Thanks to the generosity of Japan, millions of people around the world enjoy fresh drinking water, the right to vote, decent jobs, and more. In recent years, Japan has been among UNDP’s largest donors. In addition to funding, Japanese leaders in government, business, and academia give their expertise to fulfill the promise of a more prosperous and fair world.

Together, the people of Japan and UNDP will continue our vital collaboration to end poverty and inequality, and to achieve the Sustainable Development Goals.

Common priorities

- Supporting Africa’s Development
- Stabilization in the Middle East
- Humanitarian and Development Nexus
- Disaster Risk Reduction and Climate Change
- Democratic Governance
- Women’s Empowerment
- Global Health
- Promotion of the SDGs

PROJECT HIGHLIGHT

Tsunami #90drills all around Asia and the Pacific

Japan’s experience dealing with tsunami is now helping 18 countries in Asia and the Pacific to prepare the schools for natural hazards. These are scenes from the tsunami drills all around the region.
Japan-UNDP Projects in 2017

UNDP Global Results, 2014-2017
During the last Strategic Plan period, our initiatives assisted

- Nearly 170M new voters to register in 52 countries
- 37.3M people to benefit from improved livelihoods
- More than 6.7M people to have improved access to energy in 55 countries
- 4.1M people to gain access to legal aid services in 39 countries, 51% of them women
- Nearly 3M people to find new jobs - 41% for women
- 2M people to receive antiretroviral treatment in 22 countries (as of mid-2017)
- 104 countries to implement low-emission and climate-resilient measures

Top OECD DAC Contributors to UNDP, 2017

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Total Contributions: $4.915M
DAC Contributions: $2.298M
Highlights from Japan-UNDP Partnership

Empowerment of Women
In partnership with UNDP and the Afghan Ministry of Interior Affairs, Japan is supporting the training of women police officers in Afghanistan.

Almost 1,200 women officers trained since 2013
The government plans to achieve 10% female police officers by 2020

Stabilization in the Middle East
With support from Japan, UNDP has helped many thousands of people in Syria.

Almost 47,000 direct beneficiaries
Debris removed: 501,000 tonnes

Japan has also helped UNDP stabilize Iraq after conflict

Water, electricity, roads, waste management and health services provided for 1.9M people
More than 4,000 refugees, IDPs and host communities participated in livelihood activities
Over 2M people in Tikrit now have access to medical services
Based on its own experience dealing with tsunamis, Japan has provided leadership and support to UNDP's work to reduce the loss of life and property from tsunamis in 18 countries in Asia and the Pacific.

In partnership with Japan, UNDP is helping countries conduct free and fair elections and prevent violent extremism.

### Humanitarian-Development Nexus

Japan supports UNDP's activities at the intersection of humanitarian and development work.

- **In Uganda**, 15,000 newly created work days for refugees and host communities.
- **In Jordan**, more than 3,600 women and youths trained, many of them Syrian refugees.

### Disaster Risk Reduction and Climate Change

Based on its own experience dealing with tsunamis, Japan has provided leadership and support to UNDP's work to reduce the loss of life and property from tsunamis in 18 countries in Asia and the Pacific.

- Tsunami evacuation drills for 50,100 participants.
- 88 schools now prepared for tsunamis and natural hazards.
- 88

### Governance

In partnership with Japan, UNDP is helping countries conduct free and fair elections and prevent violent extremism.

- **In the Pakistan election**, more than 520,000 polling staff were trained.
- **In Sudan**, over 19,000 youth and women trained on the prevention of violent extremism.
- **In the Kyrgyzstan election**, more than 72,500 citizens issued e-IDs to vote.
Supporting Africa’s Development

Since 1993, UNDP and Japan have co-organized the Tokyo International Conference on African Development (TICAD). The next TICAD, TICAD7 is going to be held in Yokohama in August of 2019. The organizing principle of the conference is African ownership.

Over 11,000 people attended the TICAD6 conference in 2016. The event brought together over 200 Japanese private sector partners. 53 African countries were represented in TICAD6.

Global Health

Since 2013, UNDP and Japan, together with the Japanese private sector have been partnering to implement the Global Health Innovative Technology (GHIT) Fund and the Access and Delivery Partnership (ADP) to promote health innovation and access, and the delivery of new health technologies to fight tuberculosis, malaria and neglected tropical diseases.

GHIT Fund has invested $132M in developing new technologies. ADP has brought together 700 policy makers and experts through South-South cooperation.

Partnerships to Promote the SDGs

UNDP and Japan Innovation Network co-manage the SDGs Holistic Innovation Platform (SHIP), aiming to achieve the SDGs with expertise of the private sector.

Fujitsu, Tohoku University, and UNDP are collaborating to build and operate a global database of disaster statistics.

Sumitomo Corporation partners with UNDP in Iraq to provide vocational training to displaced youth, through a Toyota car distributor that it operates.

Panasonic partnered with UNDP to donate solar lanterns to rural communities in Africa and Asia.

UNDP works with the following eleven major universities in Japan to promote the SDGs and international development through lectures, events and internships: Meiji, Rikkyo, International, Sophia, Keio, Kyoto, Kwansei-Gakuin, Yokohama National, Waseda, Soka and Nagasaki.
Japanese UNDP Staff Around the World

UNDP Leadership - Asako Okai
Assistant Administrator and Director for the Crisis Bureau

“UNDP has a unique opportunity to strengthen its interventions in crisis and fragile settings to address root causes, development deficits, and reduce vulnerabilities that bring together humanitarian, development and peacebuilding efforts in the context of the UN’s new way of working. This is a critical time to lead our crisis work and I warmly welcome Ms. Okai to her new role.” - Achim Steiner

Japanese UNDP Staff in Regions

16% In Africa
17% In Arab States
7% In Latin America and the Caribbean
6% In Europe and Central Asia
30% In Asia and the Pacific
23% In Headquarters

85
Japanese staff work in UNDP

26
Junior Professional Officers (JPO) and Special Assistants to the UN Resident Coordinator (SARC)

7
Senior level staff (P6 - D1)

3
Resident Coordinators

Tomokatsu Serizawa, Sudan

Kyoko Yokosuka, Bangladesh

In Guyana

In Kazakhstan

Shoko Noda, Maldives

Mizuho Yokoi, Nigeria

Tsunetaka Tsuchiya, CAR