

United States Government
FY 02 Trade Capacity Building Assistance (\$US)

LEBANON

Activity Title	Activity Description	TCB Category	FY 02 Total
Human Capacity Development/ Higher Education & Training Systems	This program provides technical assistance to higher education workforce development and training activities in agriculture, agribusiness, trade and related areas. Funded by USAID and implemented by USDA/FAS.	Trade-Related Agriculture	\$ 26,111
Specific WTO Activities	Assist the GOL in understanding the principles of WTO agreement and implementing them in the form of national legislation.- Provide formal and on the job training on the enforcement and administration of these laws. Bring the legal policy, regulatory and institutional framework into full conformity with these agreements. Funded and implemented by USAID/Lebanon.	Agreements on Trade in Goods	270,000
		Agreement on Agriculture	108,000
		Agreement on SPS	216,000
		Agreement on TBTs	162,000
		Agreement on TRIMs	54,000
		Agreement on Anti-Dumping	135,000
		Agreement on Customs Valuation Methods	135,000
		Agreement on Rules of Origin	135,000
		Agreement on Import Licensing Proc.	135,000
		Agreement on CVMs	135,000
		Agreement on Safeguards	135,000
		General Agreement on Trade in Services	324,000
		Agreement on TRIPS	486,000
		Agreement on Dispute Settlement	81,000
Agreement on Gov't Procurement	189,000		
	Activity Total	2,700,000	

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The Global Trade and Technology Network (GTN)	GTN is an international trade lead matching and technology transfer network that helps small and medium-sized enterprises build trade and business linkages, identify investment opportunities and access new technologies. GTN firms are connected by an Internet-based trade lead matching platform that facilitates trade through on-line matching of technology needs with firms that can provide the product or service requested. GTN builds the capacity of firms to engage in international trade by increasing SME access to commercial information and global markets through an all horizons trade initiative that promotes trade in any GTN country in any sector. GTN also facilitates bilateral trade and technology transfer with the United States. GTN's electronic commerce platform enables firms to establish international trade linkages such as joint ventures, direct sales and purchases, and agent or distributorships. Funded and implemented by USAID/EGAT/BD.	Export Promotion	62,500
		Business Services & Training	62,500
		Activity Total	125,000
WTO in general	To assist the Government of Lebanon(GOL) throughout the accession process including research, analysis and preparation of accession documents.- Educate public and private sectors about WTO accession process and requirements and impact of WTO accession. Funded and implemented by USAID/Lebanon.	WTO Awareness	280,000
		WTO Accession	520,000
		Activity Total	800,000
FY02 Total USG Trade Capacity Building Assistance to LEBANON			\$ 3,651,111