



Project Data Sheet

Project 45154-001

Project Name	Selected Evaluation Studies for 2011	
Project Number	45154-001	
Country / Economy	Regional	
Project Status	Closed	
Project Type / Modality of Assistance	Technical Assistance	
Source of Funding / Amount	<u>TA 7888-REG: Selected Evaluation Studies for 2011</u> Technical Assistance Special Fund US\$ 1.30 million	
Strategic Agendas	Inclusive economic growth	
Drivers of Change	Governance and capacity development Private sector development	
Sector / Subsector	Agriculture, natural resources and rural development / Irrigation Education / Education sector development Energy / Energy sector development and institutional reform Finance / Inclusive finance Health / Health insurance and subsidized health programs Industry and trade / Industry and trade sector development Public sector management / Public expenditure and fiscal management Transport / Road transport (non-urban) Water and other urban infrastructure and services / Urban water supply	
Gender	No gender elements	

	<p>The Strategy 2020 results framework of the Asian Development Bank (ADB) and its annual review brings development effectiveness to the core of ADB operations. The annual work programs of the Independent Evaluation Department (IED) contribute to ADB's operational effectiveness by generating evaluation feedback. IED's approved evaluation program from 2011-2013 has been anchored on ADB's Strategy 2020 and the operational priorities of the Asian Development Fund X. It features (i) a derived program aligned with ongoing and future country operations and ADB's strategic and thematic priorities, (ii) a real-time feedback and capacity development program, and (iii) a knowledge program.</p>
Description	<p>This research and development technical assistance (TA) will support forthcoming high level and strategic evaluations covered by IED's active work program: (i) three country assistance and associated sector assistance program evaluations; (ii) five special evaluation studies assessing a sector-wide approach or program-based approach in education; the development impacts of ADB's private sector operations, ADB's achievement in assisting developing member countries (DMCs) attain their millennium development goals (MDGs); ADB's microfinance development strategy in 2000, and the effectiveness of ADB's emergency assistance policy and action. These multicountry and multisector evaluation activities, which are geared to improve development effectiveness in DMCs, have benefited from the use of ADB TA resources, have been responsive in providing the necessary inputs.</p>
Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy	<p>The work program of IED seeks to maximize the development effectiveness of ADB assistance by providing evaluation lessons on ADB operations under Strategy 2020 priorities (strategic agenda, drivers of change and core areas of operations), and to provide feedback to the Board and Management on accountability for resource use.</p>
Impact	<p>The development effectiveness of ADB operations, policies, strategies, and business processes have improved.</p>

Project Outcome

Description of Outcome	Improved formulation and implementation of ADB policies, country and sector strategies, and public and private sector operations.
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Progress Toward Outcome

Implementation Progress

Description of Project Outputs	<p>Special Evaluation Studies: (i) ADB's Achievement in Assisting its Developing Member Countries in Attaining their Millenium Development Goals; (ii) ADB's Microfinance Development Strategy 2000 and Related Operations; (iii) Development Impacts of Private Sector Operations; (iv) Effectiveness of Emergency Assistance and Policy Action; and (v) Sectorwide Approach (SWAp)/Program-based Approach on Education</p> <p>Country Assistance Progam Evaluations (CAPEs): Subject to be determined</p> <p>Validation of Country Partnership Strategy Final Review (CPSFR): Subject to be determined</p> <p>Sector Assistance Program Evaluations: As Inputs to CAPEs and CPSFR validations</p> <p>Rigorous Impact Evaluations: Subject to be determined</p> <p>Dissemination of knowledge publications</p>
Status of Implementation Progress (Outputs, Activities, and Issues)	
Geographical Location	Regional

Summary of Environmental and Social Aspects

Environmental Aspects

Involuntary Resettlement

Indigenous Peoples

Stakeholder Communication, Participation, and Consultation

During Project Design	The Independent Evaluation Department evaluation team will carry out project document and database reviews including consultations with concerned operations and non-operations departments of the ADB.
During Project Implementation	The Independent Evaluation Department evaluation team will (i) carry out interviews with beneficiaries and affectees, DMC government staff, non-government organizations, and development partners including ADB, (ii) undertake questionnaire surveys and internet searches, and (iii) conduct field visits.

Business Opportunities

Consulting Services	Consulting services required for each evaluation study will be engaged on an individual basis with the detailed terms of reference indicated in the evaluation approach paper.
Procurement	About x person-months of consulting services: x person-months of international and xx person-months of national.
Responsible ADB Officer	Van Rijn, Johannes Jacobus Frederik
Responsible ADB Department	Independent Evaluation Department
Responsible ADB Division	Office of the Director General, IED
Executing Agencies	<p><i>Asian Development Bank</i></p> <p><i>6 ADB Avenue,</i></p> <p><i>Mandaluyong City 1550, Philippines</i></p>

Timetable

Concept Clearance	07 Dec 2010
Fact Finding	-
MRM	-
Approval	13 Oct 2011
Last Review Mission	-
Last PDS Update	15 Jun 2011

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Milestones

Approval	Signing Date	Effectivity Date	Closing		
			Original	Revised	Actual
13 Oct 2011	-	13 Oct 2011	30 Sep 2013	31 Dec 2016	26 Sep 2017

Financing Plan/TA Utilization							Cumulative Disbursements	
ADB	Cofinancing	Counterpart		Project Sponsor	Others	Total	Date	Amount
		Gov	Beneficiaries					
1,300,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,300,000.00	17 Jun 2022	1,208,345.40

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