

Table 1. Dominican Republic Trade Capacity Assistance for 2010 and 2011

Activity Title	Activity Description	TCB Category	FY2010	FY2011
			Total	Total
CAFTA-DR CITES Support Program	The U.S. Department of the Interior (DOI), through its International Technical Assistance Program, is coordinating efforts of various agencies and NGO's to strengthen the implementation of the Convention on the International Trade in Endangered Species of Flora and Fauna (CITES) in CAFTA-DR countries. The focus of this effort is to establish effective implementing legislation, provide comprehensive CITES training, and improve CITES enforcement in the region. Dominican Republic Description for 2011: The focus of this effort is to establish effective implementing legislation, provide comprehensive CITES training, and improve CITES enforcement.	FTAs and Trade Integration	17,000	
		Environmental Standards and Trade		83,333
		Activity Total	17,000	83,333
CAFTA-DR ECAM Project: LAVACEN Pesticide Residue Laboratory Capacity Building Technical Visit	To ensure the safety of agricultural commodities for export to the US, two experts from USDA/OIP and USEPA worked with the Ministry of Agriculture Pesticide Residue Lab (LAVACEN) analysts to expand their use of gas chromatography and mass spectrophotometer (GC-MS) for five trainees. 12/14-12/17/2010	Sanitary and Phyto-Sanitary Measures (SPS)		3,800
		Activity Total		3,800
CAFTA-DR SPS Capacity Building Program	Supports capacity building in plant health, animal health, and food safety systems. The emphasis is to harmonize SPS regulations with the international standard setting bodies (Codex, IPPC, OIE) and increase export opportunities for plant, horticultural, and animal products regional and internationally, including the United States.	Trade-related Agriculture	190,000	45,000
		Activity Total	190,000	45,000
DR-CAFTA Support	The purpose of this activity is to support the efforts of the Dominican Republic governmental institutions, especially the Directorate of Foreign Commerce (DICOEX) of the Ministry of Industry and Commerce (MIC), private firms and business associations, and civil society organizations to fully implement the DR-CAFTA agreement in the Dominican Republic. Dominican Republic Description for 2011: The free trade agreement for the Dominican Republic, Central America and the United States (DR-CAFTA) entered into force in the Dominican Republic on March 01, 2007. In order to fully comply with the agreement and take full advantage of the newly opened markets, technical assistance has been provided to the GoDR and the Dominican private sector in various areas, such as protection of intellectual property rights, environmental standards, labor rights, and agricultural SPS regulations.	FTAs and Trade Integration	397,454	1,127,557
		Activity Total	397,454	1,127,557
Dominican Republic Competition and Consumer Law and Policy Technical Assistance	The program assists the Dominican Republic in building its institutional capacity to apply competition and consumer law and policies, along with other legal and regulatory frameworks, that facilitate the successful operation of a competitive market economy characterized by conditions that encourage entry into markets and undistorted consumer choice among competing offers in the marketplace.	Competition Policy, Business Environment, and Governance		12,960
		Activity Total		12,960
Environmental Impact Assessment	Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) is a decision making process informed by an assessment of reasonable and feasible alternatives and their potential environmental, economic and social impacts on the human and natural environments.	Environmental Standards and Trade		5,834
		Activity Total		5,834
Environmental Policy Compliance	The main objectives of this activity are: To advance environmental law enforcement for increased competitiveness to achieve communal economic growth, and promote sustainable use and protection of natural resources - the base of the Dominican economy - through environmental protection in poor communities. Dominican Republic Description for 2011: The protection of the Dominican resource base is critical to its future growth and sustainable development. Tourism, which accounts for nearly one fourth of the country GDP, is linked to a diverse environment and a network of unique national parks and protected areas. Human health, as well as agriculture and industry, are highly dependent on clean air and water, both of which are rapidly dwindling.	Environmental Standards and Trade	2,000,000	2,000,000
		Activity Total	2,000,000	2,000,000

