Enhanced Integrated Framework
Branding and Acknowledgement Guidelines
Help us help you!

Retweets, cross-posts and ‘likes’ can make all the difference between a good news story or blog post, event announcement or publication – and one that actually reaches your target audience.

Whether you are a Main Implementing Entity (MIE), LDC or a grant beneficiary, help us amplify the reach of your communications efforts by keeping the Communications and Outreach Team of the Executive Secretariat (ES) informed about major communications products related to any EIF-funded trade activity.

Don’t wait until you’ve published something! As soon as the MoU is signed, partners should share with the ES their communications plan and focal point contact details, and then send regular project/activity briefs so that we can update the respective country pages on www.enhancedif.org. Send both soft and hard copies of all publications, reports and studies funded by EIF so that we can upload them to the EIF website and distribute at events, and include an outcome or capacity development story in your six-month reporting. Share your best photos, videos, quotes and copies of media coverage to help us illustrate your activities.

If you’re planning an event related to EIF-funded activities, inform us early on. EIF’s role in the activity must be acknowledged in invitations, programmes, banners and display boards (see Annex 1 for details).

Finally, be sure to inform us of any potential reputation risk resulting from any communications material.
Introduction

The Enhanced Integrated Framework (EIF) is the only multilateral partnership dedicated exclusively to assisting Least Developed Countries (LDCs) in their use of trade as an engine for growth, sustainable development and poverty reduction. The EIF partnership of 51 countries, 24 donors and 8 partner agencies works closely with governments, development organizations, civil society and academia. Together we leverage our collective know-how, reach and reputation to tackle the world’s most pressing trade-for-development issues.

These branding and acknowledgement guidelines are part of a wider communications and outreach strategy that aims to raise the profile of the EIF partnership. Their consistent use by EIF and partners will ensure that our collective work is properly recognized at international, regional and national levels.

Why do we need these guidelines?

All EIF stakeholders will benefit from an overarching brand that reinforces EIF’s unique role as a demand-driven, results-oriented, multi-partner programme focusing on trade for development.

Unified branding across the EIF partnership will strengthen existing EIF partner identities, raise awareness of the opportunities in Aid for Trade (AfT) for LDCs, and help elevate the name of the programme to a level that will attract and retain the confidence of current and potential donors.

Who should use them?

These guidelines are for the EIF partnership:

- Executive Secretariat for the EIF (ES)
- EIF Trust Fund Manager (TFM)
- EIF National Implementation Units (NiUs)
- LDC governments
- EIF partner agencies
- Main Implementing Entities (MIEs)

Where and when to use them

It is important that these guidelines are applied consistently across all communications channels (e.g., publications, web content, press releases, news stories, blogs, event materials, media interviews and articles, and social media) as well as on signs, vehicles and merchandise.

Annex 1 outlines the specific requirements by type of product.

Compliance with these guidelines

The EIF branding and acknowledgement guidelines are annexed to the Memoranda of Understanding (MoUs) between the TFM and the MIEs of EIF projects and activities. Partners including the MIE, LDC partner countries, and grant beneficiaries must adhere to the acknowledgement clauses outlined in this document in contracts and agreements. This is true for EIF-funded projects executed through an MIE or a grant beneficiary, as well as for sub-contractors.

For multi-donor or co-financed projects, the visibility of EIF’s branding elements should be proportional to its contribution. In these cases, all partners should implement the branding policy and the visibility guidelines, for example by ensuring EIF visibility in their individual communications about the joint project.

Ensuring these guidelines are followed is the shared responsibility of Country Coordinators and the Communications and Outreach Team of the ES.
Effective branding is about more than including the EIF logo on major communications products. Consistent and unified use of the logo, colours and official terminology will strengthen our shared message. Check that you have considered and properly used all of the branding elements outlined in this document in your communications products.

**NAME**

EIF’s name is used in three official languages:

**English:**
Enhanced Integrated Framework (EIF)

**French:**
Cadre intégré renforcé (CIR)

**Portuguese:**
Quadro Integrado Renforçado (QIR)

In cases where our name is required in a language other than one of the three official languages, please contact us at eif.secretariat@wto.org for assistance with official translations.

**Tip**

The name should be spelled out at first instance and thereafter referred to as simply ‘EIF’, e.g.,

*EIF is the only Aid for Trade partnership dedicated exclusively to assisting LDCs.*

Do not use ‘the EIF’ unless ‘EIF’ is used to modify another noun, e.g.,

*The EIF partnership works closely with governments, development organizations, civil society and academia.*
The EIF logo has been redesigned to place more emphasis on the acronym as a brand and to highlight the purpose of the programme by incorporating the tagline.

**LOGO VERSIONS**
There are three versions of the logo. Wherever possible, use V1, the complete version with acronym, name and tagline.

