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Border Measures Against Counterfeiting	Training for the Egyptian Customs Officials which included U.S. border measures system, challenges with the current Egyptian border measures system and the IP rights holder overview.	Intellectual Property Rights (IPR)		45,000
		Activity Total		45,000
Combating the Worst Forms of Child Labor in Egypt	Combating the WFCL in Cotton and Agriculture in Egypt will work through the International Labor Organization's International Program on the Elimination of Child Labor to help the countries build community-based monitoring systems to uncover the worst forms of child labor, determine the causes and provide remedies.	Trade-related Labor		9,500,000
		Activity Total		9,500,000
	Cost increase to existing project to combat the worst forms of child labor in Egypt.	Trade-related Labor		500,000
		Activity Total		500,000
Competitive Environment for Investment (CEI)	Technical assistance to increase investment by improving commercial laws and the efficiency of government and strengthen trade environment.	WTO Accession and Compliance	200,000	
		Trade-related Services (excluding Tourism)	300,000	
		Trade-related Labor	1,000,000	
		Trade-related Infrastructure		500,000
		Trade Promotion	2,000,000	2,000,000
		Technical Barriers to Trade (TBT)		1,000,000
		Sanitary and Phyto-Sanitary Measures (SPS)	500,000	
		Other Trade Capacity Building	1,100,000	474,000
		Intellectual Property Rights (IPR)		2,000,000
		Environmental Standards and Trade		500,000
		Enterprise Development	1,000,000	2,000,000
		Customs Operations	1,000,000	1,000,000
		Competition Policy, Business Environment, and Governance	300,000	
		Activity Total	7,400,000	9,474,000
Developing the processing tomato sector in Egypt	Global Development alliance involving Heinz and ACDI/VODCA to produce, process, and export processing tomatoes.	Trade-related Agriculture	2,500,000	
		Activity Total	2,500,000	

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Egypt - Technical Assistance to Economic Courts	CLDP provided training for judges participating on the newly established Egyptian Economic Courts throughout Egypt in the areas of Bankruptcy and Mediation.	Competition Policy, Business Environment, and Governance		75,500
		Activity Total		75,500
Egypt Science and Technology Joint Fund	The U.S. - Egypt Science and Technology program provides research grants to collaborating scientists from Egypt and the U.S., using international cooperation in science and technology to expand relations between the extensive scientific and technological communities in both countries.	Trade-related Agriculture	635,834	
		Other Trade Capacity Building	127,167	
		Environmental Standards and Trade	84,777	
		Activity Total	847,778	
Egypt: Consultations on Consumer Protection Law and Policy	Through these consultations with country, State and Federal agencies and organizations involved in consumer protection in Mexico (Mexico City, D.F.) and the U.S. (California and New York), 18 ECPA officials enhanced their understanding of the policies, regulations, and procedures relating international best practices in consumer protection.	Trade Promotion	297,000	
		Activity Total	297,000	
Egypt: Cracking Cartels - Recent International Developments	CLDP sponsored the participation of officials from the Egyptian Competition Authority in the International Competition Network workshop on cracking cartels on October 27, 2008, in Lisbon, Portugal. Following this program they had special meetings with the Portuguese Competition Authority staff to discuss specific cases and network on similar authority issues.	Competition Policy, Business Environment, and Governance	25,000	
		Activity Total	25,000	
Egypt: E-Learn Egypt	Ongoing project to produce an e-learning toolkit to enhance industry analysis skills for MTI government analysts to establish a permanent link between MTI and MAS/OTPA officials to consult and work on trade policy issues together long after the completion of this e-learning project.	Trade Promotion		5,500
		Enterprise Development	17,500	
		Activity Total	17,500	5,500
Egypt: Fostering an Effective Competition Culture	CLDP continued work with a class for business and academic participants on the advantages of open competition.	Competition Policy, Business Environment, and Governance	27,000	43,500
		Activity Total	27,000	43,500
Egypt: Workshop on Consumer Product Health and Safety	CLDP sponsored attendance by staff of the ECPA to the Annual Meeting and Training Symposium of the International Consumer Product Health and Safety Organization in Orlando, Florida from February 23-27, 2008. The participating ECPA staff introduced the new Egyptian authority to other country organizations protecting consumers and allowed them to tap into the international network to foster support and continued learning by ECPA.	Trade Promotion	32,000	
		Activity Total	32,000	
Egyptian Competition Authority Staff Internship	Egyptian Competition Authority senior staff to attend the International Competition Network Workshop on Unilateral Conduct March 23-24, the American Bar Association Spring Antitrust Meeting in Washington, D.C. March 25-27, and hold select meetings and informational discussion with US Department of Justice staff from March 30 to April 3, 2009.	Competition Policy, Business Environment, and Governance	17,000	
		Activity Total	17,000	

