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October 2019									
1	Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab (J-PAL), Odisha Government	eight districts including the undivided KBK (Kalahandi-Balangir-Koraput) region	Governance	People in poverty	India	Non-Financial: Strategy Consulting		31 Oct 2019	The Odisha Government signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with the Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab (J-PAL) South Asia to maximise the impact of anti-poverty programmes. Under this partnership, J-PAL South Asia will provide technical assistance to the State Government for scaling up evidence-backed programmes to improve development outcomes across Odisha. As per the MoU, J-PAL will work in eight districts including the undivided KBK (Kalahandi-Balangir-Koraput) region for the improvement of the poorest of the poor, women and nutrition. J-PAL will take large variables from these districts and match them with those in the existing research models. It will devise the evaluation and policy formulations accordingly.
2	Asian Development Bank (ADB)	commuters and pedestrians	Gender	Women and girls	India	Financial: Debt	190,000,000	13 Oct 2019	India and Asian Development Bank (ADB) have signed US\$190 million loan agreement for improving road connectivity in Rajasthan, India. For the benefit of commuters and pedestrians, particularly women and children, the project provides for constructing more than 200 bus stops and 2 kilometer of raised sidewalk on project roads.
3	Asian Development Bank (ADB)	solar project in Vietnam	Energy	All Beneficiaries	Vietnam	Financial: Debt	37,000,000	11 Oct 2019	The Asian Development Bank (ADB) has signed a US\$37 million loan agreement that would finance the installation of a 47.5 MW floating solar project in Vietnam. This project will help to boost the share of renewable energy in Vietnam's overall energy mix and decrease the dependence on imported fossil fuels such as coal.
4	Asian Development Bank (ADB)	Indonesia's fiscal and public expenditure management reforms	Governance	People in poverty	Indonesia	Financial: Debt	500,000,000	25 Oct 2019	The Asian Development Bank (ADB) has approved a US\$500 million policy-based loan to support Indonesia's fiscal and public expenditure management reforms and improve the quality of government spending on health, education, social protection, and infrastructure. The loan will finance the third subprogram of the Fiscal and Public Expenditure Management Program (FPMP), a key pillar of ADB's support to the Government of Indonesia's efforts to significantly reduce poverty and income inequality in the country and meet Indonesia Sustainable Development Goals' (SDGs) commitment.
5	Asian Development Bank (ADB)	secondary students from province of Sindh	Education	Children and youths	Pakistan	Financial: Debt	75,000,000	28 Oct 2019	The Asian Development Bank (ADB) has approved a US\$75 million loan for a project that will help improve the quality, accessibility, and gender responsiveness of the secondary education system and infrastructure in the province of Sindh, home to Pakistan's financial center of Karachi. The Sindh Secondary Education Improvement Project will finance the construction of about 160 new secondary school blocks within existing government school compounds, largely in 10 districts in southern Sindh. The new blocks will feature gender-responsive features such as separate sanitation facilities and separate prayer rooms for females. They will also be fitted with solar power. Secondary school blocks will be managed by private partners under the government's education management organizations program. The project will also improve teaching capacity in five key subjects, namely English, mathematics, biology, chemistry, and physics, through the introduction of a teacher training and mentoring program using information and communication technology and state-of-the-art laboratory equipment in selected schools. The province's secondary education examination system will be improved by increasing its emphasis on critical thinking, by the provision of new technology, and by capacity development for examination board assessors and staff.

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6	Asian Development Bank (ADB)	Hanuman wind farm	Energy	Environment	Thailand	Financial: Debt	98,700,000	17 Oct 2019	The Asian Development Bank (ADB) will invest 3 billion Thai baht (US\$98.7 million) in Energy Absolute's maiden green bond issuance, proceeds from which will help support the long-term financing of the company's 260-megawatt (MW) Hanuman wind farm in Thailand. The investment will contribute to Thailand's renewable energy objectives and its ongoing efforts to reduce carbon emissions. The Hanuman wind farm in northeastern Chalyaphum Province is the largest wind farm in Thailand and is expected to reduce the country's annual carbon emissions by 200,000 tons by 2020.
7	Asian Development Bank (ADB)	school children in 10 districts in southern Sindh	Education	Children and youths	Pakistan	Financial: Debt	75,000,000	28 Oct 2019	The Asian Development Bank (ADB) approved a US\$75 million loan for a project, which will help improve the quality, accessibility and gender responsiveness of the secondary education system and infrastructure in Sindh. The Sindh Secondary Education Improvement Project will finance the construction of about 160 new secondary school blocks within existing government school compounds, largely in 10 districts in southern Sindh. The project will also improve teaching capacity in five key subjects, namely English, mathematics, biology, chemistry, and physics, through the introduction of a teacher training and mentoring program using information and communication technology and state-of-the-art laboratory equipment in selected schools.
8	Asian Development Bank (ADB), Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA), United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), World Food Programme, European Union, Food and Agriculture Organization, and the Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit	Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (BARMM)	Livelihood and Poverty Alleviation	People in poverty	Philippines	Financial: Grants	8,160,000	8 Oct 2019	Various foreign agencies have committed about P408 million to fund development projects in Mindanao, particularly in the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (BARMM). The initiatives from development partners will, in the end, help realize and achieve the vision of a peaceful, prosperous, and poverty-free Mindanao.
9	Asian Development Bank (ADB), Pakistan Government	population below poverty line in Pakistan	Livelihood and Poverty Alleviation	People in poverty	Pakistan	Financial: Debt	200,000,000	11 Oct 2019	Muhammad Hammad Azhar, Minister for Economic Affairs witnessed the loan signing of additional Financing for social Protection Development Project amounting to US\$ 200 million between the Government of Pakistan and the Asian Development Bank. Social Protection Development will provide a financial cushion to the population that is below the poverty line and is vulnerable to economic shocks, by scaling up unconditional cash transfers. The project will also provide support to BISP for developing Conditional Cash Transfer (CCT) modalities that can directly impact the root causes of poverty, i.e. poor health and education.
10	Asian Development Bank (ADB), the French Development Agency (AFD), the European Investment Bank and the Bangladeshi government	residents of Tetuljhora-Bhakurta	Water, Sanitation and Hygiene	All Beneficiaries	Bangladesh	Financial: Debt	1,066,959,033	10 Oct 19	Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina has inaugurated the Padma (Jashaldia) Water Treatment Plant (phase-1) and Well Field Construction project at Tetuljhora-Bhakurta in Savar Upazila (phase-1), which has a capacity to supply 60 crore litres of purified water. She also laid the foundation stone of another project Gandhapur Water Treatment Plant at Ruppangj in Narayanganj having the capacity to treat 60 crore litres of water. The projects will be funded by the Asian Development Bank, the French Development Agency (AFD), the European Investment Bank and the Bangladeshi government

