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SOURCE at the heart of the FAST-Infra platform

We are proud to be part of the FAST-Infra initiative, and for SOURCE, the Multilateral Platform for Sustainable Infrastructure, to be at the heart of the FAST-Infra Platform.

FAST-Infra — the ‘Finance to Accelerate the Sustainable Transition-Infrastructure’ initiative — aims to close the trillion-dollar sustainable infrastructure investment gap by transforming sustainable infrastructure.

FAST-Infra Platform is a key component of the FAST-Infra initiative. It will be developed as an infrastructure data platform with centralized tools, attached to a project finance loan exchange / marketplace. **The integration of SOURCE at the onset of the FAST-Infra tech-enabled platform, will ensure a level playing field across all stakeholders by empowering public project sponsors to delivering well-prepared projects and establishing a common language.**

In parallel, FAST-Infra is developing a new certification for infrastructure projects – the Sustainable Infrastructure (SI) Label – providing a market signal that labelled projects meet clear sustainability standards.

Over the last month, **SIF trained and supported five government agencies from Brazil, Ecuador, Mexico, South Africa and Uzbekistan to evaluate infrastructure projects against a preliminary version of the FAST-Infra Label into the SOURCE platform.** A total of 11 projects were created and evaluated on SOURCE, leading to the publication of close to USD 8 billion worth of investment.

The 11 projects assessed against the preliminary version of the FAST-Infra Label and published in the SOURCE pipeline were also presented during the COP26 on November 3rd 2021 .