



PACIFIC ADAPTATION TO CLIMATE CHANGE PROJECT [PACC]

Building Resilience to Climate Change in Pacific Communities

FIJI

Climate change is expected to have a significant impact on the Pacific region. The Pacific region is particularly vulnerable to the impacts of climate change, including sea level rise, increased frequency and intensity of extreme weather events, and coral reef degradation. The Pacific Adaptation to Climate Change Project (PACC) is a multi-country project that aims to build the resilience of Pacific communities to the impacts of climate change. In Fiji, PACC is working with the Ministry of Environment, Urban Planning and Construction to develop a National Adaptation Plan (NAP) for Fiji. The NAP will provide a framework for the development of sectoral adaptation plans and will be a key document for the development of the Fiji Climate Change Bill.



PALAU

Palau is a small island nation in the western Pacific Ocean. It is a member of the Pacific Islands Forum and the Pacific Islands Development Programme. Palau is particularly vulnerable to the impacts of climate change, including sea level rise, increased frequency and intensity of extreme weather events, and coral reef degradation. The Pacific Adaptation to Climate Change Project (PACC) is a multi-country project that aims to build the resilience of Pacific communities to the impacts of climate change. In Palau, PACC is working with the Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment to develop a National Adaptation Plan (NAP) for Palau. The NAP will provide a framework for the development of sectoral adaptation plans and will be a key document for the development of the Palau Climate Change Bill.



PAPUA NEW GUINEA

Papua New Guinea is a large island nation in the western Pacific Ocean. It is a member of the Pacific Islands Forum and the Pacific Islands Development Programme. Papua New Guinea is particularly vulnerable to the impacts of climate change, including sea level rise, increased frequency and intensity of extreme weather events, and coral reef degradation. The Pacific Adaptation to Climate Change Project (PACC) is a multi-country project that aims to build the resilience of Pacific communities to the impacts of climate change. In Papua New Guinea, PACC is working with the Ministry of Environment and Conservation to develop a National Adaptation Plan (NAP) for Papua New Guinea. The NAP will provide a framework for the development of sectoral adaptation plans and will be a key document for the development of the Papua New Guinea Climate Change Bill.



SOLOMON ISLANDS

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SAMOA

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FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

The Federated States of Micronesia is a group of islands in the western Pacific Ocean. It is a member of the Pacific Islands Forum and the Pacific Islands Development Programme. The Federated States of Micronesia is particularly vulnerable to the impacts of climate change, including sea level rise, increased frequency and intensity of extreme weather events, and coral reef degradation. The Pacific Adaptation to Climate Change Project (PACC) is a multi-country project that aims to build the resilience of Pacific communities to the impacts of climate change. In the Federated States of Micronesia, PACC is working with the Ministry of Environment and Conservation to develop a National Adaptation Plan (NAP) for the Federated States of Micronesia. The NAP will provide a framework for the development of sectoral adaptation plans and will be a key document for the development of the Federated States of Micronesia Climate Change Bill.



TUVALU

Tuvalu is a group of islands in the western Pacific Ocean. It is a member of the Pacific Islands Forum and the Pacific Islands Development Programme. Tuvalu is particularly vulnerable to the impacts of climate change, including sea level rise, increased frequency and intensity of extreme weather events, and coral reef degradation. The Pacific Adaptation to Climate Change Project (PACC) is a multi-country project that aims to build the resilience of Pacific communities to the impacts of climate change. In Tuvalu, PACC is working with the Ministry of Environment and Conservation to develop a National Adaptation Plan (NAP) for Tuvalu. The NAP will provide a framework for the development of sectoral adaptation plans and will be a key document for the development of the Tuvalu Climate Change Bill.



