

2009~2012 (12-8D)

Project Name:	<i>Strengthening Participatory Planning and Community Development Cycle for Good Local Governance in Tanzania</i>		
Country:	Tanzania		
Status:	Solo		
Project Duration:	Current Year	Start Date:	End Date:
FY 2009	1 st Year	2009.10.5	2010.7.7
FY 2010	2 nd Year	2010.7.16	2011.7.8
FY 2011	3 rd Year	2011.7.15	2012.7.13
FY 2012	4 th Year (Final)	2012.7.13	2013.5.21
Assignment Description:			
<p>The Government of Tanzania (GOT) has promoted Decentralization by Devolution to Local Government Authorities (LGAs) since 1996. As part of this policy, the GOT has introduced “O&OD (Opportunities and Obstacles to Development),” a participatory planning method uniquely developed in Tanzania, and intends to apply it in all LGAs. To tackle the challenges revealed after the introduction of O&OD, Japan has supported “The Study on Improvements of Opportunities and Obstacles to Development (O&OD) Planning Process” (June 2006 – March 2008), which aimed at preparing comprehensive recommendations for improving O&OD. As a result of the study, the following two challenges were identified: 1) capacity development of stakeholders; and 2) creating an environment that strengthens the autonomy of the local community.</p> <p>Based on the recommendations, this project aims to: 1) develop the capacity of stakeholders to improve the community development process; and 2) develop policy recommendation of a wider scope. The duration of the project is 3.5 years (October 2009 – April 2013).</p>			