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The Saudi Fund for Development's Efforts in Energy, Industry and Mining Sectors 2024

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Introduction

As part of the Saudi Fund for Development's (SFD) efforts to support international efforts aimed at enhancing sustainable development, SFD plays an effective role in financing development projects in energy, industry and mining sectors in developing countries. These efforts contribute to strengthening economic infrastructure, enhancing productive capacity, creating employment opportunities across both sectors, improving energy production efficiency, developing local industries, and promoting sustainable utilization of natural resources. This approach helps decrease reliance on imports, thereby contributing to poverty alleviation and accelerating pace of comprehensive development. In addition, SFD-financed projects in these sectors include developing energy sector's infrastructure, supporting transition toward renewable energy sources, and enhancing energy-use efficiency, with a strong emphasis on clean production technologies and the reduction of carbon emissions. These efforts align with international initiatives for achieving Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), particularly SDG 7 (Affordable and Clean Energy), SDG 9 (Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure), and SDG 13 (Climate Action). In addition, these projects contribute to economic and social stability by creating employment opportunities, developing local expertise, and improving resource efficiency.

This booklet reviews SFD's efforts in supporting energy, industry and mining sectors in developing countries, highlighting its developmental contributions and commitment to supporting these two sectors.


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SFD's Efforts to Support Energy, Industry and Mining Sectors

Throughout its development journey, SFD has allocated a portion of its contributions to financing economic and social development projects and programs. In response to the growing demand for energy in developing countries, the need to expand energy production and transmission networks, and the significance of industry and mining sectors as key drivers of economic growth, SFD has contributed to provided **108** development loans, including **91** loans in energy sector and **17** loans in industry and mining sector, with a total amount of those loans to USD **4,279.84** million.

Latest Development Loans Provided to Developing Countries in Energy, Industry and Mining Sectors

Serbia

Development of Electric Transmission Grid (Phase I)

Agreement Signing Date:16/10/2024.
Objectives: Constructing overhead transmission line extending **77** kilometers and an additional overhead line of **3** kilometers.

El Salvador

Water Treatment and Biogas Power Generation from Acelhuate River Water

Agreement Signing Date: 5/6/2024.
Objectives: Enhancing renewable energy production while improving public health and environmental sustainability.

Saint Kitts and Nevis

Needsmust Power Plant Expansion

Agreement Signing Date: 17/4/2024.
Objectives: Construction of a dual-fuel power plant with **18**-megawatt capacity.

SFD's Activities in Energy, Industry and Mining Sectors (1975 - 2024)

Energy, Industry and Mining Sectors

No. of Loans
108

No. of Countries
48

Total Amount (USD Million)
4,279.84

% Of Contribution
19.69%
out of SFD's total cumulative contributions

Africa



No. of Loans	No. of Countries	Total Amount (USD Million)	% Of the Total Amount
49	28	1,549.39	36%

Asia and the Pacific



No. of Loans	No. of Countries	Total Amount (USD Million)	% Of the Total Amount
54	15	2,435.83	57%

Europe



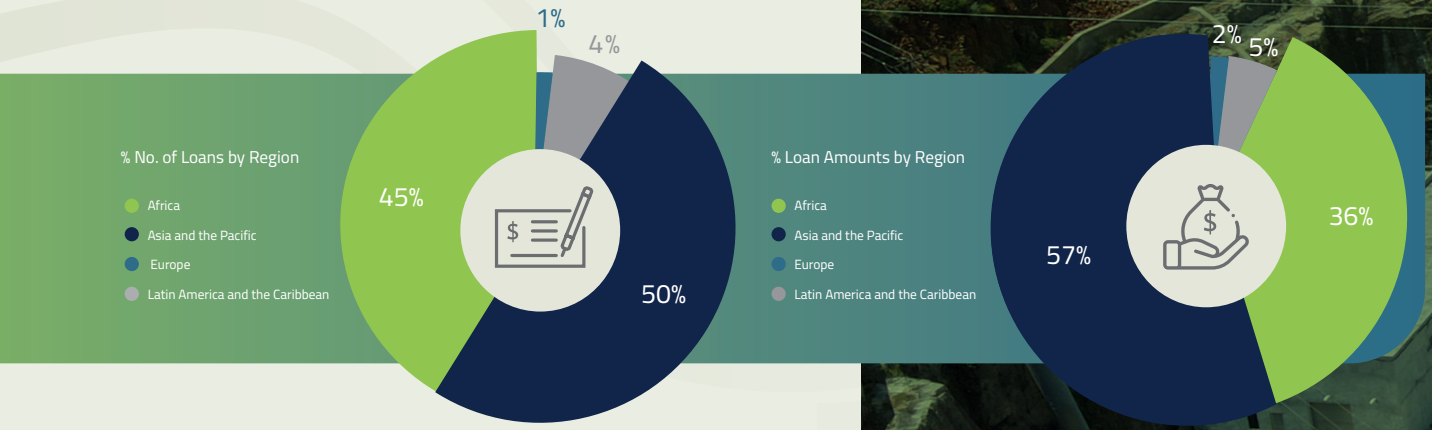
No. of Loans	No. of Countries	Total Amount (USD Million)	% Of the Total Amount
1	1	65.00	2%

Latin America and the Caribbean



No. of Loans	No. of Countries	Total Amount (USD Million)	% Of the Total Amount
4	4	229.62	5%

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Development Loans Provided to Developing Countries in Energy, Industry and Mining Sectors

SFD seeks to enhance progress in energy, industry and mining sectors by financing development projects that contribute to achieving both environmental and economic sustainability. In energy sector, SFD prioritizes the financing of clean energy projects and developing renewable energy infrastructure, with particular emphasis on decreasing carbon emissions, improving resource-use efficiency, and supporting provision of affordable and clean energy in line with global transitions toward a green economy. In mining sector, SFD supports sustainable projects aimed at utilizing natural resources, thereby contributing to local economic growth and decreasing reliance on imports, by developing industrial supply chains and realizing added value within beneficiary economies, in line with SFD's commitment to sustainable development. The following tables provide a brief overview of SFD's contributions and activities across these two vital sectors.

Development Loans Provided to Developing Countries in Energy, Industry and Mining Sectors

Energy

	Africa	Asia and the Pacific	Europe	Latin America and the Caribbean	Total
No. of Loans	38	48	1	4	91
Loan Amount (USD Million)	1,263.23	2,258.40	65.00	229.62	3,816.25

Industry and Mining

	Africa	Asia and the Pacific	Europe	Latin America and the Caribbean	Total
No. of Loans	11	6	0	0	17
Loan Amount (USD Million)	286.15	177.44	0	0	463.59

Total

	Africa	Asia and the Pacific	Europe	Latin America and the Caribbean	Total
No. of Loans	49	54	1	4	108
Loan Amount (USD Million)	1,549.39	2,435.83	65.00	229.62	4,279.84





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