

## Transition Framework **Update on IFAD's Financial Architecture Transformation**

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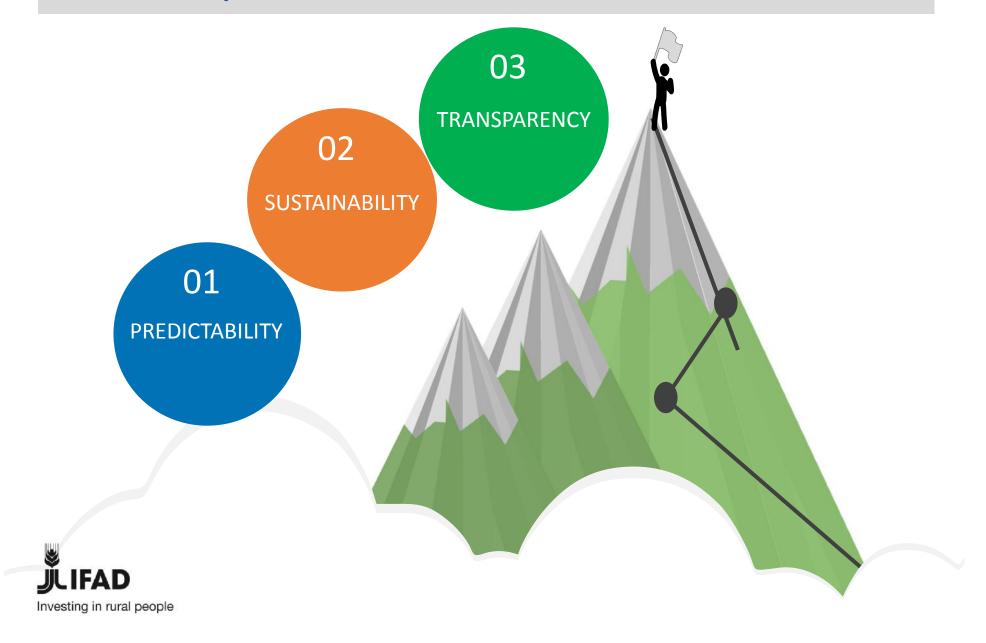
### Transition Framework

## Vision

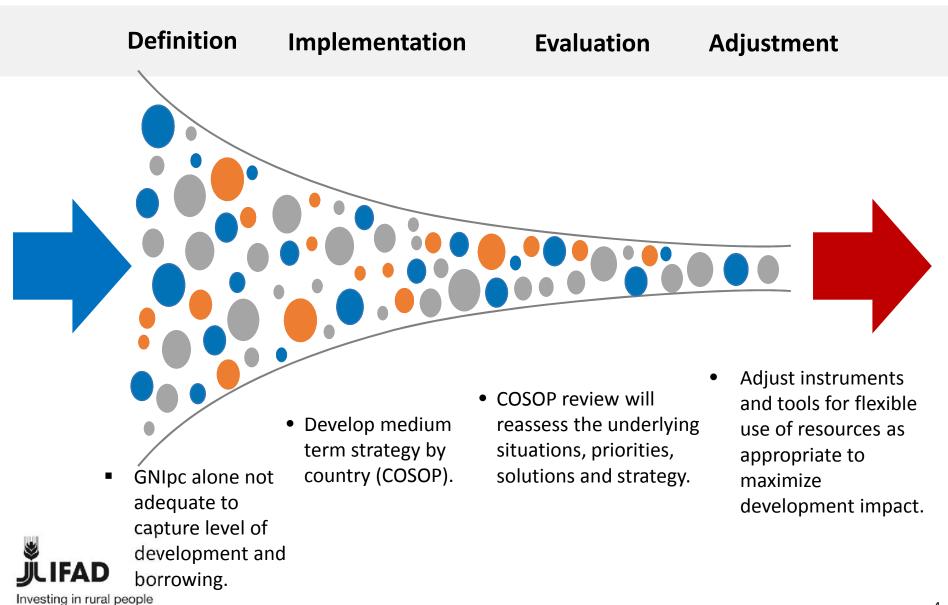
A collection of institutional initiatives to reinvigorate IFAD's operational services and financial capacity to better support countries in their development transitions, especially in rural sectors.



