

# Public Investment Management Suite

## Overview

In response to the challenges of the global economic climate, governments are turning to performance-based budgeting to allocate scarce public funds to programs which yield the best possible value-for-money and return-on-investment.

Synergy Public Investment Management Suite (PIMS) is a software solution that helps governments manage the lifecycle of public investment programming (PIP), including submission, screening and approval of project proposals, allocation and execution of the capital budget, and monitoring and evaluation. The solution enables governments to capture, track and analyze critical information on public investment programs (PIP) funded under the domestic capital budget.

## Key Features

### Automate Planning and Budgeting for Public Investment Programs

Streamline the budget preparation process by enabling Line Ministries to submit their public investment project proposals online through the PIMS Suite. The Ministry responsible for reviewing the project proposals can review a project proposal, add remarks, approve or reject a project, and assign a capital budget ceiling for each Ministry or government unit online through the PIM Suite. When Internet access is limited, offline and mobile (Smartphone) versions of the PIM Suite are available.

### Track PIP Progress and Budget Execution

PIM Suite tracks detailed data on public investment projects, including financial, project progress, monitoring and evaluation data. Government officials can monitor the budget execution process in real-time, tracking when funds requests are submitted, when funds are released, and how much progress (financial and/or physical) was achieved by the time of the release.

### Implement Results-Based M&E

PIM Suite provides tools for measuring results and comparing them with baselines and targets. Customized M&E frameworks, criteria and analytics are also integrated into the platform. These features support the automation of M&E data collection, reporting and analysis enhancing program performance evaluations/reviews.

### Generating Progress, Budget and M&E Reports

PIM Suite users can conduct ad-hoc queries of PIP data, and generate reports on project progress, budget execution, M&E reports. PIM suite can automatically generate predefined reports on a timely basis, and enables users to create ad-hoc custom reports quickly through a user-friendly interface.

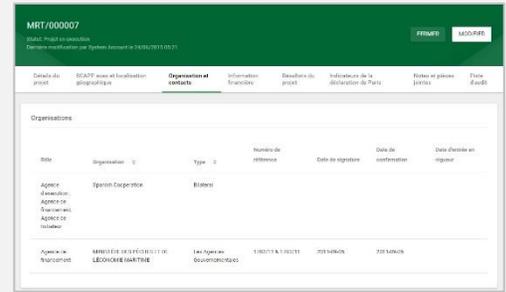
### Data Visualization: Creating Graphs, Charts & Geo-spatial Maps

Users can leverage PIM Suite's graphs and maps to visualize performance data, key indicators, and critical trends. These tools enable insight-driven analysis of gaps, overlaps and alignment with national priorities and development plans.

### Integrate with Synergy DAD

PIM Suite offers seamless integration with Synergy's Development Assistance Database (DAD), used in >35 countries to manage aid-funded projects. PIM-DAD enables policy-makers to assess a country's full set of development programs for alignment and effectiveness. Integration with pre-existing DAD maintains a single user interface, facilitating the rollout of PIM.

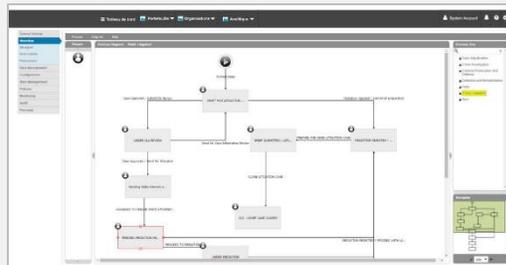
## Synergy PIMS at a Glance



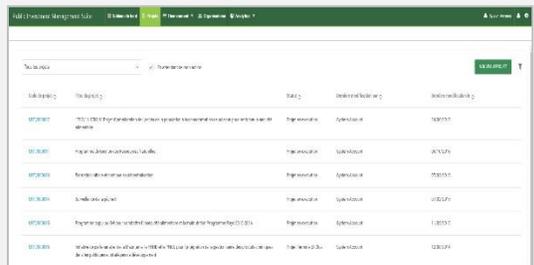
Submission of Public Investment Projects



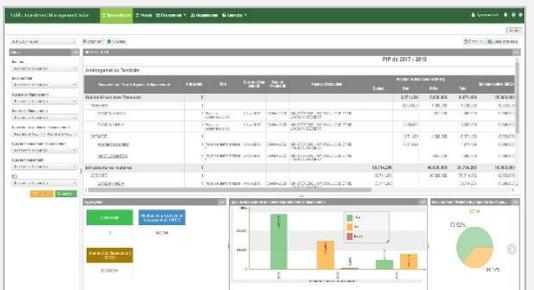
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Workflow streamlines budget/planning



Portfolio of PIP projects



Executive Dashboard

