CF Ready

Climate Finance Readiness Program

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CF Ready
Principle of work

GIZ’s Ready for Climate Finance approach

- CF Ready bases its work on the GIZ Ready for Climate Finance Approach
- The Approach has been applied in more than 20 bilateral programmes
- Covers Support for national institutions, e.g. NDA or NIE support, Strategic and conceptual advice (LEDS, NAPs etc.) and knowledge sharing
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GIZ Approach

- Close cooperation with GIZ-projects in the country, benefitting from existing, trustful relations with the partner
- High **ownership** of partner: orientation on needs and country dynamics
- **Clear definition of activities**, taking into account existing studies, strategies, institutions, other implementers´ activities: **prevent double work**
- Use of **tools** that we have developed, e.g. „Readiness Assessment Tool“ and „Climate Finance Training“
- **Efficient flow of information**: country responsible in our team, CF Ready responsible in the country
- In most countries, dedicated **CF Ready expert present in the field**, available to coach partners and update on new developments in the CF landscape;
Challenges

- Creation of NDAs and NIEs requires cross sector cooperation
  - Implies highly political decisions
    - CD can provide information on ideal set-up, suggest how structure could look like in the country, bring stakeholders together, accompany the discussion

- Matching strategies and national budgets

- Project budget per country is relatively small compared to needs
  - Thorough selection of field of intervention necessary, tailored approach taking into account existing policies and institutions
  - Calls for cooperation amongst implementers!
Further information on CF Ready

- https://www.giz.de/expertise/html/11492.html

Thank you for your attention!