

RAPID DAMAGE & NEEDS ASSESSMENT (RDNA) · 2026 RELEASE

Nepal's Bhotekoshi–Rasuwa Flood Recovery

STRATEGIC PRIORITIES FOR LONG-TERM RESILIENCE

From emergency response to structural revitalization — embedding climate resilience across critical assets.

NPR 723.31B TOTAL NEED · ≈ USD 4.70B

Based on RDNA · Nepal Resilience. Prepared by Kala Legal

The Scale of Need

Total reconstruction requirement and critical infrastructure at risk

TOTAL RECONSTRUCTION REQUIREMENT

NPR 723.31B

≈ USD 4.70B · Building Back Better

98.8% LONG-TERM



759 MW

POWER IMPACTED



13

HYDROPOWER PLANTS



5

SOLAR SITES

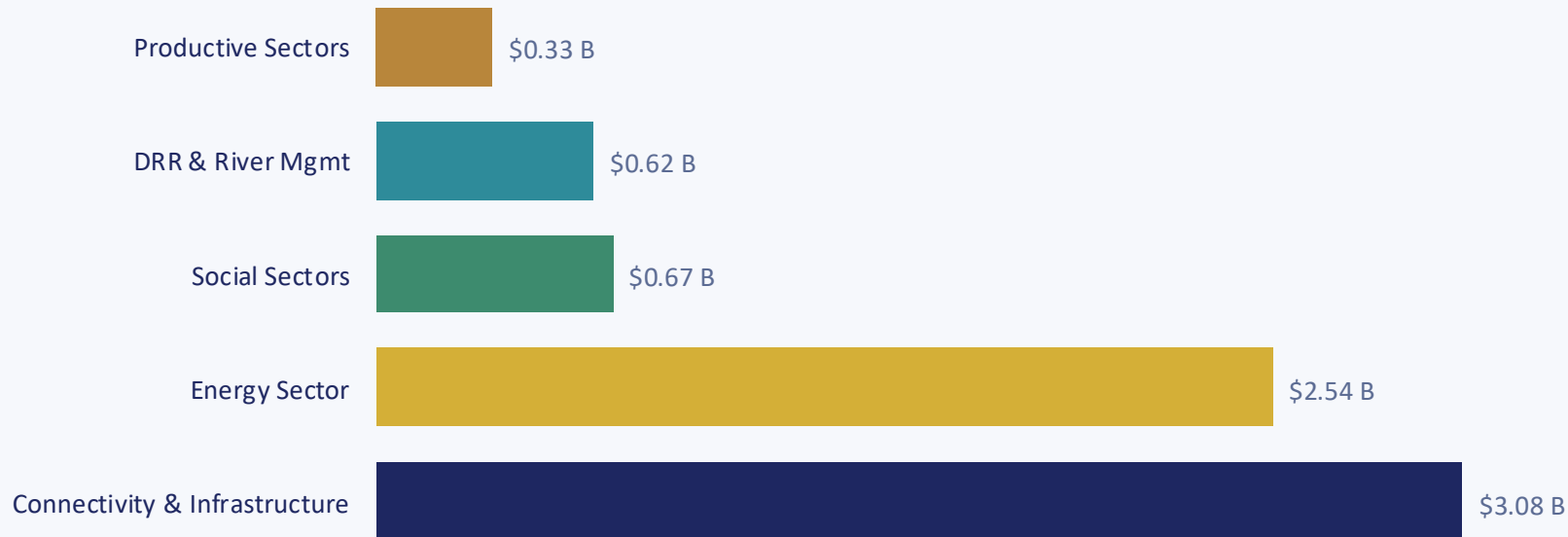


69 KM

ROADS & BRIDGES

Where the Money Goes

USD allocation across five investment pillars



Note: Infrastructure and Energy corridors overlap in accounting (cross-cutting trade & power routes). Pillars represent investment themes, not mutually exclusive slices of the total.

Sector Priorities

What each pillar of investment is rebuilding, and why it matters.



ENERGY SECTOR CONTINUITY

\$2.54B

54% of need

Largest share — restoring regional energy security. 759 MW impacted across 13 hydropower plants & 5 solar sites (NPR 390.62B).



CONNECTIVITY & INFRASTRUCTURE

\$3.08B

65.5% of need

69 km of roads and vital bridge networks, restoring trade & mobility corridors across the region.



DRR & RIVER MGMT

\$616M

13.1%

Building back better — long-term flood resilience along river corridors.



SOCIAL SECTORS

\$670M

14.3%

Housing, schools & health facility stabilization — community-first recovery.



PRODUCTIVE SECTORS

\$330M

7%

Recovery for 4,800 businesses + agricultural land — sustaining livelihoods.

Based on RDNA · NPR 723.31B / USD 4.70B total need

PATH FORWARD

Building Back Better

98.8%

of total need (\$4.65B) is directed to
long-term recovery, not emergency relief



1.2% EMERGENCY

98.8% LONG-TERM RECOVERY

*Recovery relies on strong partnerships across government, development partners & the private sector.
Climate finance for vulnerable mountain ecosystems is critical to sustaining resilience standards across the rebuilt corridor.*