

**TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO DEVELOPING COUNTRIES
PROVIDED BY AUSTRALIA
JANUARY 2008-JUNE 2009**

Addendum

The following communication, received on 28 June 2010, is being circulated at the request of the Delegation of Australia.

1. In response to the Secretariat's request in G/SPS/W/101, Australia submits the following compilation of technical assistance provided to developing countries between January 2008 and June 2009, in accordance with Article 9 of the Agreement on the Application of Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures (see attached table). G/SPS/GEN/717 and G/SPS/GEN/717/Add.1 provide a compilation of technical assistance provided by Australia from January 2005 to December 2007. The focus of the technical assistance has been primarily aimed at helping developing countries to adjust to, and comply with, sanitary and phytosanitary measures in their export markets and to improve their capacity in developing and implementing their own SPS measures based on science. The attached list is not an exhaustive compilation of all technical assistance provided. Numerous Australian Government agencies were involved.
2. The monetary value of the official development assistance given between January 2008 and June 2009 amounted to over A\$82 million. It should be noted that, in many cases, the organizations providing the assistance also made substantial additional in-kind contributions to projects.
3. Assistance was given to 31 individual Member, Observer and other countries, mainly in the Asia-Pacific Region, but also in Africa and the Middle East. Most assistance was directed to individual countries, but assistance was also provided to groups of countries or regional organizations such as Pacific Island Countries and Territories, the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN), Codex member countries and the Asia Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) group.
4. Australia's assistance covered all four broad categories listed in G/SPS/GEN/206: information; training; "soft" infrastructure development; and "hard" infrastructure development. Furthermore, Australian assistance covered most of the "typical areas of competence" listed under the headings of food safety, animal health and plant protection, in the annex of G/SPS/GEN/206.
5. The terms used in Table 1 to categorize the projects according to sector are those listed in the annex of G/SPS/GEN/206.
6. In all, 163 projects are listed for January 2008 to June 2009, with 73 relating to plant protection, 44 to animal health, 18 to food safety, 9 to a combination of animal health and plant

protection, 14 to a combination of plant protection and food safety and 5 to a combination of animal health, plant protection and food safety.

AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT AGENCIES INVOLVED IN PROVIDING TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

7. The Australian Government and state and territory governments are the primary organizations involved in delivering Australia's technical assistance to developing countries. Within the Australian Government the principal departments involved are the Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry (DAFF), and Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade (DFAT).

8. The group within DAFF with responsibility for agricultural biosecurity in Australia is the Biosecurity Services Group (BSG), which includes pre- border, post-border and border activities including the Australian Quarantine and Inspection Service. DAFF's Trade and Market Access Division provides a coordinating role for SPS-related technical assistance.

9. The Australian overseas aid program is managed primarily by the Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID) and the Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR). AusAID is an administratively autonomous agency and ACIAR is an Australian Government statutory authority, with both agencies falling within Australia's Foreign Affairs and Trade portfolio.

Technical assistance provided to Member, Observers and other countries: January 2008 to June 2009

Member: Australia

Sector	Description of programme:	Form of Assistance:	Provided to:
Animal Health	Animal Health Surveillance – Livestock.	Collaborative field surveillance	East Timor Papua New Guinea Indonesia
Animal Health	Indonesian Quarantine Strengthening Project - Livestock.	Policy training and technical training	Indonesia
Animal Health	Papua New Guinea Australia Quarantine Twinning Scheme - Livestock.	Policy training and technical training	Papua New Guinea
Animal Health	Australia China Agricultural Cooperation Agreement (ACACA) Incoming Project Visit: Epidemiological study and surveillance of animal diseases.	Policy training and technical training	China
Animal Health	Animal Health Familiarization Visit.	Advice, Technical expertise, training	Thailand
Animal Health	The Fish Health Unit of the Government of Western Australia Department of Fisheries is part of a Network of Aquaculture Centres in Asia/Pacific (NACA) Regional Resource Centre providing advice to NACA countries in the region.	Technical expertise in aquatic animal diseases; Collaborative exchange with IFREMER in Tahiti	Maldives Viet Nam French Polynesia
Animal Health	Best practice animal health and husbandry of cattle in Cambodia.	Funding research	Cambodia
Animal Health	Understanding livestock movement and the risk of spread of trans-boundary animal diseases.	Technical expertise, training and infrastructure	Cambodia Lao PDR
Animal Health	Control and characterisation of highly pathogenic avian influenza strains in poultry in Indonesia.	Technical expertise, infrastructure	Indonesia
Animal Health	Livestock movement and managing disease in eastern Indonesia and eastern Australia.	Infrastructure	Indonesia
Animal Health	Animal surveillance systems for Papua New Guinea.	Infrastructure, training	Papua New Guinea
Animal Health	Best practice animal health and husbandry of cattle and buffalo in Lao PDR.	Funding research	Lao PDR
Animal Health	Management of pig associated zoonosis in the Lao PDR.	Infrastructure	Lao PDR
Animal Health	Improving veterinary service delivery in Indonesia.	Infrastructure	Indonesia

