

TRADE-RELATED TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE (TRTA) AND CAPACITY BUILDING IN THE FIELD OF TRADE AND ENVIRONMENT

Submission by the European Communities under Paragraph 33

I. INTRODUCTION

1. Paragraph 33 of the Doha Development Agenda stresses the importance of technical assistance and capacity building in the field of trade and environment to developing countries, in particular the least-developed among them.

2. The World Summit on Sustainable Development (WSSD) Plan of Implementation, adopted in Johannesburg, also refers to the need to strengthen and improve technical assistance and capacity building for sustainable development, both at national and international levels. Discussions in the Committee on Trade and Environment but also in workshops organized by UNEP, UNCTAD and OECD have demonstrated the interest of many WTO Members for this issue.

II. ROLE OF TRTA IN TRADE AND ENVIRONMENT

3. The European Communities (EC) fully acknowledges the need for Trade and Environment technical assistance as being critical for developing countries to meet the challenge of sustainable development. Such an assistance should in particular help developing countries reap the benefits of further trade liberalisation and of new market opportunities while moving towards sustainable development, also at national level. This should accompany the DDA negotiating process so as to ensure that developing countries participate in such negotiations and prepare themselves to embrace the results achieved with regard to sustainability.

4. The EC has continuously highlighted the role of technical assistance in the CTE. Recently in its submission on labelling for environmental purposes (WT/CTE/W/225) and its corresponding proposal (JOB(03)/130), the EC has proposed that the CTE Regular Session shall before the end of 2004 hold, in addition to its usual schedule of meetings to be agreed, [three] “dedicated sessions” that shall pay particular attention, *inter alia*, to “the role of technical assistance to developing countries in designing eco-labelling schemes and in participating in the international standardisation process; technical assistance should also focus on the difficulties faced by developing countries when applying for eco-labels in export markets”.

5. The EC has also called other WTO Members to support the Sustainable Trade and Innovation Centre (STIC), which is a Type 2 initiative designed to help developing country producers integrate environmental factors into their export strategy and to facilitate dialogue on voluntary codes between developing country producers and developed countries.

6. With a view to expanding the discussions beyond the field of labelling for environmental purposes, the EC hereby submits an illustrative list of its trade-related technical assistance and capacity building programmes in the annex.

III. HOW TO READ THE SUBMITTED LIST

7. The purpose of this list is not for the EC to present a total budget for its TRTA activities in the field of trade and environment that would encompass the entire budget of all the programmes listed.

8. Indeed, many programmes include a trade and environment component which is only a part of a wider technical assistance programme: the budgets indicated in the list are the total budgets of each programme and not their specific trade and environment component. Thus, in order to avoid counting twice the same amount, the projects listed which have only a component which relates to trade and environment will not be registered in the WTO Doha Database under the Trade and Environment heading.

9. For the same reason, the time period covered by the programmes is less strictly defined than the one used for the WTO Doha Database: all activities are on-going, just completed or decided and planned to start in the near future.

10. Nevertheless, a description that would be limited to programmes exclusively dedicated to trade and environment would not fully reflect the efforts of the EC to mainstream the trade and environment dimension throughout its TRTA activities, even in programmes that are not specifically designed for trade and environment purposes.

11. Moreover, the aim of this list is to stimulate discussion on the basis of concrete TRTA activities. For this purpose, even limited trade and environment components of wider TRTA programmes can be relevant for a specific country or a specific activity.

12. Finally, this list covers a broad range of trade related activities, but collecting data on TRTA is a complex exercise: the list is therefore not exhaustive. The EC wishes to reserve the possibility to update and complement it.

IV. HOW MAKE USE OF IT

13. Even if the list of activities in the annex is not exhaustive, it has been established keeping in mind some of the principles that the EC considers as particularly important in the design of TRTA in the field of trade and environment:

- to make the process country driven: Sustainability Impact Assessments and UNEP's Integrated assessments are valuable tools that can help developing countries better identify linkages between trade, environment and development and, on the basis of their respective situation and needs, develop adequate tools to be put in place at the national level and better identify a possible need for external support;
- to assist developing countries' trade negotiators;
- to look for synergies between trade, environment and development : many projects tend at the same time to improve the environmental situation and to help developing countries reap the benefits of trade liberalization;

- to enhance coherence among donors: for example, the European Commission has provided support to the Capacity Building Task Force, a joint effort between UNEP and UNCTAD.

14. The aim of the submission of the attached list is to assist the Secretariat in complementing its report under paragraph 33 of the Doha Development Agenda, but also to enhance better co-ordination between trade, environment and development policies and officials in donor and beneficiary countries.

15. In the EC, the selection of these programmes is the result of a decision process involving trade, environment and development services. In countries benefiting from development assistance, the same kind of co-ordination is necessary when it comes to prioritising domestic needs and to designing efficient programmes. The EC would welcome this list being forwarded to capitals to further stimulate discussions between trade, environment and development experts of donors and beneficiary countries. This discussion will help further improve the design of EC development assistance programmes, and should be of interest for other technical assistance providers.

ANNEX

	Country / International Organisation	Project title	Description	Trade and Environment aspects	Commitment for the whole project	Donor
PROGRAMMES WITH SUPRA REGIONAL OR NO SPECIFIC GEOGRAPHICAL SCOPE						
1	Bangladesh, Bolivia, Colombia, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Indonesia, Jordan, Malaysia, Morocco, Nicaragua, Peru, Philippines, Sri Lanka, Thailand	European Commission's Training for Developing Countries' negotiators (March-April 2003)		Parts of the lecture and training sessions related to trade and environment	400,000	COM
2	CITES Secretariat	Programme MIKE (Monitoring of Illegal Killing of Elephants)	Initial phase	Donor	2,425,107	COM
3	CITES Secretariat	Programme MIKE (Monitoring of Illegal Killing of Elephants)		Commitment taken at the last Conference of the Parties of CITES, which is a Multilateral Environmental Agreement	10,000,000	COM
4	Developing countries non specified	INGO/World Wide Fund for Nature	NGO sustainability in trade policy		25,000	FIN
5	Developing countries non specified	Core support to ICTSD	Core support to the International Centre for Trade and Sustainable Development for improving the capacities of developing countries in trade and WTO related activities		67,000	FIN
6	Developing countries non specified	Core support to ICTSD	Core support to the International Centre for Trade and Sustainable Development for improving the capacities of developing countries in trade- and WTO- related activities		67,000	FIN
7	Developing countries non specified.	Sustainability Assessment of Trade Liberalisation	Support for an International Experts Meeting on Sustainability Assessment of Trade Liberalisation in Quito		10,000	FIN
8	Developing countries non specified.	INGO/World Wide Fund for Nature	To facilitate sustainability impact assessment (SIA) in reforming trade policy- making and supporting sustainable development.		25,000	FIN

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9	Developing countries non specified.	INT/Fair Trade Label	Support small-scale producers income generating activities by production development and marketing and by creating demand		505,000	FIN
10	Developing countries non specified.	INT/Fair trade project planning	To establish the partners of the future information and trade project and to plan the administration of the project.		11,000	FIN
11	Developing countries non specified.	REG/WIDER-research	Study of economic policies to help developing countries form economic policies that will lead to robust, equitable and environmentally sustainable growth		84,000	FIN
12	Developing countries non specified.	INGO/Genetic resources action int.(GRAIN)	Supporting local and regional grassroots organizations, facilitating research and increasing information.		334,000	FIN
13	DFID	Voluntary Eco- Labelling Capacity Building	<p>A large amount of work has been carried out on the now well-established forest certification schemes. DFID's involvement includes the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Support for the development of capacity by the Soil Association to contribute to forest certification (completed). · Support for policy research on certification and its impacts on forests, stakeholders and supply chains by IIED and the Forest Research Programme (ongoing). · Training of developing-country nationals in forest certification (ongoing) 		circa GBR 250,000 (each element part of much larger programmes)	UK
14	FACE Foundation		Development and testing of advanced methodologies and tools for assessing multidimensional aspects of CDM projects.	Assessment of socio-economic and environmental impact of CDM-afforestation or re-afforestation projects.	1,638,356	COM
15	FAO	Data Collection and Analysis for Sustainable Forest Management: Linking national and International Efforts	Capacity building at national level to generate the required information.	Improved database for long-term sustainable forest management and forest sector-related trade.	1,199,969	COM

