

<b>Name</b>	Samoa-Australia Partnership for Development: Climate Change
<b>Capability Area: Impacts/Adaptations</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Understanding Climate Impacts and Informing Adaptation</li> <li>- Climate Adaptation</li> <li>- Policies and Legislation</li> </ul>
<b>Sectors</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Public Health and Safety</li> <li>- Fresh Water Resources</li> <li>- Agriculture and Fisheries</li> <li>- Recreation and Tourism</li> </ul>
<b>Status</b>	- Ongoing
<b>Focus Area</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Fresh Water Resources and Drought</li> <li>- Coastal Inundation/Sea Level Rise, Extreme Weather, and Community Resilience</li> <li>- Marine and Terrestrial Ecosystems</li> </ul>
<b>Regions</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- South Pacific</li> <li>- Samoa</li> </ul>
<b>Description</b>	Australia is supporting the Government of Samoa to implement activities under Samoa's NAPA, primarily in the water, forest and tourism sectors. This includes a national tourism adaptation strategy setting out adaptation standards for tourism services (e.g., to manage surface floods in the capital Apia) and a national strategy for forest fire prevention.
<b>Lead Agencies</b>	Government of Samoa
<b>Partnering Agencies</b>	The information for this activity was provided by the Adaptation Partnership from their Pacific chapter review of planned and existing adaptation activities. These reviews provide an inventory of regional and country-level adaptation activities and a summary of key adaptation priorities, based on documents like the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change's National Adaptation Programs of Action and National Communications. They also identify gaps and opportunities for scaling up and enhancing collaboration. For more information see: <a href="http://www.adaptationpartnership.org/images/stories/documents/asia - pacific regional and country profiles.pdf">http://www.adaptationpartnership.org/images/stories/documents/asia - pacific regional and country profiles.pdf</a>
<b>Required Resources</b>	AusAID, Budget: US\$4 million
<b>Projected Timelines</b>	2009-2013