

EBRD environmental and water projects in Central Asia

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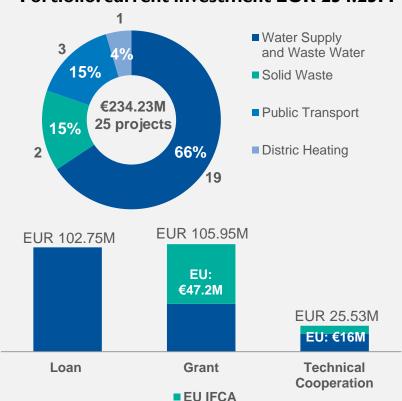


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Kyrgyzstan

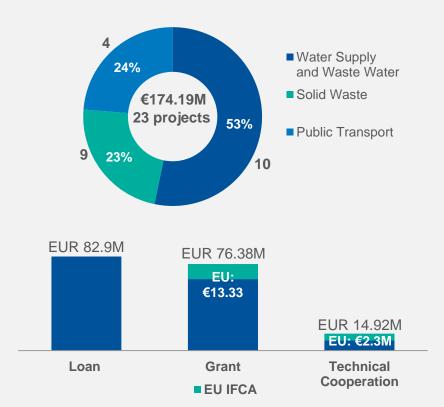
Portfolio: current investment EUR 234.23M



- Pipeline: 18 projects, EUR 208.7M
 - EU IFCA: EUR 40.4M grant and EUR 7.35M technical cooperation grant for 10 water projects.

Tajikistan

Portfolio: current investment EUR 174.19M



- Pipeline: 9 projects, EUR 43.79M
 - **EU IFCA**: EUR 4M grant and EUR 0.85M technical cooperation grant for 2 solid waste projects.

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Key characteristics of EBRD water projects



The main goal is to create a self-sufficient, creditworthy municipal company to ensure the sustainability of municipalities and its people

All EBRD projects:

- Capex Grant + Technical Cooperation Grant (consulting for implementation, corporate development, stakeholder participation)
- Municipal companies & local authorities important participant, signatories of agreements and implementers of projects.

Prior to project signing:

 Detailed financial analysis of a municipal company; company - main source of EBRD loan repayment without support from the state budget

Post project signing:

Corporate development of a municipal company, including:

- Improving financial and operational sustainability of the company
- Supporting development of tariff methodology for full cost recovery of the company
- Supporting engagements with the local population to improve revenue collection
- Increase company's subscriber base (new connections to the network)





Stakeholder Participation Program in Kant City.

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Projects in Kyrgyzstan and Tajikistan



SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT

Bishkek City, Kyrgyzstan

- Investment of EUR 23.86 million (EUR 8.5 million of EU IFCA co-financing).
- Rehabilitation and construction of waste collection points.
- Purchase of specialized equipment for the landfill (729 container sites built, 5326 containers delivered, trucks delivered).
- Construction of new sanitary landfill (signed, work started 2Q2018)
- Closure of existing dump site was signed.
- Tariffs for waste collection increased by 50%.
- Population benefiting from the Project 1.5M



WATER SUPPLY SYSTEMS

Central cities of Tajikistan

- An investment of EUR 15 million (EUR 6 million of EU IFCA co-financing).
- Within the framework of the Project, the Concept of Regionalization was implemented and one of the pilot regional water supply and sewage enterprises was established (Gissar; Somonien; Shahrinav, Tursunzade and Vahdat)
- Population benefiting from the Project 108,857
- Installation of water meters 22,394 pcs
- Replacement of 30.9 km of the water mains
- Rehabilitated of 47,8km of the water network
- Water quality control reached 100%



