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Activity Title	Activity Description	TCB Category	
Agricultural Extension - Serbia	The US Department of Agriculture provided technical assistance to the government of Serbia on the development of a cadre of agricultural extension advisors who can advise farmers on farm management practices that improve the income of farmers. Seven extension advisors successfully prepared and received funding from the Serbian government for their proposals that extended their advisory services to more farming communities. Improved farm management practices are critical for farmers to increase their income as Serbia transitions to a market-based system. Funded by Department of State and implemented by Department of Agriculture/FAS.	Trade-Related Agriculture	150,000
		Activity Total	150,000
Animal Health - Montenegro	The goal is to develop and implement an animal health system that is consistent with the World Trade Organization agreements and the international standard-setting body Office International Epizooties (OIE). Funded by Department of State and implemented by Department of Agriculture/FAS.	Agreement on SPS	100,000
		Activity Total	100,000
Animal Health - Serbia	The goal is to develop and implement an animal health system that is consistent with the World Trade Organization agreements and the international standard-setting body Office of International Epizooties (OIE). Funded by Department of State and implemented by Department of Agriculture/FAS.	Agreement on SPS	250,000
		Activity Total	250,000

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Border Security: Basic Munitions Licensing Training - FRY	Promotes border security and customs operations by supporting the ability of Serbia and Montenegro (FRY) to implement a munitions licensing program. This activity is part of the Export Control and Related Border Security Assistance (EXBS) program, the premier initiative by the U.S. Government to help other countries improve their export control systems. The EXBS program takes a regional and multilateral approach, promoting harmonization of national export control systems with international standards and facilitating information-sharing agreements among nations. The program also organizes a number of regional fora to bring national policymakers and technical experts together to share information and best practices. Funded and implemented by Department of State.	Customs Operation & Administration	95,000
		Activity Total	95,000
Border Security: Commodity Identification Training in FRY	Promotes border security and customs operations by supporting the ability of Serbia and Montenegro (FRY) to conduct commodity identification programs. This activity is part of the Export Control and Related Border Security Assistance (EXBS) program, the premier initiative by the U.S. Government to help other countries improve their export control systems. The EXBS program takes a regional and multilateral approach, promoting harmonization of national export control systems with international standards and facilitating information-sharing agreements among nations. The program also organizes a number of regional fora to bring national policymakers and technical experts together to share information and best practices. Funded by Department of State and implemented by Department of Energy.	Customs Operation & Administration	80,000
		Activity Total	80,000

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Border Security: Customs Modernization in Serbia and Montenegro (FRY)	Promotes customs modernization in Serbia and Montenegro (FRY) by supporting the ability to enforce export controls. This activity is part of the Export Control and Related Border Security Assistance (EXBS) program, the premier initiative by the U.S. Government to help other countries improve their export control systems. The EXBS program takes a regional and multilateral approach, promoting harmonization of national export control systems with international standards and facilitating information-sharing agreements among nations. The program also organizes a number of regional fora to bring national policymakers and technical experts together to share information and best practices. Funded and implemented by Department of State.	Customs Operation & Administration	30,000
		Activity Total	30,000
Border Security: End-Use/End-User Analysis - FRY	Promotes border security and customs operations by supporting the ability of Serbia and Montenegro (FRY) to implement end use / end user analysis in export controls. In this type of export control, the emphasis is on the end use of the item rather than the item itself. This activity is part of the Export Control and Related Border Security Assistance (EXBS) program, the premier initiative by the U.S. Government to help other countries improve their export control systems. The EXBS program takes a regional and multilateral approach, promoting harmonization of national export control systems with international standards and facilitating information-sharing agreements among nations. Funded by Department of State and implemented by Department of Energy.	Customs Operation & Administration	65,000
		Activity Total	65,000

