



The Common Fund for Commodities

Who we are and what we do

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The Common Fund for Commodities at a glance

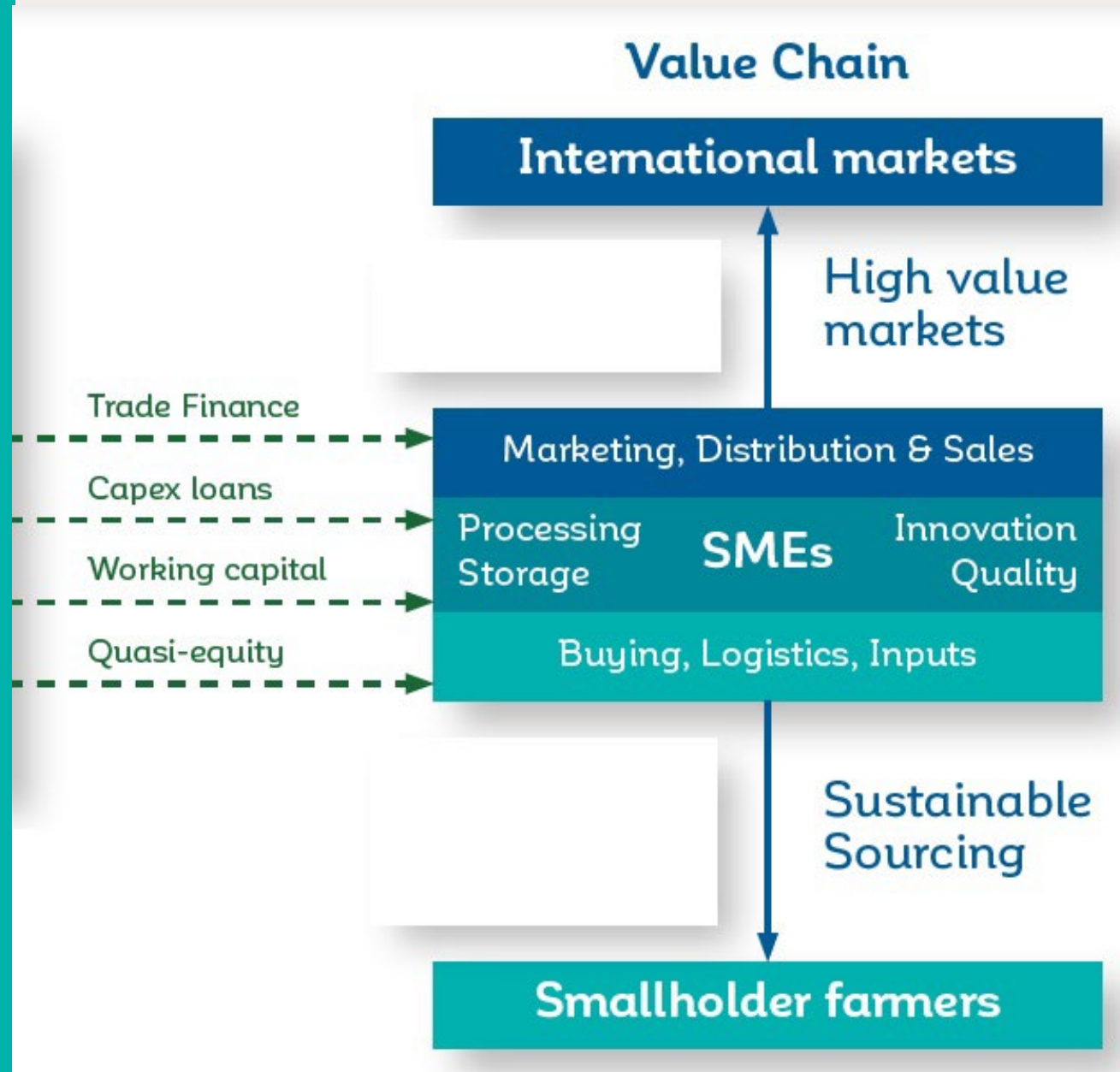
- **Intergovernmental Financial Institution**
- Headquartered in Amsterdam, the Netherlands
- Established in 1989
- 101 member countries
- Institutional Members: EU, AU, COMESA, SADC, ECOWAS, UEMOA, CARICOM, EAC, Andean Community
- 33 years of experience in the global commodity sector:
 - > 500 value chain projects, with a total project cost USD 798 million
 - Since 2014 pivot to impact investing
 - US\$ 52m invested in 50 loans / US\$ 38m currently committed
 - Activities in 99 countries





To contribute to poverty alleviation by
strengthening the income-generating capacity
of commodity producers and mitigating
vulnerability to their economic well being.

CFC Mission Statement





CFC - Call for Proposals

What do we offer?

What are we looking for?

Application Process

What we offer

Term Loans

up to 7 years with max 2 year grace period

Trade Financing

up to 12 months, annually renewable for max 5 years

For all types of financing:

- Ticket size of **EUR 300,000** to **EUR 2,000,000**
- CFC share of financing does not exceed 50%
- Interest rate determined by CFC based on risk profile
- Fast track financing available in exceptional cases

Equity Stake

in impact investment funds

What we are looking for

Agricultural Commodity Sector

Enterprises, businesses, cooperatives and institutions active in the agricultural commodity sector are invited to apply

Innovation for Positive Change

For all applications:

- Based in one of the CFC Member Countries
- Audited financial statements (latest 3 financial years)

Agroforestry, climate-smart agriculture, renewable energy, food security, preventing deforestation, digitalization, financial inclusion, and more

Financial Viability

Applications should clearly show operational and financial viability, and be economically, socially and environmentally sustainable

Application process

- “Call for Proposals”
- Two application cycles a year: April and September
- 6 months lead time
- During the whole process, the applicant will be required to provide further information and documentation

Internal screening by the CFC Secretariat



Evaluation by the CFC Consultative Committee



Feedback and key terms & conditions



Final decision by the Executive Board



WEBINAR OPEN CALL FOR PROPOSALS

Join the
Webinar
Register
here



20 March 2023 | 10:00-11:00 CET

Are you a business/ organisation/ enterprise
interested in submitting a proposal?

Want to know more about how we
provide funding for your project?

JOIN US



www.common-fund.org

You are invited

The CFC hosts a webinar on the **20th of March 2023**.

Everyone interested is invited to join to learn more
about how we provide funding for your project.



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