Supporting development through the private sector



FINDEV CANADA IS CANADA'S DEVELOPMENT FINANCE INSTITUTION (DFI).

We provide a range of financing and investment, including blended finance solutions, to mobilise private capital in and into emerging markets and developing economies, in alignment with Paris Agreement commitments and the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). FinDev Canada promotes sustainable and inclusive growth through:





Climate and Nature Action
Building low-carbon and climate-resilient
and nature-positive economies, including
through sustainable infrastructure;



Gender Equality

Mainstreaming gender equality in investment activities to support women's economic empowerment, gender equality, and improve business performance;



Market Development

Developing markets to support quality job creation, capital markets, and access to finance as well as products and services that raise living standards and add value to the economy.

Sectors



Sustainable infrastructure Support to low-carbon, climate-resilient infrastructure. Sub-sectors include energy, including renewables and energy efficiency; transportation; water and sanitation; and digital infrastructure.



Agribusiness, forestry, and related value chains

Support to agricultural processing, storage, and distribution; reforestation; coastal wetland restoration; crop diversification; improved irrigation efficiency and related investments that enable sustainable practices, food security, climate resilience, and market development.



Financial Industry
Finance for banks, non-banks, financial institutions, and investment funds to support market development and access to financial services.

Regions



Financial products



Loans
Senior secured and unsecured corporate and project finance loans with commercial rates and 5–15 year tenors.



Blended finance loans Through concessional financing facilities.



Equity
Capital investments
either directly
to clients or to
investment funds.

Non-financial products



Technical assistance and advisory
Targeted grant support to private
sector clients that improves their

sector clients that improves their development outcomes, addresses gaps in knowledge or tools, and seeks to support their business environments.