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Egyptian Consumer Protection Agency Technical Assistance	Consumer Protection workshops for NGOs held in Alexandria and Cairo, Egypt	Competition Policy, Business Environment, and Governance		45,000
		Activity Total		45,000
Egyptian Copyright Police Program	Program for Egyptian Copyright Police with focused on working with right holders, initiating a case, investigative techniques, evidence handling (including electronic), using informants and witnesses, and coordination with the prosecutors.	Intellectual Property Rights (IPR)		49,925
		Activity Total		49,925
Egyptian Participation in OECD Global Forum on Competition	Three officials from the Egyptian Competition Authority participated in the Organization for Economic Co-Operation and Development Forum held in Paris, France on February 19 and 20, 2009, leading to better understanding of international competition issues and creation of networks with other countries facing similar challenges.	Competition Policy, Business Environment, and Governance	8,200	
		Activity Total	8,200	
GIPA Advanced Patent Program on Biotech/Pharmaceuticals	USPTO offered a 5 day program on biotech/pharmaceuticals.	Other Trade Capacity Building	15,250	
		Activity Total	15,250	
GIPA Geographical Indications	USPTO, Global Intellectual Property Academy offered a 5 day program on geographical indications.	Other Trade Capacity Building	2,870	
		Activity Total	2,870	
GIPA IPR Enforcement: Current Issues and Methods	USPTO, Global Intellectual Property Academy offered a 5 day program on current issues and methods of IPR enforcement.	Other Trade Capacity Building	3,039	
		Activity Total	3,039	
IPR Enforcement Program in Egypt	Two-part activity - the first program was an Intellectual Property Rights Conference for the Economic Circuit Court of the Arab Republic of Egypt. The second program was Combating Book Piracy: Consultations. Program held based on the fact that Egypt established an Economic Circuit Court. This program for judges and prosecutors to enable in-depth discussions on handling of IPR infringement cases to expose trainees to best practices. Second part focuses on book piracy for enforcement officials.	Intellectual Property Rights (IPR)		52,000
		Activity Total		52,000
Inspection and Detection Equipment (EXBS)	This activity promotes border security and customs operations by supporting the ability to administer an international border interdiction 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.	Customs Operations	2,567,558	
		Activity Total	2,567,558	
MEPI-USPTO Regional Judges Program	The USPTO, Global Intellectual Property Academy offered a judges program on intellectual property.	Other Trade Capacity Building	1,560	
		Activity Total	1,560	
Middle East Program	The FTC/DOJ are assisting the Egyptian Competition Authority, Bahrain, UAE to build the capacity to apply competition and consumer protection laws by putting their staff through workshops on how to analyze typical fact patterns and how to organize investigations and by having FTC staff visit the ECA for an extended time period.	Competition Policy, Business Environment, and Governance	14,100	3,473
		Activity Total	14,100	3,473

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Positive Train Control System	Grant to the Ministry of Transport to fund a Feasibility Study for a PTC system for Egyptian National Railways (ENR). The proposed FS will include a comprehensive evaluation of PTC system goods, service and technologies for use on the Egyptian railways and prepare ENR to procure a PTC pilot project. In addition, the study will provide a scope and economic assessment for a full implementation of PTC on the ENR network.	Trade-related Infrastructure	658,323	
		Activity Total	658,323	
Technical Assistance: Economic Crimes - Egypt	Reducing insurance fraud; increasing effectiveness of AML compliance.	Competition Policy, Business Environment, and Governance	128,795	20,743
		Activity Total	128,795	20,743
US Department of Agriculture Egypt Biosafety Project	The US Department of Agriculture Egypt Biosafety Project: is a two-phased project to support the Egyptian Ministry of Agriculture to develop capabilities as a Competent National Authority for Biosafety and establish practical biotechnology applications in agriculture.	Trade-related Agriculture	60,710	
		Activity Total	60,710	
USAID-USDA: Sanitary and Phytosanitary Capacity Training in Egypt	The purpose of these activities is to expand USAID's and USDA's partnership to initiate government-to-government activities with Egypt to facilitate its ability to meet WTO obligation under the SPS Agreement through in-country and U.S. based technical assistance.	Trade-related Agriculture		155,082
		Activity Total		155,082