

Circular Solutions for Plastic Pollution Integrated Program July 2023





Circular Solutions to Plastic Pollution Integrated Program (IP) \$107M

This program will demonstrate and scale **upstream and midstream** solutions in the **food and beverage sector**, including:

 Eliminate single-use plastic products/packaging and reduction of using crude oil as the primary feedstock.

Enable circular design of materials, products and business

Country Project 1 \$6M Country Country **Global Platform** Project 2 Project Project \$17M 15 \$8M \$3M **Program Coordination Knowledge Sharing Technical Assistance** Global-level Activities Country Country Project 3 projects \$4M

Timeline

June 2023

Integrated Program approved by the GEF Council

Now-Early Fall 2023

Outreach and stakeholder engagement to build partnerships supporting the Global Project

November 2023

Development of the Global Platform finished

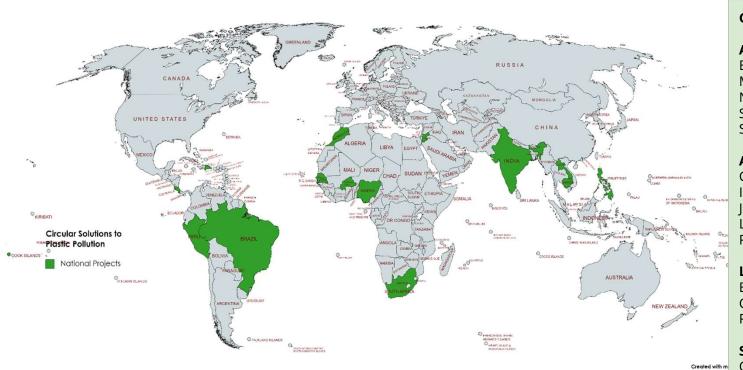
2024 - 2030

Program implementation

Global Project Framework

1	Technical Assistance to national projects	 On demand TA Extended Producer Responsibility / Deposit Return System guidance Problematic and unnecessary plastic phase outs Reuse & refill systems Traceability and measurement guidance Alternative and biodegradable materials guidance Gender empowerment
2	Addressing Global Barriers	 Private sector engagement Plastic disclosure metrics Finance (e.g. incubator to acquire more funding and investment)
3	Knowledge Management and Coordination	 Synthesis of lessons learned across country projects Online & in person knowledge exchange foras (webinars, workshops) Informal dialogues to share ideas Go-to resource website Targeted Communications to amplify results Program Communications
4	Monitoring and Evaluation	Program level M+EReporting

Countries approved by the GEF Council in June 2023



Global (UNEP & WWF)

Africa

Burkina Faso (UNEP) Morocco (UNIDO) Nigeria (UNEP) Senegal (UNDP) South Africa (UNIDO)

Asia

Cambodia (UNEP) India (UNEP & UNIDO) Jordan (UNDP) Laos (WWF) Philippines (UNIDO)

Latin America

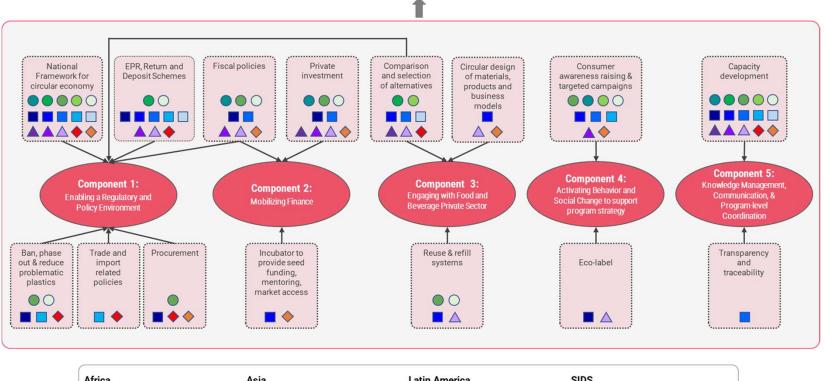
Brazil (UNEP) Costa Rica (UNDP) Peru (UNEP)

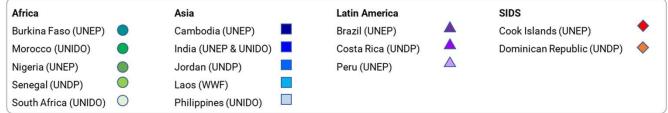
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Cook Islands (UNEP)
Dominican Republic (UNDP)

INTERMEDIATE OUTCOME

Governments, businesses, and individuals adopt systems and upstream circular solutions to reduce plastic pollution in the food and beverage industry





How to Engage

- Contact us!
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- Engage in future consultation meetings to define topics, priorities and other cooperation opportunities