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Sector	Description of programme:	Form of Assistance:	Provided to:
Animal Health	Cost-effective biosecurity for non-industrial commercial poultry operations in Indonesia.	Infrastructure, training	Indonesia
Animal Health	Control of Asian honeybees in the Solomon Islands.	Funding research	Solomon Islands
Animal Health	Improved productivity, profitability and sustainability of sheep production in Maharashtra, India through genetically enhanced prolificacy, growth and parasite resistance.	Funding research	India
Animal Health	The development of a national surveillance system for classical swine fever, avian influenza, and foot and mouth disease in Indonesia.	Infrastructure	Indonesia
Animal Health	The epidemiology, pathogenesis and control of highly pathogenic avian influenza (HPAI) in ducks in Indonesia and Viet Nam.	Funding research	Indonesia Viet Nam
Animal Health	Control of Newcastle disease and identification of major constraints in village chicken production systems in Myanmar.	Funding research	Myanmar
Animal Health	Management of Classical Swine Fever and foot and mouth disease at the village level in Lao PDR.	Infrastructure	Lao PDR
Animal Health	Identification of policy responses to minimise negative socio-economic impacts of an avian influenza epidemic in Indonesia.	Funding research	Indonesia
Animal Health	Large scale production of a vaccine and diagnostic reagents for Jembrana disease in Indonesia.	Infrastructure	Indonesia
Animal Health	Commercialisation of infectious bursal disease vaccine.	Infrastructure	Indonesia
Animal Health	Enhancements to vaccine manufacture in Thailand and Lao PDR.	Infrastructure	Lao PDR Thailand
Animal Health	Smallholder commercial pig production in Nusa Tenggara Timur - opportunities for better market integration.	Funding research	Indonesia
Animal Health	Establishment of ASEAN Good Animal Husbandry Practices (GAHP).	technical assistance, equipment	ASEAN countries
Animal Health	Establishment of ASEAN Good Aquaculture Practices (GAP).	technical assistance, equipment, training	ASEAN countries

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Sector	Description of programme:	Form of Assistance:	Provided to:
Animal Health	OIE:SEA Foot and Mouth Eradication Campaign. The South East Asia Foot and Mouth Disease (SEAFMD) Campaign involves the coordinated control of foot and mouth disease by eight countries in the region (Cambodia, Indonesia, Lao PDR, Malaysia, Burma, Philippines, Thailand and Viet Nam). The Campaign is coordinated by a World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE) Regional Coordination Unit located in Bangkok. The long term objective of the Campaign is to facilitate and promote the international trade of animals and animal products by creating FMD-free areas in the region. The objective of Phase I was to improve the standard of veterinary services in foot and mouth disease affected countries in South East Asia. The objective of Phase II was to add value to the regional control program through activities of the SEAFMD Campaign Regional Coordination Unit. During Phase III, responsibility for the Regional Coordination Unit will pass from the OIE to ASEAN. Under this arrangement the Regional Coordination Unit will be funded by the ASEAN Animal Health Trust Fund.	Technical assistance and capacity building; Establish disease control guidelines and protocols for countries in areas such as: outbreak investigations, internal and cross-border animal movement management, communications, vaccination, and the progressive zoning approach in FMD eradication and control; regional FMD surveillance and information sharing; fosters sub-regional coordination of FMD control activities.	Cambodia, Indonesia, Lao PDR, Malaysia, Myanmar, Philippines, Thailand and Viet Nam
Animal Health	MRRD Wool Supply Chain Project. Assistance to the Afghan Ministry of Rural Rehabilitation and Development (MRRD) will contribute to the development of an integrated livestock development program.	Research, Technical expertise, training, equipment	Afghanistan
Animal Health	Pandemic Influenza and EID Prevention and Preparedness.	Continues previous support with human and animal surveillance and response, quarantine and vet lab strengthening.	Indonesia
Animal Health	Communicable Diseases Program.	Technical Expertise, capacity building	Indonesia
Animal Health	Foot and Mouth Disease Eradication Project.	Technical assistance, training and provision of laboratory equipment	Philippines
Animal Health	The project will develop and deliver customised syndromic reporting tools in four specific livestock situations in PNG that are representative of the diverse production systems in PNG.	Technical expertise, training, advice	Papua New Guinea
Animal Health	Improved diagnosis and control of finfish diseases common to the Northern territory and Indonesia.	Technical expertise	Indonesia

