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Activity Title	Activity Description	TCB Category	FY2009	FY2010
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Better Work - Global	The ILO/IFC Better Work Program improves both compliance with labor standards and competitiveness in global supply chains. Better Work supports enterprises in improving their adherence to international core labor standards and national labor law, enabling enterprises to compete in global markets where many buyers demand compliance with labor standards from their suppliers. Bangladesh Description for 2010: The funding is for a preparatory phase for a Better Work program in Bangladesh's ready made garment sector for two years, a design phase lasting 9 months, and funding remaining will be allocated towards a full-fledged Better Work factory monitoring program in the ready made garment sector.	Trade-related Labor		4,228,618
		Activity Total		4,228,618
Biotechnology Regulatory Development Assistance	Regulation of agricultural biotechnology has implications for environmental and human health safety as well as agricultural trade. This activity provides a global platform for technical assistance to developing countries in Asia and Africa to develop and implement biosafety regulatory policies and practices.	Trade-related Agriculture	50,000	
		Competition Policy, Business Environment, and Governance	100,000	
		Activity Total	150,000	
Equipment - TO 10-004 (EXBS and incremental included)	Equipment - TO 10-004 EXBS Equipment - TO 10-004 Equipment - TO 10-004 incremental funding	Customs Operations		691,900
		Activity Total		691,900
Export Control Academy Training and Assessments	Promotes border security and customs operations by donating equipment to support the ability to operate inspection and detection equipment. 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.	Customs Operations	8,100	
		Activity Total	8,100	
Global Labor Program-Bangladesh	SC will support workshops for BIGUF and BCWS/BGWIF on effective advocacy and linkage of the union membership (EPZ, RMG, and SFP) with respective industry stakeholders and other like-minded organizations such as International Trade Union Congress (ITUC), Global Union Federations and Trade Union Support Organizations (GUF/TUSO), for exchange of information, advocacy/coalition building, and solving problems. SC will conduct roundtable meetings and seminars with key stakeholders. Bangladesh Description for 2010: The Solidarity Center will conduct stakeholder meetings/ trainings involving representatives from the Government, top industry leaders, the respective Chambers of Commerce, individual factory owners, workers and worker leaders, the diplomatic community in Bangladesh as well as foreign brands invested in Bangladesh; and will conduct training/brand outreach meetings between workers, local employers, and international corporate buyer representatives in a workplace where specific bran	Trade-related Labor		7,512
		Activity Total		7,512
Global Labor Union and NGO Strengthening	The Global Labor Union and NGO Strengthening Program has as its main objectives: 1) to promote the adoption and effective enforcement of international core labor standards, 2) to establish legal frameworks to protect and promote civil society, 3) to increase the institutional and financial viability of labor unions and labor NGOs, 4)to strengthen democratic political culture and gender equity, and 5) to enhance the free flow of information and build human capacity through education and training.	Trade-related Labor	9,600	
		Activity Total	9,600	

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JIFSAN-FDA Advanced Good Aquaculture Practices Training for Bangladesh	Advanced training at CFSAN at College Park, MD on US food and drug law; seafood and aquaculture food safety systems; drug and food/color additive approval process; human health hazards associated with fish feed, persistent chemicals and heavy metals; FDA import procedures and field operations; third party inspections; pathogenic microorganisms in seafood; antibiotic resistance and use; FDA aquaculture research; melamine; and site visits to the University of Maryland Eastern Shore. 9/15- 9/24/2010 Bangladesh Description for 2010: Bangladeshi	Sanitary and Phyto- Sanitary Measures (SPS)		37,500
		Activity Total		37,500
JIFSAN/FDA Good Aquaculture Practices Train-the-Trainer - Bangladesh	Four FDA-CFSAN and four academic experts delivered this train-the-trainer program to about 50 aquaculture industry producers and regulators hosted by the Bangladesh Shrimp and Fish Foundation 11/1 - 11/5/2009 Bangladesh Description for 2010: Bangladesh	Sanitary and Phyto- Sanitary Measures (SPS)		89,500
		Activity Total		89,500
Low Emissions Asian Development Program	The program will support regional cooperation and regional capacity building efforts involving twelve countries across Asia to advance climate change enabling conditions in the areas of clean energy and sustainable landscapes. USAID efforts will work to strengthen national and subnational capacity relating to greenhouse gas (GHG) accounting; national and corporate GHG inventory development; data management; monitoring, reporting, and verification (MRV) capabilities.	Environmental Standards and Trade		40,000
		Activity Total		40,000
Poverty Reduction by Increasing the Competitiveness of Enterprises (PRICE)	PRICE works with small/medium businesses by supporting equitable growth throughout the aquaculture, horticulture, leather value chains. Women and young entrepreneurs are a focus. PRICE develops business support services that help enhance products for export and reduce barriers to trade. Current activities: social and quality compliance for aquaculture products to meet standards for export to the US and EU, assisting leather products manufacturers in designing new products for the export market.	Trade-related Labor	150,000	330,000
		Trade Promotion	330,000	120,000
		Enterprise Development	480,000	425,000
		Activity Total	960,000	875,000
South Asia Regional Initiative for Energy (SARI/Energy)	The USAID South Asia Regional Initiative for Energy (SARI/Energy) program promotes energy security in South Asia through three activities areas: cross border energy trade, energy market formation, and regional clean energy development. Through these activities SARI/Energy facilitates more efficient regional energy resource utilization, works toward transparent and profitable energy practices, mitigates the environmental impacts of energy production, and increases regional access.	Trade Promotion	12,000	
		FTAs and Trade Integration	2,000	
		Enterprise Development	3,400	
		Competition Policy, Business Environment, and Governance	2,600	
		Activity Total	20,000	