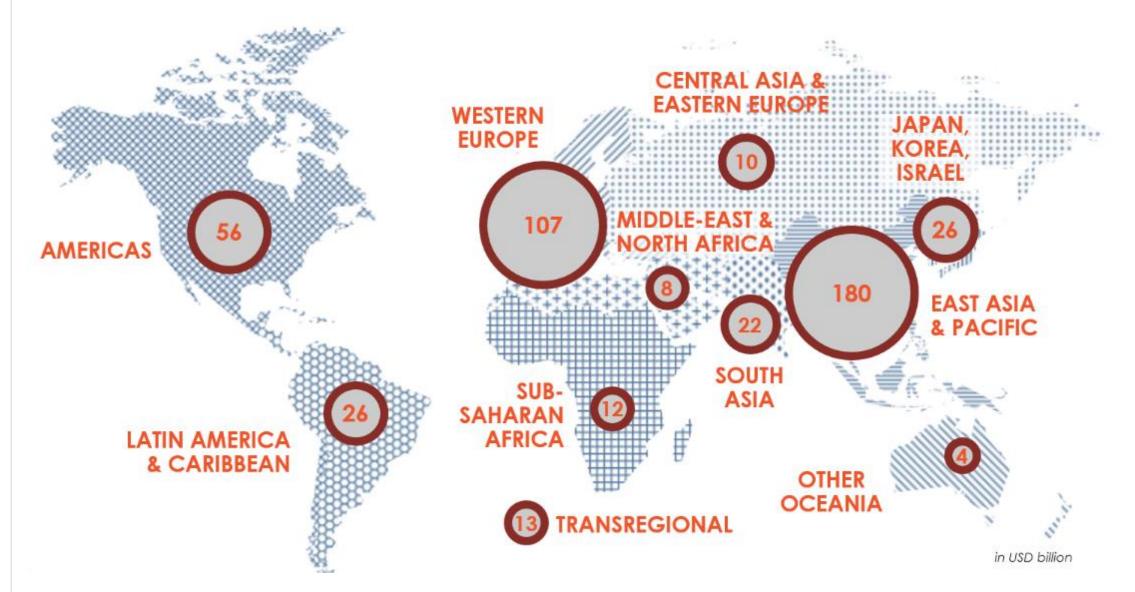


The vast majority of finance is spent domestically

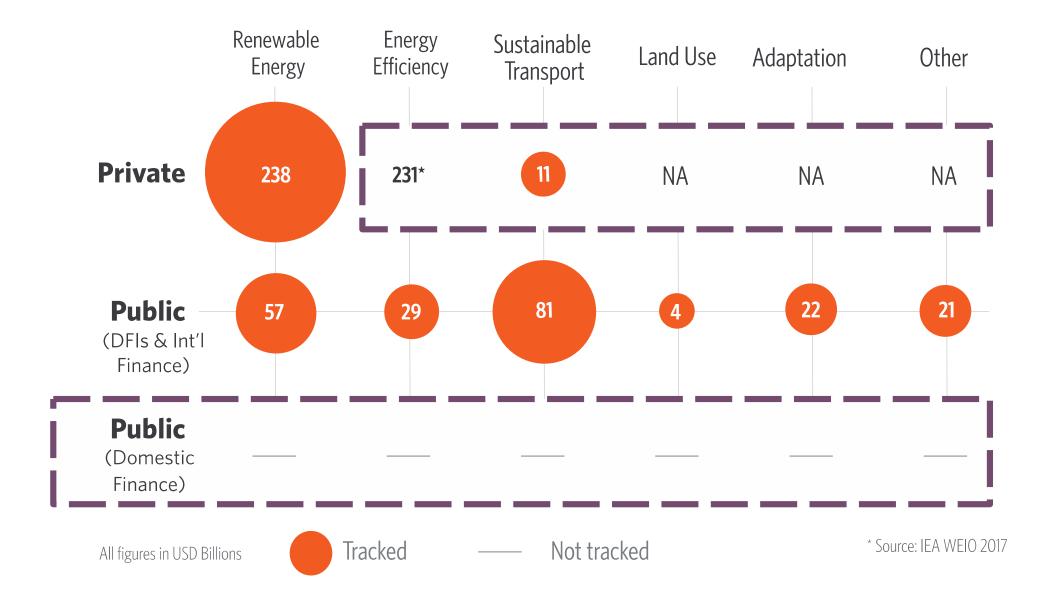




In non-OECD regions, East Asia and Pacific are the largest destination for climate finance