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Sector	Description of programme:	Form of Assistance:	Provided to:
Animal Health	Formulation of aqua-feeds for Asian seabass containing optimal inclusion levels of SBM and SPC.	Technical expertise	Asian countries
Animal Health	Reduce the impacts of serious zoonotic and trans-boundary animal diseases by strengthening veterinary service delivery in Indonesia.	Infrastructure	Indonesia
Animal Health	Understanding livestock movement and the risk of spread of trans-boundary animal diseases.	Training	Cambodia Lao PDR
Animal Health	Co-ordinated the implementation of a four week training program in Biosecurity Enhancement for Indonesia with emphasis on Avian Influenza.	Training, technical expertise	Indonesia
Animal Health	Systems of animal disease control, particularly for brucellosis and tuberculosis, veterinary medicine regulation and residue control systems.	Technical expertise	China
Animal Health	Intensive 10-day sheep reproductive technology course.	Technical training	Iraq
Animal Health	Training in sheep genetics for two days.	Technical training	Iraq
Animal Health	Processing technology and risk management – pigs.	Advice, technical expertise, training scientists and farmers	Indonesia
Animal Health and Plant Protection	Develop greater understanding of biosecurity arrangements, live sheep export facilities, undergraduate and postgraduate training opportunities for vets and others.	Policy and technical advice	Saudi Arabia
Animal Health	Increase awareness of Ecohealth.	Agricultural Management Training	Eritrea
Animal Health and Plant Protection	Quarantine Operations Training for quarantine officers.	Training	Chinese Taipei
Animal Health and Plant Protection	PNG-Australia Quarantine Twinning Scheme (PAQTS).	Advice, Technical Training, Equipment, Travel, Meetings, Workshops, Public Awareness Materials	Papua New Guinea

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Sector	Description of programme:	Form of Assistance:	Provided to:
Plant Protection	NAQS Offshore Plant Health Surveillance.	Technical expertise and training; Travel, Meetings, Workshops	Indonesia, Papua New Guinea, East Timor
Animal Health and Plant Protection	SPS Capacity Building Program. To enhance the capacity of the ASEAN focal countries to meet international SPS standards consistent with the WTO SPS Agreement.	Technical Training, Travel, Meetings, Workshops, SPS Awareness Materials, Manuals, Equipment	ASEAN focal countries
Agricultural Trade Policy, Animal Health and Plant Protection	Master Class in Agricultural Trade Policy and Biosecurity.	Training	Malaysia, Viet Nam, Indonesia, Philippines, South Africa, Libya, Eritrea, India, Pakistan
Plant Protection	International Master Class in Plant Biosecurity. Raise awareness of the global significance of the plant biosecurity continuum (pre-border, at border and post-border); increase the level of knowledge of risk analysis.	Policy and technical advice	ASEAN countries
Animal Health and Plant Protection	Australia Iraq Agricultural Scholarships 100 Scholarships for Iraqi public servants to study towards postgraduate degrees in agriculture.	Training	Iraq
Animal Health, Plant Protection and Food Safety	Agriculture Sector Linkages Program.	Research, Technical expertise	Pakistan
Animal Health and Plant Protection	ACIAR Research and Development Trust Fund.	Research, Technical expertise, training, equipment	Papua New Guinea
Animal Health, Plant Protection and Food Safety	Aust Dev Scholarships (ADS) -2009 to 2014.	Training	Solomon Islands
Plant Protection	Capacity Building in Plant Health: Building Diagnostic and Risk Mitigation Capacity in Thailand to Enhance Commodity Exports.	Technical training, travel, meetings, workshops	Thailand
Animal Health and Plant Protection	Building Training Capacity and Resources for Diagnostic Networking in Indonesia.	Surveillance, technical training, travel, meetings, workshops	Indonesia
Plant Protection	Protecting productivity, incomes and trade through improved health surveillance of Viet Nam's plantations.	Surveillance, technical training, travel, meetings, workshops	Viet Nam

