## **Energy Sector Activities**

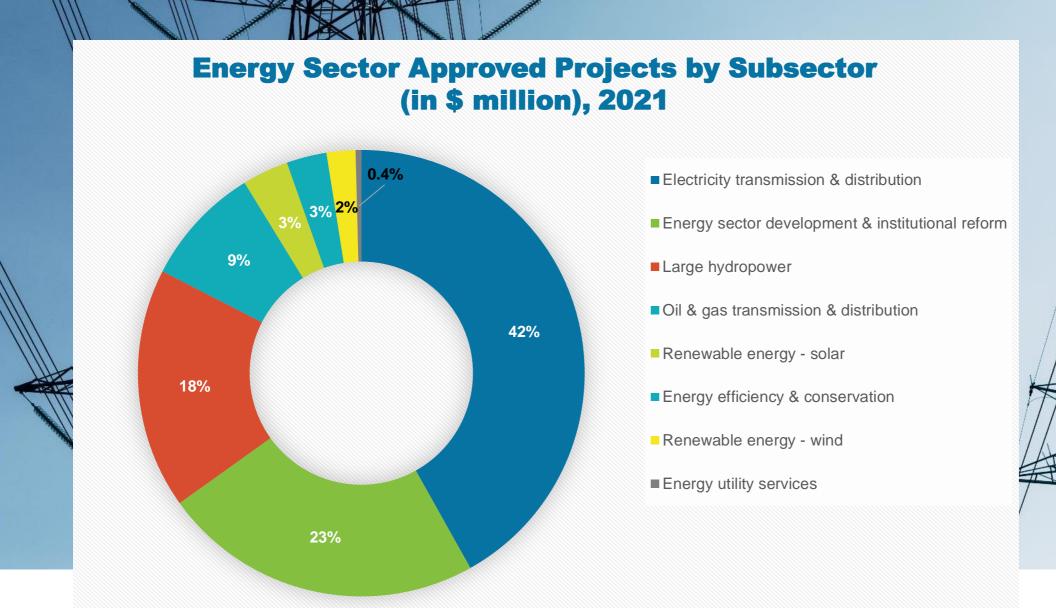
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# ADB's Energy Portfolio (2021)

- About \$1.7 billion total energy sector lending approved across 19 energy projects
- Approximately \$693 million in climate finance were approved in the energy sector
  - \$659 million climate mitigation (clean energy projects),
  - \$34 million climate adaptation
  - \$317 million in energy efficiency,
  - \$376 million in renewable energy
- 17 projects addressed climate change and disaster resilience











# ADB's Energy Portfolio (2012-2021)

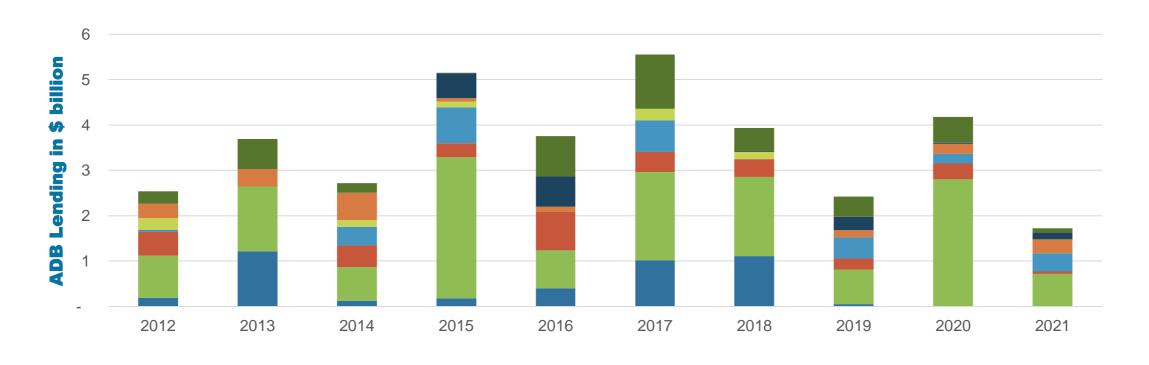
- About \$35.6 billion energy sector lending approved across 372 energy projects
- Approximately \$18.8 billion in clean energy projects
  - \$18.8 billion climate mitigation,
  - \$380.1 million climate adaptation
  - \$7.4 billion in energy efficiency,
  - \$10.7 billion in renewable energy
  - **\$11.6 billion** in T&D







# **Energy Sector Portfolio by Subsector** (2012-2021)



- Conventional Energy Generation
- Energy Sector Development and Institutional Reform
- Oil and Gas Transmission and Distribution

- Electricity Transmission and Distribution
- Energy Utility Services
- Renewable Energy