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Border Security: Enforcement Equipment - FRY	Promotes border security and customs operations by providing enforcement equipment to Serbia and Montenegro (FRY) for export controls. This activity is part of the Export Control and Related Border Security Assistance (EXBS) program, the premier initiative by the U.S. Government to help other countries improve their export control systems. The EXBS program takes a regional and multilateral approach, promoting harmonization of national export control systems with international standards and facilitating information-sharing agreements among nations. The program also organizes a number of regional fora to bring national policymakers and technical experts together to share information and best practices. Funded and implemented by Department of State.	Customs Operation & Administration	624,000
		Activity Total	624,000
Border Security: Industry Compliance Program - FRY	Promotes border security and customs operations by supporting the ability of Serbia and Montenegro (FRY) to implement an industry compliance program. This activity is part of the Export Control and Related Border Security Assistance (EXBS) program, the premier initiative by the U.S. Government to help other countries improve their export control systems. The EXBS program takes a regional and multilateral approach, promoting harmonization of national export control systems with international standards and facilitating information-sharing agreements among nations. The program also organizes a number of regional fora to bring national policymakers and technical experts together to share information and best practices. Funded by Department of State and implemented by Department of Commerce.	Customs Operation & Administration	150,000
		Activity Total	150,000

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Border Security: Inspection Equipment Training - FRY	Promotes border security and customs operations by supporting the ability of Serbia and Montenegro (FRY) to operate inspection equipment at its borders. This activity is part of the Export Control and Related Border Security Assistance (EXBS) program, the premier initiative by the U.S. Government to help other countries improve their export control systems. The EXBS program takes a regional and multilateral approach, promoting harmonization of national export control systems with international standards and facilitating information-sharing agreements among nations. The program also organizes a number of regional fora to bring national policymakers and technical experts together to share information and best practices. Funded by Department of State and implemented by Department of Homeland Security/Customs.	Customs Operation & Administration	60,000
		Activity Total	60,000
Border Security: International Airport Cargo Interdiction Training - FRY	Promotes border security and customs operations by supporting the ability of Serbia and Montenegro (FRY) to enforce export controls and to interdict airport cargo. This activity is part of the Export Control and Related Border Security Assistance (EXBS) program, the premier initiative by the U.S. Government to help other countries improve their export control systems. The EXBS program takes a regional and multilateral approach, promoting harmonization of national export control systems with international standards and facilitating information-sharing agreements among nations. The program also organizes a number of regional fora to bring national policymakers and technical experts together to share information and best practices. Funded by Department of State and implemented by Department of Homeland Security/Customs.	Customs Operation & Administration	115,000
		Activity Total	115,000

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Border Security: Licensing Reference Library - FRY	Promotes border security and customs operations by supporting the ability of Serbia and Montenegro (FRY) to enforce export controls related to weapons of mass destruction (WMD). In particular, activity funded provision of Janes Munitions Licensing Library for the Ministry of International Economic Relations (MIER). This activity is part of the Export Control and Related Border Security Assistance (EXBS) program, the premier initiative by the U.S. Government to help other countries improve their export control systems. The EXBS program takes a regional and multilateral approach, promoting harmonization of national export control systems with international standards and facilitating information-sharing agreements among nations. The program also organizes a number of regional fora to bring national policymakers and technical experts together to share information and best practices. Funded and implemented by Department of State.	Customs Operation & Administration	17,000
		Activity Total	17,000
Border Security: Licensing Training - Montenegro	Promotes border security and customs operations by providing training to Serbia and Montenegro (FRY) in licensing procedures for export controls. This activity is part of the Export Control and Related Border Security Assistance (EXBS) program, the premier initiative by the U.S. Government to help other countries improve their export control systems. The EXBS program takes a regional and multilateral approach, promoting harmonization of national export control systems with international standards and facilitating information-sharing agreements among nations. The program also organizes a number of regional fora to bring national policymakers and technical experts together to share information and best practices. Funded and implemented by Department of State.	Customs Operation & Administration	64,000
		Activity Total	64,000