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Plant Protection	Improving post harvest quality of temperate fruits in Viet Nam and Australia.	Funding research	Viet Nam
Plant Protection	Optimising the productivity of the potato/Brassica cropping system in Central and West Java and potato/Brassica/Allium system in South Sulawesi and Nusa Tenggara Barat.	Funding research, training	Indonesia
Plant Protection	Domestication of Meliaceae species in Southeast Asia and Australia, particularly management of the problem of <i>Hypsipyla robusta</i> attack.	Funding research, training	Lao PDR Viet Nam Thailand
Plant Protection	Management of fungal root rot in plantation acacias in Indonesia.	Funding research, training	Indonesia
Plant Protection	Establishing forest pest detection systems in South Pacific countries and Australia.	Funding research, training	Fiji Vanuatu
Plant Protection	Huanglongbing management for Indonesia, Viet Nam and Australia.	Funding research	Indonesia Viet Nam
Plant Protection	Managing pest fruit flies to enhance quarantine services and upgrade fruit and vegetable production in Indonesia.	Funding research, training	Indonesia
Plant Protection	Improving mandarin production in Bhutan and Australia through the implementation of on-farm best management practices.	Funding research, training	Bhutan
Plant Protection	Development of integrated crop management practices to increase sustainable yield and quality of mangoes in Pakistan and Australia.	Funding research, training	Pakistan
Plant Protection	Integrated pest management of stem borers and insect vectors of viral diseases of sugarcane in Indonesia.	Funding research, training	Indonesia
Plant Protection	Plant biosecurity: Technological research and training for improved pest diagnostics in Thailand and Australia.	Training	Thailand
Plant Protection	Management of potato late blight in Papua New Guinea.	Funding research, training	Papua New Guinea
Plant Protection	Integrated control of powdery mildew and other disease, weed and insect problems in squash in Tonga and Fiji.	Funding research, training	Fiji Tonga
Plant Protection	Improved plant protection in the Solomon Islands.	Funding research, training	Solomon Islands

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Plant Protection	Improved farming systems for managing soil-borne pathogens of ginger in Fiji and Australia.	Funding research, training	Fiji
Plant Protection	Integrated pest management in a sustainable production system for Brassica crops in Fiji and Samoa.	Funding research	Fiji Samoa
Plant Protection	Biological control of "mile-a-minute" (<i>Mikania micrantha</i>) in Papua New Guinea and Fiji.	Funding research	Fiji Papua New Guinea
Plant Protection	Evaluation of the impact of Dasheen mosaic virus and other viruses on taro yield.	Funding research	Fiji Samoa
Plant Protection	Integrated pest management for Finschhafen disorder of oil palm in Papua New Guinea.	Funding research	Papua New Guinea
Plant Protection	Improving cocoa production through farmer involvement in demonstration trials of potentially superior and pest/disease resistant genotypes and integrated management practices.	Funding research	Indonesia
Plant Protection	Integrated tropical passion fruit production systems in South Sulawesi.	Funding research, training	Indonesia
Plant Protection	Reducing pest and disease impact on yield in selected PNG sweet potato production systems.	Funding research, training	Papua New Guinea
Plant Protection	Sustainable management of coffee green scales in Papua New Guinea.	Funding research, training	Papua New Guinea
Plant Protection	Integrated disease management (IDM) for anthracnose, Phytophthora blight and whitefly transmitted Gemini viruses in chilli pepper in Indonesia.	Funding research	Indonesia
Plant Protection	Mitigating the threat of banana Fusarium wilt: understanding the agro-ecological distribution of pathogenic forms and developing disease management strategies.	Funding research, training	Indonesia Papua New Guinea
Plant Protection	Integrated crop management package for sustainable smallholder gardens in Solomon Islands.	Funding research, training	Solomon Islands
Plant Protection	The use of pathogen tested planting materials to improve sustainable sweet potato production in Solomon Islands and Papua New Guinea.	Funding research, training	Papua New Guinea Solomon Islands