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16	Global	Certification of agricultural products - financed by InWent	National certification authorities will be qualified to ensure the export of products. The products are manufactured according to sustainable criteria and have to comply with the ecological requirements of the European market.	Increase of trade and promotion of ecological standards.	25,000	GER
16	GTZ	Inter-institutional development of training capacity in forest certification.	Enhancing existing capacities and development of capacity-building toolbox.	Certification of forests support their sustainable management and provides a sound basis for trade.	1,373,374	COM
17	ICTSD (International Centre for Trade and Sustainable Development)	Bridges Trade and Biological Resources News Digest	Build a more active and integrated community of policy-makers and influencers from civil society that are able to inform debate and negotiations as they occur.		CHF 298,000	NED
18	ICTSD	General support			SEK 1.700.000	SWE
19	ICTSD (International Centre for Trade & Sustainable Development)	ICTSD	Core support	Information, networking & research on trade - environment linkages	1,160,000	NED
20	ICTSD	Support to international debate about trade, environment and development cooperation through publications			SEK 1.000.000	SWE
21	IIED (International Institute of Environment and Development)	Work on the sustainability of trade.	This led to the following outputs: Phase 1: Publication of three booklets on sustainable trade - Phase 2: An Overview Report on Stimulating Sustainable Trade		GBP 110,000	UK
22	INGO/Genetic resources action int.(GRAIN)	INGO/Genetic resources action int.(GRAIN)	Supporting local and regional grassroots-organizations, facilitating research and increasing information		200,000	FIN
23	ITC	Financed by the German Government	Promotion of trade and investment in DCs, especially LDCs in Africa	Including activities in the field of trade and environment	6,700,000	GER
24	OECD Project "Global Forum – Development Dimension of Trade and Environment"	Including a workshop held 28-30 November 2002 in New Delhi, organized by OECD, UNCTAD and India			SEK 320.000	SWE

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25	Resource Africa, UK	The precautionary principle: sustainable development, natural resource management, and conservation.		Understanding the role of the precautionary principle with regard to trade, including its potential/assumed misuse as trade barrier.	578,180	COM
26	Supra-region.	The impact of a liberalization of fish trade on developing countries - financed by GTZ	Elaboration of recommendations for national and international rules and regulations in fish trade	The economic, ecological (with regard to fishing stocks) and social impact of WTO trade agreements are made known; identification of options for a comprehensive body of rules and regulations for sustainable fish trade	80,000	GER
27	Supra-region.	Promotion of sustainable international and national fishery policies - financed by GTZ	Methods for the implementation of significant conventions are developed and tested; knowledge management through the establishment of a contact point for European and international experts; implementation of a proactive public relations policy for the protection of endangered natural resources in general and fish in particular	Implementation of the Code of Conduct for Responsible Fishing through the counselling of the national, European and international decision making bodies as well as its implementation in the current German technical and financial assistance	1,278,000	GER
28	Svenska Naturskyddsföreningen (SNF)	Strengthening of environmental organizations based in developing countries	Support work within the areas biological and cultural multitude, and "ecological footprints" (i.e., relation between the consumption and lifestyle in the North and the environmental problems in the South)		SEK 60.000.000	SWE
29	Third World Network (TWN)	Seminars, workshops, consultation meetings for politicians and conferences	Strengthening of the developing countries' knowledge within the areas bio-safety, biotechnology and biological multitude, intellectual property rights		SEK 4.500.000	SWE
30	UNCTAD	Bio-Trade Facilitation Program	Capacity-building for production of value-added products & services derived from biodiversity	Improved market access for bio-trade products	2,500,000	NED

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31	UNCTAD and FIELD	Strengthening Research and Policy-Making Capacity on Trade and Environment in Developing Countries	This was a two-year project implemented jointly by the UN Committee on Trade and Development (UNCTAD) and the Foundation for International Law & Development (FIELD). It consisted of a series of workshops and seminars on trade and environment for officials from developing countries. It concentrated mainly on issues surrounding trade and environment relevant to international trade negotiations.		GBP 390.244	UK
32	UNCTAD and FIELD	Building Capacity for Improved Policy Making and Negotiation on Key Trade and Environment Issues	This project is a follow- up to the above. Again implemented jointly by UNCTAD and FIELD it aims to build on the achievements of the previous project in order to strengthen participating countries' negotiating positions in the post-Doha context, addressing particular capacity building concerns of certain countries for improved policy making and negotiation.	Commitment taken at the last Conference of the Parties of CITES, which is a Multilateral Environmental Agreement	GBP 1 million	UK
33	UNDP	Contribution to UNDP's Poverty and Environment Initiative Phase II	Capacity building at national level to apply win-win approaches developed in phase I of the project.	Improved understanding of and policies for the interaction between poverty and environment.	721,770	COM
34	UNDP	UNDP/EU ministerial on poverty and environment at CSD April 1999	Poverty/ environment interaction.	trade aspects	145,132	COM
35	UNEP	Grant for Integrated Assessments on the rice sector	Study on the interaction between trade liberalization, environment and development		100,000	COM
36	UNEP/UNCTAD	Support for three environment/trade studies and evaluations	Strengthening of the developing countries' capacity within the area trade and environment		SEK 1.000.000	SWE
37	UNEP-UNCTAD	Grant to the Capacity Building Task Force (CBTF)	Thematic research, country projects, policy dialogues, networking, training.	Enhanced capacities of developing countries to address trade-environment- development issues.	1,248,780	COM

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38	UNIDO/UNEP	National Cleaner Production Centre Annual Meeting - May 2003	Focus: "Productivity Increase and Competitive Market Access with Cleaner Production and Environmentally Sound Technology Development and Transfer"		40,000	AUS
39	UNITAR	Strengthening Human and Institutional Capacity in Developing countries for Effective Negotiation, Policy Analysis and Coordination on Climate Change.	Building-up DC-based training capacities and curricula.	Impact of trade and development policies on climate change-relevant developments.	700,000	COM
40	Univ. Stuttgart	Start-up clean development mechanisms in ACP countries	Preparation of some CDM-projects and development of capacities for their implementation.	CDM-related trade.	952,335	COM
41	UNPROFOR	UN PROFOR Forestry	National forest programmes		84,000	FIN
42	World Bank	Contribution to the African Forest Law Enforcement and Governance (AFLEG) process		Project aiming at the adoption, by a high level African Ministerial Conference, of a declaration on the fight against illegal logging, trade of illegally logged resources, and the effective implementation of the law	500,000	COM
43	World Bank & WWF	Trade Liberalization, Rural Poverty and the Environment	Research and capacity building activities in 8 DCs.	Understanding and managing the interaction of trade liberalization, environment and rural poverty.	1,379,329	COM
44	Worldwide	Genetic Resources Policy Initiative	Strengthening research capacity in support of policies in the area of intellectual property rights, conservation and use of plant genetic resources		2,250,000	NED
45	Worldwide	Enhancement of coffee quality	Raising income of coffee producers by quality improvement and minimising food safety risks		1,715,000	NED
46	Worldwide	Kuyichi Fair Jeans	Organising a chain of producers, distributors and marketing for fair trade jeans clothing		227,000	NED

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47	Worldwide	Core Funding 2001-03 International Comm. Trade and Sust. Development	Integrating sustainable development principles in the global trading system		1,160,000	NED
48	Worldwide	Core Funding 2001-03 International Comm. Trade and Sust. Development	Supporting developing countries to develop an informed position in relation to the negotiations on TRIPS, biodiversity and food security.		331,000	NED
49	Worldwide	Core Funding 2001-03 International Comm. Trade and Sust. Development	Negotiations with private sector on better terms of trade for producer organisations, prepare developing countries to supply quality and quantity.		11,000,000	NED
50	Worldwide	Core Funding 2001-03 International Comm. Trade and Sust. Development	Enhance the quality of products and producers and increase exports via supermarkets		1,000,000	NED
51	Worldwide	Core Funding 2001-03 International Comm. Trade and Sust. Development	Partnership with private sector to improve market access by enhancing cooperation in the field of quality and safety standards (Indonesia, Malaysia, Vietnam, South Africa, Tanzania, Uganda and Zambia)		8,000,000	NED
52	WTO	Doha Development Agenda Global Trust Fund - financed by the German Government		Including T&E technical assistance activities of the WTO Secretariat	2,000,000	GER
53	WTO	Doha Development Agenda Global Trust Fund		Including T&E technical assistance activities of the WTO Secretariat	SEK 16.000.000	SWE
54	WTO	Doha Development Agenda Global Trust Fund		Including T&E technical assistance activities of the WTO Secretariat	1,050,000	COM
55	WWF	WWF Website on Sustainability Assessment of trade agreements			CHF 175.684	NED
56	WWF	Evaluation of trade agreements from an sustainable environmental perspective			SEK 820.000	SWE

