



CESA INFRASTRUCTURE SEMINAR Fostering infrastructure development - Project Preparation

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DBSA was created to catalyse economic growth through investment in economic & social infrastructure and supporting regional integration



DBSA mandate		
1 Founding year	1983	
2 Shareholding structure	100% owned by SA Government through the Ministry of Finance	
3 Vision	A prosperous and integrated region, progressively free of poverty and dependence	
4 Mission	 To advance the development impact in the region by expanding access to development finance and effectively integrating and implementing sustainable development solutions Improve the quality of life of people through the development of social infrastructure Support economic growth through investment in economic infrastructure Support regional integration 	
5 Strategic objectives	 Sustained growth in development impact Integrated infrastructure solutions Financial sustainability 	



Although DBSA's mandate covers the whole of Africa, the bank focuses mainly on South Africa, SADC and priority countries outside of SADC







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The DBSA's Project Preparation Unit (PPU) was created in 2013 to identify and prepare projects to bankability stage



1 Established	2013 as a specialised and dedicated Unit within the DBSA
2 Purpose	 To prepare sustainable priority projects within DBSA's mandate to bankability To provide project preparation facilities and skills to prepare bankable projects
3 Services	Our core services are: – Funding of PP activities; – Mobilising advisors to prepare bankable projects – Facilitating and managing project preparation activities
4 Footprint	 South Africa; SADC; Selected African countries (Nigeria, Kenya, Tanzania, Ghana, Ethiopia and DRC) Other African countries



Africa has infrastructure funding needs of ~\$120bn with ~95% of the initiatives still in concept & pre-feasibility development stage



Known value



1 Estimated total cost; extrapolated proportionately where values are unknown SOURCE: PIDA PAP list

Project preparation in context

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Project Preparation (PP) is defined as the activities required to progress projects through its development stages up to **bankability**

Preparation of projects is required to **de-risk** projects and to prepare good quality **bankable** projects

Projects have long lead times and require intensive management and guidance to progress to financial close



Preparation of projects require **funding and skills** to prepare bankable projects



Bankable

Projects

Projects in need of

development







The DBSA PPU uses different channels and sources to access funding for project preparation

		Type of funding	Funding partners
6	DBSA sponsored	 Project preparation own funding Based on cost recovery and return (self-sustaining model) 	 DBSA own funding Co-funding with sponsor/owner and other funders
2	a PPDF	Project preparation fundingGrants	KfWEuropean Union
	b IIPSA	 Project preparation grants & direct capital grants with loans Grants 	 European Union (participating DFIs: KfW, DBSA, AFD, EIB)
		Project preparation fundingGrants	 AFD
	funding Global d Environment Facility (GEF) e Green Climate Fund (GCF)	 Project preparation grants Capital grants Concession loans Interest rate subsidies Guarantees 	
	f Other Project Prep facilities	 On project by project basis: Equity Mezzanine Grants 	 Electra, Africa50, InfraCo, Harith – Progeny

PPU's project preparation principles are guided by the DBSA's strategic objectives

Key project preparation principles



1. The **principle of co-funding** shall apply – sponsors are required to contribute towards the funding of the PP activities and stages

 The DBSA's PP funding is provided on commercial terms – expect recovery of PP funding invested as well as a return for the risk taken (DBSA PP funding provided is not a grant). Grant funding for project preparation however available through programmes such as IIPSA, GEF and GCF

- 3. The DBSA would aim to obtain a Mandated Lead Arranger role on a competitive basis
- 4. The DBSA would aim to participate in the **debt funding** of the project on a competitive basis

PPU Project selection criteria





Infrastructure Investment Programme for Southern Africa (IIPSA)



Objective	The overall objective of IIPSA is to contribute to the implementation of the Republic of South Africa's Medium Term Strategic Framework (MTSF) and the National Development Plan, as well as contribute to enhancing regional economic integration in the SADC Region		
Geographic coverage	The geographical coverage for an eligible project must be either a South African project or a regional project , being a trans-border project involving two or more countries in the SADC Region or; a national (South African) project with a demonstrable regional impact on one or more other country/ies in the SADC Region.		
Key principles	 Financial leverage – co-funding of EU grants together with loans from participating DFIs – leverage effect of at least 5 to 10 times Additionality – no replacement of existing funds Added value Procurement 		
Products	Project preparation grantDirect capital grant	Interest rate subsidiesLoan guarantee	
Eligible sectors	 Energy Transport Water and environment 	ICTSocial	
Eligibility criteria	Sector or strategic fitDevelopment impact	 National / regional priority Institutional capacity 	

SADC Project Preparation and Development Facility (PPDF)



Objective	Financing the preparation of infrastructure projects based in at least one SADC Member State or those with a direct and positive impact on another Member State. The PPDF will concentrate on those projects that will be considered as enablers of regional integration		
Geographic coverage	The projects should span over two or more SADC countries or if located in one country should facilitate and promote regional integration		
Key principles	 Projects must form part of the SADC Regional Infrastructure Development Master Plan A grant facility will be made available for 95% of the required amount. A 5% monetary value of the grant is required from the recipient 		
Products	 Project preparation grant 		
Eligible sectors	 Energy Transport Water and sanitation ICT Tourism related Other - Infrastructure Sector Plans a RIDMP 	and the	

Completed and current projects and initiatives







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PPU Project application process



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PPU has recently launched an online project application system. The system can be accessed through the DBSA website <u>www.dbsa.org</u>

Read More Programmes		Ŵ
DBSA Project Preparation	Infrastructure Investment Programme for South Africa	DBSA HOME ABOUT US PRODUCTS DBSA OPERATIONS INVESTOR RELATIONS DBSA Online Project Preparation Application
Project Preparation The DBSA has made funding available The DBSA has made funding available following sectors: • Transport • Information and Communication The Information and Communication Transport	IIPSA With the second	

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The application typically requires the following information:

- Applicant contact details
- Summary project information: title, description, sector, geographic location, development impact, current project stage, stage for which funding is applied for, proposed project structure
- **Project funding:** breakdown of various funding sources for all the different project stages (source and application of funding)
- Detailed project information: technical, financial, economic, institutional, environmental – attach supporting documentation such as scoping/pre-feasibility reports, feasibility reports, etc.
- **Supporting documentation:** application letter, letter confirming mandate / concession (for private sector applicants), project reports, programme, financing strategy, budget and financial model, organogram, terms of reference for the next level of studies, etd. 16

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