

PROBLUE

HEALTHY OCEAN • HEALTHY ECONOMIES • HEALTHY COMMUNITIES

SUPPORTING INTEGRATED AND SUSTAINABLE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IN A HEALTHY OCEAN

PROBLUE is a multi-donor trust fund, administered by the World Bank, that supports the sustainable and integrated development of marine and coastal resources in a healthy ocean.

PROBLUE contributes to the implementation of Sustainable Development Goal 14 (SDG 14) and is fully aligned with the World Bank's vision to create a world free of poverty on a livable planet. As of June 2023, the World Bank's blue economy portfolio exceeds USD 8 billion in active projects.

OUR FOCUS AREAS



IMPROVED FISHERIES
& AQUACULTURE
GOVERNANCE



MARINE LITTER
& POLLUTION
MANAGEMENT



INNOVATION &
THE BLUEING OF
TRADITIONAL SECTORS



INTEGRATED
SEASCAPE
APPROACH

SOCIAL INCLUSION INCLUDING GENDER, CLIMATE CHANGE, BIODIVERSITY, PRIVATE SECTOR ENGAGEMENT

PROBLUE SUPPORT



TECHNICAL
ASSISTANCE

(knowledge & analytics)



CAPACITY
BUILDING



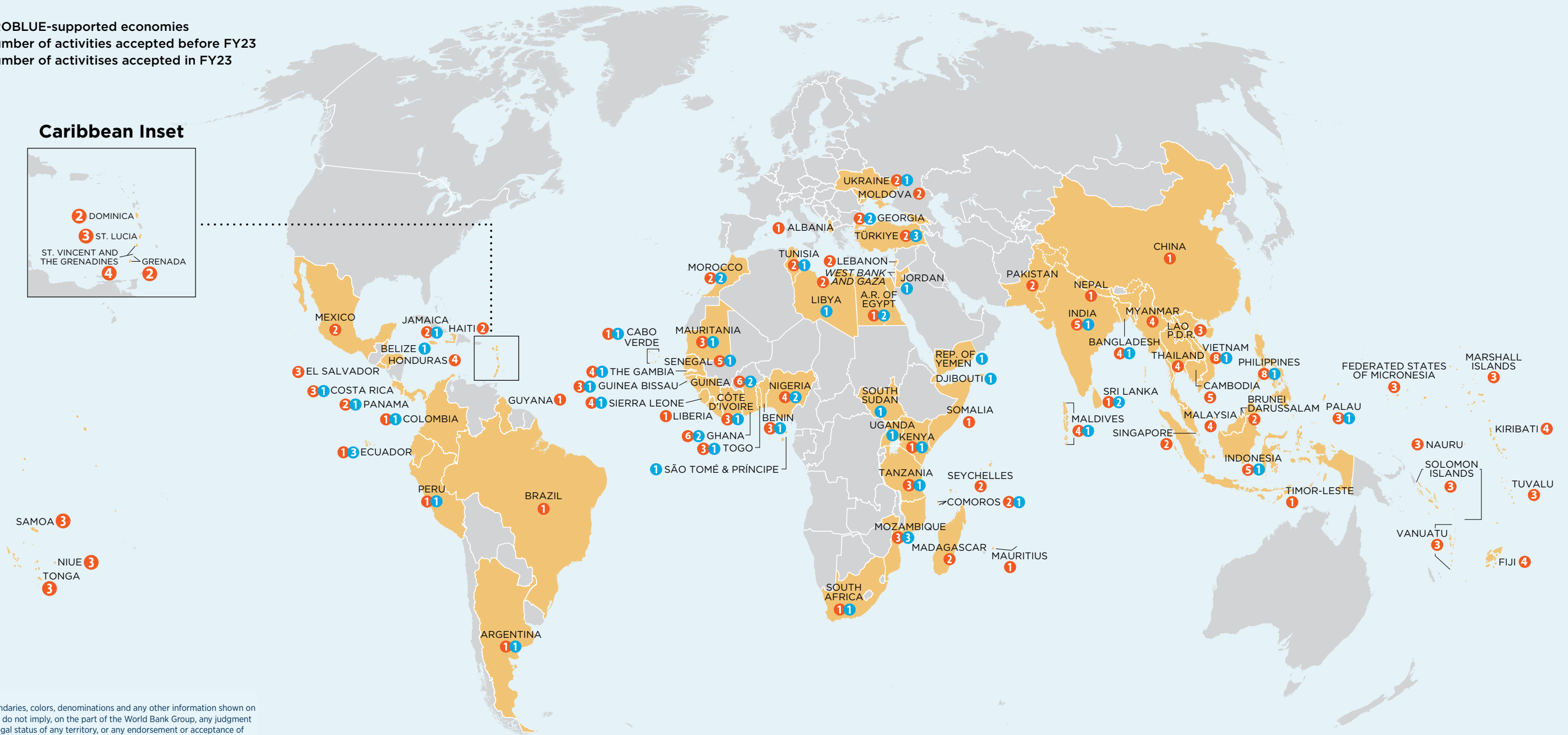
CO-FINANCING
INVESTMENTS

WHERE WE WORK

All PROBLUE-Supported Activities (Ongoing and Closed) as of June 30, 2023

- PROBLUE-supported economies
- X Number of activities accepted before FY23
- X Number of activities accepted in FY23

Caribbean Inset



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PROBLUE BY THE NUMBERS (RESULTS FROM FY 2019-2023)

52 completed activities, 129 ongoing activities in over 80 countries resulted in:

IMPROVED KNOWLEDGE & CAPACITY OF THE BLUE ECONOMY



322 knowledge products
85 tools
427 workshops, trainings, and consultations

IMPROVED INVESTMENTS

\$7.4 billion in development finance informed, of which

- \$5.7 billion IBRD and IDA funding
- \$810 million government counterpart funding
- \$930 million other financing



IMPROVED POLICIES, PLANS & REGULATIONS



31 policies, plans and regulations informed to improve the enabling environment for the Blue Economy

IMPROVED REGIONAL COLLABORATION

44 countries with strengthened engagement in Blue Economy at the regional level



KEY PUBLICATIONS

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<https://www.worldbank.org/en/programs/problue>

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