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11	Ayala Foundation	public school students	Education	Children and youths	Philippines	Non-Financial: Information Technology		13 Oct 2019	Ayala Foundation signed a Memorandum of Agreement with the City of Manila, Department of Education-Division of Manila, and Asian Terminals Inc. for the implementation of the Ayala Foundation's program in Manila's 73 public elementary schools. It is a digital literacy learning program that was conceptualized by Ayala Foundation and which aims to introduce basic computer science and coding concepts to public school children at an early age.
12	Ayala Foundation	school children from seven barangays in City of San Fernando, Pampanga	Nutrition	Children and youths	Philippines	Non-Financial: Others		25 Oct 2019	The Ayala Corp, in partnership with Ayala Foundation, kicked off the project as a volunteerism activity for its members, who came together to pack fortified rice for distribution to children from seven barangays in San Fernando, Pampanga. The fortified rice will help feed 490 Grades 3-6 children from seven barangays in the City of San Fernando, Pampanga and some 300 school children from Bagac Elementary School, in the province of Bataan over a period of six months. The health status of the beneficiaries will be monitored with the help of Rise Against Hunger Philippines, which will supervise the feeding together with school partners and monitor the health status of the children.
13	Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	Nepalese children	Health	Children and youths	Nepal	Financial: Grants	Not disclosed	18 Oct 2019	An unprecedented study mapping child deaths over almost two decades has found that the likelihood of a child reaching age 5 varies more than two-fold among districts in Nepal. The study is the first of its kind, mapping child deaths in 99 low- and middle-income countries at the level of individual districts. The study, funded by the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, reveals areas of success where strategies could be replicated across and within countries
14	Coca-Cola	Island of Siargao	Climate Action and Environment	Environment	Philippines	Non-Financial: Others		20 Oct 2019	Coca-Cola Philippines is taking its World Without Waste vision to the shores of the island of Siargao through a partnership with the local government in championing sustainable tourism and environmental protection of the island. Coca-Cola deployed recyclable PET plastic bottle collection bins in Cloud 9 area – Siargao's prime surfing spot. With the help of the local government, recyclable PET plastic bottles deposited into the bins will be properly turned over to the LGU's local recycling partner.
15	IBM	flood-prone areas in India	Climate Action and Environment	All Beneficiaries	India	Financial: Prize Money	5,000	14 Oct 2019	A team of Indian software professionals has been awarded prize money of US\$5,000 by IBM for providing a potential solution to prevent pervasive flooding that plagues the Indian subcontinent, and help save lives and property.
16	Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA)	agricultural and fisheries foods in Hanoi	Agriculture	All Beneficiaries	Vietnam	Financial: Grants	10,836,000	17 Oct 2019	Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) signed a grant agreement with the Government of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam in Hanoi to provide grant aid of up to 1.204 billion yen for the Project for Enhancing Laboratory Capacities of the Reference Testing and Agrifood Quality Consultancy (RETAQ) Center for Ensuring Safety of Agricultural and Fisheries Foods. Under this project, the equipment needed to build an inspection system will be provided to the RETAQ Center for ensuring the safety of agrifood along with facilities for effectively using that equipment with the aim of expanding the food inspection system and improving the testing capacity. It is expected that this project will ensure agrifood safety in Vietnam and advance implementation of WTO's SPS Agreement. This agreement is one of the appendices to the WTO agreement that contains all of the measures relating to food safety and the health of animals and plants, including quarantining, standards for end products, manufacturing methods and risk assessment methods.

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17	NASSCOM foundation, DBS Asia Hub 2 (DAH2)	1,000 people in the underserved community	Education	People in poverty	India	Non-Financial: Information Technology		31 Oct 2019	DBS Asia Hub 2 (DAH2) in partnership with the NASSCOM foundation inaugurated the first DAH2 Digital Literacy Centre in Hyderabad. The centre supports the National Digital Literacy Mission initiative by the Government of India. The literacy centre aims to facilitate training infrastructure that will benefit close to 1000 people in the underserved community. The training will empower beneficiaries to learn the basics of computers and other digital devices, communicate via emails, engage on social media and leverage the power of the internet.
18	Omidyar Network India, EMVC, Better Capital and IIMK Alumni Fund	Credenc	Financial Inclusion	Children and youths	India	Financial: Debt	2,500,000.00	23 Oct 2019	Credenc, an education loan platform, has raised Rs 17.8 crore (USD 2.5 million) in a seed funding round, led by Omidyar Network India. The capital raised shall be used to expand operations to a 1,000 colleges across 50 cities over the next two years. Credenc also plans to hire across technology, credit and banking partnerships.
19	Sesame Workshop	children who have parents battling opioid addiction.	Education	Children and youths	Global	Non-Financial: Others		10 Oct 2019	"Sesame Street" is launching a new initiative to support children who have parents battling opioid addiction. Sesame Workshop, the non-profit educational organization behind the long-running children's show, launched the new initiative which sees Karli, a six and a half year-old Muppet, whose mom is dealing with addiction.
20	Social Alpha, Google Developers Launchpad	social impact start-ups	All Causes	All Beneficiaries	India	Non-Financial: Coaching and Mentoring of Management		15 Oct 2019	Google Developers Launchpad and Social Alpha announced a partnership to support social impact start-ups in India's growing start-up ecosystem. This partnership, Social Alpha Powered by Google Developers Launchpad, will help start-ups gain access to resources including expert mentors, tools, and methodologies for building businesses that can drive meaningful impact on the technology ecosystem.
21	United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) and Global Environment Facility (GEF)	Heen-Ela marshes in Colombo	Climate Action and Environment	Environment	Sri Lanka	Financial: Grants	2,500,000.00	12 Oct 2019	The Organisation for Aquatic Resources Management is working on a project to rejuvenate the Heen-Ela marshes in Colombo. A USD2.5M grant project, funded by the UNDP and the Global Environment Facility (GEF), USA is also training youth from the neighborhood to identify and safely capture even venomous reptiles such as the cobra and Russell's viper, which can then be handed over to the Wildlife Department.
November 2019									
22	Asian Development Bank (ADB)	farmers in Punjab	Agriculture	People in poverty	Pakistan	Financial: Grants	2,500,000.00	12 Nov 2019	The Asian Development Bank has approved a grant of US\$2.5 million for a technical assistance designed to facilitate rapid adoption of advanced technologies to improve the productivity and profitability of the agriculture sector in Punjab.
23	Asian Development Bank (ADB)	disadvantaged groups and women entrepreneurs	Employability	People without employment	Bangladesh	Financial: Debt	150,000,000.00	25 Nov 2019	The government and the Asian Development Bank (ADB) signed an agreement for US\$150 million in loan to continue the support on job-ready skills training. ADB will provide the assistance under the third and last tranche of the ongoing Skills for Employment Investment Program (SEIP). The program is providing market-responsive skills training through partnerships with public institutes, industry associations and other organizations, covering skills requirements in 10 industry sectors. Overall, the project will train about 320,000 people, 30 percent of whom will be women. It will support new training specifically targeted at socially disadvantaged groups (including people with disabilities) and women entrepreneurs to ensure inclusive skilling efforts.

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24	Asian Development Bank (ADB)	Tuan River restoration	Climate Action and Environment	Environment	China	Financial: Debt	200,000,000	27 Nov 2019	The Asian Development Bank (ADB) today approved a US\$200 million loan to pilot an integrated approach to river restoration in one of the tributaries of the Yangtze River Basin in the People's Republic of China (PRC). The project will install water supply, wastewater treatment, and solid waste management facilities in both rural and urban areas. It will also restore wetlands and demonstrate best practices in soil and water conservation through planting bushes and vegetation to reduce water pollution. It will improve the capacity of the local government to manage water resources in a coordinated manner through better research and development, real-time river health monitoring, and community-based watershed management.
25	Asian Development Bank (ADB)	2,942 villages in Myanmar's Ayeyarwady, Chin, Sagaing, and Tanintharyi regions	Climate Action and Environment	Women and girls	Myanmar	Financial: Debt	185,000,000 concessional loan and 10,000,000 grant	27 Nov 2019	The Asian Development Bank (ADB) has approved a US\$195 million financing package for a project that will develop climate-resilient and market-oriented infrastructure and livelihoods in 2,942 villages in Myanmar's Ayeyarwady, Chin, Sagaing, and Tanintharyi regions. This will help reduce rural poverty and strengthen the villages' climate and disaster resilience, benefiting around 1.8 million people. The project will help identify, develop, and fund 3,000 climate- and disaster-resilient community infrastructure subprojects, which include village access or farm roads, small bridges, water supply, electric grid connection, and multipurpose centers. These infrastructure subprojects, which will be selected based on their contribution to the village's resilience as well as public and economic benefits, will have a strong gender component, with women comprising 40% of the labor requirements in their construction and operations. The ADB project will also identify, develop, and fund at least 15,000 resilient livelihood subprojects, which include new or improved climate-smart agriculture, livestock, fisheries, value addition to farm and nonfarm products, marketing, and the acquisition for new skills and employment. This project also aims to boost female participation, with over 50,000 villagers, 30% of whom are women, expected to become better aware of climate change effects, while learning advanced livelihood management skills.
26	Asian Development Bank (ADB)	Nepalese farmers	Agriculture	People in poverty	Nepal	Financial: Debt	50,000,000	4 Nov 2019	The Asian Development Bank (ADB) has approved a US\$50 million policy-based loan to help support the Government of Nepal's reforms to improve food safety measures, enhance agricultural trade standards, and promote agricultural commercialization in the country. The Food Safety and Agriculture Commercialization Program, comprised of a two-tranche, standalone policy-based loan, will improve food safety and quality monitoring systems in Nepal, particularly in enhancing the regulatory and institutional capacity for sanitary and phytosanitary monitoring. This will include alignment with accepted standards for pesticide residue levels for fruits and vegetables, among others. The program will promote agricultural commercialization by supporting the preparation of bankable business plans for selected commodities to widen farmers' access to finance and business knowledge, while building their capacity in good agricultural practices. Institutional capacity of relevant government authorities will be enhanced to ensure sustainability of progress in the agriculture sector.

