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Activity Title	Activity Description	TCB Category	FY2010	FY2011
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AGCI - Financial Sector - African Economic Research Consortium	AERC will provide analytical support to the Secretariat for the Partnership, based at the AfDB in Tunis, funded by Germany and the UK. This analytical support will focus on identifying opportunities for harmonizing the legal and regulatory environment across Africa to enhance efficiency and economies of scale in financial intermediation and services.	Financial Sector Development	100,000	
		Activity Total	100,000	
Access to Credit Program in Western Africa	This project aims to build a model for improved relationships between West African commercial banks and small-to-medium enterprises (SMEs) particularly export-ready companies, in order to increase access to credit. Export-ready companies, identified in conjunction with the Trade Hubs, will be trained to provide adequate financial information while bankers will be trained to better understand lending in the non-traditional sectors in their economies.	Financial Sector Development	850,000	700,000
		Activity Total	850,000	700,000
Business Environment	At the request of ECOWAS, USAID/West Africa is analyzing implementation gaps in the ECOWAS Trade Liberalization Scheme (ETLS). As negotiations on the Common External Tariff (CET) draw to a close, the effective implementation of the ETLS will be essential for the formation of a functioning customs union. In view of reducing supply chain costs for exporters and increasing the region's competitiveness in global markets, USAID/West Africa is supporting the ECOWAS agenda of regional integration.	FTAs and Trade Integration	800,000	1,000,000
		Activity Total	800,000	1,000,000
Combating the Worst Forms of Child Labor - ECOWAS West Africa	Eliminating the worst forms of child labor in West Africa and strengthening sub-regional cooperation through ECOWAS project	Trade-related Labor	5,000,000	
		Activity Total	5,000,000	
Combating the Worst Forms of Child Labor in Ghana and Cote d'Ivoire	Towards cocoa growing communities free of child labor, through an integrated area based approach project; 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	10,000,000	
		Activity Total	10,000,000	
Energy Advisory to ECOWAS and West Africa Power Pool	The ECOWAS Infrastructure Commission provides the technical expertise in Energy and for the design and implementation of technical projects for the region decided by the ECOWAS President. WAPP is a framework for regional trade in electricity among ECOWAS member states that seeks to promote investment in the West Africa energy sector. Support activities include: Technical Assistance to WAPP Secretariat toward the development of Maria Gleta and Aboadze Power and energy advisory services.	Trade-related Infrastructure	325,000	
		Activity Total	325,000	
Enterprise Business Development	This activity works to strengthen clusters of export ready, globally competitive firms to leverage market intelligence, improved business practices and investor and buyer linkages to expand production and create jobs. Such firms are assisted through this activity to address constraints to export growth and increase investment in productive capacity. This activity also includes efforts to increase the utilization of the Africa Growth Opportunities Act (AGOA) legislation by eligible countries.	Trade Promotion	1,460,000	
		Enterprise Development	1,460,000	
		Activity Total	2,920,000	