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57	WWF / MPO	Economic Change, Poverty and the Environment	Action oriented analysis, strategy summaries, direct intervention, policy development, policy delivery.	Globalisation - interaction of rural poverty & environment.	1,589,784	COM
58	WWF Macroeconomics Program Office	Trade liberalization, rural poverty & environment	Research on trade's social and environmental impacts	Case studies in Brazil, Chile, Mexico, Madagascar, South Africa, China, India, Viet Nam	1,313,000	NED
59		NFP Facility and PROFOR	National forest programmes		61,000	FIN
60		Forestry Programme	Optimal forest products and services		50,000	FIN
61		Forestry Programme	Education on forestry		210,000	FIN
62		Forestry Programme	Sustainable forest products/services		208,000	FIN
63		Program in support of social and ecological standards in developing countries - financed by the German Government	Increasing the social and ecological performance of DC by means of trade related voluntary instruments such as labels and codes of conducts		3,300,000	GER
64		STIC, Sustainable Trade and Innovation Centre	Network organisation aiming to help developing countries' producers to become leading (taking initiative, instead of following) in sustainable production		364,000	NED
65		Creating the Context for Sustainability Assessment and building Capacity - Implementing agency: WWF International	- Advocacy and NGO capacity-building focused on official assessment processes led by the European Commission; - Targeted advocacy activities based on the conclusions and recommendations identified during the case-study analysis on trade-driven soy agriculture in Brazil; - General advocacy activities aimed at key international processes, such as the 2003 WTO Ministerial Conference		CHF 100.000	NED
66		ISO-education within the area of technical regulation and environment (ISO 14000)			SEK 920.000	SWE
67		Harmonization of criterion for environment- and social labelling	A joint project between four organizations working with this kind of labelling (FLO, IFOM, SAI and CAN).		SEK 3.600.000	SWE

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68		International courses in Sweden for representatives from developing countries	- ISO 14 000, Environmental Management.		SEK 3.810.000	SWE
69		Capacity building of bio-safety and bio-policy /a	Courses and seminars within bio-safety and bio-policy, including intellectual property rights		SEK 39.000.000	SWE
70		TRIPS study	Study concerning WTO:s regulations on intellectual property law with focus on plant breeding, biological multitude, access for medicine.		SEK 250.000	SWE
71		Strengthen of the developing countries capacity to negotiate issues related to TRIPS	Five regional two-day seminars are arranged by International Centre for Trade and Sustainable Development (ICTSD) together with Quaker (London and Geneva).		SEK 7.630.000	SWE
72		Strengthen of the developing countries' capacity to negotiate issues related to TRIPS	Development of a negotiation book, policy papers, etc. and seminars by ICTSD in cooperation with the Quaker United Nations Office, Geneva (QUNO) and UNCTAD.		SEK 7.630.000	SWE
73		Pre-study for market- and method development of ecological coffee			SEK 200.000	SWE
74		Sustainability Impact Assessment of WTO negotiations			1,000,000	COM
EUROPE (OUTSIDE EC, ACCEDING AND CANDIDATE COUNTRIES) CENTRAL ASIA						
75	Albania	Institution building - Standards and certification	Develop quality infrastructure in Albania.	DPS according to Directive 98/34/CE. Separation of Accreditation. Adoption of EN and implementation of New Approach Directives. Develop certification and inspection bodies.	2,000,000	COM
76	Georgia	Establishment of a Vine Control System - financed by GTZ	Establishment of a system for quality assurance according to EU norms	The project pays special attention to the conservation of traditional wine varieties	1,498,000	GER
77	Kyrgyz	KIRG/Support to the Environmental Sector	To improve the capacity of the environmental institutions in Kyrgyzstan		840,940	FIN

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78	Moldova	Harmonisation of Moldova's system of standardisation, technical regulations	Develop quality control infrastructure in Moldova, i.e. harmonisation of legislation, HRD, capacity building of laboratories (food and petrol products).	Implementation of EU directives for meat, milk and dairy products, canned / fresh vegetables and fruits, tobacco. EA of food and petrol laboratories.	1,400,000	COM
79	NIS of the former Soviet Union	Veterinary Treatment and Quality of Food Products	Veterinary Treatment and Quality of Food Products to meet e.g. export regulations		160,000	FIN
80	Regional (Moldova, Georgia and Kazakhstan)	Cleaner production in industry in Moldova, Georgia and Kazakhstan	Pollution reduction and better resource use in NIS industry at the same time as improving profitability	Cleaner production standards will encourage economic development, including exports to EU	1,500,000	COM
81	Russia	Developing potato processing and testing in the Leningrad region	A study trip for Russian potato specialists will be arranged to Finland. They will be made acquainted with the grading system of potato qualities suitable for industrial production and trade. Russian potato varieties will be tested.		25,000	FIN
82	RUSSIA	Training program for timber harvesting, transport and trade in Komi 2001-	Training program for timber harvesting, transport and trade in Komi 2001-		50,000	FIN
83	Russia	Implementation of a model for ecological, social and economic sustainable forestry management. The project shall, among other things, result in environmental certification according to international standards.		Certification of wood products	SEK 5.000.000	SWE
84	Russian Federation	Approximation of Technical Rules and Standards	Creation of the relevant legal framework, professional training, accreditation of laboratories and cooperation with European standardisation bodies.	Approximation of Russian technical rules and standards to EU directives will help enhance trade between the EU and Russia.	4,000,000	COM
85	Russian Federation	Harmonisation of standards in industry in Russia	IPPC, industrial permits, legal basis, convergence to EU orientation	Industry/product standards to match EU for export	2,000,000	COM

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86	Ukraine	Foreign Trade regime - Norms & Standards	Creation of legislative framework for standards, technical regulations and conformity assessment, putting in place of a certification laboratory	Stricter norms and standards and capacity to enforce these will lead to a lesser environmental burden	1,750,000	COM
87	Ukraine	Industry & Environment in Ukraine	ISO 14000 and EMAS systems, Certification and standards institute, pilot projects	Industrial products expert connection: certification to international standards	2,000,000	COM
AFRICA CARIBBEAN PACIFIC						
88	Africa	Certification of Fair-Trade and Eco-labelling in Developing Countries - financed by BMVEL			800,000	GER
89	Africa	Forestry - sustainable development of the tropical environment	Discussions at international level on forestry and multi-donor projects, strategic studies and support for regional initiatives in Central Africa		1,219,592	FRA
90	Africa	Support for Priority Solidarity Zone (Zone de solidarité prioritaire - ZSP) countries with climate change negotiations and mechanisms	Educational programmes on the operation and objectives of climate change mechanisms		1,829,388	FRA
91	Africa	Sustainable fisheries resource management; protection of the marine environment	Support for sustainable resource management strategies, regional fishing programmes and protection of the marine environment		1,219,592	FRA
92	Africa	Support for the implementation of sustainable development			3,500,000	FRA
93	Africa	Energy and sustainable development	Replenishment of energy capacity, including non-renewable resources; reinvestment with risk-sharing among strategic contracts		2,340,000	FRA
94	Africa	Support for sustainable biological diversity management	Educational programme on biodiversity, conservation and the enhancement of biological diversity for regional development		2,200,000	FRA
95	Africa	Integrated water resources management			1,829,388	FRA