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27	Asian Development Bank (ADB), Alibaba Group	agricultural sector	Agriculture	People in poverty	China	Non-Financial: Information Technology		20 Nov 2019	Asian Development Bank (ADB) and Alibaba Group signed a memorandum of understanding (MOU) to cooperate in support of rural vitalization in the People's Republic of China (PRC). Under the agreement, ADB and Alibaba will jointly support the PRC's rural vitalization program by promoting the development of the internet-plus economy to help modernize the agriculture sector, with the aim of helping eliminate extreme poverty in the PRC. ADB will incorporate in its PRC projects new technology platforms to support the digital rural economy using Alibaba's strong technological expertise. The cooperation will focus on three areas: promoting smart farming and internet-plus agriculture technology applications in food and agriculture value chains; promoting ecological management through forest restoration, rural financial services, and crowd sourcing solutions to distribute funds to target beneficiaries; and digitizing and generating rural solid waste value streams.
28	Ayala Foundation, Ayala Corporation	Southern Philippines Medical Center (SPMC)	Health	People with medical needs	Philippines	Financial: Grants	Not disclosed	29 Nov 2019	Constructed with the support of Ayala Corporation and under the supervision of Ayala Foundation, the fully improved halfway house called House of Hope, provides temporary lodging for young patients who are seeking treatment at the world-class SPMC Cancer Institute. Given the increasing number of non-Mindanao patients who are accessing the institute's facilities, the halfway house provides a safe space for children being prepared for medical or surgical treatment, and for those who need a place to stay during chemotherapy..
29	Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation	children and women of reproductive age	Nutrition	Children and youths	Nepal	Financial: Grants		1 Nov 2019	President Bidya Bhandari launched Baliyo Nepal, a national nutrition movement, amidst a special function at President's Office, Shital Niwas. Baliyo Nepal seeks to mobilize private sector and civil society to support Nepal's efforts in the reduction of chronic malnutrition and hunger. Baliyo Nepal is establishing collaboration with the food industry to increase the supply of affordable and nutritious food and generating the demand for these products through social marketing and behavior change interventions. Baliyo Nepal is a not-for-profit organization, currently funded by Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation.
30	Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, A. T.E. Chandra Foundation, Omidyar Network India and philanthropist Vikrant Bhargava	GiveIndia	All Causes	All Beneficiaries	India	Financial: Grants	3,276,000	19 Nov 19	Bengaluru-based non-profit GiveIndia has received a combined grant of ₹23.4 crore from A.T.E. Chandra Foundation, Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, Omidyar Network India and philanthropist Vikrant Bhargava. GiveIndia facilitates donations through its online donations platform and workplace partnerships. GiveIndia will use these new funds to develop its platform, strengthen its team and scale up its donor base from 1.7 lakh now.
31	Coca-Cola	Municipal government of San Vicente, Palawan, Philippines	Climate Action and Environment	Environment	Philippines	Non-Financial: Others		5 Nov 2019	The Coca-Cola System in the Philippines, as represented by Coca-Cola Beverages Philippines, Inc. (CCBPI), the licensed bottler of Coca-Cola products in the country, and the Coca-Cola Foundation Philippines, is turning over a top-of-the-line beach-cleaning equipment to the municipal government of San Vicente, Palawan, led by Mayor Amy Roa Alvarez—toward ensuring responsible environmental conservation of the town's top tourist attraction. San Vicente, Palawan is home to an approximately 15-kilometer-long beach stretch of fine white sands that rivals the best beaches in the world.

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32	Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA)	surrounding area of Cheung Aek Lake in Phnom Penh	Water, Sanitation and Hygiene	All Beneficiaries	Cambodia	Financial: Grants	24,993,000	1 Nov 2019	Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) signed a grant agreement with the Royal Government of Cambodia in Phnom Penh, to provide grant aid of up to 2.777 billion yen for the Project for Sewerage System Development in Phnom Penh. The Project contributes to improving the water and sanitation environment, and living environment of people, by constructing a new sewerage treatment plant and related facilities, becoming the country's first in Phnom Penh, the capital of Cambodia.
33	Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA), Government of the Republic of Indonesia	Jakarta, Banten Province and Palu City	Climate Action and Environment	All Beneficiaries	Indonesia	Non-Financial: Operational Management		21 Nov 2019	Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) signed a Record of Discussions with the Government of the Republic of Indonesia in Jakarta for Capacity Development on Operation of Earthquake and Tsunami Analysis and Warning Dissemination, a technical cooperation project. The project aims to strengthen the capacity of the Agency for Meteorology, Climatology and Geophysics of the Republic of Indonesia to observe earthquakes and tsunami as well as issue and disseminate information and warnings. The project will contribute to the achievement of SDGs Goals 1, 11 and Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction 2015-2030. Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction 2015-2030 is a global agenda that was adopted at the Third UN World Conference for DRR in March 2015.
34	responsAbility Investments AG, Sequoia India	Wingreens Farms Private Limited	Gender	Women and girls	India	Financial: Equity	17,500,000	19 Nov 2019	Wingreens, which currently employs over 300 women across their production facilities and stores. It plans to use the investment to expand the back-end farming and food processing model as well as to further employ and empower a larger section of under-privileged women.
35	Rocky Mountain Institute, Government of India, Mission Innovation	air conditioner manufacturers	Climate Action and Environment	Environment	China, India, Japan	Financial: Prize Money	1,600,000	15 Nov 2019	Eight finalists of the Global Cooling Prize, an international innovation competition to develop super-efficient and climate-friendly residential cooling solutions for homes. The Finalist teams are led by some of the world's largest air conditioner (AC) manufacturers, including Gree Electric Appliances Inc. of Zhuhai, Daikin AirConditioning India Private Ltd., and Godrej and Boyce Mfg. Co. Ltd.; start-ups and corporations, including S&S Design Startup Solution Pvt. Ltd., Transaera Inc., M2 Thermal Solutions, Kraton Corporation; and Barocal Ltd, a new spin-out from a University of Cambridge lab. The competitors showcased technologies that reduce or eliminate refrigerants linked to climate change, advances that will be vital as the number of room air conditioners (RACs) nearly quadruples by 2050.
36	Save the Children	school girls in Bangladesh	Gender	Women and girls	Bangladesh	Non-Financial: Operational Management		1 Nov 2019	Empowering Girls through Education (EGE) project was launched with a goal to empower girls through ICT in education. Empowering Girls through Education (EGE) project of Save the Children in Bangladesh is designed to support the Government's Primary Education Development Plan for quality education and to directly address the obstacles for transition of girl students from primary to secondary school.
37	Save the Children Philippines, The Asia Foundation, and UNICEF	Filipino children	Education	Children and youths	Philippines	Non-Financial: Operational Management		4 Nov 2019	While the advent of the internet has brought so many advantages, there are also many challenges that come with it. One of them is providing a new platform for perpetrators to continue doing their schemes anonymously. This poses a great risk to users, most especially to minors. This alarming news has prompted the formation of the SaferKidsPH campaign. An initiative of the Australian government in partnership with Save the Children Philippines, The Asia Foundation, and UNICEF, it aims to reduce the cases of abuse and sexual exploitation of Filipino children by raising awareness on its effects and to engage all sectors to take part in finding solutions.

