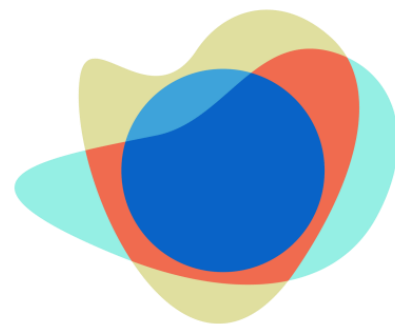




UNITED ARAB EMIRATES
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United Nations
Small Island
Developing States
Partnerships Awards

ADFD SIDS PARTNERSHIPS INITIATIVES

UN SIDS Partnership Award Winner

Economic Category



SIDS Contextual Challenges

**UN Agenda for 21st
Century/Updated
to SDGs**

**UN Agenda for SIDS
(Economy and Environment)
1992**

Samoa Pathway

Sendai Framework

SDGs (7.1,7.2, 13.7, 17.16)

(47-50, 31-34, 97, 108,108,109)

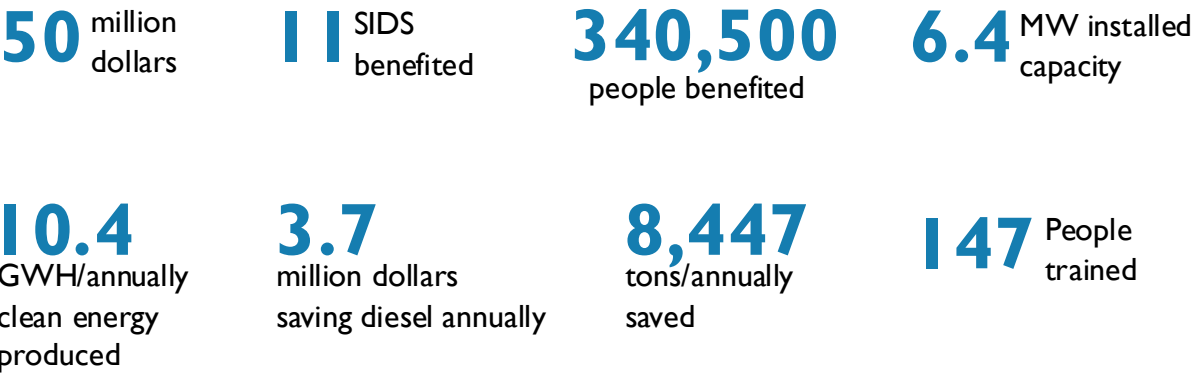
Climate Adaptation and Mitigation solutions for SIDS in Pacific and Caribbean



Outcomes Summary

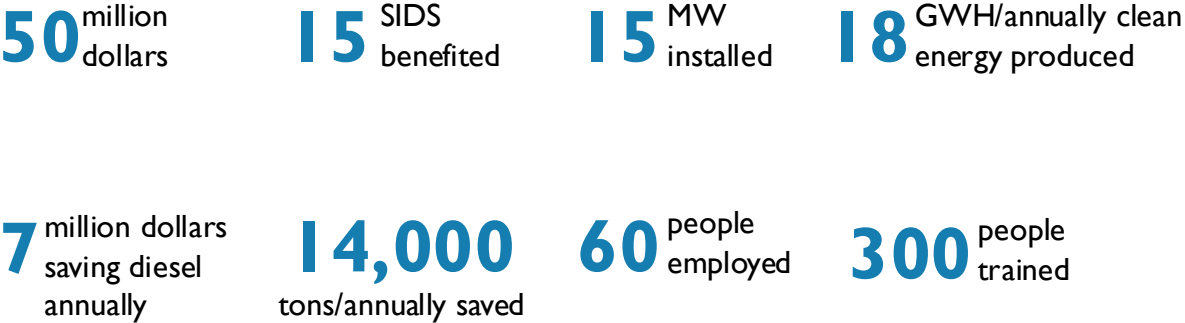
UAE-Pacific Fund (Inclusive partnership, 4 development actors)

2010 —————> 2015



UAE-CREF (Inclusive partnership, 4 development actors)

2018 —————> On-going



INITIATIVE COMPARATIVE ADVANTAGES

- Scale of the Fund (USD100 million)
- Technology Innovation
- Pioneering Initiatives (5 years before SDGs Launch)
- Climate Adaptation and Mitigation Solutions
- Potential for Replication and Scaling up Finance



INNOVATION

- Case Study: Samoa Wind Farm

The pioneering project in Samoa includes two 55 meters high turbines that can pivot at the base, and be lowered and locked in place in less than 1 hour. This collapsible design helps to avoid damage from the region's numerous cyclones. This was considered the first innovative project of its kind in the Pacific Region.

SPACE RESTRICTIONS

Case Study: Tuvalu Solar Project

Funafuti's limited land made solar PV deployment challenging. Rooftop and elevated structures were used to reduce shading and save space. An old power station site was transformed with a new utilities building that included rooftop solar panels.





FINANCIAL STRATEGIES

- Case Study: LAKARO Renewable Energy Project in Fiji

The first phase of the LAKARO project was launched in 2015, establishing three small-scale solar photovoltaic power plants that provide clean energy to three islands in Fiji. Due to the success of this project, ADFD mobilized additional finance through a partnership with the Government of New Zealand's Ministry of Affairs and Trade to co-finance the second phase of LAKARO project.

VIDEO





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