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96	Africa	Research-development partnership on desertification			1,829,388	FRA
97	Africa	Support for meteorology in Africa			1,219,592	FRA
98	South Africa	Training centre for water-sector personnel in South Africa			762,245	FRA
99	Angola	ANG/Solidary exchange between Finland and Angola	Development of poor rural areas of Angola, import of the products of small African producers to Europe, information campaign of Fair Trade principles		419,000	FIN
100	Benin	Sustainable wetland (coastal lagoon) management support programme	Creation of an intercommunal council for ecological development, and information on characteristic features of coastal areas		716,507	FRA
101	Botswana	Promotion of the National Quality System - financed by the German Government	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Establishment and management of a national standards body and a TBT-National Inquiry Point (WTO) – Establish certification and accreditation systems – establishment of materials testing laboratories – Networking with other African Conformity Assessment Bodies – Support ISO-Membership 		3,500,000	GER
102	Botswana	Capacity building of Four NGOs for Community Base Management of Veld Resources	Strengthen capacity of four NGOs to work with communities for sustainable management of veld products in a complementary manner.	The project has developed and marketed a number of vegetable products, including herbal teas, soups, marmalades etc.	DKK 9,000,000	DK
103	Burkina Faso	Support to sustainable production of fire woods	By supporting a sustainable production of firewood, the component seeks to ensure larger earnings for the rural population and a replanting of trees corresponding to the amount of trees cut down	See description	DKK 28,500,000	DK

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104	Cameroon	Promotion of Eco-tourism - financed by GTZ	Development of concepts for specific issues in eco-tourism for selected pilot regions and the initiation of according implementation measures	Promotion of eco-tourism and eco-management in the tourism sector: development of a strategy for the extension of eco-tourism; promotion of a public-private partnership in the tourism sector; support in the marketing of Cameroon as a destination for eco-tourism	1,534,000	GER
105	Cape Verde	Water resources research and management			304,898	FRA
106	Caribbean	Enhancing sustainable development benefits from trade in the Caribbean	Provide training and promote policy dialogues to assist developing countries in the Caribbean in enhancing sustainable development benefits from trade, in particular by building capacities to: - train policy specialists and trainers in the region how to, respectively undertake and train others to undertake integrated assessments of trade liberalization; - promote production and trade in environmentally preferable products		USD 75.633	NED
107	Caribbean	Caribbean Agriculture and Fisheries Programme			22,000,000	COM
108	Central Africa	Partnership network for the sustainable management of forests in central Africa	WWF	Analysis of the financial interest that can represent for the private sector the setting-up of forest certification or good management schemes	2,992,779	COM
109	Cuba	Capacity building in geographic information management			457,357	FRA
110	Eastern and Southern Africa	Feasibility study for the establishment of an authority of certification for organic cultivation			SEK 195.000	SWE
111	Ethiopia	Integrated biodiversity management in central and northern Afar	Inventory and enhancement of wildlife biodiversity for development and tourism; institutional, scientific and logistical support		2,000,000	FRA

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112	Ethiopia	Integrated management of the Nile waters			1,540,000	FRA
113	Forest Stewardship Council (FSC)	Support for FSC certification of timber and sustainable forest management	Establish a Forest Stewardship Council regional office for Africa and create systems for certification of timber in Africa. The project is aiming at having 15 companies working in Africa participating in the certification. Furthermore, increased cooperation in sustainable forest management with 10 local community groups is being sought.	See description	DKK 2,217,000	DK
114	Gabon	Forestry and environmental management	Sustainable management of ligneous and non-ligneous forestry resources, and appointment of a technical consultant		762,245	FRA
115	Gabon	Institutional support for forestry management	Introduction of forest resource licences and control of the use thereof; training, with the appointment of a technical training consultant and assistant		762,245	FRA
116	Gabon	Institutional support for fisheries and aquaculture	Support for groups of fishermen, quality control and health inspections, monitoring of resources		457,347	FRA
117	Gabon	Sectoral programme for the development of protected areas	Institutional strengthening and tourism	Eco-tourism and protection of biodiversity	4,700,000	COM
118	Gabon	Development of a wildlife management method for the forest massifs of Central Africa - Pilot project in north-east Gabon	WWF	Management model for concession forests aimed at reducing trade in bushmeat	1,400,000	COM
119	Ghana	Private Sector Development Programme	Linking Danish and Ghanaian companies. Offers access to finance and TA for market development, capacity building, and compliance with environmental standards.	Environmental assessment is done for full scale projects.	DKK 30.000.000 /year	DK
120	Ghana	Wood sector study	Sustainability of wood sector and forests is key. Study of wood processing sector in Ghana with the aim of pinpointing future	See description.	DKK 33.000	DK

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			possible prospects also for exports.			
121	Ghana	Integrated Crop Protection - financed by GTZ	It is aimed at adapted measures in integrated crop protection	Improved provision of services in integrated crop protection; promotion of integrated crop protection as an element in rural BDS; support of the development of quality standards for good agricultural practices in crop protection	4,295,000	GER
122	Ghana	Woodworking Sector Development Plan	export promotion of wood species that are less used		3,500,000	COM
123	Indian Ocean	Regional plant protection programme		Programme linked to the export of fruit and vegetables to the EU market	4,850,000	COM
124	Indian Ocean	Feasibility study for tuna tagging in the Indian Ocean		Sustainable monitoring of the resources	175,000	COM
125	Indian Ocean	Tuna tagging in the Indian Ocean		Sustainable monitoring of the resources	13,000,000	COM
126	Kenya	Support for human capacity building in the water sector			885,000	FRA
127	Madagascar	Contribution to decentralized natural resource management			800,000	FRA
128	Madagascar	Support for the Madagascan environmental policy			945,184	FRA
129	Madagascar	Bemahara Programme	Environmental and agricultural programme	Eco-tourism promotion and protection of biodiversity	5,000,000	COM
130	Mali	Support for institutional reform of the water sector			1,000,000	FRA
131	Mauritania	Fisheries Monitoring and Control - financed by GTZ	Strengthening of the institutional capacities of the DSPCM	The DSPCM is better equipped to protect the fishing resources	829,000	GER
132	Mauritania	Sustainable fisheries resource management and management of the marine environment	Adjustment of fishing operations to resource renewal, product development and protection of the marine environment		1,524,490	FRA
133	Mauritania	Support for restructuring of water facilities and sanitation operations			609,796	FRA

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134	Mauritania	Integrated and sustainable natural resource management			762,245	FRA
135	Madagascar	Contribution to the locust control campaign			762,245	FRA
136	Mozambique	MOZ/Center for Sustainable development of natural resources	A Centre for Sustainable Development established in Chimoio to promote rural development and natural resources management in rural areas of Mozambique		3,085,347	FIN
137	Mozambique	National Forest Programme	Natural resources assessment		126,000	FIN
138	Mozambique	Miombo community land use and carbon management project, N'hiambita pilot project - University of Huddersfield (UK)		Assessment of the potential cost of maintaining the Miombo forests with regard to carbon sinks (not reforestation, rather simple village maintenance)	1,587,232	COM
139	Namibia	NAM/Information and communication service for sustainable development	To develop information and communication service for environment to promote sustainable development		411,703	FIN
140	Namibia	Establishment of small tourist, municipality supported, projects. In the end of 2001, Namibia Community Based Tourism Association had 44 member companies.		Eco tourism	SEK 4.950.000	SWE
141	Niger	Sustainable utilisation of domestic fuel wood	The objective of the project is to strengthen a sustainable utilisation of the wood resources. This is sought achieved through the establishment of a transparent and efficient system of utilisation, in which the active participation of the stakeholders will imply an economic interest for themselves. The management of the natural resources is equally strengthened through this system.	1. Improved structure of the trade with domestic fuelwood both as regards consumers and traders. 2. In this relation uncontrolled utilisation of the wood resources is sought eliminated and a well-functioning management of the natural resources is established.	DKK 22.8 mill. for phase 2 (phase 1 was implemented by the World Bank)	DK

