

United States Government
2004 Trade Capacity Building Assistance (\$US)
RWANDA

Activity Title	Activity Description	TCB Category	FY 04 Total
Agribusiness Development Activity in Rwanda (ADAR)	The Agribusiness Development Activity in Rwanda (ADAR) project works directly with private sector agribusiness operators and some organized associations and cooperatives on improving the processing and marketing of value-added export-oriented products. ADAR supports: (1) adding value to key agriculture commodities targeted for export; (2) building efficiency and expanding employment with agriculture commodity chains; (3) upgrading managerial and technical capability in agribusiness enterprises; (4) improving product quality and expand access to markets; and (5) developing financing options to support agribusiness growth. Funded and implemented by USAID/Rwanda.	Trade-Related Agriculture	1,000,000
Partnership Enhancing Agriculture Research through Linkages (PEARL)	The Partnership Enhancing Agriculture Research through Linkages (PEARL) activity aims to increase the productive capacity, incomes, and employment of community-based groups through enterprise development in the agricultural sector. As one of the key technical assistance providers to the specialty coffee sector, PEARL has pioneered the first exports of specialty coffee to the United States and the United Kingdom, resulting in a four-fold income increase for the coffee growers. Funded and implemented by USAID/Rwanda.	Trade-Related Agriculture	725,000
Small and Medium Enterprise Promotion and Technical Assistance	The project aims to increase efficiency of Small and Medium Enterprises (SMEs) through business development services and use of information and communications technology, support public sector entities that promote private sector development and upgrade managerial and technical capability of SMEs to increase productivity and access emerging markets through the use of volunteer experts. Funded and implemented by USAID/Rwanda.	Business Services & Training	150,000
		Other Trade Facilitation	30,000
		Trade-Related Agriculture	90,000
		Tourism Sector Development	30,000
		Activity Total	300,000
Support for Tea Plantation Privatization and Expansion	The project entails financing for further privatization and expansion of Sorwathe, a tea plantation and processing project in Rwanda. Partner company is Tea Importers, Inc. Funded and implemented by Overseas Private Investment Corporation (OPIC).	Export Promotion	66,000
Total FY04 USG Trade Capacity Building Assistance to Rwanda			2,091,000