### Principles IFAD's Transition Framework



#### **Transition Process**



#### **Expected Outcomes**

#### **Tailored Approach**

Better tailored logic and expected impact of IFAD's intervention through country strategy.



Enhance the flexibility to adjust IFAD's offer when conditions or government priorities significantly change.



#### **Enhanced Knowledge**

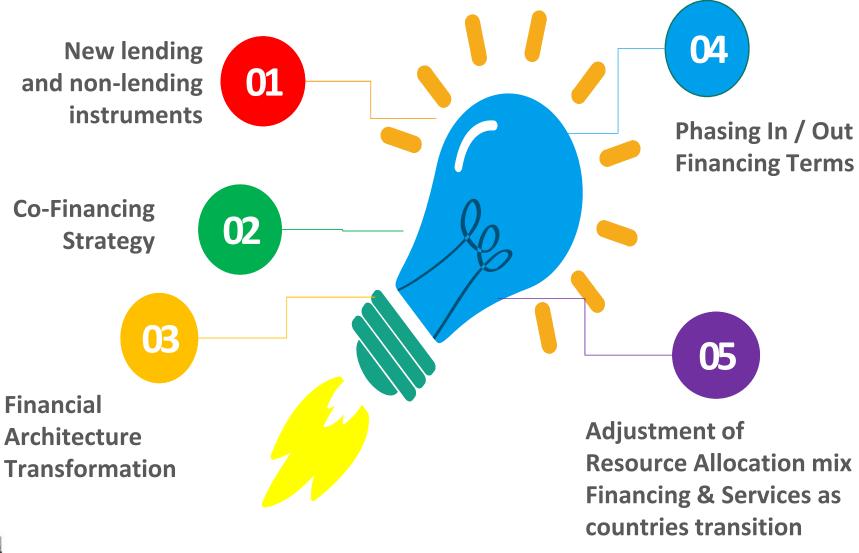
Enhance IFAD's capacity to understand the drivers and needs of countries in transition



Increase the financial and operational menu and flexibility that IFAD can offer for a sustainable transition.



