

Global Green Growth Institute(GGGI) in Latin America & the Caribbean Green Investments and Green Economy

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About GGGI

The Global Green Growth Institute(GGGI)



GGGI is an international organization dedicated to supporting and promoting strong, inclusive, and sustainable economic growth in developing countries and emerging economies.



GGGI envisions a resilient world achieved through strong, inclusive and sustainable green growth.



GGGI is dedicated to supporting the transition of GGGI Member countries towards a green growth model by developing and implementing strategies that simultaneously achieve poverty reduction, social inclusion, environmental sustainability and economic growth.

GGGI at a Glance



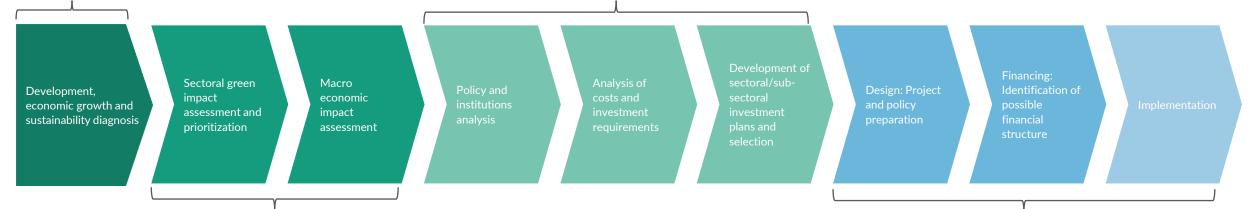


GGGI Value Chain



Diagnosis

Sector/Sub-Sector Strategy & Planning



Green Impact Assessment

GGGI's approach is both flexible and tailored to local needs. GGGI works at national, state, and city levels to develop and implement strategies that reconcile short-term development needs with long-term vision

Design, Financing & Implementation



Sectoral Interventions



Green Investments

Climate Action

Climate Resilient Agriculture Sustainable Forests

Coastal Resilience

Waste Management

Sustainable Mobility

Green Buildings

Solar PV

Green Industries

Cross Cutting:
Poverty
Eradication and
Gender Equality

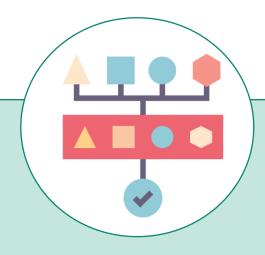
Green Investment Services







Development of projects that have sufficient collateral, future cash flow, and high probability of success, to be acceptable to institutional lenders for financing



Financial Mechanisms

Developing a novel structure or combination of traditional financial instruments that leverages greater investment from multiple investors by lowering the cost of capital through measures that mitigate one or more investment risks



National Financing Vehicles

Tools or mechanisms that help countries attract, aggregate, blend and effectively deploy national and/or international climate finance towards projects and program

Green Recovery



GGGI supports the assessment, recommendations and potential implementation of green recovery in key sectors including:

Alignment and reform of national planning

Just transition and employment

International cooperation and financing

Local action and sustainable urban development

Economic, monetary and fiscal tools

Nature-based solutions

supporting biodiversity and sustainable agriculture

International climate financing



GGGI's Activities in Latin America & the Caribbean

GGGI Latin America and Caribbean Portfolio





2020 Country programs:

- Colombia
- Peru
- Mexico
- Guyana
- Paraguay
- Caribbean(4 countries: St. Lucia, Grenada Dominica, and Antiqua & Barbuda)

