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<b>Activity Title</b>	<b>Activity Description</b>	<b>TCB Category</b>	<b>FY 05 Total</b>
<b>Addendum to India Hazardous Industries Program</b>	This activity provides capacity to the Government of India to adhere to internationally recognized labor standards, including freedom from child labor, which is a requirement for receipt of U.S. trade benefits. Funded and implemented by Department of Labor/ILAB.	Human Resources & Labor Standards	<b>6,000,000</b>
<b>Biotechnology Capacity Building</b>	A Food and Drug Administration (FDA) consultant in India provided information on US-India regulatory issues. Funded and implemented by Health & Human Services/FDA.	Agreement on SPS	<b>2,800</b>
<b>Chawla Aviation Cooperation Program (CACP)</b>	This \$500,000 Technical Assistance program will support the Chawla Aviation Cooperation Program (CACP), a public-private partnership that seeks to strengthen overall U.S.-India aviation cooperation. The CACP will facilitate and coordinate aviation industry training and increase technical ties between the two countries, with a focus on promoting increased safety, operational efficiency and system capacity in the Indian aviation sector. Funded and implemented by Trade and Development Agency.	Business Services & Training	<b>500,000</b>
<b>Development of Commodity Future Market</b>	The activity will strengthen regulation of the commodity futures markets while educating and training of commodity futures markets stakeholders, participants and beneficiaries, it will also address agricultural sector commodity futures market facilitation issues, such as improvements in warehousing, Mandi Board transparency, tax reform, and related issues. Funded and implemented by USAID/India.	Financial Sector Dev. & Good Governance	<b>510,000</b>
<b>Distribution Reform Upgrades and Management</b>	Under the Distribution Reform Upgrades and Management Agreement the Distribution Reform and Alternative Financing project funded by USAID Mission in India to help the development of alternative funding/lending mechanisms to support broad distribution reform in the electricity network in India. This project draws upon the experience of the Rural Utilities Service to address sector issues that include poor financial performance, lack of commercial approach and consumer orientation, low energy efficiency and adverse environmental impacts. The results of the improved infrastructure and electricity and expansion to new communities will contribute to agricultural related business and commerce throughout India. Funded by USAID/India and implemented by Department of Agriculture/FAS.	Physical Infrastructure Development	<b>274,800</b>
<b>Financial Institutions Reform and Expansion - Regulatory (FIRE-R)</b>	The Financial Institutions Reform and Expansion - Regulatory (FIRE-R) helps the Government of India (GOI) develop its financial markets—equity, debt, insurance and pension. This is expected to mobilize household savings to finance long term development and sustain high rates of economic growth. FIRE-R works closely with the GOI regulatory agencies such as the Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI), and the Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority (IRDA). Activities are designed to enhance the confidence of household savers in the Indian financial markets. They develop effective regulatory and supervision frameworks that govern financial markets, promote transparency and sound market conduct practices by market institutions, modernize underlying market systems and infrastructure, and promote widespread financial literacy among investors and consumers. Funded and implemented by USAID/India.	Financial Sector Dev. & Good Governance	<b>2,500,000</b>

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<b>Geostationary Earth Orbit Augmented Navigation - Technology Demonstration System</b>	This \$500,000 training grant to the Indian Space Research Organization will provide training related to the implementation of the Global Positioning Systems (GPS) and GEO (Geostationary Earth Orbit) Augmented Navigation - Technology Demonstration System (GAGAN-TDS). The training would be for system implementation and performance particular to the ionosphere in India, as well as for software development practices required for safety-of-flight practices. Funded and implemented by Trade and Development Agency.	Physical Infrastructure Development	<b>500,000</b>
<b>Identification of Needs for Meeting WTO Standards</b>	The activity will identify: (a) needs for meeting WTO and selected bilateral sanitary and phyto-sanitary standards for participation and enhanced competitiveness in international markets for existing or new products and (b) possible systemic and non-tariff barriers for entry of Indian agricultural products in international markets. The activity will focus on the development of capacity building requirements in terms of manpower, institutions, training and regulatory frameworks for enhancing Indian product competitiveness and on establishment of requirements for certification or accreditation agencies. Funded and implemented by USAID/India.	Agreement on SPS	220,000
		Trade-Related Agriculture	330,000
		<b>Activity Total</b>	<b>550,000</b>
<b>Jet Airways Integrated Security System</b>	This \$518,700 Feasibility Study (FS) will design and evaluate the technical, economic and financial viability of a cost effective system to enhance the level of security at the Jet Airways Pvt. Ltd. terminals in five airports in India. The system would have the capability to screen passengers, personnel, bags, cargo, food, fuel, and vehicles. Jet Airways has selected the U.S. Company Hi-Tec Systems, Inc. to perform the FS. Funded and implemented by Trade and Development Agency.	Physical Infrastructure Development	<b>518,700</b>
<b>Labor rights in the Global Economy - India</b>	This activity promotes human rights and labor standards in India. Funded and implemented by USAID/DCHA.	Human Resources & Labor Standards	<b>9,910</b>
<b>NIST Standards in Trade Workshop on Oil and Gas</b>	The U.S. National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) is hosting a one-week workshop on standards and conformity assessment in the oil and gas sector. This workshop is being organized in collaboration with several U.S. private sector bodies, including the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME), Underwriters Laboratories Inc. (UL), and the American Petroleum Institute (API). The workshop will be held August 22-26 at NIST, in Gaithersburg, Maryland, and will bring together government and private sector representatives from India and the United States. Workshop objectives are to provide a forum for discussion of standards, conformity assessment, and regulation that 1) addresses the role and authority of relevant agencies organizations and 2) discusses best practices and proposes solutions for facilitating trade. Funded and implemented by Department of Commerce/NIST.	Other Trade Facilitation	<b>61,252</b>