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38	Save the Children, Philips India, Philips Foundation	children below five years old	Health	Children and youths	India	Non-Financial: Others		5 Nov 2019	Every year more than 140,000 children under five years of age die from pneumonia in India. With the absence of awareness on the disease and accessible quality treatments at both community and public health facility level, the most disadvantaged children are the worst affected. Philips India, Philips Foundation (the platform of societal activities of Royal Philips) and Save the Children (global child rights organization) have joined hands to develop and prove low-cost innovative approaches for prevention, diagnosis and treatment of Childhood Pneumonia.
39	Singapore International Foundation (SIF), Singapore University of Social Sciences (SUSS), Indonesian Kindergarten Teachers Association (IGTKI) West Java	Indonesian Kindergarten Teachers Association (IGTKI)	Education	Children and youths	Indonesia	Non-Financial: Coaching and Mentoring of Management		6 Nov 2019	The Singapore International Foundation (SIF), in partnership with the Indonesian Kindergarten Teachers Association (IGTKI) West Java and the Singapore University of Social Sciences (SUSS), launched a two-year capacity-building programme in Bandung. The Early Childhood Education (ECE) Project is a two-year project seeking to enhance the capabilities of early childhood educators in the West Java province.
40	Standard Chartered Brunei (SCB)	youth	Employability	Children and youths	Brunei	Financial: Grants	15,000	4 Nov 2019	Standard Chartered Brunei (SCB) will be awarding US\$15,000 in grants to the best business proposals and social enterprises tackling poverty in Brunei through the Society for Community Outreach and Training's (SCOT) Youth Against Poverty Workshop (YAP). SCB's grant is part of Standard Chartered global's new flagship corporate social responsibility initiative called Futuremakers which aims to empower youth with education, employability and entrepreneurship opportunities.
December 2019									
41	Asian Development Bank (ADB)	farmers from Pakistan	Agriculture	People in poverty	Pakistan	Financial: Grants	1,000,000	11 Dec 2019	The Asian Development Bank had approved a grant of US\$1 million for the promotion of information and technology in the agricultural sector and the project would commence from the next year.
42	Asian Development Bank (ADB)	rural people in Pakistan	Agriculture	All Beneficiaries	Pakistan	Financial: Debt	275,000,000	23 Dec 2019	Costing around US\$275m and funded by the Asian Development Bank (ADB), the Jalalpur Irrigation Project (JIP) will create non-perennial irrigation services to increase agricultural production on 200,000 acres in Pind Dadan Khan tehsil of Jhelum district situated in the foothills of the famous Salt Range and part of the adjacent Khushab district.
43	Asian Development Bank (ADB)	homestay owners, youth and women	Livelihood and Poverty Alleviation	People in poverty	Sri Lanka	Financial: Grants	500,000	11 Dec 2019	The Asian Development Bank (ADB) is funding a US\$500,000 grant to train homestay owners and revise the curriculum at the Sri Lanka Institute of Tourism and Hospitality Management (SLITHM), which will improve hospitality standards in Sri Lanka. The project will also seek to increase awareness of opportunities in tourism among the youth and women, in order to increase employment in the industry, while reducing poverty and improving gender equality.
44	Asian Development Bank (ADB)	Pakistan's energy sector	Energy	Environment	Pakistan	Financial: Debt	300,000,000	6 Dec 2019	The Asian Development Bank (ADB) today approved a US\$300 million policy-based loan that will help the Government of Pakistan to address financial sustainability, governance, and energy infrastructure policy constraints in Pakistan's energy sector. The financing will support the first of three subprograms totaling \$1 billion under the Energy Sector Reforms and Financial Sustainability Program, a key component of a comprehensive multidonor economic reform program led by the International Monetary Fund that aims to put Pakistan's economy on the path to sustainable and inclusive growth after a deterioration in its fiscal and financial position in recent years. The energy reform program aims to address the underlying causes of circular debt with a focus on improving inadequate tariff and subsidy systems, strengthening energy accounting, and reducing generation costs.

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45	Asian Development Bank (ADB)	Henan Province in the greater Beijing–Tianjin–Hebei (BTH) region	Energy	People in poverty	China	Financial: Debt	300,000,000	5 Dec 2019	The Asian Development Bank (ADB) has approved a US\$300 million results-based lending program with private sector involvement to continue improving the air quality in Henan Province in the greater Beijing–Tianjin–Hebei (BTH) region of the People's Republic of China (PRC). Henan Province, the PRC's second-most populous and most coal-dependent province, is a major contributor of air pollution in the greater BTH region. In 2018, coal provided about 72% of the province's primary energy needs, compared to the national average of 59%. The project will help Henan Province transition from coal to using cleaner fuels, particularly natural gas and biogas, notably among the unserved rural population. Under results-based lending, fund disbursements are linked to the achievement of agreed program results. For this project, it will incentivize core-results delivery and spur the swift rollout of the rural gas distribution network.
46	Asian Development Bank (ADB)	Jilin Province	Climate Action and Environment	Environment	China	Financial: Debt	130,000,000	5 Dec 2019	The Asian Development Bank (ADB) has approved a €117.5 million (about US\$130 million) loan for a project in Jilin Province in the People's Republic of China (PRC) that will demonstrate how city living can be improved by integrating low-carbon, climate-resilient, and healthy urban development measures. The Jilin Yanji Low-Carbon Climate-Resilient Healthy City Project will build the first bus rapid transit in the PRC's northeast to connect many key areas within the city. Pedestrian sidewalks and paths, bicycle lanes, a series of small pedestrian-friendly landscaped "green" roads with trees, and river greenways—green areas alongside the river—will be improved and expanded. This will ensure walkers and cyclists can get to bus stations in a safe and pleasant way, encouraging exercise that will enhance public health, and leading to fewer carbon emissions compared with using cars. The project will rehabilitate the Chaoyang River in the west of Yanji City to improve flood protection. The river greenways, "green" roads, and paths will be landscaped with the capacity to retain and filter stormwater and, together with the improved drainage pipe network, will reduce urban flooding. Improvements to water pipes, water meters, and other system upgrades will boost water supply efficiency and conserve about 4.8 million cubic meter of water resources every year.
47	Asian Development Bank (ADB)	people from four provinces of Cambodia	Agriculture	People in poverty	Cambodia	Financial: Debt	117,000,000 loan and 2,160,000 grant	5 Dec 2019	The Asian Development Bank (ADB) has approved a US\$119.16 million financing package to help modernize and improve the climate and disaster resilience of irrigation systems in four provinces in Cambodia, which will help supply water to 43,500 hectares (ha) of farm land benefiting 290,000 people, half of whom women. The irrigation systems covered by ADB's assistance, which is comprised of a US\$117 million loan and a US\$2.16 million grant from the Asian Development Fund, are Kamping Pouy in Battambang province, Prek Po in Kampong Cham province, Stung Chinit South in Kampong Thom province, and Canal 15 in Takeo province. This will help improve the provinces' agricultural productivity and contribute to the reduction of rural poverty across the country. The Irrigated Agriculture Improvement Project will modernize and climate-proof irrigation systems by remodeling reservoir embankments, pumping stations, drains, and main and secondary canals, as well as improve farming practices and promote crop diversification through training in at least 200 demonstration plots. It will also pilot an irrigation asset management system to ensure the sustainability of the improved irrigation systems, while strengthening an existing farmer water user community and forming three additional ones with the strong participation of women.