NAURU

Nauru is a small island nation in the western Pacific Ocean. It is a member of the Pacific Islands Forum and the Pacific Islands Development Programme. Nauru is particularly vulnerable to the impacts of climate change, including sea level rise, increased frequency and intensity of extreme weather events, and coral reef degradation. The Pacific Adaptation to Climate Change Project (PACC) is a multi-country project that aims to build the resilience of Pacific communities to the impacts of climate change. In Nauru, PACC is working with the Ministry of Environment and Conservation to develop a National Adaptation Plan (NAP) for Nauru. The NAP will provide a framework for the development of sectoral adaptation plans and will be a key document for the development of the Nauru Climate Change Bill.



REPUBLIC OF THE MARSHALL ISLANDS

The Republic of the Marshall Islands is a group of islands in the western Pacific Ocean. It is a member of the Pacific Islands Forum and the Pacific Islands Development Programme. The Republic of the Marshall Islands is particularly vulnerable to the impacts of climate change, including sea level rise, increased frequency and intensity of extreme weather events, and coral reef degradation. The Pacific Adaptation to Climate Change Project (PACC) is a multi-country project that aims to build the resilience of Pacific communities to the impacts of climate change. In the Republic of the Marshall Islands, PACC is working with the Ministry of Environment and Conservation to develop a National Adaptation Plan (NAP) for the Republic of the Marshall Islands. The NAP will provide a framework for the development of sectoral adaptation plans and will be a key document for the development of the Republic of the Marshall Islands Climate Change Bill.



NIUE

Niue is a small island nation in the western Pacific Ocean. It is a member of the Pacific Islands Forum and the Pacific Islands Development Programme. Niue is particularly vulnerable to the impacts of climate change, including sea level rise, increased frequency and intensity of extreme weather events, and coral reef degradation. The Pacific Adaptation to Climate Change Project (PACC) is a multi-country project that aims to build the resilience of Pacific communities to the impacts of climate change. In Niue, PACC is working with the Ministry of Environment and Conservation to develop a National Adaptation Plan (NAP) for Niue. The NAP will provide a framework for the development of sectoral adaptation plans and will be a key document for the development of the Niue Climate Change Bill.



VANUATU

Vanuatu is a group of islands in the western Pacific Ocean. It is a member of the Pacific Islands Forum and the Pacific Islands Development Programme. Vanuatu is particularly vulnerable to the impacts of climate change, including sea level rise, increased frequency and intensity of extreme weather events, and coral reef degradation. The Pacific Adaptation to Climate Change Project (PACC) is a multi-country project that aims to build the resilience of Pacific communities to the impacts of climate change. In Vanuatu, PACC is working with the Ministry of Environment and Conservation to develop a National Adaptation Plan (NAP) for Vanuatu. The NAP will provide a framework for the development of sectoral adaptation plans and will be a key document for the development of the Vanuatu Climate Change Bill.



TOKELAU

The Tokelau Islands are a group of islands in the western Pacific Ocean. They are a member of the Pacific Islands Forum and the Pacific Islands Development Programme. The Tokelau Islands are particularly vulnerable to the impacts of climate change, including sea level rise, increased frequency and intensity of extreme weather events, and coral reef degradation. The Pacific Adaptation to Climate Change Project (PACC) is a multi-country project that aims to build the resilience of Pacific communities to the impacts of climate change. In the Tokelau Islands, PACC is working with the Ministry of Environment and Conservation to develop a National Adaptation Plan (NAP) for the Tokelau Islands. The NAP will provide a framework for the development of sectoral adaptation plans and will be a key document for the development of the Tokelau Islands Climate Change Bill.



The PACC Project is designed to promote climate change adaptation as a key prerequisite to sustainable development in Pacific Island countries. Its objective therefore is to enhance the capacity of the participating countries to adapt to climate change and climate variability, in key development and climate change sectors.

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The PACC project covers 14 participating countries and helps develop three key areas that build resilience to climate change in Pacific communities: Fiji, Palau, Papua New Guinea and the Solomon Islands focus on Food Production and Food Security; Cook Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Samoa, Tokelau and Vanuatu are developing Coastal Management capacity; and Niue, Niue, Republic of Marshall Islands, Tonga and Tuvalu are looking to strengthen their water resource management.

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