JICA’s Assistance to Africa

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The integration has enabled the New JICA to be more strategic, effective and responsive in implementing ODA.

Greater effectiveness, efficiency and impact with 3S (Speed Up, Scale up and Spread Out)

*Excluding those to remain under the auspices of MOFA for diplomatic reasons.
JICA’s Cooperation to Africa in line with the TICAD process

Poverty Reduction through Economic Development
- Infrastructure
- Trade
- Agriculture
- Investment
- Private Sector Development

Human centered development
- HIV/AIDS
- Infectious diseases
- Water and Sanitation
- Human Resource Development

Peace Consolidation
- Governance
- Peacebuilding

TICAD IV Priority Areas
- Boosting Economic Growth
- Achieving MDGs
- Environment / Climate Change

New emerging challenge
TICAD IV Follow-Up

Africa is the top priority in allocating the budget:

- Utmost flexibility and responsiveness shown to project proposals in Africa;
- Supplementary budget prioritized for Africa;
- Environmental program grant aid vigorously applied;
- Energetically formulating new projects in ODA loan eligible countries; and
- Consultation on-going with Angola, Ghana and Nigeria to restart ODA loan projects.
- Preparatory survey missions dispatched more promptly and frequently than any other regions;
Concrete steps to fulfill the commitments

-Preparatory Survey Missions-

- 75 missions dispatched, of those, 25 completed (as of September 1, 2009)
- 20 projects were formulated based on the mission findings
- 33 more missions planned
- Regional balance / priority of the country respected
Example 1: Health Service Improvement

<Asia-Africa Knowledge Co-creation Program (AAKCP)>

“Total Quality Management for Better Hospital Services: A Holistic Approach to Utilizing Existing Resources” (Phase 1, 2) (2007-2011)
Hospital management project with "5S"

5S: Management tool originated in Japan
(Sort, Set, Shine, Standardize, and Sustain)

<Step1>
Hand on 5S system from Japan to Sri Lanka

<Step2>
Hand on 5S from Sri Lanka to African partners
AAKCP (Asia-Africa Knowledge Co-creation)

TQM-CQI-5S in Public Hospitals in 8 African countries

**BASELINE PHOTOGRAPHS**
AUGUST 2007

**OPEN REGISTRY**
FEBRUARY 2008

**MID. YEAR**

**After 1 year**
August 2008

**Before 5S**
Example 2: Rice Production
Coalition for African Rice Development (CARD)

Goal of the Initiative
Double rice harvest within 10 years from the present production of 14 million tons to 28 million tons

Approaches classified by agro-ecology
- **Irrigated Field**
  Rehabilitation of Existing Irrigation Facilities, Strengthening of Water User’s Association
- **Rainfed Lowland**
  Establishment of Rice Development Model
- **Rainfed Upland**
  Expanding of NERICA Dissemination

Implementation Framework
- 21 Countries (12 countries as 1st Group, 9 countries as 2nd Group)

Supporting Partners
- AGRA, FARA, FAO, NEPAD, WARDA, IRRI, JIRCAS, JICA
- WB, AfDB, FAO, IFAD, WFP, UNDP, USAID, etc

Steering Committee
- Members
- Located in AGRA office in Nairobi, 3 staffs from AGRA, JICA, FARA

CARD Secretariat
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The Second CARD Meeting
Coalition for African Rice Development
(June 3 - 4, 2009, Tokyo)

- 140 Participants from African and Asian Governments, International Agencies and Diplomatic Missions in Tokyo
- Recognized the political will towards the implementation of CARD at highest level possible
- Sharing lessons learnt from the 1st Group countries
Ministerial Follow-up Meeting (Botswana, March 2009) adopted the Communiqué emphasizing the negative impact on African continent.

10 new training courses established:

“Seminars on measures against global financial and economic crisis”
- capacity development of the financial sector;
- at least 10 participants per course;
- expected to start as soon as this November.
Thank you