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Infrastructure - Transport Services	This project strives to bring about more efficient transport and logistics corridors linking key landlocked cities to West African ports. Key objectives include decreasing time to market, reducing the shipment related costs of finished products, and reducing supply chain costs associated with the sourcing of inputs from both within and outside the region.	Trade Promotion	2,182,000	
		Activity Total	2,182,000	
Intellectual Property Foreign Criminal Enforcement Training and Technical Assistance	This spending responds to a Congressional soft earmark directing the Department (INL) to fill a gap in gov't-to-gov't criminal enforcement training to build capacity of foreign law enforcement to cooperate with the USG in combating IPR theft. The earmark has been put in annually at the instance of key US industry rights holders who believe strong government-to-government involvement in training was a 'missing link' that needed to be filled to counter increasingly sophisticated transnational crime. Western Africa ns Description for 2011: AFRICA WEST REGIONAL: IPR training and technical assistance. DHS proposes workshops with select West Africa customs authorities to identify and seize IPR-infringing goods. The project will be coordinated with US African Command.	Other Trade Capacity Building		182,000
		Activity Total		182,000
Role of the Judiciary in Intellectual Property Enforcement (West Africa)	CLDP, DOC Office of Africa, USDOJ, and Senegalese Ministry of Justice, convened a regional judicial training workshop in September 2010. Over 80 judges and IP enforcement officials from Benin, Burkina Faso, Cote d'Ivoire, Senegal, and Togo attended, as well as representatives from OAPI. Training supports fair, efficient, and consistent adjudication of IP cases. Funding reported in this activity covers CLDP involvement in the workshop; the funding for USDOJ participation is reported separately.	Intellectual Property Rights (IPR)	143,300	
		Activity Total	143,300	
Support for Business Training and Services	USAID is providing funding to support business training and services, and an African Growth and Opportunity Act (AGOA) Forum for the Western Africa region.	Trade Promotion	730,000	
		Activity Total	730,000	
Technical Assistance: Economic Crimes - Western Africa ns	Assistance to the Inter-Governmental Action Group Against Money Laundering and Terrorist Financing in West Africa (GIABA) Secretariat, which recently was recognized by the Financial Action Task Force, to improve its operational efficiency and technical assistance to member countries in the region, and to further integrate and coordinate with international donor organizations in providing anti-money laundering and countering the financing of terrorism (AML/CTF) assistance in the region.	Competition Policy, Business Environment, and Governance	287	
		Activity Total	287	
The Role of the Judiciary in IP Enforcement	Program on IP crime training and operational workshops. Workshop designed to combat counterfeit goods in West Africa.	Intellectual Property Rights (IPR)	125,000	
		Activity Total	125,000	
West Africa Power Pool (WAPP)	West Africa Power Pool (WAPP) is a framework for regional trade in electricity among Economic Community Of West African States (ECOWAS) member states that seeks to promote investment in the West African energy sector. Support activities include: technical and management assistance to national utilities and energy ministries, building regional regulatory capacity, and optimizing energy investment plans.	Trade-related Infrastructure	1,200,000	
		Environmental Standards and Trade	1,000,000	
		Activity Total	2,200,000	
West Africa Program Objective Support Costs	USAID/West Africa provides funding to support the West African Regional Program objectives.	Other Trade Capacity Building	1,400,000	
		Activity Total	1,400,000	

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West African Gas Pipeline Authority (WAGPA) and the ECOWAS Regional Electricity Regulatory Authority	The West African Gas Pipeline Authority (WAGPA) is a regional regulatory authority for trade in natural gas among ECOWAS member countries. The ECOWAS Regional Electricity Regulatory Authority (ERERA) is to oversee the regional trade in electricity. USAID/West Africa supports ERERA and WAGPA to achieve a regional resource capacity that will ensure the growth of a strong energy base for the ECOWAS states as they struggle to meet electricity and gas demands that are outpacing supply.	Trade-related Infrastructure	750,000	
		Activity Total	750,000	
West African Regional Workshop on IP Border Enforcement (Mali)	In April 2010 CLDP, together with USDOJ, held a workshop for Malian and West African customs officials and prosecutors/police, to improve skills and develop a framework of cooperation and communication at the border on IP enforcement. The workshop was attended by 150 participants and included delegations from Togo, Cameroon, Senegal, Burkina Faso, Benin and Cote D'Ivoire. This activity report includes funding for CLDP; funding for USDOJ participation is reported in another activity.	Intellectual Property Rights (IPR)	150,000	
		Activity Total	150,000	
Western Africa Regional Interagency on Enforcement at the Border	Enforcement of Intellectual Property Rights at the Border Conference (Bamako, Mali, April 20-21, 2010) gathered about 150 law enforcement officials from francophone West Africa. Goals: (1) increase regional IP law enforcement cooperation, (2) stimulate progress, and (3) gather further information on countries that are ready to receive more technical assistance on IP criminal enforcement. This activity report and funding cover DOJ participation. Conference also implemented by CLDP and USAID.	Intellectual Property Rights (IPR)	46,815	
		Activity Total	46,815	
Workshop on the Role of the Judiciary in IPR Enforcement in West Africa	Role of the Judiciary in IPR Enforcement judicial training (Dakar, Senegal, September 21-23, 2010) brought together 70 officials to improve the skill and knowledge level of Senegalese and other West African judges to provide for fair, efficient, and consistent adjudication of intellectual property cases based upon the standards of protection afforded by Senegalese and international law. This report and funding are for the DOJ participation. Training done in partnership with CLDP and State.	Intellectual Property Rights (IPR)	25,000	
		Activity Total	25,000	