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<b>Scientific Cooperation on Poultry Safety and Mango Irradiation with India</b>	The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Scientific Cooperation Research Program helps solve critical market and trade related problems affecting food, agriculture, fisheries, forestry, and the environment in both collaborating countries worldwide and the United States through joint research and scientific exchanges. Tuskegee University, an historically black university in Alabama, continues sharing biotechnology expertise and reagents with the Indian Agricultural University for safer poultry meat and eggs. This project also includes the use of irradiation, the only treatment the U.S. Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service has approved for the mango seed weevil that hinders export. Research results will help regulatory agencies and the poultry and mango industries in both countries to make decisions based on sound, science-based observations. Funded and implemented by Department of Agriculture/FAS.	Trade-Related Agriculture	<b>1,500</b>
<b>State Fiscal Management Reform (REFORM)</b>	The program supports selected state governments in their endeavors to improve fiscal management systems, strengthen fiscal discipline and create conditions for: (1) better allocation and resources to the productive sectors of the economy, and (2) enable greater mobilization of tax and non-tax revenues. State Fiscal Management Reform (REFORM) aims to improve fiscal discipline, which will result in better informed governance of public funds, and potentially, higher investments in public services such as health care and education. Efforts will help build institutional structures that support forward looking fiscal analysis. Areas of focus in assisted Indian states include: better budget preparation processes updated information systems to guide financial decision-making practices to track and manage state debt and use of appropriate international standards in public finance to inform and engage the public in decision-making. Funded and implemented by USAID/India.	Financial Sector Dev. & Good Governance	<b>2,500,000</b>
<b>Support to Processed Food Operations for Export and Import</b>	Support to food processing project that will import from and export to the U.S. market. Funded and implemented by Overseas Private Investment Corporation (OPIC).	Other Trade Facilitation	<b>189,189</b>
<b>Technical Assistance on Competition Policy and Enforcement - FTC</b>	The Federal Trade Commission (FTC) and the Department of Justice (DOJ) are providing technical assistance to enhance the ability of the Competition Commission of India (CCI) more effectively apply India's new competition law in ways that encourages a more competitive marketplace. The program shares the experience of the FTC and DOJ in developing and applying an effective competition policy. The program will enhance the CCI's ability to take action against anticompetitive practices that inhibit trade and investment as well as harm domestic consumer welfare. Funded by USAID/India and implemented by Federal Trade Commission/ITA.	Competition Policy & Foreign Investment	<b>475,000</b>

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<b>Technical Assistance on Competition Policy and Enforcement - DOJ</b>	The U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ) and the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) are providing technical assistance to enhance the ability of the Competition Commission of India to apply its new law in a way that encourages a more competitive market place. The program shares the experience of the DOJ and FTC in institution building, competition advocacy and detecting, investigating, and appropriately remedying anticompetitive conduct. Funded by USAID/India and implemented by Department of Justice/Antitrust Division.	Competition Policy & Foreign Investment	<b>16,978</b>
<b>US Asia Environmental Partnership (USAEP) India</b>	The mission of US Asia Environmental Partnership (USAEP) is to promote sustainable economic growth and an improved quality of life in India by working to make cities cleaner and more efficient, its industries less polluting and more competitive, and its laws and regulations better able to protect the environment. In doing so, USAEP will transfer to India environmentally beneficial knowledge, services, and technologies from the US and Asia through innovative, sustainable partnerships that leverage expertise and resources from US, Indian, and Asian public and private sector entities. USAEP/India is focusing on 5 activities: (1) Municipal Waste Water Recycle-Reuse (2) In-use Vehicle Inspection and Certification Market, (3) Eco Housing Market, (4) Energy Efficiency Market, and (5) US-AEP has pioneered the introduction of micro-turbine technology in India. When possible and resources permitting, USAEP/India will seek to share relevant environmental best practices throughout the region. Funded and implemented by USAID/RDM/Asia.	Environmental Trade & Standards	<b>98,000</b>
<b>US/India Biotechnology Regulatory Issues Workshop</b>	A Food and Drug Administration consultant participated in a US-India biotechnology regulatory issues workshop in India including a lecture and discussions to provide biotechnology outreach on US-India regulatory issues. Funded and implemented by Health & Human Services/FDA.	Agreement on SPS	<b>2,800</b>
<b>World Bank/India Food Drug Capacity Building Project</b>	Food and Drug Administration (FDA) consultant participated in World Bank India Food and Drug Capacity Building Project review mission and gave a lecture on public communication of food safety issues and consultation on food safety, antibiotic residues, regulatory framework, inter-agency cooperation, Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Point (HACCP) and labeling. Funded and implemented by Health & Human Services/FDA.	Agreement on SPS	<b>2,400</b>
<b>Total FY 05 USG Trade Capacity Building Assistance to India</b>			<b>14,713,329</b>