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48	Asian Development Bank (ADB)	out-of-school and unemployed young Filipinos	Employability	Children and youths	Philippines	Financial: Debt	400,000,000	3 Dec 2019	The Asian Development Bank (ADB) has approved a US\$400 million policy-based loan to support the Philippine government's efforts to reduce the number of out-of-school and unemployed young Filipinos—one of the factors impeding more inclusive growth in the country. The Facilitating Youth School-to-Work Transition Program, subprogram 2, supports government reforms aimed at improving the employability of young Filipinos through labor market programs and providing easier access to on-the-job training schemes to help them secure and retain jobs.
49	Asian Development Bank (ADB)	five cities in Tamil Nadu	Water, Sanitation and Hygiene	Environment	India	Financial: Debt	206,000,000	2 Dec 2019	The Asian Development Bank (ADB) and the Government of India today signed a US\$206 million loan to develop water supply and sewerage infrastructure in 5 cities of Tamil Nadu and strengthen capacities of urban local bodies (ULBs) for improved service delivery. This is the second project loan for the ADB-supported \$500 million multi-tranche financing for Tamil Nadu Urban Flagship Investment Program, approved in September 2018, that will overall develop climate-resilient water supply, sewerage, and drainage infrastructure in 10 cities of Tamil Nadu. The first project under the program with \$169 million financing is currently under implementation. The project will target four cities—Ambur, Tiruchirappalli, Tiruppur, and Vellore—for developing sewage collection and treatment and drainage systems by setting up or rehabilitating sewage treatment plants, pumping stations, and connecting all households in the project area to the sewerage network, including below poverty line households. Wastewater reuse for industry will also be achieved in at least 4 cities. Improvement to water supply systems would be targeted in the cities of Madurai and Tiruppur through the commissioning of over 1,260 km of new distribution lines to connect nearly 190,000 households with metered water supply, including below poverty line households. In addition, nearly 200 kilometers (km) of new transmission mains and 230 km of feeder mains would be constructed, along with two new water treatment plants.
50	Asian Development Bank (ADB), Government of Bangladesh	healthcare in Bangladesh	Health	People with medical needs	Bangladesh	Non-Financial: Operational Management		10 Dec 2019	The Asian Development Bank (ADB) and the Government of Bangladesh signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to jointly promote public-private partnership (PPP) projects in the country's health care sector. Under the MOU, ADB's Office of Public-Private Partnership will identify, prepare, and implement projects under PPP arrangements including in priority areas such as diagnostics and dialysis services. ADB will provide holistic support through the Asia Pacific Project Preparation Facility (AP3F), which can provide integrated support for capacity building, development of standardized templates for procurement and contracting, creation of a potential health care project pipeline, and transaction advisory services.
51	Circulate Capital	waste management, recycling, and circular economy start-ups and SMEs in South and Southeast Asia	Climate Action and Environment	Environment	South and Southeast Asia	Financial: Equity	106,000,000	4 Dec 2019	CIRCULATE Capital announced the launch of a US\$106 million (S\$144 million) fund dedicated to preventing plastic from entering Asian oceans. The Circulate Capital Ocean Fund (CCOF) is the world's first investment fund dedicated to addressing Asia's plastic crisis. To address the financing gap between available private capital and resources needed by Asia's waste sector, CCOF will provide both debt and equity financing to waste management, recycling, and circular economy start-ups and SMEs in South and Southeast Asia focused on preventing plastic pollution.
52	Coca-Cola	100 local authorities and 500 schools	Climate Action and Environment	Environment	Sri Lanka	Financial: Grants	500,000	4 Dec 2019	Coca-Cola and Partners Launch Large-scale USD 500,000 'Give Back Life' project to recycle PET plastic bottles in Central, Uva and North-Western Provinces. This Give Back Life initiative expects to help foster a generation of responsible citizens who practice recycling as a way of life.

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53	Coca-Cola, Red Cross Society of Nghe An	Cua Lo town	Education	Children and youths	Vietnam	Non-Financial: Others	129,014	8 Dec 2019	The Red Cross Society of Nghe An and Coca-Cola Company inaugurated the Ekocenter, a centre for community activities, in the central province's Cua Lo town, the 12th of its kind in Vietnam. Built at a cost of 3 billion VND (129,014 USD), the centre will provide free internet access, clean water and training courses for locals in different areas such as education, healthcare and startups.
54	Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA)	under five children in Pakistan	Health	Children and youths	Pakistan	Financial: Grants	4,500,000	11 Dec 2019	The Government of Japan provides US\$4.5 million grant aid to support the supply of the essential oral polio vaccine. This vaccine will enable the programme to reach more than 20 million under five children in Pakistan during vaccination drives planned from December 2019 to November 2020.
55	Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA)	residents of Pursat city	Water, Sanitation and Hygiene	All Beneficiaries	Cambodia	Financial: Grants	21,645,000	20 Dec 2019	Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) signed a grant agreement with the Royal Government of Cambodia in Phnom Penh, to provide grant aid of up to 2.405 billion yen for the Project for Expansion of Water Supply System in Pursat. The project contributes to improving the residents' quality of life through stabilizing the water supply service, and to improving access to safe water by the expansion of the water supply system in Pursat city. This project will contribute to the achievement of SDGs Goal 6 - clean water and sanitation.
56	Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA), Government of the Kingdom of Bhutan	College of Science and Technology, Royal University of Bhutan	Education	Children and youths	Bhutan	Non-Financial: Operational Management		5 Dec 2019	Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) signed a Record of Discussions with the Government of the Kingdom of Bhutan in Thimphu for the Project for Promotion of Technology Education and Diffusion through Digital Fabrication Laboratory (Fab-Lab*), a local lab and its global network that provides digital fabrication (computer-controlled digital machine tools) and enables individual inventions. The project aims to develop new educational models that contribute to solving community issues and revitalizing industries by establishing Fab-Lab at the College of Science and Technology and introducing digital fabrication technology and open innovation. The project will contribute to the achievement of SDGs Goal 9 - industry, innovation and infrastructure.
57	Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA), Royal Government of Cambodia	HQs of CMAC (Phnom Penh), Six Demining Units (Battambang, etc.), Technical Institute on Mine Action (Kampong Chhnang), CMAC Museum (Siem Reap)	Climate Action and Environment	Environment	Cambodia	Non-Financial: Operational Management		27 Dec 2019	Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) signed a Record of Discussions (R/D) with the Royal Government of Cambodia in Phnom Penh concerning a technical cooperation project called "The Project for Strengthening Organizational Functions of Cambodian Mine Action Centre (CMAC)". In this project, JICA will support CMAC in formulating a draft plan for the future organization of CMAC and enhance the capacity of CMAC staff to solve challenges CMAC may face. This project will contribute to the achievement of SDGs Goal 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions.
58	Piramal Swasthya Management and Research Institute (PSMRI), The Oil India (OIL)	vulnerable population of Dibrugarh, Tinsukia, Charaideo districts in Assam and Changlang district in Arunachal Pradesh, India	Health	People with medical needs	India	Non-Financial: Others		3 Dec 2019	The Oil India (OIL) and Piramal Swasthya Management and Research Institute (PSMRI), have joined hands to launch SPARSHA mobile medical units in under-served areas of Assam and Arunachal Pradesh, with initial launch of seven mobile medical vans in Dibrugarh in Assam. The concept is to provide primary healthcare services to the inaccessible and vulnerable population of the remote OIL operating areas.
59	responsAbility Investment AG, Oikocredit, and IndusInd Bank.	Origo	Agriculture	People in poverty	India	Financial: Equity	6,800,000	11 Dec 2019	Origo, through Origo Commodities and Origo Finance, provides solutions for reducing post-harvest losses in the commodity supply chain, helping dairy and small enterprises in rural India obtain required financing to support their businesses. The funds raised will accelerate Origo's plan of creating a robust rural financial ecosystem by increasing its distribution in rural India. These funds will allow Origo to provide much-needed capital to agri-enterprises, both small and medium.