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142	Niger	Support for the National Long-Term Ecological Monitoring Observatories Network			929,999	FRA
143	Niger	Control of drinking water distribution			609,796	FRA
144	Pacific Ocean	PROCFISH	Regional Pacific Oceanic and Coastal Fisheries	Better monitoring of resources	10,500,000	COM
145	Pacific region	Fisheries Information and Analysis System		Sustainable monitoring of the resources		COM
146	Papua New Guinea	Eco-Forestry Programme		Marketing of timber	7,500,000	COM
147	Papua New Guinea	Rural Coastal Fisheries Development			6,000,000	COM
148	Regional Africa	DML FSC-Forest Management	To secure that Africa's forests are well managed and that timber from these forests has good access to markets in North.		450,000	NED
149	SADC	Quality management, SADC - financed by InWent	Training in quality management in enterprises with emphasis on technical, financial and human resources.	Training the development of SMEs and their international market potential.	698,000	GER
150	SADC	Enterprise-based environmental management, Africa - financed by InWent	Training of young executives from SADC to accomplish environmental management and cost minimization in industry.	Diminution of environmental load simultaneously to the enhancement of the production increases trade prospects	389,000	GER
151	Salomon Islands	Rural Fishing Enterprises phase II		Support small companies trying to export their fish to Northern markets	1,900,000	COM
152	Selected countries in Southern Africa	Improve services of private sector institutions, particularly for SMEs - financed by the German Government	The programme includes the introduction and – where already established – strengthening of services at chamber level for the promotion of regional trade (buyers-sellers meetings, trade fairs, etc.) and of export to Germany	Including bio-products	3,500,000	GER
153	Senegal	Support for sustainable joint management of the fisheries sector	Support for consultation mechanisms, professional associations and public service with a view to consolidating the		1,219,592	FRA

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			fisheries industry			
154	Senegal	Institutional support for the environmental sector			1,219,499	FRA
155	South Africa	UNIDO - National Cleaner Production Programme			770.000 financed by Austria	AUS
156	South Africa	Sustainable Utilisation through Law Enforcement Training and Law Compliance Assistance	Incentives created to encourage the sustainable use of wildlife in South Africa, amongst others, by ensuring that conservation staff, customs and border police are in position to identify CITES-listed species.	Follow up to the CITES convention to prevent trade of endangered species	DKK 2.217.000	DK
157	South Sahara (unspecified)	SADC Forestry Colleges	Strengthening of Forestry Colleges		107,000	FIN
158	South Africa	Capacity building of farmers in the Makhithini irrigation scheme, managed by the Flemish Agency for Development Cooperation and Technical Assistance and the Kwazulu Natal Department of Agricultural and Environmental Affairs (DAEA) and financed by the Flemish Community	Optimalisation of the economical and social opportunities of the Irrigation scheme and the Makhithini area in a ecological manner by the organisation of training for the local communities.		254,150	BEL
159	Sub-Saharan Africa	Harmonisation of the African Plant Protection Policy - financed by the German Government	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Strengthening the role of African states in IPPC activities through the Inter-African Phytosanitary Council of the AU Harmonisation of national strategies in plant protection, pesticide management and quarantine according to SPS requirements Improvement of communication and cooperation between countries Improvement of legal systems 		1,500,000	GER

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160	Support to African Centre for Technology Studies (ACTS) concerning bio-policy		Research and education within bio-policy, intellectual property rights		SEK 750.000	SWE
161	Tanzania	Business Sector Programme Support, phase II (BSPS-II)	The objective of component 2 of BSPS-II is to improve the access of especially small and medium-sized enterprises to international and domestic markets.	Under component 2 support is provided to Tanzanian Bureau of Standards to ensure better compliance of Tanzanian products with international standards, including environmental standards.	DKK 14.300.000	DK
162	Tanzania	URT/Ecological tourism	By developing ecological tourism living standards are improved in the Livingstone. Incomes are used also for improving health and social work		5,887,000	FIN
163	Tanzania	National Forestry Programme	National forest programme implementation/capacity building		106,000	FIN
164	Tanzania	National Forest Programme	Implementation of the NFP		424,000	FIN
165	Tanzania	Authority of standardization	The support has been going on since the end of 1970. The present focus: investment in physical infrastructure; and marketing, information campaigns and capacity building.	Including environment	SEK 3.250.000	SWE
166	Tanzania, Uganda, Kenya, Malawi, Lesotho, Botswana, Swaziland, Namibia and the East African Commission	Africa Trade and Poverty Programme (ATPP)	DFID is commissioning consultants to implement a 3-year capacity-building programme to support pro-poor economic integration and participation by Sub-Saharan Africa in the International Trading System. Where appropriate, the programme includes support on environmental issues such as standards and non-tariff barriers, as well as the wider effects of trade policy on sustainability of the natural resource base. Work is currently underway in Tanzania and Uganda and implementation is beginning in Kenya and Malawi. Projects are also under development with the governments of		GBP 7.5 million committed in total	UK

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			Lesotho, Botswana, Swaziland, and Namibia and the East African Commission.			
167	Chad	Support for sanitary quality control of fisheries products	Assistance with quality control and capacity building in veterinary analysis		500,000	FRA
168	Chad	Support for the water policy			1,067,143	FRA
169	Tunisia	Enhancing competitiveness through in-firm eco-management - financed by GTZ	Promotion of eco- management through capacity building	Enterprises integrate better approaches to eco- management in conceptual design, production and service operation	1,534,000	GER
170	Uganda	Private Sector Development Programme	Linking Danish and Ugandan companies. Offers access to finance and TA for market development, capacity building, and compliance with environmental standards.	Environmental assessment is done for full scale projects	DKK 10.000.000 /year	DK
171	Uganda	Forest Resources Management and Conservation Project	Improvement of the forest industry sector		12,000,000	COM
172	Uganda	Sustainable Tourism Development Programme	Tourism development	Improvement of tourism related private sector and of sustainable tourism offer at the national level	5,000,000	COM
173	Zambia	Natural Resource Management Mumbwa District	Ensuring sustainable and more productive use of natural resources	Generating increased incomes from natural resource products	DKK 17.400.000	DK
174	Zambia	Forestry Sector Programme II	Local, provincial, national capacity		118,000	FIN
175	Zambia	Forestry Sector Programme II	Provincial forestry action plans		68,000	FIN

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176	Zambia	LUS NRDC/ZEGA Training Trust	Contribute to expansion of the floral and horticultural industry through training supervisors and junior managers		637,000	NED
177	Zambia	Core Funding 2001-03 International Comm. Trade and Sust. Development	drafting proposal establishment phyto- sanitary unit at NZTT		18,000	NED
178		Export Promotion of certain ecological cultivated products	Export Promotion of Organic Products from Africa (EPOPA): export of ecological coffee, cotton, sesame and cacao from Uganda; cacao and coffee from Tanzania.		SEK 15.900.000	SWE
179		Sustainability Impact Assessment of EU-ACP trade negotiations			1,000,000	COM
180		Conservation and Rational Use of Forestry Ecosystems in Central Africa (ECOFAC)	Conservation and Sustainable Use of Natural Resources	eco-tourism promotion and protection of biodiversity	23,000,000	COM
ASIA						
181	Bangladesh	Agricultural Sector Programme Support	Broad based sector programme to support crops production, inland fisheries, and livestock production.	Developing environmental sustainable production forms, both for domestic consumption and export. Also, to enhance the relevant public administration on environmental sustainable practices.	DKK 410.000.000 for the period 2000-2006	DK
182	ASEAN	Quality management for SME in the textile industry - financed by InWent	Introduction and dissemination of an integrated management system as example in the co-operation with selected export oriented textile enterprises in Asia.	Produced products should meet international quality, environment and social standards.	56,000	GER
183	ASEAN	Quality management for organic agricultural products - financed by InWent	Introduction of quality assurance systems in production, processing and refinement of ecologically certified foodstuff in medium sized companies	The export of food into the industrialized countries are supported. National and regional markets will be animated.	50,000	GER

