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1 - Rappel de l'orientation du groupe de travail

1 - Remind of the working group's orientation



Mobilising finance and innovative funding

- There is a gap between required and available financing for water sector projects
- In Africa, reasons for this gap include limited local capital availability, perceived risk of the sector, the enabling environment and a lack of bankable projects
- Working group 4.A was established to:
 - Review and promote innovative mechanisms for financing the water sector
 - Improve the enabling environment, including collaboration with other sectors
 - Help and promote governance tools such as regional and country assessment
 - Build new relationships between investors, governments and private sector
 - Promote projects that support the achievement of the SDGs



2- Cadre d'action et les liens avec les
ODDs concernés

2- Framework for action and links
to relevant SDGs

4.A Framework and SDG Alignment

- **Action 1: Innovative and emerging financing mechanisms and implementation modalities**
 - **SDG Alignment:** 2, 6, 8, 9, 11, 13, 17
 - **Coherence with other priorities:** 1.F (resilience and adaptive capacity), 2.D (sustainable agriculture), 4.E (science, technology and innovation)
- **Action 2: Enabling environments and financing water governance and capacity development**
 - **SDG Alignment:** 6, 8, 9, 10, 13, 17
 - **Coherence with other Priorities:** 3.E (Cooperation and capacity building), 3.F (stakeholder coordination), 4.B (governance)
- **Action 3: Meeting the challenge of financing sanitation: new tools and approaches**
 - **SDG Alignment:** 6, 8, 17
 - **Coherence with other priorities:** 1.B (Waste management), 2.B (rural sanitation), 2.C (sanitation facilities)



3-Les actions clés retenues

3- Key actions

Anticipated Results from Key Actions

1. Increased availability and access to financing for the inclusive development and management of water (and sanitation) in line with SDG 6 and related SDGs
2. Improved capacity to develop, implement, report and monitor water sector master plans; and enhance stakeholder coordination frameworks to increase impact
3. Development and scale-up of financially sustainable approaches, particularly by SMEs that target access to improved sanitation



4-Les projets de messages en direction des acteurs

4-Projected messages to stakeholders

‘Building back better’ and the blue economy

- Global post-Covid economic policies emphasise a ‘green’ recovery
- Building back better presents a financing opportunity for water sector
- Public investment in recovery is stimulating financial innovation
- Opportunity to frame the political narrative around a ‘blue’ recovery
- Policy should emphasise a supporting enabling environment
- Technical assistance could help strengthen capacity development
- A supportive enabling environment can bring large benefits to sector
- Potential for a ‘blue’ recovery should be highlighted to donors





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