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Plant Protection	Managing cocoa pod borer in PNG through improved risk incursion management capabilities, IPM strategies and stakeholder participatory training.	Funding research, training	Papua New Guinea
Plant Protection	Incursion prevention and management of coffee berry borer (CBB) in Papua New Guinea (PNG) and Indonesia (South Sulawesi and Papua).	Funding research, training	Indonesia Papua New Guinea
Plant Protection	Managing pest fruit flies to increase production of fruit and vegetable crops in Viet Nam.	Funding research, training	Viet Nam
Plant Protection	Enhancing PNG smallholder cocoa production through greater adoption of disease control practices.	Funding research	Papua New Guinea
Plant Protection	An assessment of the Oribius weevil outbreak in Papua New Guinea and its impact on coffee yield and productivity in Simbu and adjacent provinces.	Funding research	Papua New Guinea
Plant Protection	Socio-economic impact assessment of cocoa pod borer in East New Britain province, Papua New Guinea.	Funding research	Papua New Guinea
Plant Protection	Improving understanding and management of rice pathogens in Cambodia.	Technical expertise, training	Cambodia
Plant Protection	Diseases of crops in Viet Nam's central provinces: diagnosis, extension and control.	Funding research	Viet Nam
Plant Protection	Research issues on the brown plant hopper / virus problem in rice in Viet Nam.	Funding research	Viet Nam
Plant Protection	Development of PRSV-P resistant papaya genotypes by introgression of genes from wild Carica species.	Funding research	Philippines
Plant Protection	Integrated pest management and supply chain improvement for mangoes in the Philippines and Australia.	Funding research, training	Philippines
Plant Protection	Diagnosis and management of wilt diseases of banana in Indonesia.	Funding research, training	Indonesia
Plant Protection	Detection surveys for mango seed and pulp weevils in Sarangani and Davao del Sur, Mindanao, Philippines - Phase 2.	Funding research	Philippines
Plant Protection	Management of <i>Eumetopina flavipes</i> : the vector of ramu stunt disease of sugarcane in Papua New Guinea.	Funding research	Papua New Guinea

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Plant Protection	Development of a mycoinsecticide to control sexava pests in oil palm.	Funding research	Papua New Guinea
Plant Protection	Herbicide use strategies and weed management options in Filipino and Australian cropping.	Funding research	Philippines
Plant Protection	Plant health management for faba bean, chickpea and lentils.	Funding research	Bangladesh
Plant Protection	Public Sector Linkages Program (PSLP). Improving the accessibility and affordability of improved seeds from breeding programs.	Visit and workshops	India
Plant Protection	Public Sector Linkages Program (PSLP). Enhanced capacity in the exploitation of wheat genetic resources for improved dryland farming in India.	Training	India
Plant Protection	Public Sector Linkages Program (PSLP). Disease management strategies for the rural sector that help to deliver sustainable wood productions from exotic plantations.	Workshops and training	Indonesia
Plant Protection	Public Sector Linkages Program (PSLP). To fill knowledge and expertise gaps in the Ministry of Agriculture and Rural development in Viet Nam.	Training	Viet Nam
Plant Protection	Better crop germ-plasm and management for improved production of wheat, barley and pulse and forage legumes in Iraq.	technical expertise	Iraq
Plant Protection	Improving productivity and profitability of tropical pulse.	Technical expertise, training, advice	Indonesia
Plant Protection	Improve the persimmon industry in Viet Nam.	Technical expertise, training, advice	Viet Nam
Plant Protection	To address the impact of virus diseases on yield and quality and to a lesser extent, the impact caused by potato seed weevils using an IPM approach.	Technical expertise, training, advice	Papua New Guinea
Plant Protection	Quality Management to Enhance Effective Supply Chains for Mangoes and Rambutans in Nusa Tenggara Barat (NBT), Indonesia and Australia.	Technical expertise.	Indonesia
Plant Protection	Integrated tropical passion fruit production systems in South Sulawesi.	Technical expertise.	Indonesia
Plant Protection	Capacity Building in Crop protection in East Timor.	Technical expertise	East Timor