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184	ASEAN	Environmental management accounting - financed by InWent	New project with same region and similar industries and complexity as item 146; of 4 years duration to convince and enable medium-sized firms to attain sustainability of their operations and cleaner production	Technology transfer through intensive action training, incl. TOT workshops and company demonstration projects for better environmental and business performance	1,690,000	GER
185	ASEAN	Environmental performance assessment - financed by InWent	Complex regional training project involving 4 ASEAN DCs: Indonesia, Philippines, Thailand and Vietnam of 3.5 years duration for 1) convincing and 2) enabling interested industries to implement functional EPI systems	Technology transfer through intensive action training, incl. TOT workshops and company demonstration projects for better environmental and business performance	1,131,000	GER
186	ASEAN	EC-ASEAN Standards and Quality Co- operation Programme	To assist in the development of an ASEAN regional dimension and strategy for developing technical regulations, setting standards, metrology, accreditation and conformity assessment principles and practices in line with WTO policies and compatible with those of the EU	including environmental standards	9,000,000	COM
187	ASEAN	Transfer and networking of industrial biotechnology - financed by InWent	training project for the same target countries as previous line; of 3.5 years duration involving long term training in Germany complemented by special short term courses in the region plus technology transfer net	Transfer of capabilities on environmentally friendly bio- process engineering practices, IPR, GMP, DSP, etc. and detection kit technology for rural-based Thai beverage firms	1,000,000	GER
188	Asia	Commercialization of Bio-pesticides in South East Asia - financed by GTZ	Commercialization of the organic rodenticide <i>Sarcocystis</i> in several countries of Southern Asia	Promotion of the launch of the organic rodenticide <i>Sarcocystis</i> and the establishment of a communication network to support the dissemination of the organic product in Southern Asia	900,000	GER
189	Bangladesh	Trade facilitation	Simplification and harmonisation of international trade procedures; support of customs departments	The second phase will focus on export diversification, where environmental protection should play a role	10,000,000	COM
190	Bangladesh	South Asia Enterprise Development Facility (SEDF)	implemented by IFC (World Bank), Poverty alleviation through growth of the SME sector. In particular through supporting exporting SMEs and integrating firms into the	Environmental standards could be taken into account	10,000,000	COM

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			global economy.			
191	Bangladesh	Quality control and standards	Support industry development and favourable investment climate by means of improvement of quality control and standards	Environmental standards are taken into account	10,000,000	COM
192	Bhutan	WTO assistance and export promotion	Bhutan accession to WTO, (legal and custom compliance, SPS aspects, etc)	Export niches sensitive to promotion (export promotion and diversification), in particular export of traditional medicines based on plants	1,200,000	COM
193	India	IND/Education of environmental technicians, Rajast	Education of environmental promoters and local technicians in countryside of Bharapur in Rajasthan, India		40,991	FIN
194	India	Indo-German Export Promotion - financed by the German Government	Focuses in its last phase on micro and meso levels in selected industrial sectors: advice on market analyses, productivity improvement product quality, social and eco-standards, matchmaking services, participation at international trade fairs, initiation of PPP with German enterprises.	Eco-standards	3,100,000	GER
195	India	Environment-oriented business strategies - financed by InWent	Multipliers and experts, as well as decision-makers of the higher management of SME of leather industry were imparted knowledge on the introduction of environmental management systems, e-learning measures on EMS and environmental consultancy.	Strengthening of eco-efficiency of SME in leather industry and improvement of their competitive capacity. Impartment of expert knowledge on instruments of a sustainable environmental management.	269,000	GER

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196	India	Trade and Investment Development Project	The programme's specific objective is two fold: enhancing EU-India trade flows, as well as the flow of investment from the EU to India. The programme will have the following components: (1) Tariff, tax and regulatory infrastructure, (2) Quality control in general, and in the area of sanitary and phytosanitary control systems in particular, (3) Investment and Trade facilitation (4) Exchange of expertise and the organisation of conferences and workshops in key service sectors, including but not limited to finance, insurance, information technology, internal and cross border transport systems, (5) Training on WTO as well as bi-lateral trade agreements, (6) promote and implement actions that accord visibility to trade and investment policy issues in the media both in India and in Europe. (7) IPR issues . Possibly a Sustainability Impact Assessment will be launched.	Beyond environmental standards, a Sustainability Impact Assessment will possibly be launched.	15,000,000	COM
197	Indonesia	Ass. to implementation of Plant Variety Protection in Indonesia	Establish a full-fledged PVP-system in Indonesia; in the short term to encourage Ind. auth to decide on their approach to implement PVP-legislation		270,000	NED
198	Indonesia	Trade Facilitation	Key areas: customs, SPS and investment	In preparation - Capacity Building in the field of SPS should include environment	9,000,000	COM
199	Indonesia	Promotion of ecologically sustainable, socially equitable and economically viable Forest management in Indonesia through Implementation of Credible Forest Certification Systems	Increase credibility of forest certification in Indonesia through Forest Certification Monitoring and implement a credible SFM certification in Indonesia including establishment of its supporting systems.	Certification of forests supports their sustainable management and provides a sound basis for trade.	924,648	COM
200	Laos	Sustainable Forestry Project	Rural development project with WB		580,000	FIN

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201	Mongolia	Paper and Cardboard Technology	Paper and cardboard technology		16,000	FIN
202	Mongolia	Promotion of Small and Medium Enterprises - financed by the German Government	The project includes advisory services to five sectors to strengthen the international competitiveness of enterprises (Leather, eco-tourism, construction, wood and furniture, garments).	Eco-tourism	2,200,000	GER
203	Nepal	NEP/Environment al sector development project	Strengthening of the environmental sector in Nepal by entering into three projects: 1. environmental administration, 2. environmental microfinance fund and 3. creating an eco-label.		1,941,123	FIN
204	Pakistan	EC/PAKISTAN program for Trade Development	The overall objective of the programme is to assist Pakistan to boost economic growth and reduce poverty by putting in place and/or improving conditions for sustainable development through deeper integration in the global trading system .	The provision of training and capacity building on WTO issues and capacity building and improvements in the area of standards, quality control and SPS.	5,000,000	COM
205	People's Rep. of China	Environmental management in Chinese industry - financed by InWent	Training in the instrumentation of modern environmental management	Environmental protection as an integral component of business culture and company policy	446,000	GER
206	People's Rep. of China	Environmental management in Chinese industry - financed by InWent	Training in the instrumentation of modern environmental management	Environmental protection as an integral component of business culture and company policy	530,000	GER
207	Philippines	Integral Biodiversity Impact Assessment (IBIS) System for rice production - Implementing agency: CREM (Consultancy and research for environmental management)	Stimulating usage of the IBIS-system through training, workshops and fieldworks in the Philippines		45,900	NED

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208	Sri Lanka	European Business Information Center (EBIC)	To raise the profile of the EU among the business community in the partner countries To facilitate the development of the Asian partner countries To increase the capacity of EU and Asian SMEs to engage in mutually beneficial linkages To complement the public and private sector agencies of the EU Member States To ensure the full utilisation of Asia-Invest and other economic cooperation programmes and projects supported by the EC.	Provides information on European and local legislation, including environmental legislation	1,020,700	COM
209	Support to Consumer Unity and Trust Society (CUTS), New Delhi.		Trade and environment		SEK 2,700,000	SWE
210	Thailand	Wildlife Campaign Project	The project includes awareness raising in relation to trade in endangered species and looks into the implementation of the CITES convention in Thailand	The project concerns awareness raising in relation to trade in endangered species and implementation of the CITES convention	DKK 7,700,000	DK
211	Thailand	Eco-industrial estate development - financed by InWent	Sub-project of larger GTZ project on eco- efficiency in Thai industries, especially in industrial estates of 2 years duration (02 - 03)	Technology transfer at two levels: a) micro level of enterprises within an estate and, above all, b) a meso level of the larger unit of an industrial estate throughout the country	142,000	GER
212	Vietnam	Strengthening CITES Implementation and Enforcement in Vietnam	Design the Action Plan to address illegal and unsustainable wildlife trade in Viet Nam with links to neighbouring countries (in particular, China); and implement immediate actions to support the National Action Plan and to further the development of economic incentives and national and international regulatory measures, in particular, CITES.	Illegal wildlife trade within Vietnam and with neighbouring countries.	DKK 2.000.000	DK
213	Vietnam	Forest Sector	Forest Sector Development Strategy		261,000	FIN

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214	Vietnam	Core Funding 2001-03 International Comm. Trade and Sust. Development	Enhance rural and household economies and security through sustainable, efficient and market based wood production and protect globally important biodiversity		541,000	NED
215	Vietnam	MUTRAP I	MUTRAP will (i) further deepen Vietnamese officials expertise on international trade policy related matters in a free trade environment; (ii) strengthen expertise on WTO provisions, rules and disciplines and on specific features of regional multilateral arrangements (AFTA); (iii) provide Vietnamese officials with the economic and trade instruments and tools conducive to a definition of a sustainable trade policy consistent with a multilateral context as well as Vietnam's development strategy objectives.	As part of SPS aspects	3,100,000	COM
216	Vietnam	MUTRAP II	Capacity building in WTO accession, research, co-ordination of WTO projects, increase HR capacity, TBT & SPS, legal advice, networking on international trade and WTO issues among private sector and training institutions.	A Sustainability Impact Assessment will be carried out, if it is not done by Belgium	5,000,000	COM
217	Vietnam	European Business Information Center (EBIC)	to enhance two way trade and investment flows between EU and Vietnam - to raise the profile of EU among the Vietnamese business Community - to increase the capacity of EU and Vietnamese SMEs to engage in mutually beneficial linkages	provides information on European and local legislation, including environmental legislation	993,080	COM

