



GEF Support to LDCs

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LDC Access to LDCF Resources

LDCF/SCCF Council to consider new Work Program in mid-December 2019
Upon approval, access figures since July 2018 are:

26
projects &
programs

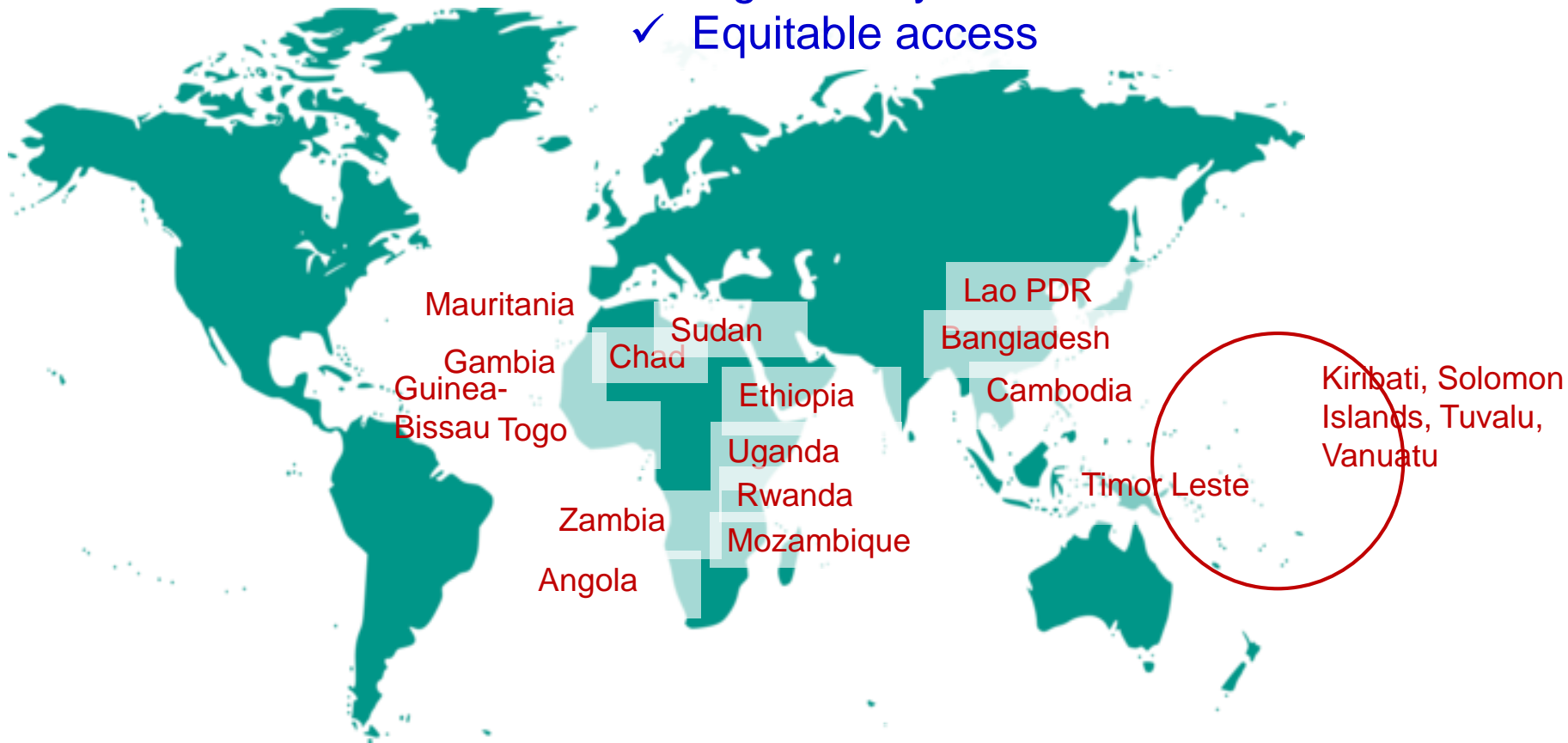
\$209
million

7 multi
trust
fund
projects

57%
LDCs
supported

LDCF Support since July 2018

- ✓ 27 LDCs supported, approx. \$209 million
- ✓ Significantly reduced wait time
- ✓ Equitable access



December 2019 LDCF Work Program:
Congo, DR, Guinea, Malawi, Mali, Myanmar,
South Sudan, Sudan, Tanzania, Vanuatu

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Efforts to Ensure Access

- 27 LDCs (57 percent of LDCs) accessed LDCF resources within 18 months
- 11 LDCs have accessed \$10 million cap for GEF-7 already
- Ministerial dialogue and pledging session co-organized with LDC Group and Germany => Pledge of \$167M
- LDCs with low utilization and graduating LDCs receiving priority support
- Outreach and consultation continue with LDCs
- Coordination with countries and GCF for NAP process and implementation



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LDCF Financial Summary

As of end September 30, 2019

ITEM	\$ million
Total cumulative pledges	1,656,09
Total paid contributions	1,439,87
New pledges during reporting period	120.28 [†]
Outstanding pledges	120.28
Unpaid contributions	77.46
Funds available for new approvals as of Nov 2019	64.77 [*]
December 2019 Work Program	59.95

^{*}: This amount does not yet reflect the projects being presented in the December 2019 Work Program.

[†]: Approximate figure subject to currency fluctuations