

The Caribbean Biodiversity Fund: A Civil Society led Partnership for Conservation Financing in the Caribbean.

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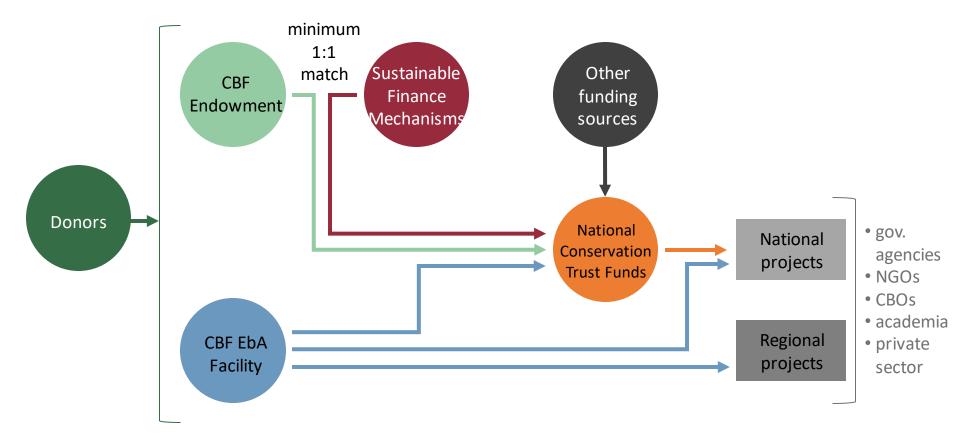








Caribbean Sustainable Financial Architecture





CBF Financial Mechanisms

Endowment

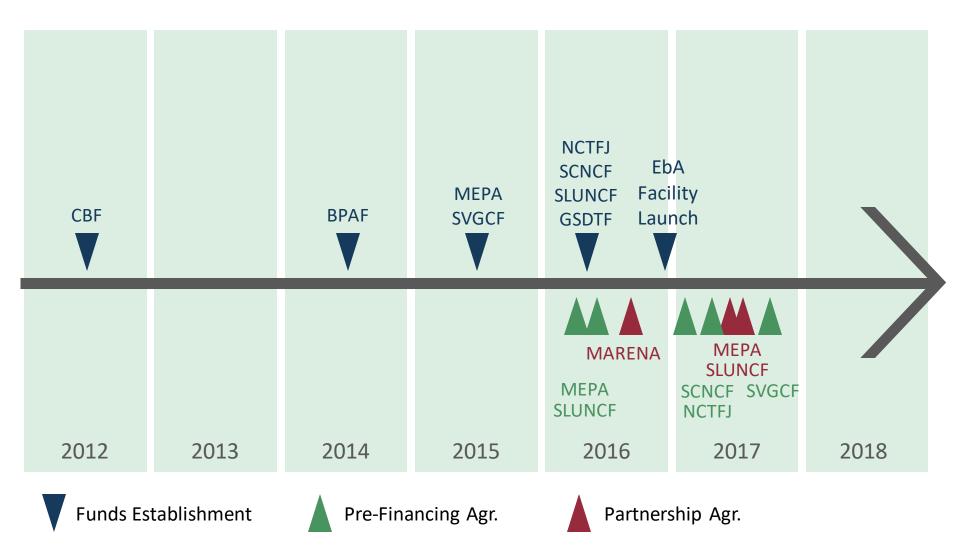
- Year of creation: 2012
- Pledged amount to date: App. 42 million USD
- Pledges to be fulfilled:
 4.7 million USD
- Current market value*: 42.5 million USD
- **Donors**: KfW, TNC, GEF/WB, GEF/UNDP / More to be ID

EbA Facility

- Year of creation: 2016
- Pledged amount to date: App. 25 million Euros
- Current market value*: 26.8 million USD
- Donors: KfW



