

United States Government
2006 Trade Capacity Building Assistance (\$US)
TURKEY

			FY06 Total
Activity Title	Activity Description	TCB Category	
Border Security: Inspection / Detection Equipment and Training - Turkey	Promotes border security and customs operations by providing Turkey with inspection and detection equipment and training. 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	350,000
		Activity Total	350,000
Improved Policy Environment for Trade in Turkey: Tax Policy	Activity to assist with the establishment of a functional organization that will be able to implement an effective tax administration program in Turkey. Other project areas related to this effort dealt with the establishment of: (1) a human resources plan, (2) a taxpayer service program, (3) a risk management audit selection system, (4) improved collection procedures, (5) redesign of tax forms and, (6) an improved revenue forecasting system. Funded and implemented by Department of Treasury/OTA.	Gov/Transparency & Inter-Agency Coord.	335,882
		Activity Total	335,882
Turkish Farmers Biotechnology Study Tour	A group of influential Turkish farmers, farmer organization representatives, government officials and journalists will travel to a European country where biotech products are currently in use (Spain or Germany) to discuss with farmers their reasons for adopting the technology and the practical aspects of using the technology. Additional activities will include meetings with government officials and scientists, to obtain a better appreciation for the care and rigor that goes in to product research, development, and regulation to ensure the safe and effective use of the biotechnology product. Funded and implemented by Department of Agriculture/FAS.	Trade-Related Agriculture	20,088
		Activity Total	20,088

*Source: USG Trade Capacity Building Database, USAID Data Services,
<http://quesdb.usaid.gov/tcb/index.html>.*

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