More work needs to be done in tracking climate finance





World Bank to limit financing of coal-fired plants

World Bank to end financial support for oil and gas extraction

World Bank Group Announces \$200 billion over Five Years for Climate Action

Major Financial Institutions Move to Integrate Climate Change





Sustainable investing is finally 'going mainstream', BlackRock claims

Bank of America commits to \$125 billion green funding

Fossil fuel divestment funds rise to \$6tn

Institutional investors seeking greater ESG disclosure



Two-thirds of Canada's electricity now comes from renewable energy

74% Of India's New Power Capacity Addition In 2018 Was Renewables

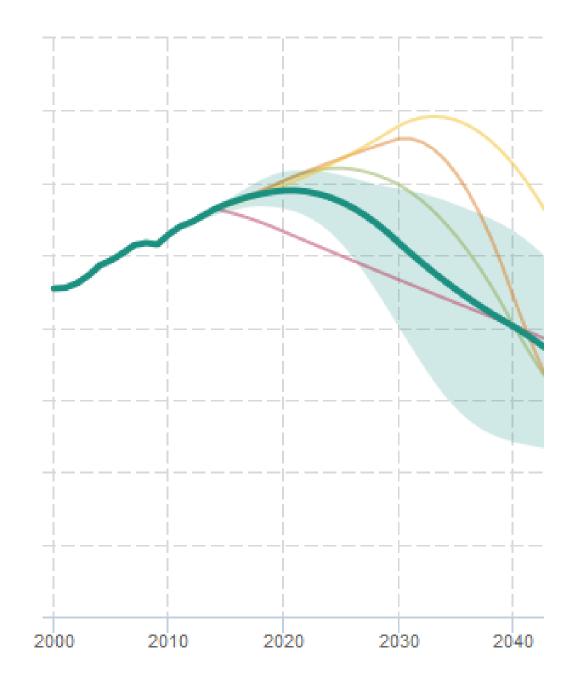
In Shenzhen, China, 16,000 public buses have gone electric

Net-zero energy homes have arrived — and are shaking up the US housing market



2020

Year global emissions must peak and rapidly decline



Accelerating action

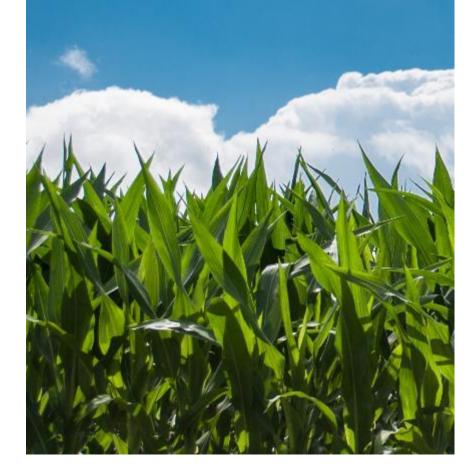


Countries' financing challenge

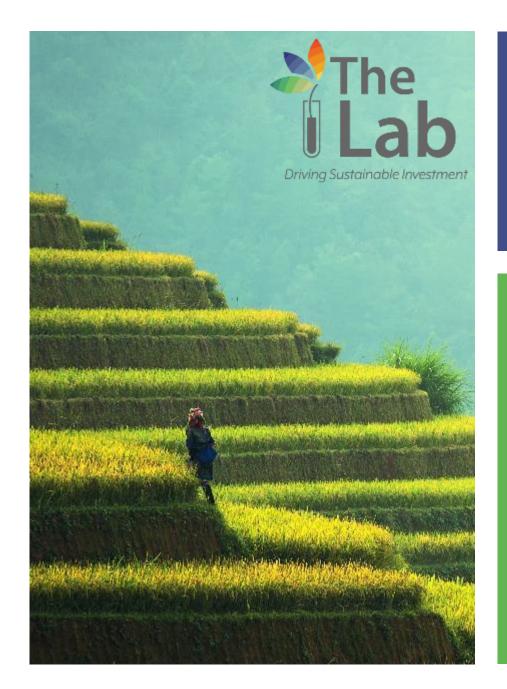
- Finance flowing to low-carbon, climate-resilient activities needs to increase considerably.
- All flows of finance across the economy need to become consistent with, and not contrary to, climate objectives.
- Phasing out inconsistent public support not only levels the playing field but also increases the cost-effectiveness of low-carbon and climate-resilient investments.