2021 New countries and Regional Activities (Plan):

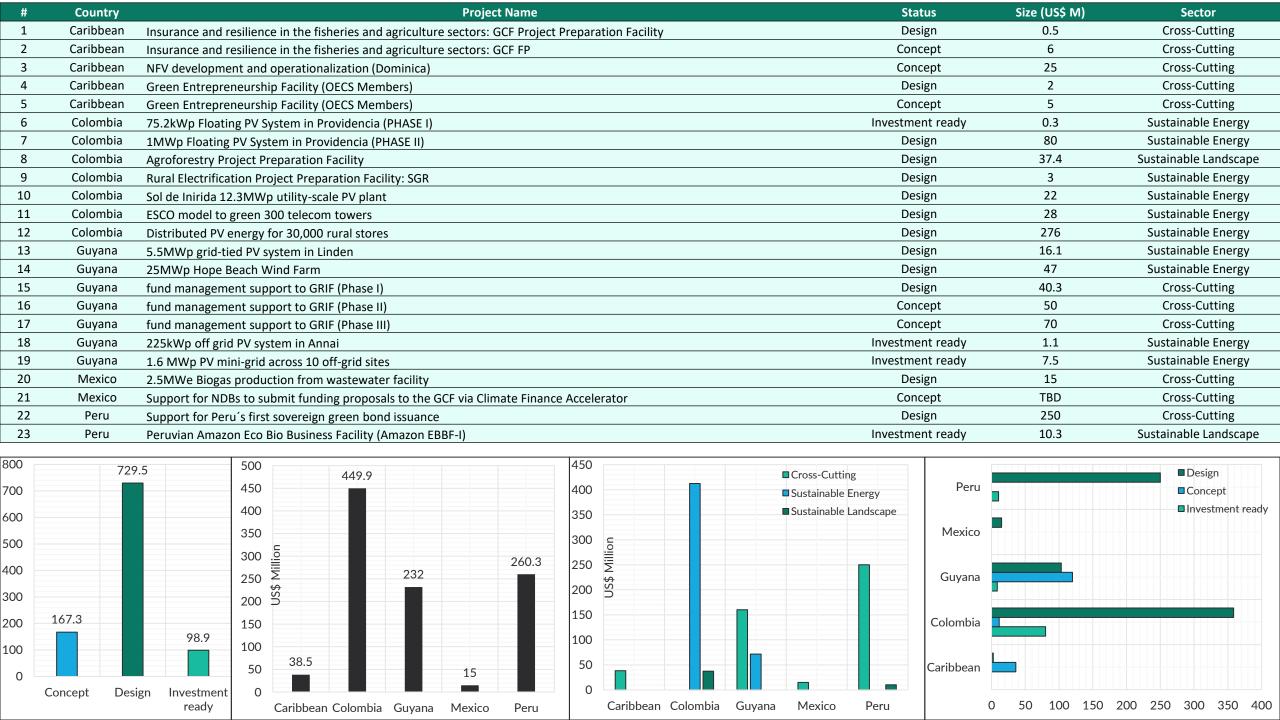
- Ecuador
- Costa Rica
- Dominican Republic
- Meso America regional program in partnership with Mexico AMEXID. KOICA and CABEL



GGGI Projects under Implementation in the LAC Region



Program	Program Sectors	Project name
Caribbean	Renewable EnergyGreen EntrepreneurshipGreen InvestmentMRV/NDC updates	Climate Action Enhancement Package: Antigua and Barbuda
		Establishment and operationalization of a National Financing Vehicle in Dominica
		Eastern Caribbean Green Entrepreneurship Initiative
		GG Performance Management for OECS
Colombia	 Sustainable Landscapes Climate Resilient Agriculture Bioeconomy Waste to Energy Sustainable Tourism Green Investment Climate Finance MRV-Forest / REDD + 	Second phase of GGGI/Norway´s joint green growth program with the Government of Colombia
		Transforming Illegal Logging in Colombia through Judicial Education
		DAE Support and Sustainable AFOLU Pipeline Development in Colombia
		Scaling up rural electrification via capacity building to public and private actors
		Accelerating development of new bioeconomy businesses and enhanced capacities for green jobs promotion
		National Post Coal Green Jobs Strategy
Guyana	Renewable EnergyClimate FinanceGreen InvestmentMRV/NDC updates	Readiness Support for Strategic Climate Finance in Guyana
		Technical Advisor for Mainstreaming Low-emission Energy Technologies to build Guyana´s Green Economy"
		Supporting priority Renewable Energy investment projects in Guyana
Mexico	Climate FinanceWaste to EnergyGreen Investment	Scaling up policy and investment for gender inclusive, subnational green growth in Mexico
		Readiness Support for Mexico
		Accelerating Green Finance Flows Through the Strengthening of the Mexican National Banking and Securities Commission
Peru	Agroforestry ConcessionsWaste to EnergyGreen InvestmentGreen BondMRV/NDC updates	Agroforestry Concessions (ACtion)
		Climate Action Enhancement Package: Peru
		Lima Municipality Organic Waste Valorization
		Capacity building to the government of Peru to support its first sovereign green bond issuance
Paraguay	 Climate Finance Green Investment Energy Transport Waste Management 	Strengthening Paraguay's capacity to access climate finance through DAEs nomination, Sub-national Climate Finance Roadmap development and pipeline strengthening



