

'By taking into account the ecosystem services on which people depend for their livelihoods and social and economic security, EbA integrates sustainable use of biodiversity and ecosystem services in a comprehensive adaptation strategy' (CBD 2009)

Aligned with:

- Ridge to Reef; Integrated Island Development; Integrated Catchment Management; Integrated Coastal Zone Management; Whole-of-Island Approach; Community-based Natural Resource Management; Community-based Ecosystem Approach to Fisheries Management

Added value:

- Provides a deeper understanding of the role of biodiversity and ecosystems in maintaining resilience
- Systems perspective focusing on the interconnectedness between social, economic and ecological factors



PEBACC – Pacific Ecosystem-based Adaptation to Climate Change project

Five year project in partnership with the governments of:
(2015 – 2020)

Objective is to raise the profile of EbA (and Eco-DRR) as a low-cost, appropriate response to building CC resilience in the Pacific



Intended Outcome is to have EbA included in relevant policy and planning processes

Supported by:



Federal Ministry for the
Environment, Nature Conservation,
Building and Nuclear Safety

based on a decision of the German Bundestag



PROJECT DESIGN

Phase 1 – Baseline technical assessments (ESRAMs)

Phase 2 – EbA options identified and evaluated. EbA plans developed.

Phase 3 – Implementation of EbA demonstration activities

Phase 4 – Policy integration

Communication and outreach
products developed throughout



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PROJECT SITES

Macuata
Province

Taveuni Island



Solomon Islands

Wagina Island

Honiara (urban)



Vanuatu

Port Vila

Tanna Island



ESRAM studies underway at project sites

Country	Consultants	ESRAM	OPTIONS	Anticipated completion
Fiji	WPN	√		March 2017
Vanuatu	RMIT	√		Nov 2017
	Griffith	√	√	June 2017
Solomon Islands	BMT WBM	√	√	June 2017

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Phase 3 – Implementation – to commence from July 2017

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