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**CLEAR SPACE**
Do not crowd the logo with other logos or information. A space equal to the width of the 'E' in the acronym should be left clear around the logo.

**V1. Logo with acronym, name and tagline**
PREFERRED VERSION

**V2. Logo with acronym and name**
2nd PREFERENCE VERSION

**V3. Logo with acronym only**
LIMITED USE VERSION
Logo placement

In all circumstances, use high resolution or vector files and only scale the logo proportionally – never stretch its height or width.
The logo should be used on white backgrounds, or inside a white holding device, whenever possible to ensure readability. Where the logo must be used over a coloured background, use only very light colours.

Tip
To guarantee the best image quality, import the vector or professional version of the logo. Do not copy and paste the logo as an image.

You can download all official vector files at www.enhancedif.org/EIFlogos, or contact us at EIFcommunications@wto.org

Note
The old logo is discontinued and should NOT be used.
Using the correct EIF colours and fonts is vital to building and maintaining a consistent brand identity. These should be used on all communications products. The references below detail the correct colour values to use. Give the Pantone® references and CMYK values to printers you are working with, and ensure to input the correct RGB values into your software.

**Core Brand Colours**

- **PMS 7518 C**
  - C: 38
  - M: 57
  - Y: 54
  - K: 47
  - R: 110
  - G: 78
  - B: 71
  - #6e4e46

- **PMS 118 C**
  - C: 7
  - M: 33
  - Y: 100
  - K: 33
  - R: 173
  - G: 132
  - B: 0
  - #ad8300

- **PMS 7563 C**
  - C: 15
  - M: 41
  - Y: 100
  - K: 0
  - R: 215
  - G: 154
  - B: 43
  - #e79451

**Supporting Colours**

- **C: 100 R: 0**
  - M: 65
  - G: 65
  - Y: 30
  - B: 95
  - K: 40
  - #003e5e

- **C: 90 R: 0**
  - M: 50
  - G: 116
  - Y: 0
  - B: 188
  - K: 0
  - #0074bb

- **C: 57 R: 107**
  - M: 18
  - G: 173
  - Y: 75
  - B: 206
  - K: 0
  - #6baccd

- **C: 0 R: 247**
  - M: 50
  - G: 149
  - Y: 75
  - B: 82
  - K: 0
  - #f79451

- **C: 30 R: 168**
  - M: 95
  - G: 48
  - Y: 90
  - B: 49
  - K: 0
  - #a73031
Typography

The corporate typefaces shown here have been selected to match the typefaces used to create our logo. Consistent use of these helps to build a strong brand presence. They should be used wherever possible.

**Memphis LT**
- **Bold**
  - USE FOR: CHAPTER/SECTION HEADINGS, FEATURE FONTS, PULL QUOTES
  - ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
  - abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz1234567890

- **Light**
  - ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
  - abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz1234567890

**Gotham**
- **Bold**
  - USE FOR: HEADINGS, SUB-HEADINGS
  - ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
  - abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz1234567890

- **Light**
  - ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
  - abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz1234567890

**Proxima Nova**
- **Bold**
  - USE FOR: SMALL SUB-HEADINGS, BODY COPY
  - ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
  - abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz1234567890

- **Light**
  - ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
  - abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz1234567890
Tagline, vision and mission

EIF’s tagline encapsulates our shared vision and principles. Use the tagline with the logo at first instance and wherever space allows. If space is limited, try to ensure that the tagline appears at least once on each communications product.

**VISION**

To support the LDCs in harnessing trade and AfT to promote sustained, inclusive and sustainable growth and development

**MISSION**

EIF supports the LDCs to use trade as a vehicle for economic growth and poverty reduction.

**PRINCIPLES:**

EIF shares a commitment to promoting and celebrating:

- Partnership through increased coordination between development partners and LDC governments enables targeted support to address priority needs of the LDCs, avoid duplication and maximize synergies.

- Ownership of the programme by LDCs, ensuring that EIF support is demand-driven with LDCs managing their trade and development agenda.

- Results for a sustainable impact based on the LDCs using trade for national development.

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**Tip**

EIF is often mistakenly perceived as a donor. Help to correct this misperception by always referring to EIF as a programme that actively implements projects or activities in partnership with LDCs and donors.

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English

“Trade for LDC development”

French

“Le commerce pour le développement des PMA”

Portuguese

“O Comércio como Catalisador do Desenvolvimento dos PMA”
Use EIF boilerplate text in all communications products related to EIF projects or activities. Where space is limited, use the short version.

