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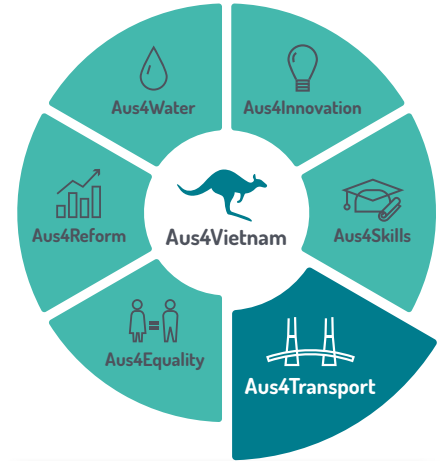
Background

Vietnam has achieved considerable economic and social progress in the past two decades, and is now categorized as a lower middle-income country. However, Vietnam's infrastructure needs to evolve to meet the demands of a rapidly developing country. For example, expressways are needed to reduce traffic congestion on overburdened national highways, and urban transport infrastructure needs to adapt to rapid urban population growth and increasing car ownership.

To achieve these goals Australia will support the Government of Vietnam to develop high quality transport infrastructure project proposals and concepts more rapidly and facilitate better public-private partnerships.

Expected Results

- At least 8 major infrastructure projects reach the market quicker and commence earlier, saving the Government of Vietnam up to USD280 million in interest.
- New infrastructure projects are prepared more comprehensively, drawing on innovative engineering, construction and contracting practices and approaches and which include detailed consideration of social and environmental issues.
- Stronger public-private partnerships and more use of the private sector in infrastructure projects.
- Vietnam can better meet freight and passenger transport needs and reduce congestion.
- Communities have better access to quality transport infrastructure, markets and services and benefit from the increased income.
- Government of Vietnam staff responsible for project development gain improved skills and experience.
- Economic empowerment of women through better consideration of the unique needs of women in infrastructure development and through training of women staff in the Ministry of Transport and female engineering students.



Fast Facts

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Funding

AUD 30 million

Duration

2017 - 2021

Partners

- Government of Vietnam, Ministry of Transport

Project sites

- Nation wide