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Border Security: Ship Boarding and Inspection Training - FRY	Promotes border security and customs operations by supporting the ability of Serbia and Montenegro (FRY) to enforce export controls by boarding and inspecting ships. This activity is part of the Export Control and Related Border Security Assistance (EXBS) program, the premier initiative by the U.S. Government to help other countries improve their export control systems. The EXBS program takes a regional and multilateral approach, promoting harmonization of national export control systems with international standards and facilitating information-sharing agreements among nations. The program also organizes a number of regional fora to bring national policymakers and technical experts together to share information and best practices. Funded by Department of State and implemented by Department of Homeland Security/Customs.	Customs Operation & Administration	50,000
		Activity Total	50,000
Border Security: Ship Inspection Training (Second Phase) - FRY	Promotes border security and customs operations by supporting the ability of Serbia and Montenegro (FRY) to enforce export controls by boarding and inspecting ships. This activity is part of the Export Control and Related Border Security Assistance (EXBS) program, the premier initiative by the U.S. Government to help other countries improve their export control systems. The EXBS program takes a regional and multilateral approach, promoting harmonization of national export control systems with international standards and facilitating information-sharing agreements among nations. The program also organizes a number of regional fora to bring national policymakers and technical experts together to share information and best practices. Funded by Department of State and implemented by Department of Homeland Security/Customs.	Customs Operation & Administration	50,000
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Border Security: Training Course - FRY	Promotes border security and customs operations by supporting the ability of Serbia and Montenegro (FRY) to enforce export controls related to weapons of mass destruction (WMD) delivery. The activity included a training course. This activity is part of the Export Control and Related Border Security Assistance (EXBS) program, the premier initiative by the U.S. Government to help other countries improve their export control systems. The EXBS program takes a regional and multilateral approach, promoting harmonization of national export control systems with international standards and facilitating information-sharing agreements among nations. The program also organizes a number of regional fora to bring national policymakers and technical experts together to share information and best practices. Funded by Department of State and implemented by Department of Homeland Security/Customs.	Customs Operation & Administration	80,000
		Activity Total	80,000
Border Security: Undercover Investigations Training - FRY	Promotes border security and customs operations by supporting the ability of Serbia and Montenegro (FRY) to conduct undercover investigations related to export controls and weapons of mass destruction (WMD). This activity is part of the Export Control and Related Border Security Assistance (EXBS) program, the premier initiative by the U.S. Government to help other countries improve their export control systems. The EXBS program takes a regional and multilateral approach, promoting harmonization of national export control systems with international standards and facilitating information-sharing agreements among nations. The program also organizes a number of regional fora to bring national policymakers and technical experts together to share information and best practices. Funded by Department of State and implemented by Department of Homeland Security/Customs.	Customs Operation & Administration	80,000
		Activity Total	80,000
Food Safety - Montenegro	The goal is to strengthen the regulatory systems in Montenegro by meeting international standards (Codex Alimentarius) for the production and processing of agricultural goods. Funded by Department of State and implemented by Department of Agriculture/FAS.	Agreement on SPS	100,000
		Activity Total	100,000

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Food Safety - Serbia	The goal is to strengthen the regulatory systems in Serbia by meeting international standards (Codex Alimentarius) for the production and processing of agricultural goods. Funded by Department of State and implemented by Department of Agriculture/FAS.	Agreement on SPS	160,000
		Activity Total	160,000
Funding MIS Technical Assistance in Serbia and Montenegro	Extensive training on market and trade analysis has been conducted for a variety of private and public sector partners, including the Ministry of Agriculture and Institute of Applied Science in Agriculture. Market price reporting bulletins are now being produced and disseminated. Additional training is ongoing to expand and improve the market information system by focusing on market analysis and forecasting. Funded by Department of State and implemented by Department of Agriculture.	Trade-Related Agriculture	223,137
		Activity Total	223,137
Intellectual Property Rights - Operations and Organization	This technical assistance project will help the Serbian State Agency for the Protection of Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) restructure the agency and develop new operational protocols for processing patents and trademarks. Funded and implemented by Trade and Development Agency.	Competition Policy & Foreign Investment	465,857
		Activity Total	465,857
Market Information Systems - Montenegro	The goal is to strengthen the system of Montenegro for collecting, analyzing, and disseminating high quality agricultural market information. This will provide farmers, policymakers, and agribusinesses with the pricing information they need to make rational production and marketing decisions to facilitate the transition of Montenegro to a fully functioning market economy. Funded by Department of State and implemented by Department of Agriculture/FAS.	Trade-Related Agriculture	150,000
		Activity Total	150,000
Plant Health System	The goal is to develop and implement a plant health system that is consistent with the World Trade Organization agreements and the international standard-setting body International Plant Protection Convention (IPPC). Funded by Department of State and implemented by Department of Agriculture/FAS.	Agreement on SPS	200,000
		Activity Total	200,000

