Triangular Project on Sustainable Development in the Lower Mekong River Basin based on the WEF Nexus

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Lower Mekong Basin (LMB) region
- Cambodia, Lao PDR, Thailand and Viet Nam

5 year-project (Sept 2021 – Dec 2025)

~ 4 million (Ministry of Science and ICT, RoK)

Triangular Cooperation (TrC)

Implementing Partner: UNOSSC
Implementing Parties:
- Mekong Institute
- Mekong River Commission Secretariat
- Science and Technology Policy Institute

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Four Partner Countries (Cambodia, Lao PDR, Thailand, Viet Nam)

OUTCOME 1
Strengthened water, energy and food security for basin community well-being.

OUTCOME 2
Increased employment and reduced poverty among vulnerable people dependent on river and wetland resources.

OUTCOME 3
SS & TrC approaches used to facilitate quick transfer and adaptation of development solutions and technology applications across partner countries.

Output 1
Knowledge and data collected for purposes of selecting pilot projects. At least three (3) WEF nexus projects in the LMB and other regions analyzed, and reports prepared.
A multi-sectoral on WEF nexus formulated and rolled out.

Year 1-2 (2021-2022)

Output 2
Four (4) WEF nexus models designed based on identified project sites, WEF nexus policy, Science Technology and Innovation (STI), South-South learning and partnerships.

Year 2 -3 (2022 - 2023)

Output 3
Four (4) WEF nexus pilots implemented.

Year 3-5 (2023-2025)

Elements to build upon for the PILOTS

1. Knowledge Development
2. Multi-Sectoral Platform
3. Advisory services
4. Technology Identification
5. Capacity Building
6. SS & TrC — BAPA+40

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Overall Implementing Structure