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**FULL VERSION**

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**French**
Le Cadre intégré renforcé (CIR) est le seul partenariat multilatéral destiné exclusivement à aider les pays les moins avancés (PMA) à utiliser le commerce comme un moteur de croissance, de développement durable et de réduction de la pauvreté. Le partenariat du CIR, qui regroupe 51 pays, 24 donateurs et 8 organisations partenaires, travaille en étroite collaboration avec les gouvernements, les organisations de développement, la société civile et les milieux universitaires. Ensemble, nous utilisons nos connaissances, notre visibilité et notre réputation pour régler les questions les plus urgentes en vue de mettre le commerce au service du développement. www.enhancedif.org

**Portuguese**
O Quadro Integrado Reforçado (QIR) é a única parceria multilateral exclusivamente dedicada a ajudar os Países Menos Avançados (PMA) a utilizar o comércio como motor de crescimento, de desenvolvimento sustentável e de redução da pobreza. A parceria do QIR, composta por 51 países, 24 doadores e oito agências parceiras, trabalha em estreita colaboração com os governos, as organizações de desenvolvimento, a sociedade civil e a comunidade académica. Em conjunto, potenciamos o nosso know-how coletivo, alcance e reputação a fim de abordar as questões mais prementes no âmbito do comércio para o desenvolvimento. www.enhancedif.org

**SHORT VERSION**

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Acknowledgements and disclaimer

All public EIF-funded documents must include the acknowledgements and/or disclaimer, along with the EIF logo and tagline.

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**ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

**English**

The Enhanced Integrated Framework (EIF) is supported by the EIF Trust Fund donors as well as by a range of partners, including governments in LDCs, international organizations, development partners, civil society and academia. We are grateful to all who support our efforts to assist LDCs in harnessing trade and Aid for Trade to promote sustained, inclusive and sustainable growth and development.

**French**

Le Cadre intégré renforcé (CIR) est soutenu par les donateurs du Fonds d’affectation spéciale pour le CIR ainsi que par un large éventail de partenaires, y compris des gouvernements dans les PMA, des organisations internationales, des partenaires de développement, la société civile et les milieux universitaires. Nous sommes reconnaissants envers tous ceux qui soutiennent nos efforts pour aider les PMA à mettre le commerce et l’Aide pour le commerce au service de la promotion d’une croissance et d’un développement soutenus, inclusifs et durables.

**Portuguese**

O Quadro Integrado Reforçado (QIR) é apoiado pelos Doadores do Fundo de Afectação Especial do QIR, bem como por um conjunto de parceiros, incluindo governos nos PMA, organizações internacionais, parceiros de desenvolvimento, sociedade civil e comunidade académica. Agradecemos a todos os que apoiam os nossos esforços em termos de ajudar os PMA a tirar partido do comércio e da Ajuda ao Comércio para promover o crescimento e desenvolvimento sustentados, inclusivos e sustentáveis.

**DISCLAIMER**

**English**

This work was implemented by [name of partner] as part of the Enhanced Integrated Framework (EIF) programme. The Enhanced Integrated Framework (EIF) is supported by the EIF Trust Fund donors as well as by a range of partners, including governments in LDCs, international organizations, development partners, civil society and academia. The views expressed herein are not to be taken to reflect the official opinion of any of EIF’s donors or partners.

**French**

Ce travail a été mis en œuvre par [nom du partenaire] dans le cadre du programme du Cadre intégré renforcé (CIR). Le CIR est soutenu par les donateurs du Fonds d’affectation spéciale pour le CIR ainsi que par un large éventail de partenaires, y compris des gouvernements dans les PMA, des organisations internationales, des partenaires de développement, la société civile et les milieux universitaires. Les opinions exprimées dans le présent document ne doivent pas être considérées comme reflétant l’opinion officielle de l’un ou l’autre des donateurs ou partenaires du CIR.

**Portuguese**

Este trabalho foi implementado por [nome do parceiro] enquanto parte do programa do Quadro Integrado Reforçado (QIR). O QIR é apoiado pelos Doadores do Fundo de Afectação Especial do QIR, bem como por um conjunto de parceiros, incluindo governos nos PMA, organizações internacionais, parceiros de desenvolvimento, sociedade civil e comunidade académica. As opiniões expressas neste documento não devem ser consideradas como refletindo a opinião oficial de qualquer um dos doadores ou parceiros do QIR.

♀ Tip

When a partner’s publication features an EIF-funded project or activity, this fact should be acknowledged in the text and should preferably include tangible figures/examples of the (expected) impact, e.g.,

“This project or activity, funded by EIF, is helping to set up a washing and processing facility, expected to serve up to 4,000 ginger-producing households in Eastern Nepal, 50% of which are headed by women …”
Contact us

If you have any questions, please contact the Communications and Outreach Team at the ES:

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🌐 www.enhancedif.org

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youtube.com/user/EIF4LDCs

flickr.com/photos/152818923@N04/

linkedin.com/company/11161784/

@enhancedintegratedframework
### Annex 1

#### Branding requirements for EIF partners, by type of product

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