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Regulatory Agency for Telecommunications Training (RATEL)	This project will provide training to the Serbian Regulatory Agency for Telecommunications (RATEL). The training will help RATEL and its staff develop the necessary policies and procedures needed to become a self-sustaining, efficient regulatory body in Serbia. Funded and implemented by Trade and Development Agency.	Gov/Transparency & Inter-Agency Coord.	272,170
		Activity Total	272,170
Seminars on the US Regulatory Framework for Agriculture	Supports seminars to be given on the US regulatory framework for agriculture. Funded and implemented by Department of Agriculture.	Trade-Related Agriculture	10,281
		Activity Total	10,281
Serbia Enterprise Development Project	The Serbia Enterprise Development Project helps businesses in Serbia to create well-paying, skilled jobs by producing higher quality products and by integrating Serbia with international markets. The components of the project include (1) assisting companies to develop products, identify new markets, fulfill quality standards, and improve marketing, (2) promoting a more positive investment climate, (3) helping to remove legal and regulatory obstacles, (4) introducing university curricula to meet new market demands, (5) providing cost-sharing grants for businesses. Successes of the project include (1) facilitating more than \$200 million in increased exports and sales, creating thousands of new jobs, (2) directing assistance for \$20 million in new contracts for Serbian companies, (3) \$10 million in new capital investment, (4) reintroducing Serbian products to international markets, (5) contributing to reform of key laws, (6) modernizing university curricula. Funded and implemented by USAID/Serbia.	Other Services Development	416,700
		Tourism Sector Development	416,700
		Trade-Related Agriculture	416,700
		Competition Policy & Foreign Investment	277,800
		Business Services & Training	416,700
		Export Promotion	833,400
		Activity Total	2,778,000
WTO Accession	This activity provides assistance to facilitate the accession of Serbia into the World Trade Organization. Funded by Department of State and implemented by Department of Agriculture/FAS.	WTO Accession	100,000
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Border Security: Commodity Identification Training in FRY	80,000
Border Security: Customs Modernization in Serbia and Montenegro (FRY)	30,000
Border Security: End-Use/End-User Analysis - FRY	65,000
Border Security: Enforcement Equipment - FRY	624,000
Border Security: Industry Compliance Program - FRY	150,000
Border Security: Inspection Equipment Training - FRY	60,000
Border Security: International Airport Cargo Interdiction Training - FRY	115,000
Border Security: Licensing Reference Library - FRY	17,000
Border Security: Licensing Training - Montenegro	64,000
Border Security: Ship Boarding and Inspection Training - FRY	50,000
Border Security: Ship Inspection Training (Second Phase) - FRY	50,000
Border Security: Training Course - FRY	80,000
Border Security: Undercover Investigations Training - FRY	80,000
Food Safety - Montenegro	100,000
Food Safety - Serbia	160,000
Funding MIS Technical Assistance in Serbia and Montenegro	223,137
Intellectual Property Rights - Operations and Organization	465,857
Market Information Systems - Montenegro	150,000
Plant Health System	200,000
Regulatory Agency for Telecommunications Training (RATEL)	272,170
Seminars on the US Regulatory Framework for Agriculture	10,281
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WTO Accession	100,000
Total FY06 TCB Funding	6,519,445