

# GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE

AIIB THEMATIC PRIORITY



#### WHY IS GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE IMPORTANT?

- Green infrastructure creates more sustainable, resilient, and livable communities, addressing
  pressing environmental challenges and improving the quality of life for current and future
  generations.
- AIIB has set an ambitious target of exceeding a 50% share of climate finance in actual financing approvals every year until 2030, with AIIB's overall financing expected to increase year on year. Since July 1, 2023, all new investments align with the goals of the Paris Agreement.

#### WHAT IS GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE?

Projects aligned with green infrastructure are those dedicated to climate action (mitigation and adaptation) as well as those that deliver local environmental improvements, including biodiversity and nature-based solutions, consistent with the definition of the International Development Finance Club (IDFC) for green finance. For climate finance, AIIB adopts the MDB joint methodology for mitigation and adaptation.

## **EXAMPLES OF GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE**

-	Renewable energy
	Low-carbon public transportation
	Energy storage and network stability initiatives
	Water management and sanitation
	Solid waste management
*	Pollution control
	Energy efficiency
Ť	Enhancing ecosystem services such as ecological restoration or integrating nature-based solutions

## WHAT IS OUR TRACK RECORD?

The Bank has a very strong track record in financing green infrastructure with steady increases over the years. Transport and energy account for the bulk of green infrastructure; all other sectors also make contributions to this thematic priority.



The figure below shows how AIIB has also been making steady progress in climate finance.



For better understanding of the Bank's progress, refer to the AIIB Corporate Strategy Midterm Review: Progress Assessment and Analysis.