

# ASEAN Forum on Sustainable Investment

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# 3 Main takeaways for AMS consideration

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Consider organizing efforts using a **Sustainable Investment Framework**, adopting **policies and measures** that directly contribute to sustainable development, and using the **OECD FDI Qualities Indicators and Toolkit** and **ESCAP FDI Indicators**



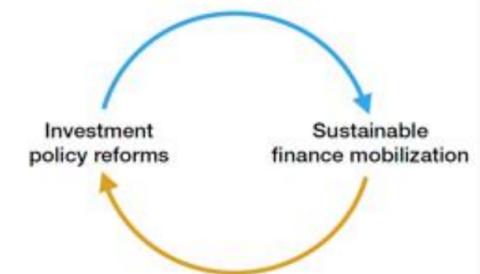
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Consider joining the **World Investment for Development Alliance**, and especially launching projects to Enable Action on Sustainable Investment, or **EASI projects**, which integrate finance mobilization and investment policy reform



Integrating investment policy reform and sustainable finance mobilization

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Consider creating a **regional investment cooperation platform** that can support:

- Knowledge sharing between investment authorities
- Regional, two-way investment flows between AMS
- Investment projects, and engagement with investors

## Article 26 Enhancing ASEAN Integration

Member States recognise the importance of fostering ASEAN economic integration through various initiatives, including the Initiative for ASEAN Integration, Priority Integration Sectors, and AEC, all of which include cooperation on investment. In order to enhance ASEAN economic integration, Member States shall endeavour to, among others:

# Potential process to develop ASEAN Guidelines on Sustainable Investment



*Critical importance of engaging stakeholders throughout process:*

*(i) provide feedback and input; (ii) build support and buy-in; (iii) ensure relevance, effectiveness, and uptake*