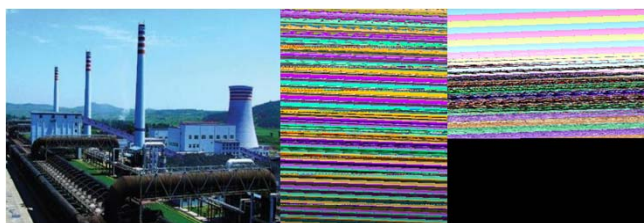


GEF's Role in Financing Technology Transfer



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Mandate of the GEF

- ‰ Financial mechanism of the UNFCCC
- ‰ Partnership of 182 member countries along with the private sector and civil society
- ‰ 10 GEF implementing and executing agencies
 - MDBs: World Bank and regional development banks
 - UN agencies: UNDP, UNEP, FAO, IFAD, and UNIDO
- ‰ Provides grant and concessional financing for projects in developing countries and economies in transition
- ‰ Only multilateral institutional with a mandate to finance technology transfer under the Convention



GEF Experience in Financing Technology Transfer

- ⌘ GEF invested in \$3 billion in over 150 countries since 1991
 - Mitigation
 - Adaptation
 - Technology Needs Assessments
 - National Communications to the UNFCCC
- ⌘ Largest multilateral public-sector technology transfer mechanism
 - Financed demonstration, deployment, diffusion, and transfer of environmentally sound technologies

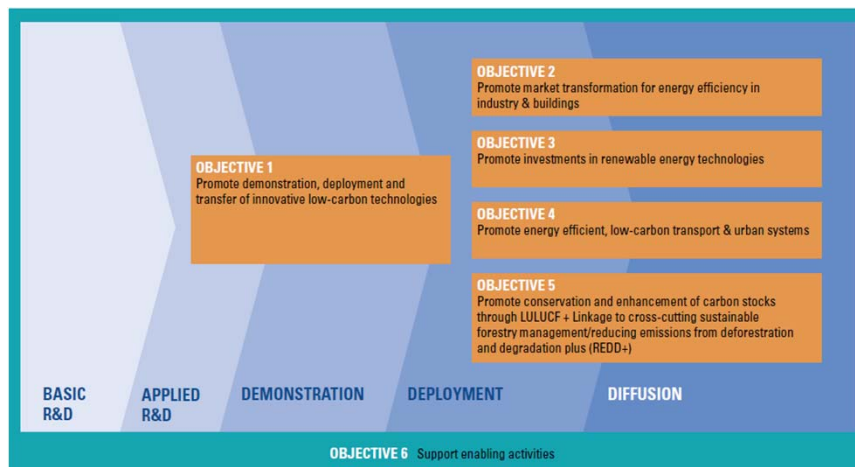


COP Mandate to GEF on Technology Transfer

- ⌘ Poznan Strategic Program on Technology Transfer (COP decision 2/CP.14)
 - Support for Technology Needs Assessments
 - Support for Technology Transfer Pilot Projects
 - Dissemination of successfully demonstrated technologies and know-how
 - Long-term implementation
- ⌘ GEF-5 replenishment
 - \$4.3 billion total (six focal areas)
 - \$1.4 billion for climate change mitigation



Supporting Technology Transfer in GEF-5



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