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Food Security Initiative with USDA	This activity will assist CAFTA-DR governments to improve their sanitary and phytosanitary capacities as well as their agricultural market information systems and promote a trade-led economic growth.	Sanitary and Phyto- Sanitary Measures (SPS)	106,778	190,000
		Activity Total	106,778	190,000
Labor Law Compliance - Comply and Win III	Improve compliance with national labor laws by strengthening the enforcement capabilities of Ministries of Labor in Central America and the Dominican Republic (overall objective).	Trade-related Labor		1,472,877
		Activity Total		1,472,877
Microbiology Laboratory Capacity Building and Assessment, CAFTA-DR-Dominican Republic	May 23-28, 2010. Assess the Quality Assurance System of the Inst for Innovation on Biotech and Industry (IBI) using the using ISO 17025 as a guideline. Training on Salmonella analysis of fresh produce and E. coli O167:H7 in meat products to personnel from the IIBI, the Ministry of Hlth Nat'l Lab and the Ministry of Ag Central Vet Lab (LAVECEN). Assess the production status and analytical capacity available in microbiology. Visit officials from the DR to introduce FDA Latin A. Ofc.	Sanitary and Phyto- Sanitary Measures (SPS)	13,200	
		Activity Total	13,200	
Pesticide Laboratory Capacity Building and Assessment, CAFTA-DR - Dominican Republic	Training and assessment to build pesticide laboratory capacity in Dominican Republic. Start/End Dates: August 23-27, 2010	Sanitary and Phyto- Sanitary Measures (SPS)	18,000	
		Activity Total	18,000	
Public-Private Partnerships in Agriculture - DR	The basic objective of this project is to support small-scale producers and processors of agricultural and wood products to diversify and expand their production in order to enable them to become more competitive in global markets, especially now that the Free Trade Agreement with Dominican Republic, Central America, and the United States (DR-CAFTA) is being implemented. Dominican Republic Description for 2011: Given that DR-CAFTA is now in force in the DR, the GoDR and the Dominican private sector are now facing new opportunities and challenges to develop their country and reduce poverty. The Dominican agricultural sector, particularly those in small farms, is now facing new challenges to survive and grow in an open market economy. Many small farmers and processors will have to find new ways to produce, process and market their products more competitively or to diversify.	Trade-related Agriculture	4,401,204	4,306,494
		Activity Total	4,401,204	4,306,494
Public-Private Partnerships in Tourism	The ultimate goal of the USAID Dominican Sustainable Tourism Alliance (USAID/DSTA) is to better equip and strengthen local small, medium-sized and community based tourism enterprises, and relevant tourism entities (most notably the existing tourism clusters) to independently sustain efforts once external funding from USAID/DR is removed. This will be best achieved through continued public-private collaboration and outreach to new development partners at the national, regional, and global levels. Dominican Republic Description for 2011: Tourism in the DR accounts for nearly a quarter of GDP and provides some 500,000 jobs and \$4 billion in revenues. USAID/DR initiated a new sustainable tourism program that will improve the capacity of small and medium-sized businesses to benefit from the domestic and international Dominican tourism markets through increased productivity and competitiveness. Ultimately, the goal of the program is to better equip and strengthen local small, medium-sized a	Trade-related Tourism	2,317,321	1,645,449
		Activity Total	2,317,321	1,645,449

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Regional Trade and Food Security Program	This activity will support a regional agenda for food security to engage in strategies, effective dialogue, accountability and partnership to ensure policy effectiveness. Also, it will consolidate a regional platform for research and innovation of sustainable agriculture practices to support dissemination for farm level application and consolidation of efforts at a regional level in partnership with local, regional and international organizations and centers of excellence.	Trade-related Agriculture	361,023	478,275
		Enterprise Development	180,511	239,137
		Customs Operations	180,511	239,138
		Activity Total	722,045	956,550
Support Implementation of CAFTA-DR Environmental Chapter Requirements	The project will provide technical assistance to implement Chapter 17 (Environment) obligations, and the Environmental Cooperation Agreement (ECA) Work Plan. Major areas of assistance are: (a) Strengthening Environmental Management Systems and improving compliance with environmental laws and Multilateral Environmental Agreement, (b) Supporting public participation and consultations under the CAFTA-DR and ECA, and (c) Improving private sector environmental performance and compliance.	Environmental Standards and Trade	1,075,000	225,000
		Activity Total	1,075,000	225,000
Support Implementation of CAFTA-DR Labor Chapter Requirements	The project will provide technical assistance to implement the CAFTA-DR Labor Chapter and additional commitments by Trade and Labor Ministries, including: (a) Strengthening labor justice institutions, increasing access to justice, (b) Raising professional standards in labor justice and (c) Incrementing the use of alternative dispute resolution (ADR) and of oral procedures in labor courts.	Trade-related Labor	1,436,000	
		Activity Total	1,436,000	
Support for Implementation of CAFTA-DR Rules of Origin and Customs Administration Requirements	E-CAM will provide technical assistance and training on CAFTA-DR Chapter 3-4-5 Rules of Origin, Customs Administration and Trade Facilitation. E-CAM will work with the TCB Committee to identify regional priorities. Results: Public and Private sector capacity strengthening for effective implementation of CAFTA-DR Agreement. Activities include: verification of origin, trade facilitation mechanisms and code of ethics for customs officials.	Customs Operations	95,907	
		Activity Total	95,907	
Technical Assistance: Dominican Republic - Government Debt Issuance and Management	Strengthen Public Credit Office as required by public debt law; improve cash forecasting; put public action operation for government securities in place; formulate a national debt management strategy; recommend changes in legal structure for public debt; reduce foreign exchange vulnerability; improve efficiency of primary market auction; develop a secondary market for government debt; deepen and widen base for government securities.	Financial Sector Development	624,510	479,587
		Activity Total	624,510	479,587
Urban Air Quality Program	Reliable air quality data is vital for successful air quality management and will form the basis for effective regional solutions. EPA will assist the region in strengthening its air monitoring technical capacity which will enable the CAFTA-DR countries to obtain the information needed to: develop long-term strategies that address mobile and stationary sources of air pollution and establish a regional air monitoring network. The countries have environmental obligations under trade agreements.	Environmental Standards and Trade		57,500
		Activity Total		57,500
Wastewater Model Regional Regulation	USEPA has provided technical assistance to the CAFTA-DR countries in the development of a regional model wastewater regulation, including a set of 11 basic elements to implement a wastewater management program. All of the countries have begun implementation of at least two basic elements and have been provided with a process to establish wastewater discharge parameters for key industrial sectors in the region.	Environmental Standards and Trade		6,660
		Activity Total		6,660

