

Terms and Conditions of Yen Loans
(Effective from April 1, 2012)

Category	GNI Per Capita (2010)	Terms	Standard / Option	Interest Rate (%)	Repayment Period (years)	Grace Period (years)	Conditions for Procurement		
Least Developed Countries	Low-Income Countries	Minimal Interest Rate "MIRAI"		0.01	40	10	Untied		
	Least Developed Countries	General Terms	Standard	0.70	30	10			
			Option1	0.65	25	7			
			Option2	0.60	20	6			
			Option3	0.55	15	5			
		Preferential Terms	Standard	0.55	40	10			
			Option1	0.45	30	10			
			Option2	0.40	20	6			
			Option3	0.30	15	5			
		Climate Change	Standard	0.20	40	10			
			Option1	0.15	30	10			
			Option2	0.10	20	6			
Low-Income Countries	-US\$ 1,005	General Terms	Standard	1.20	30	10	Untied		
			Option1	0.90	25	7			
			Option2	0.75	20	6			
			Option3	0.65	15	5			
		Preferential Terms	Standard	0.55	40	10			
			Option1	0.45	30	10			
			Option2	0.40	20	6			
			Option3	0.30	15	5			
		STEP	Standard	0.20	40	10	Tied		
			Option	0.10	30	10			
		Climate Change	Standard	0.25	40	10	Untied		
			Option1	0.20	30	10			
			Option2	0.15	20	6			
			Option3	0.10	15	5			
		STEP	Standard	0.10	40	10	Tied		
		Lower-Middle-Income Countries	US\$ 1,006- US\$ 1,915	General Terms	Standard	1.40	30	10	Untied
Option1	0.80				20	6			
Option2	0.70				15	5			
Preferential Terms	Standard			0.65	40	10			
	Option1			0.55	30	10			
	Option2			0.50	20	6			
	Option3			0.40	15	5			
STEP	Standard			0.20	40	10	Tied		
	Option			0.10	30	10			
Climate Change	Standard			0.30	40	10	Untied		
	Option1			0.25	30	10			
	Option2			0.20	20	6			
	Option3			0.15	15	5			
STEP	Standard			0.10	40	10	Tied		
Middle-Income Countries	US\$ 1,916- US\$ 3,975			General Terms	Standard	1.40	25	7	Untied
					Option1	0.95	20	6	
		Option2	0.80		15	5			
		Preferential Terms	Standard	0.65	40	10			
			Option1	0.55	30	10			
			Option2	0.50	20	6			
			Option3	0.40	15	5			
		STEP	Standard	0.20	40	10	Tied		
			Option	0.10	30	10			
		Climate Change	Standard	0.30	40	10	Untied		
			Option1	0.25	30	10			
			Option2	0.20	20	6			
Option3	0.15		15	5					
STEP	Standard	0.10	40	10	Tied				
Upper-Middle-Income Countries	US\$ 3,976- US\$ 6,925	General Terms	Standard	1.70	25	7	Untied		
			Option1	1.60	20	6			
			Option2	1.50	15	5			
		Preferential Terms	Standard	1.20	25	7			
			Option1	1.00	20	6			
			Option2	0.60	15	5			
		Climate Change	Standard	0.60	40	10			
			Option1	0.50	30	10			
			Option2	0.40	20	6			
			Option3	0.30	15	5			
Consulting Services		For consulting services, the interest rate will be minimal (0.01%) and the repayment, grace periods and conditions for procurement will be the same as those for main components.							
Options for Program Type Japanese ODA Loans		In case of co-financing, it is possible to apply the same repayment terms as co-financer's lending while maintaining the concessionality of Yen loans.							

- STEP (Special Terms for Economic Partnership) is set and reconsidered on January 15 every year to make a tied aid eligible.
- The concessionality level of optional terms does not exceed that of standard terms.
- Under the EPSA initiative, the loan for projects co-financed with the AfDB are extended using "Preferential Terms", determined for each income category; in the case for low-income LDCs, the terms are MIRAI.
- A two-step loan extended to the AfDB to cover its sub-loans to private enterprises under EPSA is extended using the term and condition of 0.55% interest rate and 40-year repayment period including 10-year grace period.
- Irrespective of the country category, the terms applied for projects assisting recoveries from disasters are MIRAI.
- For countries complying with ongoing IMF-supported programs or receiving grants from IDA, it is possible to modify the terms and conditions of the ODA Loans so as to meet the IMF's concessionality criteria.