

Project Level Application

Step 1: Select Green Road Theme(s) and project characteristics  
(Note: Clear all checkboxes in both Step 1 and 2, and select 'All' in Degree of impact before making selections)

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See the terms used in this sheet in detail via this link: [Glossary](#)

Geography and Climate

Mountainous

Flat

Arid

Tropical

Pacific Islands

Standard of road

Low-Volume/rural

Paved highways

Expressed highways

Urban roads

Road project stage

Planning

Design

Construction/Implementation

Maintenance

Degree of impact

Incremental

Progressive

Transformative

All

Step 2:

Select Enabling factor(s) aligning with the current conditions or policies

☐ Improved Design Standards

☐ Modified Tendering Procedures

☐ Policy Development

☐ Environmental Standards

☐ Regulatory Frameworks

☐ Improved Planning Systems

☐ Public Awareness and Education

☐ Collaborative Partnerships

☐ Roadmaps for Green Roads

☐ Supply Systems: available Resources and Materials

☐ Application of New Technologies

☐ Connection with other programs

Green Road Practices found83

GR objectives served: 

Core contributions

Secondary contributions

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Green Road Theme

Intervention Area

No.

Practice Name

1. Decarbonization

1.1. Road Network Planning and Road Transport Management

1.1.2

Optimize traffic signal timing

1. Decarbonization

1.1. Road Network Planning and Road Transport Management

1.1.5

Facilitate the use of fuel-efficient vehicles

1. Decarbonization

1.2. Design of roads and road appliances

1.2.5

Use of energy-efficient lighting along roads and in tunnels

1. Decarbonization

1.3. Road Construction

1.3.1

Newly emerging asphalt mixtures and compositions

1. Decarbonization

1.3. Road Construction

1.3.2

Material recycling in road construction

1. Decarbonization

1.3. Road Construction

1.3.3

Using energy friendly "Green Cement"

1. Decarbonization

1.4. Vegetative measures to sequester CO2

1.4.1

Roadside tree planting for sequestering CO2

2. Climate Resilience

2.1. Resilient routing/ avoiding vulnerable areas

2.1.1

Moving roads out of channel migration zones

2. Climate Resilience

2.2. Climate resilient road drainage design

2.2.2

Avoid using multiple small culverts

2. Climate Resilience

2.2. Climate resilient road drainage design

2.2.3

Climate resilient culvert design

2. Climate Resilience

2.2. Climate resilient road drainage design

2.2.4

Road surface drainage to prevent water concentration

2. Climate Resilience

2.3. Increased Stabilization of road sides

2.3.1

Complete ground cover in disturbed areas

2. Climate Resilience

2.3. Increased Stabilization of road sides

2.3.2

Deep-rooted vegetation for slope stabilization

2. Climate Resilience

2.3. Increased Stabilization of road sides

2.3.3

Hardening road embankments

2. Climate Resilience

2.3. Increased Stabilization of road sides

2.3.4

Preventing road surface water concentration

2. Climate Resilience

2.3. Increased Stabilization of road sides

2.3.5

Armoring the roadway driving surface

2. Climate Resilience

2.3. Increased Stabilization of road sides

2.3.6

Stabilization of unstable cut and fill slopes

2. Climate Resilience

2.4. Enhance Climate Resilience of roads and bridges

2.4.1

Need for best engineering practices for climate resilience

2. Climate Resilience

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2.4.2

Climate adaptation measures for bridges

2. Climate Resilience

2.4. Enhance Climate Resilience of roads and bridges

2.4.4

Vulnerability assessment for infrastructure

2. Climate Resilience

2.6. Nature-based Solutions for enhanced climate resilience of roads

2.6.1

Promoting Nature-based Solutions for roads

3. Water and Land Management

3.1. Water harvesting and run-off storage

3.1.1

Floodwater spreaders along road surfaces

3. Water and Land Management

3.1. Water harvesting and run-off storage

3.1.2

Directing water to retain ponds/ditches at the roadside

3. Water and Land Management

3.1. Water harvesting and run-off storage

3.1.4

Infiltration structures fed from road drainage

3. Water and Land Management

3.1. Water harvesting and run-off storage

3.1.5

Surface storage fed from road drainage (repurposed borrow pits, ponds and cisterns)

3. Water and Land Management

3.1. Water harvesting and run-off storage

3.1.6

Using roads as reservoir embankments

3. Water and Land Management

3.2. Agricultural Water management

3.2.1

Cascading irrigation fed from road drainage

3. Water and Land Management

3.2. Agricultural Water management

3.2.2

Connecting road drainage cuts to farm trenches

3. Water and Land Management

3.2. Agricultural Water management

3.2.3

Controlled (gated) culverts

3. Water and Land Management

3.3. Groundwater management

3.3.1

Use of infiltration bunds for groundwater recharge along roadsides

3. Water and Land Management

3.3. Groundwater management

3.3.2

Roadside spring protection and management

3. Water and Land Management

3.3. Groundwater management

3.3.3

Non vented road drifts as sand dams

3. Water and Land Management

3.3. Groundwater management

3.3.4

Use of water harvesting measures upstream and downstream of the road

3. Water and Land Management

3.5. Preventing landslides

3.5.1

Catchment management in sensitive and unstable areas

3. Water and Land Management

3.5. Preventing landslides

3.5.2

Soil bioengineering for Green Roads

3. Water and Land Management

3.6. Erosion and Gully control

3.6.2

Erosion control options for soil and water protection

4. Reducing Pollution

4.1. Consider road construction materials

4.1.2

Additives used in road materials as pollutants

4. Reducing Pollution

4.6. Capture and remove pollutants

4.6.1

Planting roadside grass buffer filter strips to absorb dispersed road runoff pollutants

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4.6.2

Planting roadside vegetation to intercept road dust and ambient pollutants taking into account distance from the road and aerodynamics

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4.6.3

Using special accumulator plants for bioremediation of soils along roads

5. Improving Quality of life

5.1. Dust Control

5.1.1

Road stabilization in towns and rural areas

5. Improving Quality of life

5.1. Dust Control

5.1.2

Binding agents and dust palliatives on unpaved roads

5. Improving Quality of life

5.2. Beautification

5.2.1

Scenic roads and roadside facilities

5. Improving Quality of life

5.3. Noise control

5.3.1

Reducing noise from roads

5. Improving Quality of life

5.4. Temperature Control

5.4.2

Separating non-motorized bicycle and pedestrian lanes from vehicles

5. Improving Quality of life

5.5. Traffic Safety

5.5.1

Controlling speed for traffic and pedestrian safety

6. Preserving Biodiversity

6.1. Protect and harness invertebrea biodiversity

6.1.1

Habitat management

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6.1.2

Developing water points (with road water harvesting) away from roads

6. Preserving Biodiversity

6.1. Protect and harness invertebrea biodiversity

6.1.8

Reduce light pollution

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