### Expanded IFAD Menu Set

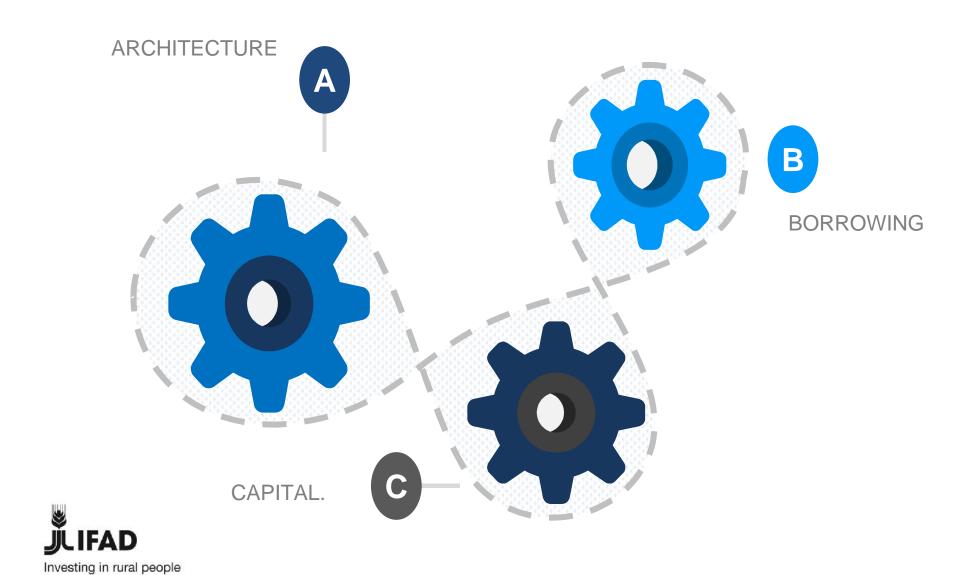




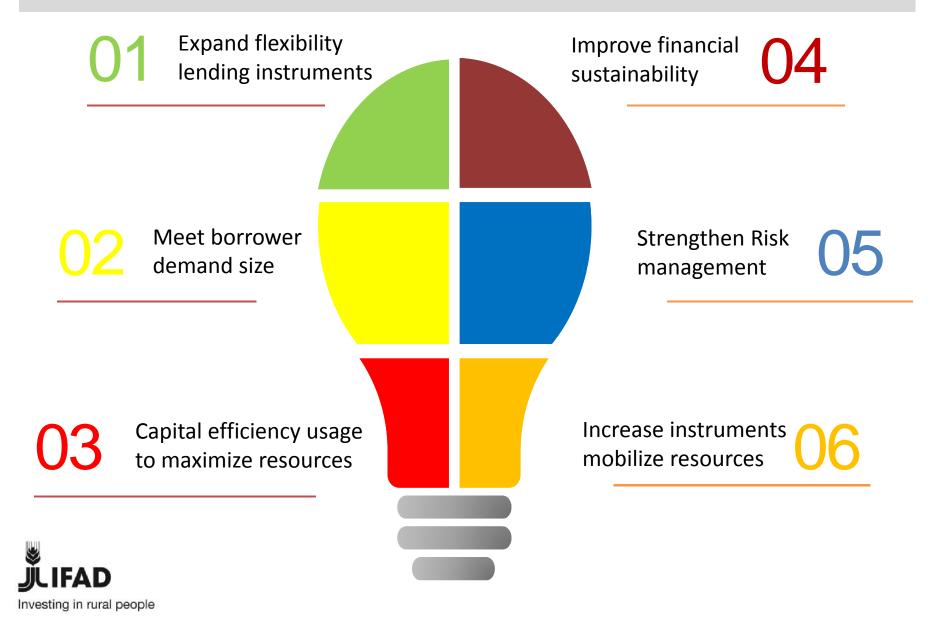




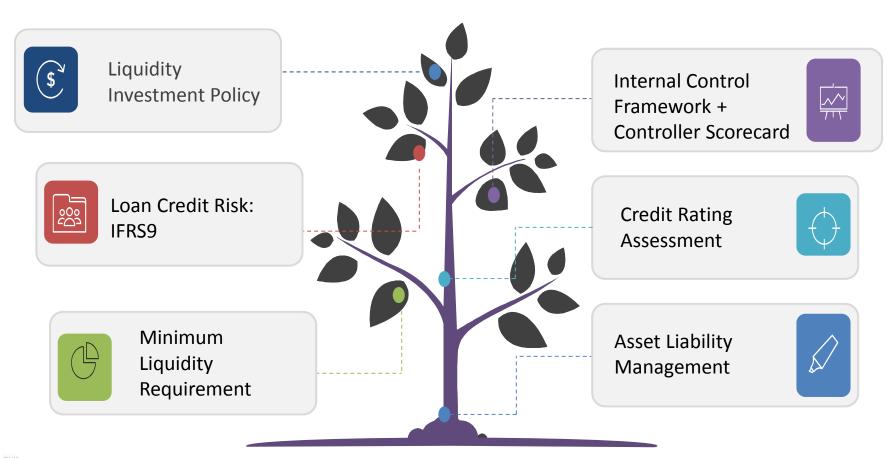
### IFAD Financial Engine



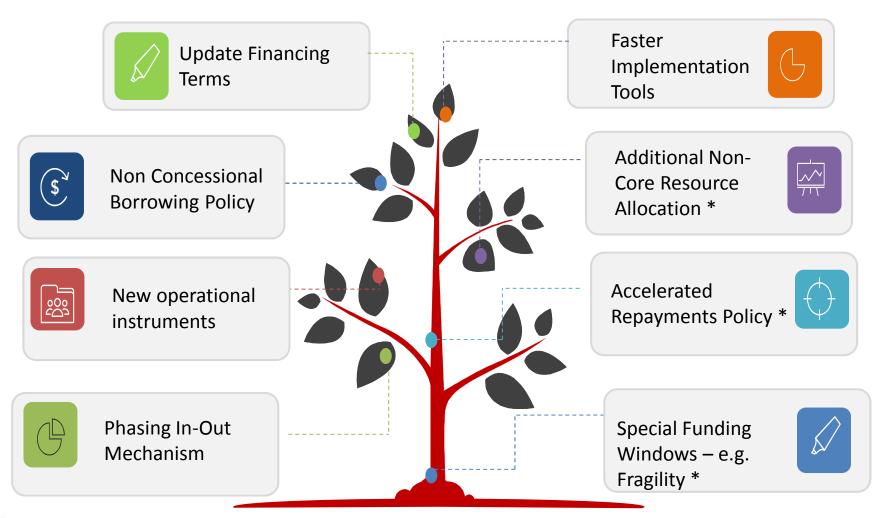
### Why?