GGGI investment numbers

US\$ 1.6 billion MOBILIZED investment commitments between 2015-2019

US\$ 53.7 million
MOBILIZED
in LAC in 2020

US\$ 11.5 million FUNDING

The volume of funding proposals approved by donors in 2020 to finance GGGI LAC activities

US\$ 150 million INVESTMENT TARGET for 2021

US\$ 900 million PORTFOLIO

The size of GGGI projects portfolio in Latin America and Caribbean

GCF Readiness





The Green Climate Fund's (GCF) Readiness Program

Aims to strengthen institutional capacities, governance mechanisms, and planning and programming frameworks that lead to a transformational long-term climate action agenda.

GGGI is a large Readiness delivery partner

GGGI supports National Designated Authorities (NDAs) in developing and implementing the Readiness Programme, expanding opportunities directly access GCF funds by supporting the accreditation of national Accredited Entities (AEs)

Mobilizing Climate Finance

GGGI works with these country's NDA's and AE's to develop concept notes and funding proposals to submit to GCF for inclusion in its portfolio of climate finance projects

GCF Readiness Funding

NDAs can submit a Readiness proposal for up to USD 3 million over 3 years, within a cap of USD 1 million per year. Each country can also access up to USD 3 million for adaptation planning.



Paris Agreement and Transparency Mechanism (MRV)

GGGI's MRV proposition: What we do

GGGI

- Gap assessments on existing institutional arrangements vs. ETF requirements
- Roles & responsibilities of key institutions
- Data flow arrangements

Institutional arrangements



- GHG data and information collection templates
- QA/QC Guidelines
- GHG Database management system
- National and sectoral MRV systems

Technical guidelines



- Financing national / subnational / sectoral MRV systems
- Train the trainer program
- Peer reviews of NC, BUR and GHG Inventory

Implementation support



- Gap analysis
- Enhancement plans
- Data collection instruments and mechanisms

GHG Inventory



- Sectoral indicator development
- Cobenefits estimation (decarbonization, green jobs, etc).
- Registry platforms

NDC MRV Systems



 Designing MRV systems for potential Article 6 systems

Article 6



GGGI's MRV proposition: How and why





Collaborative and coordinated efforts with other supporting agencies foster countries' appropriation and efficient use of international support



Tailored support and alignment with national priorities and interests guarantee sustainability and usefulness of support provided



Tend to both technical and political/decision-makers personnel to bridge capacity gaps and align individual efforts to the macro level of national plans or strategies



Look to tackle several issues at the same time and foster the attainment of multiple cobenefits or promote synergies



Foster local capacities in a learn by doing basis



Promote government, academia and private stakeholders' participation and appropriation

Climate Finance

Quantifying actual emissions reductions which lead to creating incentives for countries to explore cooperative approaches including carbon markets under the Article 6 of the Paris Agreement

Climate technology

Identifying opportunities for potential technology transfers, wich play a critical role in the global response to addressing climate change

Achievement and Reporting of SDGs

Contributing to achieving the Sustainable Development Goals (7 – Affordable and Clean Energy, 13 – Climate Action and 17 – Partnerships for the goals)

NDC Implementation

Generating credible information to report on progress and mobilize resources to regularly update and achieve NDC targets

Recent and current transparency efforts





- Within a multi-agency effort to build and improve Grenada's MRV system and NDC efforts we (in coordination with IRENA) have developed:
 - Gap analysis of Grenada's GHG Inventory
 - Improvement plan for their GHG Inventory
 - Recommendations to improve data gathering instruments
- MRV system proposal



- As part of the Climate Action Enhancement Package (CAEP), GGGI is delivering:
 - Climate Change Monitoring, Reporting and Verification (MRV) System Framework
- NDC implementation plan
- Online platform to report NDC progress



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- Under a GCF
 Readiness project
 GGGI is supporting
 Guyana with:
- Gap analysis of Guyana's GHG Inventory and MRV system
- Capacity building on MRV
- Revision of its First NDC and its update
- Development of MRV system
- Capacity building on ETF
- Project Pipeline consolidation and expansion



- Develop GHG inventories guidelines.
- Support NDC update.
- Proposal of additional mitigation actions aligned to NDC and national strategies
- Policy recommendations to implement NDC and increase its ambition
- Quantification of green jobs and impacts on green recovery