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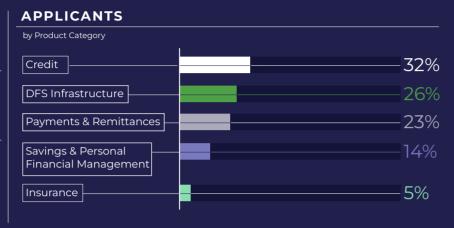
INSIGHTS FROM THE 2022 INCLUSIVE FINTECH 50 COMPETITION

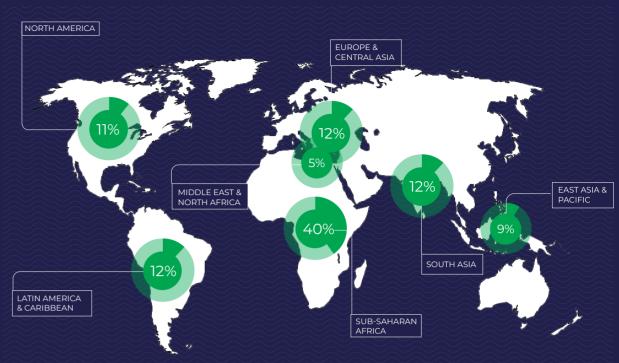
early-stage inclusive fintech applicants Reaching 54M PEOPLE IN 101 COUNTRIES

funded









WHO INCLUSIVE FINTECHS REACH

While most target consumers based on livelihood





RECOMMENDATIONS

- **Fintechs** should design and deliver products and services for women customers, regardless of the fintech team's gender composition.
- **Investors** should encourage fintechs to consider gender when designing products and delivery channels.

HOW INCLUSIVE FINTECHS WORK

Reaching vulnerable customers through tech/touch



offer solutions that support low-literate users through agents and other in-person outreach strategies

Consent mechanisms need to be more robust



request customers' consent but usually is in the form of simplistic

Measuring impact



report collecting data to measure impact, but most data is limited to output measures

- Fintechs and Investors should empower consumers by prioritizing more privacy options for consumers that go beyond yes/no consent.
- **Fintechs** and **Investors** should use customer data for both product delivery and understanding client outcomes.

HOW FUNDING FLOWS

4% of fintechs received 58% of the \$700M raised





Fintechs with women in leadership received

64%

6x less funding

was provided as equity

Investors should look for opportunities beyond the usual geographic markets and operationalize gender-lens investing.

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