### A Architecture

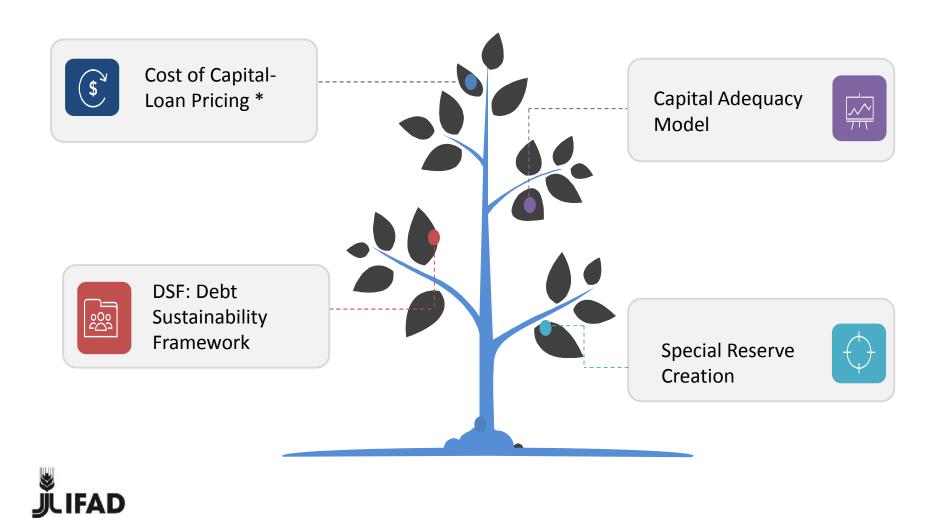








### c Capital



Investing in rural people

### **Expected Roadmap**



### **Expected Roadmap 2018**

#### Q2/2018

- ✓ Loan Credit Risk: IFRS9
- ✓ Independent Financial Risk Assessment
- ✓ Phasing in/ out

#### Q3/2018

- ✓ Update Financing Terms
- ✓ NCBP
- New operational instruments
- ✓ Faster Implementation

#### Q4/2018

- ✓ DSF
- ✓ Liquidity Investment Policy



#### Note:

This is the expected timing for review, initial discussion and guidance.

### **Expected Roadmap 2019**

#### Q2/2019

- ✓ Internal Control Framework + Scorecard
- ✓ Asset Liability Management
- ✓ Special Funding Windows e.g. Fragility \*
- ✓ Additional Non-Core Resource Allocation \*
- ✓ Cost of Capital: Loan Pricing \*

Q3/2019

- CapitalAdequacy Model
- ✓ Accelerated
  Repayments
  Policy \*

Q4/2019

- ✓ Credit Rating Assessment
- ✓ Special Reserve



Q1/2019

Minimum Liquidity

Requirement

\* Subject to approval in Phase III TF Working Group

#### Measures on Corporate Level Evaluation



### Summary: When, how and why...



### SUMMARY (i)



**TIMING** 

Expected Initial Discussion

GOVERNING BODY

**Process** 

CLE

Recommendation
Number

Loan Credit Risk: IFRS9	Q2 / 18	AC + EB	6
Phasing in / out mechanism	Q2 / 18	TF + EB	2
Update Financing Terms	Q3 / 18	AC + EB + GC	2
Non Concessional Borrowing Policy	Q3 / 18	AC + EB + GC	1
New operational instruments	Q3 / 18	TF + EB	2
Faster implementation tools	Q3 / 18	AC + EB + GC	2
DSF: Debt Sustainability Framework	Q4 / 18	AC + EB	1,3
Liquidity Investment Policy	Q4 / 18	AC + EB + GC	1,3
Minimum Liquidity Requirement	Q1 / 19	AC + EB + GC	1,3

