

# Technical Cooperation Projects in Costa Rica



Japan International Cooperation Agency

## Participatory Management Wildlife Refuge Barra del Colorado

Objective	Train and educate communities considering that coexist within the wetland Caribe Noreste, qualified as world importance by the Ramsar Commission.
Counterpart institution	Tortuguero Conservation Area National Conservation Area System (ACTo-SINAC), MINAET
Budget execution	total value for the period of implementation \$1.779,733.33
Duration of project	2008-2011
Results attained	<p>After the project 37 organizations are involved in collaborative work, including environmental education activities, waste treatment and recycling, joint patrolling, tourism and other development.</p> <p>Environmental education has been taught in 18 schools and colleges, community development committees and groups of fishermen shelter.</p> <p>4 modules were provided: system refuge management, wetland conservation, sustainable production practices and waste treatment.</p>
II Phase	<p>SINAC and JICA signed the minutes for a second phase of the project to start in April 2013.</p> <p>The objective is to seek to consolidate and improve community participatory management in the country and share knowledge and successful experiences of Costa Rica, on the issue of biodiversity conservation.</p>



# Achievements of the first phase of the Project

## Farms in harmony with nature