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218	Vietnam	European Technical Assistance Programme for Vietnam (ETVII)	Facilitate better decision making in the public and private sector, and the development of clear, rational, transparent policies, strategies, plans and legislation through a strengthening of policy/legislation making capacity and of the means of implementation- create confidence in the process of Measuring, Standardisation, Testing and Quality	including environment	12,024,800	COM
219	Vietnam	Support for national centre for water- and environment-sector personnel			1,000,065	FRA
220	Vietnam	Classification and enhancement of domestic animal and wildlife biodiversity	Inventory and enhancement of the biodiversity of domestic animals for the development of native mountain species in northern Vietnam		1,700,000	FRA
221		Asia Pro-Eco Programme	A demand-driven capacity building programme regarding environmental performance in Asian economic sectors through the exchange and application of cleaner environmental policies, technologies and practices and to promote sustainable investment and trade between the EU and Asia.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Improved environmental quality (a cleaner Asia, including a positive influence on global climate change) and health conditions. · Long term sustainable investment and trade between EU and Asia. · An improved environmental performance in economic sectors. 	31,500,000	COM

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AMERICA						
222	America NA	Promotion of the Engagement of the Private Sector in Economically Less Strong Regions - financed by GTZ	Improved conditions for a stronger engagement of medium-sized enterprises in Latin American and Caribbean regions which are of high priority from a developmental point of view	Development of concepts for the promotion of eco-tourism and eco-technologies in the region; an updated assessment of the developmental impact (in particular with regard to poverty reduction and environmental effects) of key sectors in these regions is undertaken	200,000	GER
223	America NA	Promotion of Sustainable Development through Tourism in Central America - financed by GTZ	The public and private actors which are of significance for the tourism sector in Central America implement a strategy for sustainable tourism	Development of a strategy for a common Central American certification system in sustainable tourism	1,201,000	GER
224	Americas	Quality criteria in the environmental and food sector in Latin America - financed by PTB			750,000	GER
225	Argentina	Forest Industry	Forest Industry		31,000	FIN
226	Bolivia	Creation of community centre for the processing and commercialization of Bertholletia Brasilnuts - managed by AIMCO (Apoyo a iniciativas municipales comunitarias), financed by the Flemish Community	The project aims to support the commercialization of Brazil nuts by the local forest community of the Pando province. The valorisation of Non Timber Forest Products is significant in order to protect the forest against deforestation.	Marketing of non-timber forestry products	30,560	BEL
227	Bolivia	Local sustainable management of the Bolivia Pantanal - managed by PROBIOMA (Productividad Biosfera y Medio Ambiente), financed by the Flemish Community	The programme contributes to the sensibilisation of the local community for forest and nature conservation i.e. by granting enhanced income for the local community by setting up a small eco-tourism project.	Eco-tourism	70,000	BEL

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228	Bolivia	Joint venture to handle incoming tourism in Bolivia between Check Point Travel (Denmark) and Pachamama Tours (Bolivia) - Private Sector Programme	Provide technical assistance and training to the local company (PACHAMAMA Tours) in various areas of the business: Administration, marketing, IT and operations. Asses the feasibility of building a lodge in Uyuni. Establish a 50/50 joint venture in Bolivia.	PACHAMAMA has been exposed to international and worldwide fair trades in London, Madrid and Berlin as part of the training. As a result adventure tours were sold to small groups and individuals. Agreements with large travel agencies are on their way. The design and construction of the lodge in UYUNI includes several environmental issues (materials, energy efficiency, waste management and disposal) and social impact (job generation and improvement of living conditions).	Start-up facility: DKK 500,000 grant plus DKK 31,068 contribution from the partners. Project started January 2003.	DK
229	Bolivia	Sub-supply agreement for the production of wooden standard houses between Danish Hardwood (DK) and MABET (BO) - Private Sector Programme	Transfer of know-how and skills from Danish Hardwood to MABET for the construction of standard houses.	During the first stage pieces, parts and core elements for the houses will be supplied from Bolivia. During the second phase it is intended that all production (except some accessories) shall be produced in Bolivia and shipped to Denmark for assembly. All wood used in the production of pieces, parts and core elements is FSC certified. Danish Hardwood is expected to advise and train personnel from MABET on the use of ecological substances instead of traditional chemical ones used for the finishing.	Start-up facility: DKK 500,000 grant plus DKK 58,960 contribution from the partners. Feasibility study: DKK 170,888.- grant plus DKK 18,988 contribution from partners. Project started January 2003.	DK
230	Bolivia	Support programme for the alternative development strategy in the Chapare Region (tropical region of Cochabamba)	- Through socio-economic development support the implementation of the government's Alternative Development policies - support decentralization and popular participation processes - support conservation and development of natural resources.	Sustainable management of forest resources, eco-tourism	19,000,000	COM
231	Bolivia	Support programme for sustainable economic development in the Yungas Region	- Support implementation of government's Alternative Development policies - promote economic development in the Yungas region	Sustainable management and utilization of natural resources, certified timber, agro/eco tourism		COM

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232	Bolivia	Support programme for sustainable economic development in the poor western mining regions of Bolivia	- Consolidation of mining employment and creation of alternative employment - socio-economic development of depressed mining areas, including access to social services, and environmental protection and rehabilitation	Environmental protection and rehabilitation in a mining context	7,000,000	COM
233	Bolivia, Chile, Colombia, Peru	Industrial environmental protection, Latin America - financed by InWent	Participants are taught how to independently carry-out training and advisory seminars in Environmental Management and Cleaner Production	Introduction of environmental management in the national industry	153,000	GER
234	Brazil	Core Funding 2001-03 International Comm. Trade and Sust. Development	Decreasing deforestation by promoting financially sustainable, equitable and environmentally sustainable commercial activities		2,000,000	NED
235	Brazil	Chestnut Project - Project concerns co-financing of projects initiated by FUNAI (a local governmental organisation supporting Indians).	The programme tries to combat illegal timber cut activities practised by the local Indian community by offering more ecologically justified economic alternatives like f.e. the revitalisation of the production of Paranuts. The project contributes to the sustainable protection of tropical rainforest and helps to create better living-conditions for the Indians respecting their traditional traditions and knowledge.		108,000	BEL
236	Brazil	BRA/Development and support project for the Itatiaia national park	Improve and develop the Itatiaia national park to receive nature tourism in ecologically sustainable way and to renovate the surrounding areas of the park and promote environmental protection		156,500	FIN
237	Brazil	BRA/Municipal tourist and ecological park	Development of tourist industry and environmental conservation		100,912	FIN

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238	Brazil	Environment-oriented business strategies - financed by InWent	Multipliers of environmental management of SME are enabled to assess Environmental Management Systems and their economic significance. Imparting of didactic competence and expert knowledge to develop training courses in environmental management in direct connection with the companies.	Aim: Stronger consideration of environmental legislation, voluntary norms and environmental management systems (e.g. ISO 14001, EMAS) to comply with the laws and regulations, to meet the market requirements, to adopt firm-related standards in branches of multinational companies and to increase material and energy efficiency for cost reduction.	1,099,546	GER
239	Brazil	"Bolsa Amazônia: Supporting sustainable livelihood of rural and forest communities." NGO POEMAR - Nucleus of Action for Sustainable Development	The project aims at facilitating the commercialisation of sustainable Amazonian products, such as dried fruits, natural dyes and oils, pasteurized and frozen fruit pulps, latex, coconut-fiber products and hand-made paper by bridging supply of these goods with local and global demand. Main activities of the project are capacity building through training, information and business promotion through the Internet (see www.bolsaamazonia.com).		1,640,108	COM
240	Central America	REG/Support to the regional training centre for Central America and planning Panama's regional training centre	Support through UNEP to Regional Training Centre for Central America and Panama for planning of environmentally sound management of PCB		200,000	FIN
241	Central America	REG/Core-support to tropical agriculture research and education centre	Tropical agriculture and natural resource research and higher education, regional development coordination and technical assistance.		150,000	FIN
242	Central America, Mexico	Environmental management for small and medium enterprises - financed by InWent	Experts of SME management are acquainted with principles of sustainable development and instruments of environmental management. They will be qualified as counsellors for the Implementation of measures on environmental protection and management and enabled to act as	To increase the Latin American SME sector understanding of the positive relationship between environmental performance and company financial performance.	1,175,698	GER