Long-term strategies must target wider development objectives



- Infrastructure has a long lifetime: investment decisions made now can shape national development pathways for decades to come.
- It is critical that long-term strategies consider wider development objectives in order to finance climate-resilient infrastructure that both delivers development goals and avoids carbon lock-in.



The Lab identifies, develops, and launches innovative finance instruments that can drive billions in private investment to action on climate change and sustainable development.

35 instruments launched
60 + public and private Lab Member institutions
300 + supporting experts, nearly half from developing regions



The Lab brings together over 60 institutions to address the sustainable investment gap





\$1.4+bn mobilized by **35 instruments** for climate action in developing countries

\$200+ mn

invested by Lab Member institutions

\$1.2 bn catalyzed in additional investment Lab instruments have mobilized

200x

what funders have invested in the Lab Secretariat



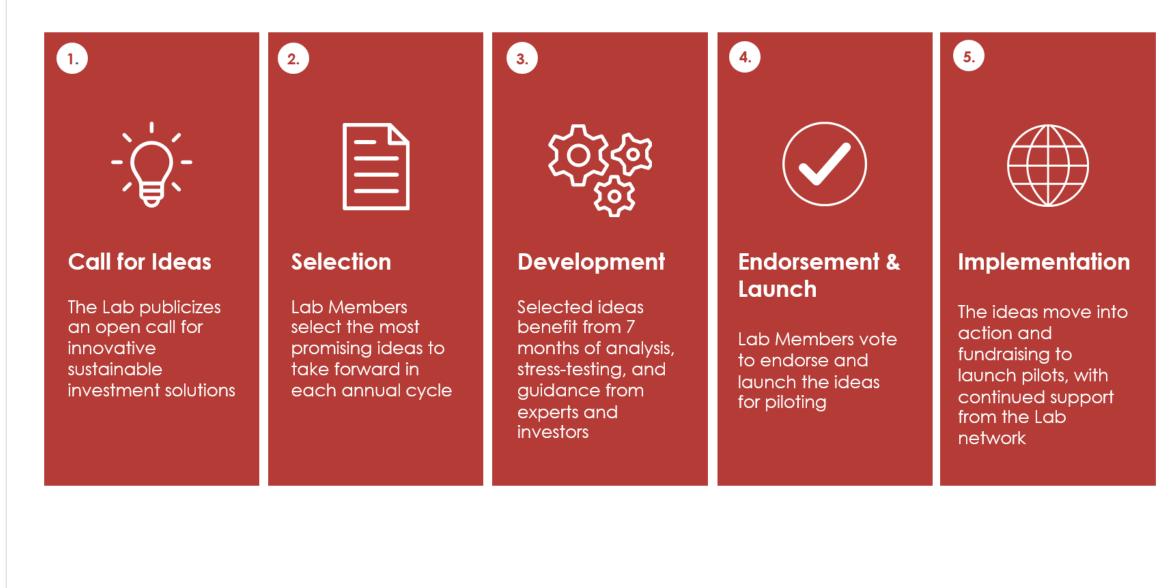
Lab instruments have successfully mobilized over \$445 million in investment from the private sector

More than 90% of measured private finance has come from institutional investors and commercial banks. A small amount has also come from private equity investors.

Private investors also co-invest in projects on the ground, which is more difficult to measure.



