ASAP does not employ specific application procedures like other funds (such as issuing calls for proposals) that can be accessed by NGOs or Civil Society Organizations directly.

Results-Based Country Strategic Opportunities Papers (RB-COSOPs) are a typical point of departure for an ASAP investment, highlighting climate change adaptation as a strategic decision for IFAD operations in a specific country. Find out more about RB-COSOPs [here](#).

ASAP applies the same procedures as regular IFAD investments, following the typical IFAD design cycle. You can read more about the IFAD design cycle [here](#).

Actions: RB-COSOP and Project Design Report (PDR) developed for Board review and approval.

Actors: Executive Board; IFAD; other involved parties