### SUMMARY (ii)



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Expected Initial Discussion

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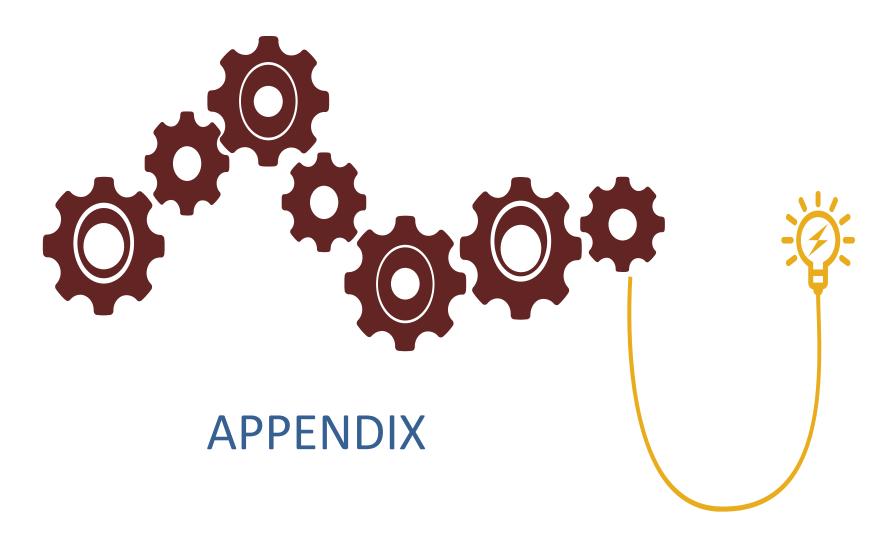
**Process** 

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Recommendation Number

Asset Liability Management	Q2 / 19	AC	1,5,6
Cost of Capital-Loan Pricing *	Q2 / 19	TF + AC + EB + GC	3,7
Additional Non-Core Resource Allocation *	Q2 / 19	TF + EB	3
Special Funding Window Fragility *	Q2 / 19	TF + EB	2
Capital Adequacy Model	Q3 / 19	AC + EB	3,4
Credit Rating Assessment	Q4 / 19	AC + EB	4
Accelerated Repayments Policy *	Q3 / 19	TF + AC + EB	2
Special Reserve	Q4 / 19	AC + EB	1
Int. Control Framework + Scorecard	Q2 / 19	AC	6

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## O1 Liquidity Investment Policy



- ✓ Adjust IFAD's liquidity portfolio risk by decreasing risk appetite and type of investable asset classes.
- ✓ Aligns IFAD's risk profile to that of rated peer IFIs that access borrowing regularly.

### O2 Loan Credit Risk: IFRS9



- ✓ Calculates credit risk by Borrower.
- ✓ Allows IFAD to have greater visibility of its capital needs based on the creditworthiness of its loan portfolio.



- Reduce volatility of investment portfolio profit and loss.
- ✓ Enhance IFAD's management of resources.







- ✓ Supports credit risk mitigation and analysis
- ✓ Compliance with financial reporting standards to ensure a clean audit opinion.



## O3 Minimum Liquidity Requirement



- ✓ The new MLR will incorporate debt into the financial model calculation, which was not envisioned in the current liquidity policy dated 2006.
- ✓ Calculation method of sustainable POLG may change.



# Internal Control Framework + Controller Scorecard

- ✓ Enhancement current Financial Framework by requiring set of minimum controls by IFAD Office.
- ✓ Development Scorecard and monitoring of financial performance by IFAD Office.



- ✓ Enable more effective resource usage and tailor it better to current liquidity profile.
- ✓ A capital adequacy framework will need to complement the new liquidity policy.



✓ Mitigates risk of financial loss due to fraud and error particularly in an enhanced decentralized environment.



## O5 Credit Rating Assessment

O6 Asset Liability Management



- ✓ Initial step before Board's approval to access public markets.
- ✓ Assessment of IFAD's creditworthiness as a borrower.



- ✓ Adequate match of currency and interest rate risks on both sides of the balance sheet.
- Implementation of derivatives to allow tailored loans and investments.



- ✓ Key step to enable access to capital markets.
- ✓ Additional resource mobilization will enable IFAD to increase size POLG.