The Lab process has five steps





Financing Adaptation: The Water Financing Facility

2016 Lab Instrument

- Aims to mobilize \$1 bn equivalent in local currencies through local bond market
- \$15.4 mn in investment secured from seven sources
- Seeking approximately \$75 mn in total cofinancing support

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- Aims to provide sustainable access to safe water and sanitation to **20 million people**
- Target growth to 8 countries



Mobilizing Private Investment: Climate Investor One

2015 Lab Instrument





- Aims to catalyze ~\$2.5+ bn in private sector funds at construction phase
- Has raised \$555 mn across Development
 & Construction Equity funds so far
- Has deployed \$50 mn into inaugural construction project CleanTech Solar, a pan-Asia rooftop solar platform



- Targets ~4,800 GWh (1,700MW) in electricity generation per year
- Will reduce ~1.8 mn tons of CO2e emissions each year
- Will serve ~12 mn people over project lifetimes



Supporting the SDGs: Long-Term FX Risk Management

2015 Lab Instrument





- Hedged \$240 mn of climate-related
 investment in 11 countries
- Total currency risk managed **grew 40%** from 2017 to 2018
- Has a portfolio of exposure to almost 60 hard-to-hedge currencies in developing countries

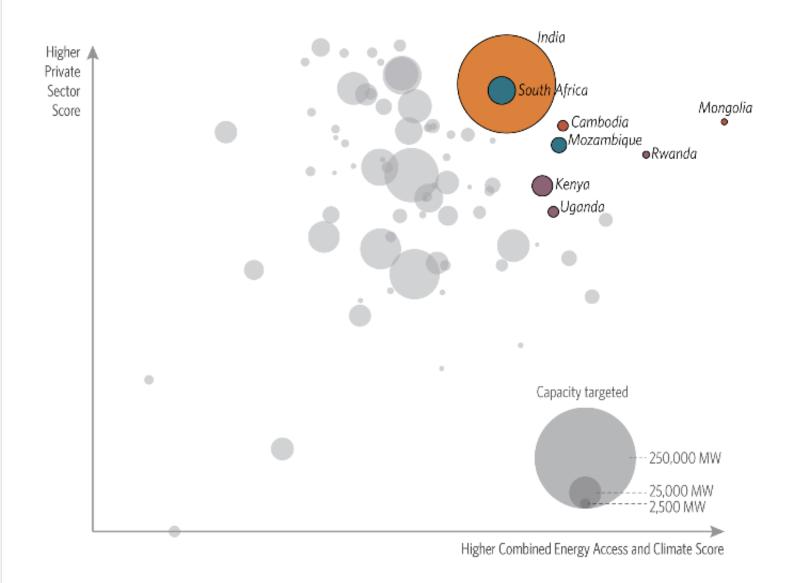


- Supported projects include:
- M-KOPA has provided solar home systems to more than 500,000 lowincome households in Kenya, Tanzania, and Uganda
- InsuResilience Investment Fund provides household **weather insurance** in Georgia

The opportunity



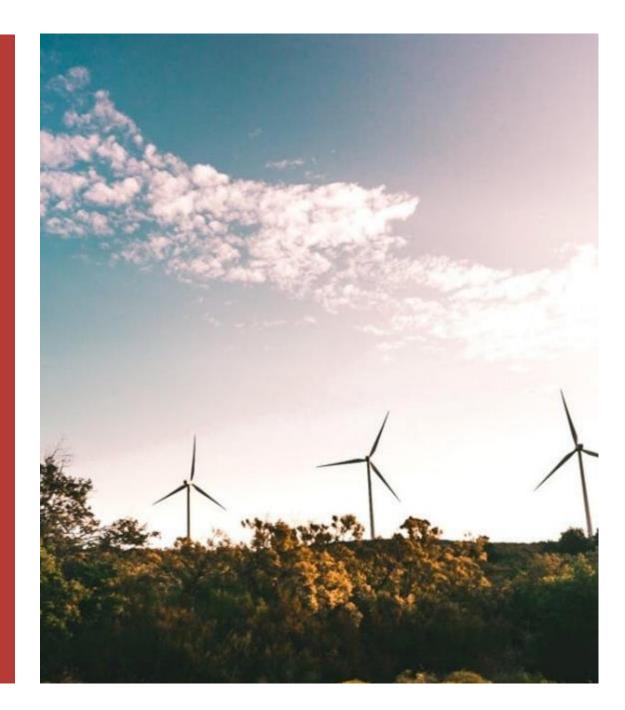
The Opportunity: USD 360 bn for blended finance in clean energy





\$26 trillion

Conservative estimate of economic benefits of low-carbon growth by 2030





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Combined annual GDP of Canada, India, Brazil and the US











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