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			multipliers in capacity building on environmental questions.			
243	Chile	Supporting activities to implement the Local Sustainability Certification Initiative - managed by Institute for Political Ecology and financed by the Flemish Community	The project is part of a larger internationally orientated certification project that provides for the set-up of local sustainable development plans. Main purpose of the project is the achievement of sustainable developmental goals (ecological, social as well as economical) on community level.		39,000	BEL
244	Ecuador	Industrial environmental management - financed by InWent			72,000	GER
245	Ecuador	Industrial environmental management - financed by InWent	Training of multipliers, executives in industry and decision makers in local authorities in Ecuador on sustainable development in the business sector and ISO 14000;	Enhancement of competitiveness of the Ecuadorian economy and contribution to a more rational utilization of natural resources.	147,000	GER
246	Ecuador	"Participatory development of a replicable model for bamboo-based development in the Andean countries" INBAR-International Network for Bamboo and Rattan	The pilot project is situated in the coastal region of Ecuador and has as main objectives to improve farmers' incomes with guadua bamboo and to reduce pressure on the forest. The project area is an example of a rapidly deteriorating forest situation endangering the tropical forest biodiversity.	This project will develop a replicable model for the sustainable production and commercialisation of bamboo products in order to alleviate rural poverty in the Andean countries. The project activities will address all the major components of the bamboo production-to-consumption chain. It will improve resource management, train people in better processing techniques, explore and create market outlets; and promote linkages between small-scale producers and the private industry.	1,000,000	COM

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247	Guatemala, Honduras and Nicaragua	"Forest livelihoods for the poor: certification, market development and an enabling economic and policy environment for sustainable forestry in Central America." NGO Just World Partners	The project aims to promote sustainable livelihoods and reduce vulnerability of the forest-dependent poor in Central American countries	Main activities will cover improving harvesting, recovery and production, increasing market entry, capacity building and profitability, promoting forest certification in community based forest enterprises, diversifying production of forest products to include non-traditional timber species and non-timber forest products (NTFPs) and a study of illegal logging (in two countries).	2,221,846	COM
248	Honduras	Agribusiness development and soil and water conservation in the Jicatuyo river basin in Honduras	Increase agricultural production, productivity and income generation capacity through technical innovation, strengthening of technical, commercial and financial services, and rational management of natural resources	Environmental aspects of coffee production and processing	6,900,000	COM
249	Honduras	Strengthening of local natural resource management in the Patuca and Choluteca river basin	Conservation and rational and sustainable utilization of natural resources to permit sustained improvement of living conditions and poverty reduction	Eco-tourism ,support to investment in conservation and utilization of natural heritage for tourism	34,000,000	COM
250	Latin America	Integrated environmental management, Latin America - financed by InWent	Participants are taught how to implement Integrated Management Systems in the Latin American industry	Implementation of Integrated Management Systems in order to contribute to economic, ecological and social benefits	477,000	GER
251	Latin America	Quality management, Latin America - financed by InWent	Executive staff of manufacturing companies are enabled to apply quality and environmental management.	Support of competitiveness of manufacturing companies. The principle of resources conservation is pivotal	190,000	GER
252	Latin America	Integrated management systems - financed by InWent	Symposium for representatives of Latin American enterprises to implement Integrated Management Systems.	Implementation of integrated management systems in order to contribute to economic, ecological and social benefits.	42,000	GER
253	Latin America	Integrated environmental management - financed by InWent	Training of young executives from Latin America to accomplish environmental management and cost minimization in industry.	Environmental management will increase the marketing prospects of local goods	538,000	GER

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254	Mercosur countries	Mobilising positive levels to promote sustainable production and trade of soy in the context of EU- Mercosur - Implementing agency: WWF	Identify and promote ways to foster sustainable production and trade of agricultural commodities in Mercosur countries, particularly soy and beef, with consumer countries in the EU		50,000	NED
255	Mexico	Quality management, Mexico - financed by InWent	Within the programme engineers will be trained to optimize the quality of the production economically and ecologically.	The programme aims to improve the competitiveness of local products on international markets	1,562,000	GER
256	Mexico	Environmental management for Mexican SME - financed by InWent	Training of staff of automobile parts suppliers on the application of environmental standards.	Environmental compliance is precondition for suppliers to remain in the market	227,000	GER
257	Nicaragua	UNIDO - National Cleaner Production Programme	Waste Management Léon		660.000 financed by Austria	AUS
258	Nicaragua	Environmental Sector Support Programme	5 components. 1) Institutional support to the Ministry of Environment, the Ministry for Development, Industry and Trade, and to the public environmental ombudsman. 2) Follow- up on Water Management Action Plan with support to water resources management in the Estelí area. 3) A Small Project Fund for support to environmental activities with focus on the poorest part of the population effected by Hurricane Mitch in 1998. 4) Support to environmental education and information. 5) Support to administration of resources in and around two of the biggest natural biological reserves, Indio-Maíz and Bosawas.	Institutional support to the Ministry for Industry and Trade	DKK 180.000.000	DK
259	Nicaragua	Furniture Industry Dev. Project	Small/medium scale wood furniture industry development		168,000	FIN

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260	Uruguay	Program PREDEG (Promotion of smallholdings in the agricultural sector) - financed by GTZ	The aim is that rural SME in the granja and cattle-breeding sector increase their competitiveness through business and environmental standards as well as an improved quality of their products	Promotion of organic farming and environmental standards	700,000	GER
261		Sustainability Impact Assessment of EU-MERCOSUR and EU-Chile trade negotiations			250,000	COM
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262	Egypt	UNIDO - National Cleaner Production Programme			770.000 financed by Austria	AUS
263	Egypt	EGY/Pollution abatement project	The EPAP Technical and Institutional Support Component contributes to the reduction of industrial environmental pollution through increased compliance with environmental laws and regulations		1,115,893	FIN
264	Egypt	Environmental management instruments - financed by InWent	Experts of SME management are acquainted with principles of sustainable development and instruments of environmental management. They will be qualified as counsellors for the Implementation of measures on environmental protection and management and enabled to act as multipliers in capacity building on environmental questions.	To increase the Latin American SME's sector understanding of the positive relationship between environmental performance and company financial performance.	924,189	GER

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265	Jordan	Promotion of a National System of Metrology, Standardization, Testing and Quality Management (MSTQ) - financed by the German Government	Support adaptation and harmonisation of the existing system for conformity assessment with the valid international regulations - introduction of national systems i.e.: - documentation and information system on standards and technical regulations - "Technical Barriers to Trade (TBT) Enquiry Point" (WTO) - improved product certification system - Jordanian Quality Mark (JS) - National Accreditation Body WTO: Jordanian Laboratory Accreditation System - JLAS - international accreditation of laboratories (materials testing and calibration) - associate membership (ILAC) and cooperation agreements (DIN, DAP)		2,400,000	GER
266	Lebanon	Support for sustainable land and resource management			1,600,714	FRA
267	Morocco	Fund for Environmental Protection in Industry III - financed by KfW			5,113,000	GER
268		Sustainability Impact Assessment of the Euro Mediterranean Free Trade Area	The SIA-EMFTA intends to examine the potential impacts of agreed trade measures on sustainable development in order to feed the next steps/phases of the negotiation process, address adverse trends, devise adequate mitigation measures as well as capitalise on positive multiplier effects.	Better understanding of impact of Trade measures on environmental and social realms and enhanced capacities of MEDA countries to address trade-environment-development issues.	600,000	COM
269		Sustainability Impact Assessment of EU-GCC trade negotiations			500,000	COM

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1 DKK = 0.13 €

1 SEK = 0.11 €

1 GBP = 1.41 €

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