- Energy Efficiency and Conservation
- Large Hydropower Generation



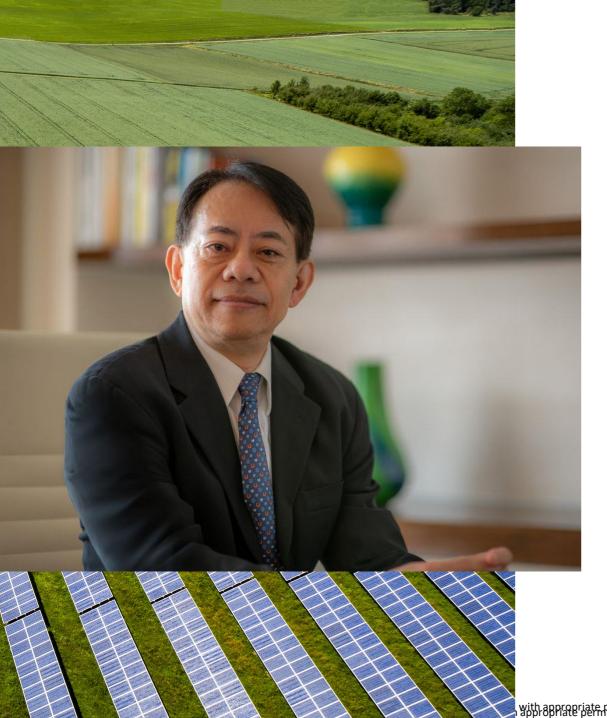


### **ADB's Energy Policy (2021)**

Supporting Low-Carbon Transition in Asia and the Pacific

- Approved on 20 October 2021
- Formally closes the door for coal financing
- Leaves door open for natural gas subject to strict criteria
- Selective on financing storage hydropower plants
- Prioritizes energy efficiency, renewable energy, energy storage, decarbonization and electricity transmission and distribution expansion and upgrade
- Supports energy policy reforms, long-term planning, regional cooperation and greater private sector participation
- Promotes use of smart, digital, innovative and best available technologies
- Focuses on delivering an inclusive, resilient and just transition
- No financing of nuclear energy







ADB's new Energy Policy articulates this commitment [to a just energy transition]. It reflects our decision to withdraw from coal financing and to ensure access to affordable, sustainable, and modern energy for all.

### **President Masatsugu Asakawa**

Asian Development Bank





### **ADB's Energy Policy - Principles**











Principle 1	Principle 2	Principle 3	Principle 4	Principle 5
Securing Energy for a Prosperous and Inclusive Asia and the Pacific	Building a Sustainable and Resilient Energy Future	Supporting Institutions, Private Sector Participation, and Good Governance	Promoting Regional Cooperation and Integration	Integrated Cross- Sector Operations to Maximum Development Impact





### **Energy Transition Mechanism**



#### **Accelerate climate action**

Countries participating in ETM will be able to reach more ambitious emissions targets than under their current commitments



### **Reduce energy costs**

Speeding up the retirement of coal-fired electricity will increase the demand for clean energy by 2-3 times, lowering overall energy costs in the long run.



#### **Drive investment**

ETM will help unlock or "crowd in" investment in cost-effective renewable generation and support and enable clean technologies, such as smart grids, hydrogen, and electric vehicles.



#### Provide a scalable model

ETM has the potential to be scaled up to other parts of Asia and the Pacific, as well as Latin America and Africa, which could drive significant reductions in global emissions.







### **ADB Energy Trust Funds**

### **Clean Energy Financing Partnership Facility**

Asia Clean Energy Fund Clean Energy Fund Carbon Capture and Storage Fund Canadian
Climate Fund
for the Private
Sector in Asia

Climate Change Fund (Clean Energy) Artificial
Intelligence and
Digitalization
Innovation Fund





## ADB Energy Events – Asia Clean Energy Forum

- Among the premier knowledge platforms on clean energy in Asia and the Pacific with over 3000 participants per year
- Since 2006, ACEF has been bringing together a diverse mix of stakeholders from project developers, financial institutions and investors, non-profits, entrepreneurs, government officials, donors and program managers, civil society, to academia:
  - to address the key clean energy challenges in the region; and,
  - effectively use knowledge to increase the scale and speed of clean energy deployment.
- ACEF has grown from only a handful of participants in 2006 to thousands today.



## **Operations Types**



### **Sovereign Lending**

70% of ADB lending to Developing Member Country (DMCs) Governments on programs which are publicly procured. 5-7 year development cycle.



### **Non-Sovereign Lending (Private Sector)**

Lending to Private Sector in Developing Member Countries - Listed entities able to deliver transformative infrastructure, often supported with Trust Fund additionality.



#### **Financial Intermediation**

ADB provides support to financial institutions to on lend on programs to MSMEs. This modality is useful in supporting the development of financial institutions in our DMCs.



### **Venture Financing**

Support for ventures through a dedicated team within Private Sector Team. Strong Startup focus seeking transformative business models.



#### **Blended Finance**

Facilities which can support a range of financing modalities including issuing bonds for a range of projects which have a specific theme or focus and/or blended provision of the above.



### **Crowding in the Private Sector**

ADB seeks to support development by providing financial and knowledge resources.





## **Non Lending Engagement**



### Research www.adb.org

ADB is required to publicly disclose information. Research who is doing what projects in your domain area. Make enquiry on adb.org. *TIP: most project officers are on Linkedin.com*.



### **Share Knowledge**

Presenting technology at ADB events, sharing specific expertise through Brown Bag webinars when invited or simply attending ADB events to network. *TIP: Promote your domain expertise.* 



### **Provide Consulting or Contracted Services**

ADB maintains a public and transparent procurement process which can be access at adb.org and cms.adb.org. *TIP: Demonstrate Domain Expertise* 



### Team up and work with established companies

For larger packages of work, ADB will typically engage a well credentialed firm. TIP: By teaming up with or subcontracting to these firms you can get experience and connections.



### Pilot your technology on ADB Projects (scalable business model)

ADB pilots technologies on sovereign and TA projects with support from trust funds to demonstrate and scale up impactful technology. *TIP: research on adb.org.* 



### **Engaging Project Officers**

Show the relevance of your expertise to the particular project or research focus. TIP: Share a short power point (<15 slides) initially and send thank you note.