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Plant Protection	Capacity building assistance to the Ministry of Agriculture in Botswana. Assistance to their plant quarantine section including areas of quarantine inspection, pest risk analysis and biosecurity planning.	Advice, technical assistance, training	Botswana
Animal Health and Plant Protection	Northwest Agriculture and Forestry University (NWAUFU).	Technical expertise	China
Plant Protection	Photographing major endemic pests and diseases on maize, rice and tomatoes and other fruits, and to assist in the production of one thousand diagrammatic brochures to be published.	Technical expertise	East Timor
Plant Protection	Familiarisation with Western Australian practice in pest management, farmer extension and food safety.	Technical expertise	China
Plant Protection	Zhejiang Agriculture Department. Training program. Post harvest and food safety.	Training	China
Plant Protection	Techniques of quality evaluation of rice.	Training	Philippines
Plant Protection	Assess and implement Insect Collection Rehabilitation Program.	Technical expertise	Indonesia - Java
Plant Protection	To increase rice yields by a better understanding of rice diseases and their treatment in Cambodia.	Technical expertise, training	Cambodia
Plant Protection	The overall aim of the project is to increase canola quality oilseed production in China, India and Australia.	Funding research, Collaborative research	China India
Plant Protection	To improve profitability and quality of Cambodian vegetables for the domestic market and develop sustainable system improvement protocols which can be readily adapted to other commodities and across the transport, storage, processing and export industry.	Funding research, training	Cambodia
Plant Protection	To improve field control of pest fruit flies in semi-commercial orchards in Papua New Guinea using cultural methods such as crop hygiene and fruit bagging, low environmental impact chemicals such as in the male annihilation technique, protein baits and traps and mineral spray oils to repel fruit flies.	Funding research, training	Papua New Guinea

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Plant Protection	Identify and demonstrate effective integrated strategies to limit losses to PB, anthracnose and WTG in chilli peppers in Indonesia.	Funding research	Indonesia
Plant Protection	Plant material improvement through the development of a commercial nursery tree production system which can provide high quality planting material	Funding research, training	Bhutan
Plant Protection	Improve farmer and industry profitability and market competitiveness of southern Philippines and Australian selected vegetable industries including potato, tomato, Brassica and leafy vegetables.	Funding research, training	Philippines
Plant Protection	Protect the viability of the important oil palm industry and the economic and social benefits that flow from production on plantations and smallholdings.	Technical advice, training	Papua New Guinea
Plant Protection and Food Safety	Improving post harvest quality of temperate fruits in Viet Nam and Australia.	Technical expertise, funding research	Viet Nam
Plant Protection and Food Safety	ACIAR research and development activities: (a) Mango Pulp and seed weevil (b) Integrated Pest Management and Supply Chain Improvement.	Technical assistance, training	Philippines
Plant Protection and Food Safety	PNG-Australia Agriculture Research and Development.	Capacity development, grants, technical expertise, research	Papua New Guinea
Plant Protection and Food Safety	Agricultural Short Courses in SA for Iraq.	Training	Iraq
Plant Protection and Food Safety	Ensuring productivity and food security through sustainable control of yellow rust of wheat in Asia.	Funding research	Afghanistan Pakistan India Bangladesh China
Plant Protection and Food Safety	Management of fruit quality and pest infestation on mango and mangosteen to meet technical market access requirements.	Funding research	Indonesia
Plant Protection and Food Safety	Fruit fly management in Papua New Guinea.	Funding research, training	Papua New Guinea
Plant Protection and Food Safety	Managing trade risks arising from the use of crop protection chemicals in horticultural crops in the Philippines and Australia.	Funding research	Philippines