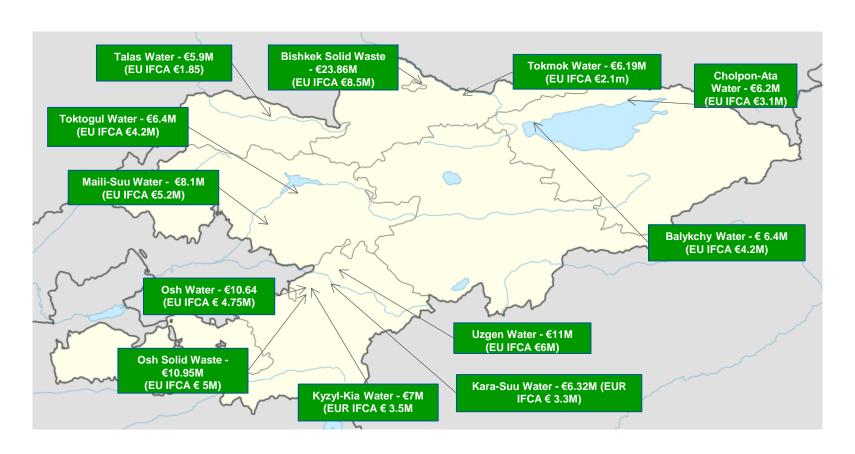
EU IFCA total contribution to the region



Sector	N of projects	Capex Grant (€ mill.)	TC Grant (€ mill.)	Total (€ mill.)
Kyrgyzstan				
Water supply and wastewater	10	34.2	15.39	49.59
Solid Waste Management	2	13	0.5	13.5
Total EU IFCA in KG	12	47.2	15.89	63.09
Tajikistan				
Water supply and wastewater	1	6.02	1.4	7.42
Solid Waste Management	4	7.31	0.85	8.16
Total EU IFCA in TJK	5	13.33	2.25	15.58
Total EU IFCA in Central Asia	17	60.53	18.14	78.67

EBRD projects co-financed with the EU IFCA in the Kyrgyz Republic

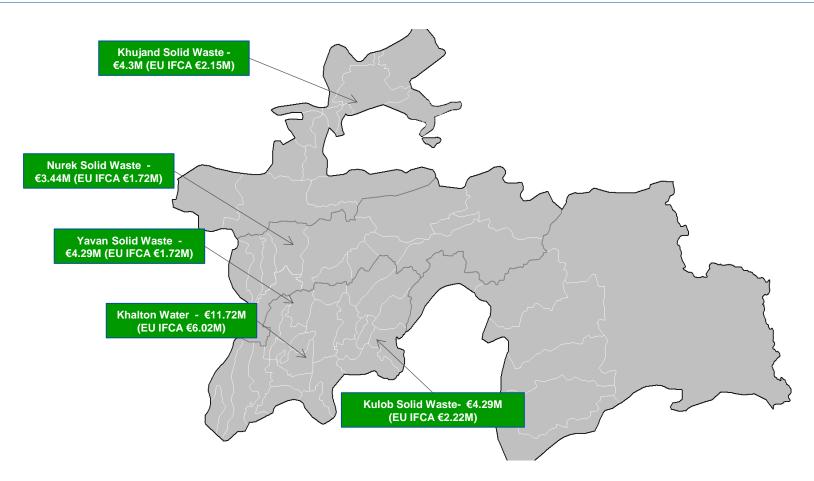




- EBRD launched municipal projects in the Kyrgyz Republic in 2009;
- To date, I2 projects co-financed with the EU in the Kyrgyz Republic have been signed and are under implementation.

EBRD projects co-financed with the EU IFCA in the Republic of Tajikistan





 To date, 5 projects co-financed with the EU in the Republic of Tajikistan have been signed and are under implementation.

Future Cooperation



TO CONTINUE:

Continue supporting sustainable infrastructure and energy security

✓ Loan and Grant financing for infrastructures projects in urban and rural areas of Kyrgyzstan (blending financing)

Promote green economy

✓ Green investment and energy efficiency component in every infrastructure project

Policy dialogue to improve sustainability of sector

✓ Support government in tariff reforms

NEW COLLABORATIONS:

Decentralization in EU system

✓ We appreciate it as proven to smoothen project implementation and knowledge sharing

Programmatic approach

✓ Framework to effectively and timely process the deals

Joint policy dialogues

✓ In the case of Kyrgyzstan, EU provides budget support triggered by the reforms in the water sector

Joint field missions

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