Table 2. Multi Country Activities with Presence in Western Africa ns

Activity Title	Country	Activity Total for 2010	Percent of 2010 Total	Activity Total for 2011	Percent of 2011 Total
AGCI - Financial Sector - African Economic Research Consortium		500,000			
	Eastern and Central Africa ns	300,000	60.0%		
	Southern Africa ns	100,000	20.0%		
	Western Africa ns	100,000	20.0%		
Access to Credit Program in Western Africa		850,000		700,000	
	Western Africa ns	850,000	100.0%	700,000	100.0%
Business Environment		800,000		1,000,000	
	Western Africa ns	800,000	100.0%	1,000,000	100.0%
Combating the Worst Forms of Child Labor - ECOWAS West Africa		5,000,000			
	Western Africa ns	5,000,000	100.0%		
Combating the Worst Forms of Child Labor in Ghana and Cote d'Ivoire		10,000,000			
	Western Africa ns	10,000,000	100.0%		
Energy Advisory to ECOWAS and West Africa Power Pool		325,000			
	Western Africa ns	325,000	100.0%		
Enterprise Business Development		2,920,000			
	Western Africa ns	2,920,000	100.0%		
Infrastructure - Transport Services		2,182,000			
	Western Africa ns	2,182,000	100.0%		
Intellectual Property Foreign Criminal Enforcement Training and Technical Assistance		3,651,029		2,641,374	
				242,329	9.2%
	Brazil	50,400	1.4%	150,644	5.7%
	Chile			100,000	3.8%
	China (P.R.C.)	428,040	11.7%		
	Colombia			70,000	2.7%
	Eastern and Central Africa ns			255,936	9.7%
	Global ns	127,000	3.5%		
	Latin America and Caribbean ns	526,548	14.4%		
	Mexico	720,000	19.7%	438,814	16.6%
	Middle East and North Africa n	135,000	3.7%		
	Peru	146,272	4.0%		
	Philippines			175,171	6.6%

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	Russia	499,648	13.7%		
	Southern Africa ns	152,588	4.2%		
	Southern Asia ns	151,312	4.1%	210,185	8.0%
	Sub Saharan Africa ns	714,221	19.6%	525,920	19.9%
	Thailand			184,000	7.0%
	Turkey			106,375	4.0%
	Western Africa ns			182,000	6.9%
Role of the Judiciary in Intellectual Property Enforcement (West Africa)		143,300			
	Western Africa ns	143,300	100.0%		
Support for Business Training and Services		730,000			
	Western Africa ns	730,000	100.0%		
Technical Assistance: Economic Crimes - Western Africa ns		287			
	Western Africa ns	287	100.0%		
The Role of the Judiciary in IP Enforcement		125,000			
	Western Africa ns	125,000	100.0%		
West Africa Power Pool (WAPP)		2,200,000			
	Western Africa ns	2,200,000	100.0%		
West Africa Program Objective Support Costs		1,400,000			
	Western Africa ns	1,400,000	100.0%		
West African Gas Pipeline Authority (WAGPA) and the ECOWAS Regional Electricity Regulatory Authority		750,000			
	Western Africa ns	750,000	100.0%		
West African Regional Workshop on IP Border Enforcement (Mali)		150,000			
	Western Africa ns	150,000	100.0%		
Western Africa Regional Interagency on Enforcement at the Border		46,815			
	Western Africa ns	46,815	100.0%		
Workshop on the Role of the Judiciary in IPR Enforcement in West Africa		25,000			
	Western Africa ns	25,000	100.0%		

Table 3. Activity Totals with Presence in Western Africa ns, by Funding Agency

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AGCI - Financial Sector - African Economic Research Consortium		500,000			
	US Agency for International Development	500,000	100.0%		
Access to Credit Program in Western Africa		850,000		700,000	
	US Agency for International Development	850,000	100.0%	700,000	100.0%
Business Environment		800,000		1,000,000	
	US Agency for International Development	800,000	100.0%	1,000,000	100.0%
Combating the Worst Forms of Child Labor - ECOWAS West Africa		5,000,000			
	Department of Labor	5,000,000	100.0%		
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	Department of Labor	10,000,000	100.0%		
Energy Advisory to ECOWAS and West Africa Power Pool		325,000			
	US Agency for International Development	325,000	100.0%		
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	Department of State	3,651,029	100.0%	2,641,374	100.0%
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	Department of Treasury	287	100.0%		
The Role of the Judiciary in IP Enforcement		125,000			
	Department of Commerce	125,000	100.0%		
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	US Agency for International Development	2,200,000	100.0%		
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	US Agency for International Development	1,400,000	100.0%		
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