

Other Activities and Initiatives

Public-Private Partnerships

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Partnership with Japanese Private Sector

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To apply innovations created by the Japanese companies to solve diversifying issues in developing countries, JICA is strengthening collaboration with private companies through initiatives on PPP infrastructure projects, SDGs businesses, and support for Japanese small and medium enterprises.



Science and Technology Research Partnership for Sustainable Development (SATREPS)

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Based on Japan's advanced science and technology, JICA aims to create newer "knowledge" by promoting international joint research between research institutes in Japan and developing countries. It is expected to contribute to solve global-scale issues by giving research outcomes back to the real world.



Citizen Participatory Cooperation

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JICA encourages Japanese citizens to take part in the international cooperation as bridges between developing countries and Japan. We will continue to cooperate with NGOs, local governments, universities, research institutions, and other actors through numerous dialogues for achieving win-win contributions to the growth of developing countries and regions in Japan. JICA is also actively involved in development education in collaboration with schools to share information about various situations in developing countries.



Volunteer Programs

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At the grassroots level, Japanese citizens who are willing to participate in international cooperation are dispatched to developing countries. They are expected to contribute to solving problems in partner countries, while living with local people and familiarizing themselves with different cultures and customs.



Public-Private Partnerships and Partnership with Japan's Private Sector (photo credit: LIXIL Corporation)

Science and Technology Research Partnership for Sustainable Development (SATREPS), Citizen Participatory Cooperation, Volunteer Programs, and Enhancing Development Partnerships (photos by Shinichi Kuno)

To respond to diversifying issues on a global level or the various needs of developing countries, collaboration with partners with innovative technologies or abundant experiences, such as local governments, private corporations, universities, and NGOs, is imperative. To make good use of the expertise of various actors to support developing countries, JICA is implementing a variety of collaboration programs. JICA is also aligning with international aid agencies and other relevant actors to deliberate on important issues that need be tackled by the international community and to widely share the outcomes with the world.

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→ P.94-95 **Emergency Disaster Relief**

When major disasters occur overseas, JICA conducts disaster relief activities according to requests from governments of disaster-affected countries or the relevant parties. JICA's aid in disaster-affected areas includes rescue operations and medical assistance for disaster-affected people and initial reconstruction from disasters. JICA also provides necessary supplies such as blankets, tents, and water purifiers.



→ P.96-97 **Research**

The JICA Research Institute carries out research based on the experiences that JICA has accumulated through actual cooperation activities and contributes to JICA's future operation strategies, and at the same time proactively disseminates the research results domestically and internationally to contribute to the world's development agendas. The institute also conducts research relating to "quality growth" based on the Development Cooperation Charter.



→ P.98 **Enhancing Development Partnerships**

JICA collaborates with international development cooperation agencies, working with them both at policy level and on the ground. Through dialogues with other donors and international conferences, JICA also disseminates its views on important issues that the international community must tackle.

→ P.99 **JICA Starts Working on Achieving the SDGs**

Based on its accumulated experience and network of development assistance, JICA is doing its utmost to achieve the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), the global common targets up to 2030.