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60	Save the Children, Robi-10 Minute School of Robi Axiata Limited	fourth and fifth grade girl students of Government primary schools in two Upazilas of Bangladesh	Education	Women and girls	Bangladesh	Non-Financial: Operational Management		10 Dec 2019	The country's largest online school, Robi-10 Minute School, Robi Axiata Limited and the globally renowned development organization, Save the Children have signed a tripartite strategic partnership agreement with a view to provide education to girls using the digital platform. The agreement aims to enhance the skills in literacy and numeracy for the fourth and fifth grade girl students of Government primary schools in two Upazilas of Bangladesh under Save the Children's 'Empowering Girls Through Education (EGE)' project.
61	Singapore International Foundation (SIF), Ho Chi Minh City University of Education (HCMUE) and Rainbow Centre Singapore (RCS)	children with ASD in Ho Chi Minh City	Education	People with disabilities	Vietnam	Non-Financial: Coaching and Mentoring of Management		3 Dec 2019	The Singapore International Foundation (SIF), in partnership with the Ho Chi Minh City University of Education (HCMUE) and Rainbow Centre Singapore (RCS), launched the Teaching and learning for children with autism spectrum disorder (ASD) project in Ho Chi Minh City. This capacity-building project aims to enhance the quality of special education for children with ASD.
62	Social Alpha, Tata Trusts	Elicius Energy	Energy	Environment	India	Non-Financial: Accelerator Program		9 Dec 2019	The following 15 clean energy start-ups are the winners of the second edition of Social Alpha Energy Challenge 2.0 (SAEC 2.0): A fuel cell energy storage technology that not only offers clean power but also provides an increase in power density as compared to the current market standard and lower initial purchase costs.
63	Social Alpha, Tata Trusts	Grassroots Energy	Energy	Environment	India	Non-Financial: Accelerator Program		9 Dec 2019	Developed a low-cost energy efficient technology that can purify and compress biogas in a cost effective manner. This will address diverse market segments currently using fossil fuels to switch to low-cost bio-CNG without any lowering of performance.
64	Social Alpha, Tata Trusts	Temperate Technologies	Energy	Environment	India	Non-Financial: Accelerator Program		9 Dec 2019	Developed a new proprietary energy-efficient air conditioning and cold storage technology which leads to up to 50% reduction in the overall energy consumption.
65	Social Alpha, Tata Trusts	Offgrid Energy Labs	Energy	Environment	India	Non-Financial: Accelerator Program		9 Dec 2019	Developed a ZincGel® battery that can outperform current lead acid batteries in terms of power density, battery-life and cost thereby significantly reducing the number of batteries.
66	Social Alpha, Tata Trusts	Gtarang Energy Solutions	Energy	Environment	India	Non-Financial: Accelerator Program		9 Dec 2019	Developed efficient biomass based furnace solutions that can save huge amounts of fuel for small sector enterprise clusters such as jaggery making, rice mills, dairy, etc.
67	Social Alpha, Tata Trusts	Stallion Vortex	Energy	Environment	India	Non-Financial: Accelerator Program		9 Dec 2019	Stallion Vortex is a small scale hydropower solution, which is a run-of-the-river type hydro power plant, which requires low head and very less civil structure, reducing the installation and operation cost by a great extent.
68	Social Alpha, Tata Trusts	Feyman Innovations	Energy	Environment	India	Non-Financial: Accelerator Program		9 Dec 2019	A light-weight and energy efficient robotic cleaning solution that can clean solar panels with zero water usage and negligible/minimal stress on the panels.
69	Social Alpha, Tata Trusts	Himalayan Rocket Stove	Energy	Environment	India	Non-Financial: Accelerator Program		9 Dec 2019	Highly energy efficient, affordable and clean heating and cooking system suited to Himalayan conditions that can reduce emissions/air pollution by a massive 90% or more caused from firewood thereby positively impacting health and environmental outcomes of the region.
70	Social Alpha, Tata Trusts	Krishna Arya Tech Corp	Energy	Environment	India	Non-Financial: Accelerator Program		9 Dec 2019	Developed 'Annapoorna cookstove', a zero-emission, low-cost, and energy efficient cooking solution that can reduce the emissions cause due to biomass based cooking.
71	Social Alpha, Tata Trusts	Tan90	Energy	Environment	India	Non-Financial: Accelerator Program		9 Dec 2019	Portable, solar-powered cold storage system powered by thermal battery that can reduce wastage of farm produce and increase farmer incomes.

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72	Social Alpha, Tata Trusts	Maclec	Energy	Environment	India	Non-Financial: Accelerator Program		9 Dec 2019	Developed best of its kind hydro-kinetic turbine technology that enables to harness hydro power from water streams like rivers, hilly streams, even running urban waste water from canals and sewages without the need to create bigger civil structures.
73	Social Alpha, Tata Trusts	Doorastha Analytics	Energy	Environment	India	Non-Financial: Accelerator Program		9 Dec 2019	Developed solar powered grid monitoring system that can do a full performance monitoring of the power network within the micro-grid and generate live data that can help improve its performance.
74	Social Alpha, Tata Trusts	Meladath Auto	Energy	Environment	India	Non-Financial: Accelerator Program		9 Dec 2019	An innovative retrofit table conversion kit that can replace the front wheel of the scooter and can be converted into an electric scooter without any modifications.
75	Social Alpha, Tata Trusts	NRG Village	Energy	Environment	India	Non-Financial: Accelerator Program		9 Dec 2019	An IoT-based grid-connected microgrid operating platform, which allows consumers to control their energy use, thereby enabling incentivising of consumers, utilities, prosumers, and finance companies of decentralised renewable solutions.
76	Social Alpha, Tata Trusts	SwitchDin	Energy	Environment	India	Non-Financial: Accelerator Program		9 Dec 2019	A virtual power plant and micro-grid platform which integrates with most solar and battery systems in the market to enable site energy management as well as coordination across micro-grids or virtual power plants.
77	United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)	611 poor women in Patuakhali, Bangladesh	Livelihood and Poverty Alleviation	People in poverty	Bangladesh	Financial: Grants	57,000	27 Dec 2019	In Patuakhali, UNDP has provided financial assistance to 611 women members under the Life-Improvement Project for marginalized people. During this period, checks of Tk 4.87 million were distributed among the women and children of the poor people in different categories. In the meantime, 245 people have been awarded business grants, 118 teaching apprenticeship grant, 48 prevent child marriage, and 200 assisted child support grants.
78	United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), Magic Bus	2000 young women from Aurangabad, India.	Gender	Women and girls	India	Non-Financial: Operational Management		17 Dec 2019	The United Nations Development Program (UNDP) and Magic Bus with funding support from Bajaj Group and technology support from Mindtree, facilitate the employment of 2000 young women from Aurangabad. This is a significant step towards enabling first generation salary earners who will help take their families and generations come out of poverty.
79	Work Together Foundation	Rags2Riches Inc.	Livelihood and Poverty Alleviation	Women and girls	Philippines	Financial: Grants	up to 200,000 (collective funding for the four organisations)	30 Dec 2019	The following four (4) organisations have been chosen for Smile Together Partnership for Year 2020: Rags2Riches Inc. is a for-profit social enterprise, creating eco-ethical fashion and home accessories out of up cycled scrap cloth, organic materials and indigenous fabrics by working with artisans (mostly women) living in the poor communities across the country.
80	Work Together Foundation	Haligi ng Bata Inc.	Education	Children and youths	Philippines	Financial: Grants		30 Dec 2019	Haligi ng Bata, Inc. (HBI) is a Philippine nonprofit specializing in community-based & school-based development programs such as Adopt-a-School Project and Child Sponsorship Programs that aim to strengthen the societal pillars that poor children use to break free from the debilitating shackles of poverty.
81	Work Together Foundation	Dao Social Enterprise (Baan Dek Foundation)	Education	Children and youths	Thailand	Financial: Grants		30 Dec 19	Baan Dek Foundation's mission of providing access to education, healthcare, and safety for all vulnerable children.
82	Work Together Foundation	Teach for ASEAN	Education	Children and youths	Myanmar	Financial: Grants		30 Dec 2019	Teach for ASEAN wants to connect ASEAN youths, grassroots organizations and good businesses together to attain the common vision of improving equity in education and access to decent employment.

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83	Asian Development Bank (ADB)	solar project in Vietnam	Climate Action and Environment	Environment	Vietnam	Financial: Debt	37,800,000	22 Jan 2020	Asian Development Bank (ADB) signed a US\$37.8 million loan agreement with TTC Energy Development Investment Joint Stock Company (TTC Energy) to provide the first project finance for solar power project in Vietnam. \$7.6 million of which will be provided in the form of a concessional non-parallel loan to be drawn from the JICA-supported Leading Asia's Private Infrastructure Fund (LEAP) to improve the bankability and financial viability of the project and allow other lenders to provide long tenor, U.S. dollar denominated financing. The project will develop and operate the 50 MW solar power plant and its associated facilities in Tay Ninh Province, Southern Vietnam, contribute to meet the growing power demand in the Southern Vietnam as well as diversify energy sources.
84	Asian Development Bank (ADB)	startups offering impact technology solutions	All Causes	All Beneficiaries	Asia and the Pacific	Financial: Equity	50,000,000	31 Jan 2020	The Asian Development Bank (ADB) approved the establishment of ADB Ventures, a new venture platform that will support and invest in startups offering impact technology solutions that contribute to the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) in Asia and the Pacific. ADB Ventures Investment Fund 1, the facility's anchor trust fund, has a target size of \$50 million and is accepting contributions from multiple funding sources including bilateral and multilateral development partners. It will mainly invest in early-stage startups and focus on companies with solutions that can address climate change and empower women. The fund has a 17-year fund life, allowing ADB to invest patient capital into cleantech, fintech, agricultural technology, and health technology solutions.
85	Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	Chinese authorities, Africa Centers for Disease Control and Prevention	Health	All Beneficiaries	China, Africa	Financial: Grants	10,000,000	27 Jan 2020	The Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation announced that it is immediately committing \$10 million in emergency funds and corresponding technical support to help frontline responders in China and Africa accelerate their efforts to contain the global spread of 2019-nCoV.
86	Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation	India's poor and the marginalized	Livelihood and Poverty Alleviation	People in poverty	India	Non-Financial: Others		22 Jan 2020	The Ministry of Rural Development (MoRD) signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation (BMGF) under the Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana - National Rural Livelihoods Mission (DAY-NRLM), for furthering their mutual objectives of strengthening grassroots institutions of the rural poor. The MoU reiterates DAY-NRLM and the Foundation's shared focus on improving the lives of India's poor and the marginalized with the aim of reducing poverty through institutions of marginalized rural women for promotion of diversified and gainful self-employment while creating skilled wage employment opportunities.
87	Central Square Foundation	school children in India	Education	Children and youths	India	Non-Financial: Operational Management		22 Jan 2020	Central Square Foundation, a non-profit organization working to ensure quality school education for all children in India, has launched #ShikshaKiABC, a digital campaign to create awareness on foundational learning. The campaign's primary objective is to simplify the issue and enhance the understanding of what is foundational learning and why it matters.
88	Google.org	Chinese Red Cross	Health	People with medical needs	China	Financial: Grants	250,000	31 Jan 2020	To aid the coronavirus relief work, Google.org issued a US\$250,000 direct grant to the Chinese Red Cross. Additionally, Google.org launched an internal campaign inviting Googlers to donate.