Table 2. Multi Country Activities with Presence in Dominican Republic

Activity Title	Country	Activity Total for 2010	Percent of 2010 Total	Activity Total for 2011	Percent of 2011 Total
CAFTA-DR CITES Support Program		200,000		500,000	
	Costa Rica	17,000	8.5%	83,333	16.7%
	Dominican Republic	17,000	8.5%	83,333	16.7%
	El Salvador	17,000	8.5%	83,333	16.7%
	Guatemala	115,000	57.5%	83,333	16.7%
	Honduras	17,000	8.5%	83,333	16.7%
	Nicaragua	17,000	8.5%	83,335	16.7%
CAFTA-DR ECAM Project: LAVACEN Pesticide Residue Laboratory Capacity Building Technical Visit				3,800	
	Dominican Republic			3,800	100.0%
CAFTA-DR SPS Capacity Building Program		810,000		514,000	
	Costa Rica	10,000	1.2%	10,000	1.9%
	Dominican Republic	190,000	23.5%	45,000	8.8%
	El Salvador	170,000	21.0%	116,000	22.6%
	Guatemala	155,000	19.1%	161,000	31.3%
	Honduras	120,000	14.8%	161,000	31.3%
	Nicaragua	165,000	20.4%	21,000	4.1%
DR-CAFTA Support		397,454		1,127,557	
	Dominican Republic	397,454	100.0%	1,127,557	100.0%
Dominican Republic Competition and Consumer Law and Policy Technical Assistance				12,960	
	Dominican Republic			12,960	100.0%
Environmental Impact Assessment				35,000	
	Costa Rica			5,833	16.7%
	Dominican Republic			5,834	16.7%
	El Salvador			5,834	16.7%
	Guatemala			5,833	16.7%
	Honduras			5,833	16.7%
	Nicaragua			5,833	16.7%
Environmental Policy Compliance		2,000,000		2,000,000	
	Dominican Republic	2,000,000	100.0%	2,000,000	100.0%
Food Security Initiative with USDA		711,818		1,250,000	

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	Central Americas	605,040	85.0%	1,060,000	84.8%
	Dominican Republic	106,778	15.0%	190,000	15.2%
Labor Law Compliance - Comply and Win III				8,837,260	
	Costa Rica			1,472,877	16.7%
	Dominican Republic			1,472,877	16.7%
	El Salvador			1,472,876	16.7%
	Guatemala			1,472,876	16.7%
	Honduras			1,472,877	16.7%
	Nicaragua			1,472,877	16.7%
Microbiology Laboratory Capacity Building and Assessment, CAFTA-DR-Dominican Republic		13,200			
	Dominican Republic	13,200	100.0%		
Pesticide Laboratory Capacity Building and Assessment, CAFTA-DR - Dominican Republic		18,000			
	Dominican Republic	18,000	100.0%		
Public-Private Partnerships in Agriculture - DR		4,401,204		4,306,494	
	Dominican Republic	4,401,204	100.0%	4,306,494	100.0%
Public-Private Partnerships in Tourism		2,317,321		1,645,449	
	Dominican Republic	2,317,321	100.0%	1,645,449	100.0%
Regional Trade and Food Security Program		4,813,625		6,377,000	
	Central Americas	4,091,580	85.0%	5,420,450	85.0%
	Dominican Republic	722,045	15.0%	956,550	15.0%
Support Implementation of CAFTA-DR Environmental Chapter Requirements		6,350,000		1,500,000	
	Central Americas	5,275,000	83.1%	1,275,000	85.0%
	Dominican Republic	1,075,000	16.9%	225,000	15.0%
Support Implementation of CAFTA-DR Labor Chapter Requirements		8,620,000			
	Central Americas	7,184,000	83.3%		
	Dominican Republic	1,436,000	16.7%		