- ✓ Fundamental tool to mitigate risk of financial losses
- ✓ Derivatives allow IFAD to increase flexibility and range of lending instruments to member countries.



## O7 Update Financing Terms



- ✓ Increases flexibility for borrowers.
- ✓ Provides options to manage debt
   & currency risk.
- ✓ Tailors IFAD's financing terms to address strategic topics such as Small States Economies, within current pricing methodology.



## Non Concessional Borrowing Policy



- ✓ Disincentive to accumulate sizable non-concessional debt.
- ✓ Tool for both IFAD and borrowers on debt and risk management



- ✓ Facilitates IFAD11 delivery.
- ✓ Contributes to resolving ALM mismatch for IFAD loan portfolio.
- ✓ Enables comparability to IFIs.
- ✓ Financially sustainable overall for IFAD and results in faster reflows.





- ✓ Promotes creditor coordination.
- ✓ Preventive tool for debt arrears for borrowers and IFAD.
- ✓ No significant financial impact.



### O9 New Operational Instruments



- ✓ Includes results based lending, regional operations, and Reimbursable Technical Assistance.
- Expands operational and financial instruments and toolkit for borrowers.





✓ Implements smooth and predictable phasing-in of hardened lending terms over the replenishment cycle.



- ✓ Facilitates IFAD11 delivery.
- ✓ Provides increased flexibility for borrowers
- ✓ Facilitates tailoring of lending and non lending products to country demand and needs.



✓ Provides transitional support to borrowers.



- ✓ Encourages earlier use of IFAD resources in cycle
- ✓ No significant financial impact/ risks for IFAD.



### 11 Faster Implementation Tools

## 12 Additional Non-Core Resource Allocation \*



- ✓ Tools to accelerate start-up and hence implementation.
- ✓ Examples: Project pre-financing facility, Project Start-up Technical Assistance, Programmatic Line of Credit.



- ✓ Additional conditional resources to borrowers to satisfy demand over and above the PBAS.
- ✓ Pricing will reflect IFAD's cost of borrowing.



- ✓ Tailoring of lending products to meet country demand and needs.
- ✓ Increases flexibility and liquidity for borrowers.
- ✓ Improves disbursement ratios.
- ✓ Facilitates IFAD11 delivery.





- Creates mechanism to fulfil increased country demand by certain member countries.
- ✓ Provides additional liquidity and reflows to IFAD.
- ✓ No significant financial risks for IFAD if NCBP in place.



## Accelerated Repayments Policy\*

14 Special Funding Windows (e.g. fragility)\*



✓ Establish possibility for borrowers to repay partially or fully their loans in advance, thus avoiding service charge / interest costs.



✓ Establish a mechanisms that provides focused support and additional concessional resources to IFAD's target borrowers, in particular fragile and / or crisis and / or conflict situations.



 Provides increased flexibility for borrowers to manage debt, currency and maturity risk.



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✓ Targets IFAD's niche stakeholders by providing specific support tailored to country demand and needs.





### 15 Capital Adequacy Model

#### 16 Special Reserve



- ✓ Design of stress testing and projection models of IFAD's capital structure
- ✓ Provides a view into long term capital needs and financial sustainability of IFAD.



- ✓ Creation of a special reserve within IFAD's balance sheet
- ✓ The Special Reserve is not for distribution but maintained as a precautionary balance.



- ✓ Ensures proper levels of capital and long term sustainability.
- ✓ Supports other risk measures in safeguarding IFAD capital and member state contributions.



- ✓ Provides a capital cushion
- ✓ Enhances lender confidence in IFAD.







## 17 Cost of Capital – Loan Pricing \*

## 18 Debt Sustainability Framework (DSF)



- ✓ Determination of IFAD's cost of capital to raise borrowed funds
- ✓ Calculation of sustainable interest rates on which to on-lend borrowed funds.



✓ Options to adjust DSF mechanism to tailor it to IFAD's financial position to ensure IFAD's longterm financial sustainability of IFAD.



- ✓ Would allow de-peg from IBRD pricing methodology
- ✓ Tailored pricing that reflects IFAD's financial position and costs.







- ✓ Continue mechanism in a sustainable way in order to support the poorest countries
- ✓ Support the long-term financial sustainability of IFAD.