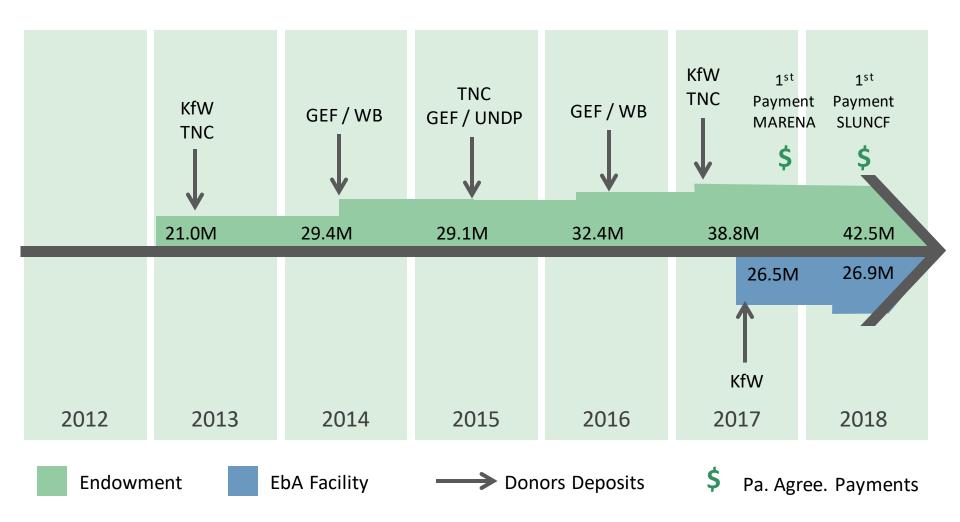
CBF Timeline





CBF Resources Flows

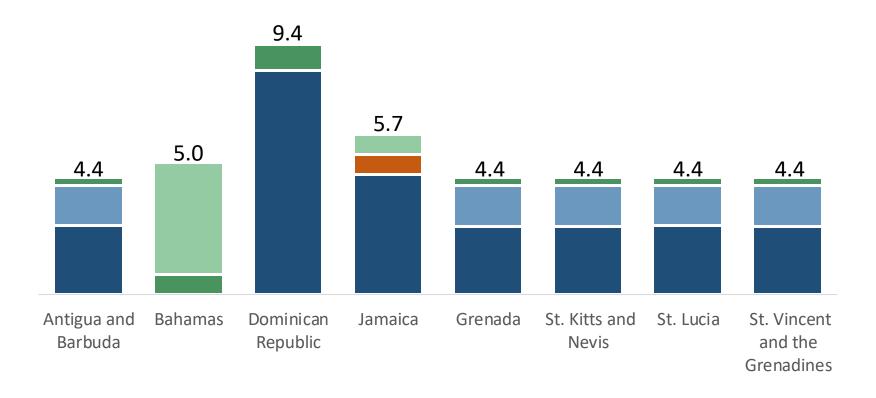
Market value (USD - Dec 31, 2017)





CBF Endowment Resources

Pledges by country (USD Million)



■ KFW ■ GEF / WB ■ TNC ■ GEF / UNDP ■ TNC - to be deposited

Ecosystem-based Adaptation Facility





Ecosystem-based Adaptation is the most recent component of the CBF's Financial Architecture.

KfW awarded a grant to establish the 5-year Euros \$25 M EbA Facility (December 2016).

The grant was established as a sinking fund of the CBF

The EbA Facility will award grants to support a wide range of EbA actions across the Caribbean during 2018.



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Context: A Changing Climate

Hurricane Irma Barbuda Sept 2017



A Changing Climate:



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Hurricane Maria - Dominica – September 2017





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Coastal Erosion



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Floods – Damage to Infrastructure CARIBBEAN BIODIVERSITY FUND



Land-based influence on Marine







EbA Facility Purpose

- Support effective climate change adaptation measures in the insular Caribbean,
- through replicable models
- focused on the use of biodiversity and ecosystem services
- to help people adapt
- to adverse effects of climate change, reduce disaster risk, and build resilient ecosystems and economies



Project Activities?

- Improved management of Protected Areas
- Reduction of land-based stressors
- Measures to reduce physical damage to ecosystems
- Measures to reduce pressure on ecosystems
- Rehabilitation of natural ecosystems
- Installation of artificial reefs
- Measures of grey infrastructure relevant to EbA approach



Mangrove replanting





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Building with Nature



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Thank You!

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