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89	Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA)	residents of Central Sulawesi	Climate Action and Environment	All Beneficiaries	Indonesia	Financial: Debt	251,730,000	17 Jan 2020	Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) signed a loan agreement with the Government of the Republic of Indonesia in Jakarta to provide a Japanese ODA loan of up to 27.97 billion yen for the Infrastructure Reconstruction Sector Loan in Central Sulawesi. In Central Sulawesi, which was damaged by an earthquake that struck on Sept. 28, 2018, JICA is rebuilding and constructing infrastructure based on the Build Back Better concept aiming at building disaster-resilient communities. This project will contribute to the achievement of SDGs Goal 9, 11.
90	Social Alpha	Bare Necessities	Climate Action and Environment	Environment	India	Financial: Grants	Not disclosed	30 Jan 2020	Bare Necessities intends to change the narrative on waste in India by making it easy and even lucrative to subscribe to the philosophy of 'less is more.' The Company is producing high quality zero-waste, earth friendly personal care and lifestyle products using handcrafted traditional science-based formulas and packaged in recyclable, reusable and biodegradable packaging. By producing 100% zero-waste products, relying on ethical sourcing and creating a fully zero-waste supply chain from sourcing to sale, Bare Necessities is setting the benchmark for sustainable consumption with their 'zero-waste' and 'less is more' approach.
91	Social Alpha, BIRAC, Mphasis	Trestle Labs Pvt Ltd	Health	People with disabilities	India	Financial: Prize Money	69,665	23 Jan 2020	The following 14 start-ups are the winners of BIRAC-Social Alpha Quest for Assistive Technologies, a program designed to identify and support technologies that can improve the lives of Persons with Disabilities (PwDs): Their product Kibo empowers the visually impaired towards inclusive education and employment by enabling real-time access to Printed, Handwritten and Digital content through audio across 11 Indian and multiple overseas languages.
92	Social Alpha, BIRAC, Mphasis	Kidaura Innovations Pvt Ltd	Health	People with disabilities	India	Financial: Prize Money		23 Jan 2020	A gaming tool that allows for easy and early screening of autism in the golden years (3 to 6 years).
93	Social Alpha, BIRAC, Mphasis	Thinkerbell Labs Pvt Ltd	Health	People with disabilities	India	Financial: Prize Money		23 Jan 2020	Their product called 'Annie' aims at improving Braille literacy in India by imparting Braille reading, writing and typing skills.
94	Social Alpha, BIRAC, Mphasis	Demosthenes Technologies Pvt Ltd	Health	People with disabilities	India	Financial: Prize Money		23 Jan 2020	Their flagship product 'Stamura' provides accelerated therapy for stammering and other speech-related issues, through speech exercises and practice tools.
95	Social Alpha, BIRAC, Mphasis	Tactopus Learning Solutions Pvt Ltd	Health	People with disabilities	India	Financial: Prize Money		23 Jan 2020	Building multi-sensory learning resources to enable children with visual impairment to participate in mainstream education.
96	Social Alpha, BIRAC, Mphasis	Flexmotiv Technologies Pvt Ltd	Health	People with disabilities	India	Financial: Prize Money		23 Jan 2020	Flexmo Crutches are an all-terrain slip-proof and self-standing crutches for persons with locomotor disability.
97	Social Alpha, BIRAC, Mphasis	BeAble Health Pvt Ltd	Health	People with disabilities	India	Financial: Prize Money		23 Jan 2020	A game-based solution, called 'ArmAble', that provides engaging and intensive rehabilitation therapy for people suffering from Upper Limb motor deficit.
98	Social Alpha, BIRAC, Mphasis	Truce Consulting Services Pvt Ltd	Health	People with disabilities	India	Financial: Prize Money		23 Jan 2020	A car swivel seat that goes by the name 'Turn Plus', offers easy entry and exit into the front seat of a passenger car, for people with medical conditions like arthritis, knee & back issues.
99	Social Alpha, BIRAC, Mphasis	Indent Designs Pvt Ltd	Health	People with disabilities	India	Financial: Prize Money		(collective funding for)	23 Jan 2020

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100	Social Alpha, BIRAC, Mphasis	Brajma Intelligent Systems Pvt Ltd	Health	People with disabilities	India	Financial: Prize Money	the 14 startups)	23 Jan 2020	XL Cinema Mobile App enables visually impaired viewers to synchronize audio descriptions of the movies through their smartphone, in a movie hall or at home.
101	Social Alpha, BIRAC, Mphasis	Innaumation Medical Devices Pvt Ltd	Health	People with medical needs	India	Financial: Prize Money		23 Jan 2020	A novel product called 'Aum Voice Prosthesis' is a \$1 speaking device that helps throat cancer patients get their voice back.
102	Social Alpha, BIRAC, Mphasis	Raised Lines Foundation	Health	People with disabilities	India	Financial: Prize Money		23 Jan 2020	Affordable tactile graphics to promote K-12 education for visually impaired and to provide equal learning opportunities.
103	Social Alpha, BIRAC, Mphasis	SM Learning Skills Academy for Special Needs Pvt Ltd	Health	People with disabilities	India	Financial: Prize Money		23 Jan 2020	The team, through its AI-driven app called Cogniable, is taking early screening and behavioural therapy for Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) to the remotest part of the country.
104	Social Alpha, BIRAC, Mphasis	Inceptor Technologies Pvt Ltd	Health	People with disabilities	India	Financial: Prize Money		23 Jan 2020	Providing digital braille access for the visually impaired through their extremely affordable braille tablet called 'BrailleMe'.
105	United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)	youth involved in serious crimes facing imprisonment	Livelihood and Poverty Alleviation	Children and youths	Pakistan	Non-Financial: Operational Management		9 Jan 2020	Society for the Protection of the Rights of the Child (SPARC) in collaboration with the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) has launched its project for the up-gradation of prisons in Sindh. The project would focus on extending employment and livelihood opportunities to the youth involved in serious crimes facing imprisonment and also initiate the process for their economic rehabilitation and reintegration in the social fabric.
106	United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR)	Afghan refugees and Pakistani communities	Livelihood and Poverty Alleviation	People in poverty	Pakistan	Non-Financial: Others		13 Jan 2020	The United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR) has launched a new project to provide livelihood opportunities to both Afghan refugees and Pakistani communities. Under the project, the most vulnerable households would be provided with intensive coaching in the area of agriculture and entrepreneurship, various packages, including livestock, to support such initiatives, as well as access to financial services.
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107	ABS-CBN Foundation, CDO Odyssey Foundation	250 residents of Nabuclod, Floridablanca, Pampanga	Climate Action and Environment	Ethnic minorities	Philippines	Non-Financial: Others		7 Feb 2020	Sagip Kapamilya, the emergency humanitarian assistance program of ABS-CBN Foundation, conducted its first leg of Disaster Risk and Reduction Training in Nabuclod, Floridablanca, Pampanga. In partnership with CDO Odyssey Foundation, over 250 residents were taught about emergency management. Residents also received boxes of first aid kits and farming equipment. Through the Risk Reduction and Management Campaign, the program aims to educate every Filipino to be prepared for any disasters.
108	Bain & Company, Google	women entrepreneurs in India	Gender	Women and girls	India	Non-Financial: Impact Measurement		18 Feb 2020	A joint report by Bain & Company and Google titled "Women Entrepreneurship in India - Powering the economy with her", underlines the need to accelerate efforts to grow women entrepreneurs in India in both quantity and quality to solve employment challenges in the country. This is a start to better understand the barriers facing the various types of women entrepreneurs across India and find synergies with like-minded companies and the government to accelerate women entrepreneurship in the country.

