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*2005 Trade Capacity Building Assistance (\$US)*  
**TAJIKISTAN**

Activity Title	Activity Description	TCB Category	FY 05 Total
<b>Economic Policy Reform - Tajikistan</b>	This activity focuses on three key areas: monetary policy, tax administration, and the banking sector. The project aims to assist the National Bank to improve institutional capacity for conducting monetary policy through providing training and assistance on conducting open market operations, regulating reserves and risk management. It will also provide assistance to the Ministry for State Revenues and Duties to implement functional reorganization thus improving tax administration assist the ministry with developing methodologies for estimating income for small businesses assist the ministry with computerization of tax offices. The activity will also assist the National Bank to improve banking supervision to include implementation of consolidated reporting on banking groups revision of reporting requirements for new Basle Capital Accord development of bank supervision corrective action process development of a legal/supervisory framework. Funded and implemented by USAID/Central Asian Republics.	Financial Sector Dev. & Good Governance	<b>1,040,000</b>
<b>Enterprise Development Project - Tajikistan</b>	This activity includes enterprise improvement services, regional trade promotion (RTP), and accounting reform-(1) Enterprise Improvement Services provides Small and Medium Enterprises (SMEs) with targeted consulting services, managers advisors assist SMEs by advising them on building and implementing a strategy to resolve the identified growth challenges, (2) The RTP assists the economic development of Central Asia through increased SME trade, (3) accounting reform assistance provides the guidance and standards covering most of the components of a global accounting framework such as financial accounting standards, a code of ethics, management accounting standards, guidance for forming professional associations, establishment of education programs, and administration of exams. Funded and implemented by USAID/Central Asian Republics.	E-Commerce & IT	44,500
		Export Promotion	178,000
		Business Services & Training	400,500
		Other Trade Facilitation	267,000
		<b>Activity Total</b>	<b>890,000</b>

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<b>Trade Facilitation and Investment - Tajikistan</b>	The activity cultivates grassroots participation in Tajikistan of business, legal, and professional associations and other groups in efforts to reform legislation, administrative procedures, and practices that constrain the growth of small- and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) and investment. It also builds demand for reforms to conform to internationally-recognized trade and investment requirements. The activity: (1) assists appropriate government agencies to implement market-oriented changes in regulations and laws, (2) educates government officials and entrepreneurs on existing laws and practices that limit SME trade and investment, (3) provides assistance in dealing with World Trade Organization (WTO) compliance issues, and (4) supports trade facilitation activities, including activities aimed at resolving transit and transportation-related issues and improving customs systems in the Central Asia. Funded and implemented by USAID/Central Asian Republics.	WTO Accession	110,780
		Agreement on TBT	18,463
		Customs Operation & Administration	36,927
		Business Services & Training	36,927
		Other Trade Facilitation	18,463
		Gov/Transparency & Inter-Agency Coord.	147,706
		<b>Activity Total</b>	<b>369,266</b>
<b>Total FY05 USG Trade Capacity Building Assistance to Tajikistan</b>			<b>2,299,266</b>