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Support for Implementation of CAFTA-DR Rules of Origin and Customs Administration Requirements		639,375			
	Central America ns	543,468	85.0%		
	Dominican Republic	95,907	15.0%		
Technical Assistance: Dominican Republic - Government Debt Issuance and Management		624,510		479,587	
	Dominican Republic	624,510	100.0%	479,587	100.0%
Urban Air Quality Program				345,000	
	Costa Rica			57,500	16.7%
	Dominican Republic			57,500	16.7%
	El Salvador			57,500	16.7%
	Guatemala			57,500	16.7%
	Honduras			57,500	16.7%
	Nicaragua			57,500	16.7%
Wastewater Model Regional Regulation				40,000	
	Costa Rica			6,660	16.7%
	Dominican Republic			6,660	16.7%
	El Salvador			6,660	16.7%
	Guatemala			6,660	16.7%
	Honduras			6,660	16.7%
	Nicaragua			6,700	16.8%

Table 3. Activity Totals with Presence in Dominican Republic, by Funding Agency

Activity Title	Funding Agency	Worldwide Funding Total in 2010	Percent of 2010 Total	Worldwide Funding Total in 2011	Percent of 2011 Total
CAFTA-DR CITES Support Program		200,000		500,000	
	US Agency for International Development	200,000	100.0%	500,000	100.0%
CAFTA-DR ECAM Project: LAVACEN Pesticide Residue Laboratory Capacity Building Technical Visit				3,800	
	Department of Health and Human Services			3,800	100.0%
CAFTA-DR SPS Capacity Building Program		810,000		514,000	
	US Agency for International Development	810,000	100.0%	514,000	100.0%
DR-CAFTA Support		397,454		1,127,557	
	US Agency for International Development	397,454	100.0%	1,127,557	100.0%
Dominican Republic Competition and Consumer Law and Policy Technical Assistance				12,960	
	Federal Trade Commission			1,909	14.7%
	US Agency for International Development			11,051	85.3%
Environmental Impact Assessment				35,000	
	Environmental Protection Agency			35,000	100.0%
Environmental Policy Compliance		2,000,000		2,000,000	
	US Agency for International Development	2,000,000	100.0%	2,000,000	100.0%
Food Security Initiative with USDA		711,818		1,250,000	
	US Agency for International Development	711,818	100.0%	1,250,000	100.0%
Labor Law Compliance - Comply and Win III				8,837,260	
	US Agency for International Development			8,837,260	100.0%
Microbiology Laboratory Capacity Building and Assessment, CAFTA-DR-Dominican Republic		13,200			
	Department of Health and Human Services	13,200	100.0%		
Pesticide Laboratory Capacity Building and Assessment, CAFTA-DR - Dominican Republic		18,000			

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	Department of Health and Human Services	18,000	100.0%		
Public-Private Partnerships in Agriculture - DR		4,401,204		4,306,494	
	US Agency for International Development	4,401,204	100.0%	4,306,494	100.0%
Public-Private Partnerships in Tourism		2,317,321		1,645,449	
	US Agency for International Development	2,317,321	100.0%	1,645,449	100.0%
Regional Trade and Food Security Program		4,813,625		6,377,000	
	US Agency for International Development	4,813,625	100.0%	6,377,000	100.0%
Support Implementation of CAFTA-DR Environmental Chapter Requirements		6,350,000		1,500,000	
	US Agency for International Development	6,350,000	100.0%	1,500,000	100.0%
Support Implementation of CAFTA-DR Labor Chapter Requirements		8,620,000			
	US Agency for International Development	8,620,000	100.0%		
Support for Implementation of CAFTA-DR Rules of Origin and Customs Administration Requirements		639,375			
	US Agency for International Development	639,375	100.0%		
Technical Assistance: Dominican Republic - Government Debt Issuance and Management		624,510		479,587	
	Department of Treasury	624,510	100.0%	479,587	100.0%
Urban Air Quality Program				345,000	
	Environmental Protection Agency			345,000	100.0%
Wastewater Model Regional Regulation				40,000	
	Environmental Protection Agency			40,000	100.0%