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109	Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	Chinese health responders and people diagnosed with the virus	Health	People with medical needs	China	Financial: Grants	80,000,000	5 Feb 2020	The Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation announced that it will immediately commit up to US\$80 million for the global response to the 2019 novel coronavirus (2019-nCoV). The funding will help strengthen detection, isolation and treatment efforts; protect at-risk populations; and develop vaccines, treatments and diagnostics. The new funding is inclusive of \$10 million the foundation committed to the outbreak in late January.
110	Coca-Cola	marginalized village of Thammanawa in Anuradhapura, Sri Lanka	Gender	Women and girls	Sri Lanka	Non-Financial: Others		13 Feb 2020	Restoring the marvel of ancient engineering in Sri Lanka, Coca-Cola Beverages Sri Lanka Ltd. (CCBSL) with the funding support of The Coca-Cola Foundation, and under its commitment to water stewardship, took the lead to rejuvenate two key water reservoirs in the marginalized village of Thammanawa in Anuradhapura. Apart from improving irrigated and quality water availability, the scope of this notable project included social and economic empowerment of women in Thammannawa village.
111	Dubai Cares	school-aged children in Pakistan	Health	Children and youths	Pakistan	Financial: Grants	3,000,000	1 Feb 2020	On the occasion of the first World Neglected Tropical Diseases, NTD Day, UAE-based philanthropic organization, Dubai Cares, has joined hands with Pakistan's government to combat intestinal worms among school-aged children in a US\$3 million health program. Under this partnership, Dubai Cares, part of Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum Global Initiatives, has launched a three-year deworming programme for school-aged children in Pakistan, to improve their health and consequently enhance learning outcomes.
112	Google.org	Bebras Indonesia	Education	Children and youths	India	Financial: Grants	1,000,000	18 Feb 2020	Google donates US\$1 million (around Rp13.6 billion) for Bebras Indonesia, a non-profit educational organization. The donation will be used to fund the training of computational thinking skills for 22,000 teachers in 22 cities in Indonesia. This contribution is channeled through the company's philanthropic organization, Google.org. With the funding, Bebras will train 2 million students for two years. They will be taught to think critically and to solve difficult problems, so they are not merely memorizing.
113	Hong Kong Jockey Club	NGOs and Hong Kong Community	Health	People with medical needs	Hong Kong	Financial: Grants	9,369,397	14 Feb 2020	Hong Kong Jockey Club provides masks to employees, Hospital Authority and local community, HK\$73m donated to NGOs to fight the epidemic.
114	Indian Private Equity and Venture Capital Association (IVCA)	venture capital and private equity investors	Livelihood and Poverty Alleviation	People without employment	India	Non-Financial: Impact Measurement		18 Feb 2020	The report prepared by Indian Private Equity and Venture Capital Association (IVCA) in partnership with Zinnov, a global management and strategy consulting firm noted that private equity or venture capital (PE/VC) investments are not only creating direct and indirect jobs, but also bubbling up newer fast-growing job segments such as professional services, freelancers, delivery and driver partners. It also noted that technology-led solutions are touching the lives of Indians in the remotest corners of the country and also across income segments because alternative investment funds are focused on Indian market too. The report was developed to understand the value created by venture capital and private equity investors through technology and technology-enabled start-ups in India.

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115	Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA), Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH)	coastal areas in the Philippines	Climate Action and Environment	Environment	Philippines	Non-Financial: Operational Management		17 Feb 2020	Officials of the Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH) and Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) discussed on how to strengthen Philippines' coastal management program and policies. The talk centered on the existing coastal disaster management issues in the country and the measures implemented by Japanese experts that can be adopted. Integrated Coastal Management involves a holistic approach in achieving social and economic development targets in a number of areas—pollution reduction and waste management; food security and livelihood management; water use and supply management; habitat protection, restoration and management; and natural and man-made hazard prevention and management. With Philippines' lack of coastal defense infrastructure, JICA's experience will be significant to the climate change mitigation researches and projects.
116	KKR Global Impact (KKR)	companies in the lower middle market that contribute toward progress along UN's SDGs	All Causes	All Beneficiaries	Global	Financial: Equity	1,300,000,000	13 Feb 2020	KKR, the multi-billion dollar, multi-strategy investment firm, has closed on over \$1.3 billion for companies focused on social and environmental challenges. KKR Global Impact says its fund will focus on identifying and investing in companies worldwide where performance and social impact are intrinsically aligned. Specifically, the fund will invest in companies in the lower middle market that contribute toward progress along the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals.
117	Save the Children, Lavazza	marginalized youth in Kolkata	Employability	Children and youths	India	Non-Financial: Accelerator Program		19 Feb 2020	Lavazza, Italy's leading coffee company, in collaboration with Save the Children, conducted a hands-on Barista training programme for 15 marginalized youth in Kolkata. The 5-day session aims was to educate the participants with potent coffee concepts and offer the opportunity to become the best Baristas. This is the third year that the collaboration has enabled indigent adolescents and young adults in Kolkata to earn employment in the hospitality sector by attending a specific training. Aiming to nurture them with a positive approach towards life by providing them with a better future, the workshop was realized to develop skills and enhance their abilities to work as coffee specialists certified by Lavazza.
118	Sesame Workshop India, SBI Foundation, SBI Life Insurance	approximately 60,000 young children in Meghalaya	Education	Children and youths	India	Non-Financial: Others		14 Feb 2020	In a heartening initiative called 'Learn. Play. Grow.', SBI Foundation, SBI Life Insurance and Sesame Workshop India are now partnering with the ICDS and local NGOs to bridge this gap by supporting 3000 Anganwadi centres with high-quality educational content for children and caregivers, capacity building and teacher training, and resources that empower parents and caregivers with fun ways to support a child's educational development.
119	Standard Chartered	infrastructures that promote SDGs	All Causes	All Beneficiaries	Global	Financial: Grants		19 Feb 2020	By the end of 2024, Standard Chartered commits to: providing \$40 billion of project financing services for infrastructure that promotes sustainable development; providing \$35 billion of project financing services, M&A advisory and debt structuring services for renewables and clean tech projects (solar and wind). Underpinning the aspirations, Standard Chartered also intends to reduce its emissions across its global properties by 2030. With an office footprint spanning 60 countries, including many large emerging markets, the Bank will achieve net zero emissions by only sourcing energy from renewable sources and continuing to pursue energy efficiency measures across its 12 million square feet of property.

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120	Tote Board, Singapore Government	social service agencies	All Causes	All Beneficiaries	Singapore	Financial: Grants	250,295,885	18 Feb 2020	Social service agencies will be able to tap on up to S\$350 million in funds through the set-up of a new trust. This year, the Ministry of Social and Family Development (MSF) and National Council of Social Service (NCSS) will set up the Community Capability Trust to raise funds and support social service sector partners in enhancing their capabilities and capacities to serve the community. The Government and the Tote Board will commit up to S\$350 million for the Community Capability Trust.
121	UBS	health workers/frontline responders	Health	People with medical needs	Asia	Financial: Grants	1,000,000	3 Feb 2020	UBS Group will donate US\$1 million to support efforts to contain the global spread of the novel coronavirus. The donations will target frontline responders through domestic charity partners focusing on a range of areas including timely delivery of medical supplies to the needy, screening and treatment of suspected cases, the development of treatments and vaccines and the construction of medical facilities in the community.

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All Causes - Affordable Housing, Ageing, Agriculture, Arts and Culture, Climate Action and Environment, Conservation, Education, Employability, Energy, Gender, Financial Inclusion, Gender, Health, Livelihood and Poverty Alleviation, Water, Sanitation & Hygiene

All Beneficiaries - Children & Youths, Elderly, Ethnic Minorities, Flora & Fauna, People in Poverty, People with Disabilities, People with Medical Needs, People without Employment, Women & Girls

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