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Plant Protection and Food Safety	Cost effective disinfection treatments for Pacific horticulture - scoping study.	Funding research	Fiji
Plant Protection and Food Safety	ACIAR Afghanistan Project. Support for research and training in sustainable wheat and maize production in Afghanistan.	Research, training	Afghanistan
Animal Health, Plant Protection and Food Safety	Cambodia Australia Value Chain Program.	Research, technical expertise, training, equipment	Cambodia
Plant Protection and Food Safety	Seeds of Life 2 - to build the capacity of East Timor's Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries.	Training, technical assistance, research of new food crops and technology and infrastructure improvements	East Timor
Plant Protection and Food Safety	AIPRD Smallholder Agribusiness (SADI).	Technical expertise, training, equipment, capacity development	Indonesia
Plant Protection and Food Safety	ACACA Incoming Project Visit: Chinese vegetable products in Australia.	Technical expertise, advice	China
Plant Protection and Food Safety	ACACA Incoming Project Visit: Agricultural produce quality and safety testing.	Technical expertise, advice	China
Food Safety	FAO/WHO Trust Fund Project. Enhanced capacity of developing countries to participate in Codex.	One off contribution to Trust Fund	All developing country members of Codex - all regions
Food Safety	Co-hosting of 17th Session of the Codex Committee on Food Import and Export Inspection and Certification Systems.	co-hosted Codex meeting	Philippines
Animal Health, Plant Protection and Food Safety	FAO's regional workshop: "Food Import and Export Inspection and Certification - Bangkok Thailand.	Provide trainer for workshop	ASEAN countries
Food Safety	Study tour by a delegation from the Vietnam national Quality Assurance and Veterinary Directorate (NAFIQAVED) and Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development (MARD).	Training	Viet Nam
Food Safety	Strengthening the food safety of seafood products from Thailand and pilot study on exchange of electronic certificates for seafood products.	Training program and visits to Australian quarantine and inspection facilities at sea ports and airports.	Thailand

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Sector	Description of programme:	Form of Assistance:	Provided to:
Agricultural Technical Cooperation Agreement	Australia-China Agricultural Technical Cooperation Program. Assist industry to maximise export opportunities by building domestic and international support for agricultural and food trade reform, through consultation on whole of portfolio and whole of government strategies and priorities.	Technical expertise, advice	China
Food Safety	Chemical Risk Assessment in Food Regulation Workshop.	Technical expertise, training.	Malaysia
Food Safety	Food Safety Risk Communication for APEC Developing Economies workshop.	Technical expertise, training	Philippines
Food Safety	Developing Food Laws, Standards and Enforcement Systems Workshop – Enhanced Sustainability Model of Training.	Technical expertise, training	Viet Nam, Philippines, Papua New Guinea, Indonesia and China
Food Safety	Microbiological Risk Assessment Workshop.	Technical expertise, training	Malaysia
Food Safety	Food Regulatory Systems and Developing Food Laws Workshop.	Technical expertise, training	China
Food Safety	Employment of appropriate proven technologies in the food security, health and capacity building sectors.	Technical expertise, training, equipment	Southern and Eastern Africa
Food Safety	Enhanced profitability of selected vegetable value chains in the southern Philippines and Australia.	Funding research, training	Philippines
Food Safety	Improvement of vegetable production and post harvest management systems in Cambodia and Australia.	Funding research, training	Cambodia
Food Safety	Quality management to enhance effective supply chains for mangoes and rambutans in Nusa Tenggara Barat (NTB), Indonesia and Australia.	Funding research	Indonesia
Food Safety	Technical support facility for commercialisation of protein bait production in north Viet Nam.	Infrastructure	Viet Nam
Food Safety	Reducing spoilage and contamination risks of fresh vegetables in China and Australia.	Funding research	China
Food Safety	Water Resources Aquaculture Program (AWRAP) Aims to restore livelihoods of people in aquaculture sector in Aceh.	Managed by ACIAR. Includes rehabilitation of soil to lessen reliance on food aid in tsunami-affected areas	Indonesia- Aceh

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Food Safety	Public Sector Linkages Program (PSLP) Strengthening Food Safety Standards and Practices.	Training	Indonesia
Food Safety	Public Sector Linkages Program (PSLP). To increase participants knowledge and skills in developing food laws and regulations.	Training and workshops	Viet Nam, Indonesia, Papua New Guinea, Philippines and China