



Viet Nam: River Basin Water Resources Management and Development

Project Name	River Basin Water Resources Management and Development				
Project Number	40196-012				
Country	Viet Nam				
Project Status	Dropped / Terminated				
Project Type / Modality of Assistance	Technical Assistance				
Source of Funding / Amount	<table border="1"> <tr> <td colspan="2">TA 8305-VIE: River Basin Water Resources Management and Development</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Technical Assistance Special Fund</td> <td>US\$ 700,000.00</td> </tr> </table>	TA 8305-VIE: River Basin Water Resources Management and Development		Technical Assistance Special Fund	US\$ 700,000.00
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Strategic Agendas	Environmentally sustainable growth Inclusive economic growth				
Drivers of Change	Governance and capacity development				
Sector / Subsector	Agriculture, natural resources and rural development - Water-based natural resources management				
Gender Equity and Mainstreaming					
Description	<p>The project will assist the Government of Viet Nam to prepare for future national water security by establishing a national water resources information system (WRIS) that will enable fact-based integrated water resources management, including a rational policy-based system for water allocation and demand management. The WRIS, underpinned by a comprehensive national database on water sources and water demand, will provide detailed information that will allow effective water governance aimed at water security in the face of a growing gap between water supply and demand. The WRIS will align with and support the government's stated goal of promoting sustainable growth and building a knowledge-based economy. It will be consistent with the ADB's Water Operational Plan's priorities of supporting fact-based water governance as well as expanded knowledge and capacity development. The TA will assist the Government to prepare a project for ADB processing, including independent assessment of policy and technical issues and their institutional ramifications. It will assist the Government define the scope, cost, financing plan, implementation arrangements including assigning responsibility for advance action. It will assess capacity building needs within Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment and custodians of related databases and define post-project O&M arrangements. Safeguard and financial management policies of both the ADB and the Government that should be followed during project implementation will be defined. The TA will guide on actions to maximize the social and economic benefits, including the formulation of water allocation procedures, data sharing and access protocols to improve long-term sustainable management of natural resources and the environment; the planning of training required to encourage inter-agency data sharing; assured access to summary data and findings by the general public, and the setting of transparent charges for the sale of information generated from the data. It will advise on the need and scope of a phased implementation of the proposed system of data gathering, analysis and management, and for the introduction of a basin approach to water management. The TA will define the context for an assessment of the nation's water governance, as a means to assess the effort required or the likelihood to achieve lasting change for water security.</p>				
Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy					
Impact	TBD				

Project Outcome

Description of Outcome	TBD
Progress Toward Outcome	

Implementation Progress

Description of Project Outputs

TBD

Status of Implementation Progress (Outputs, Activities, and Issues)

Geographical Location

Summary of Environmental and Social Aspects

Environmental Aspects

Involuntary Resettlement

Indigenous Peoples

Stakeholder Communication, Participation, and Consultation

During Project Design

During Project Implementation

Business Opportunities

Consulting Services

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Timetable

Concept Clearance

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Fact Finding

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MRM

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Approval

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Last Review Mission

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PDS Creation Date

06 Oct 2008

Last PDS Update

31 Mar 2014

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Milestones					
Approval	Signing Date	Effectivity Date	Closing		
			Original	Revised	Actual
19 Dec 2012	17 May 2013	17 May 2013	04 Nov 2013	-	-

Financing Plan/TA Utilization						Cumulative Disbursements		
ADB	Cofinancing	Counterpart				Total	Date	Amount
		Gov	Beneficiaries	Project Sponsor	Others			
700,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	700,000.00	19 Dec 2012	0.00

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