# Building climate resilience through microfinance



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#### **DESCRIPTION**



Adaptation to climate change requires investment to reduce vulnerability and enhance resilience in developing countries.

Microfinance helps low-income individuals have access to small loans and financial services to invest and innovate.

With climate change-related disasters potentially disrupting economic activity and damaging livelihoods, microfinance can help vulnerable communities build capacity and resilience.

Access to microfinance could further reduce gender inequality by increasing access to economic opportunities for women and providing financial support to increase resilience.