

Japan Fund for the Joint Crediting Mechanism (JFJCM) for Private Sector

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ADB's commitment to tackling climate change, building climate and disaster resilience, and enhancing environmental sustainability: Strategy 2030



Key Approaches



Expanding private sector operations

1/3 of number of ADB committed operations by 2024



Catalyzing and mobilizing financial resources for development



Strengthening knowledge services

\$1 in private sector operations financing matched by \$2.50 of cofinancing



ADB's Carbon Market Program

Mobilizing carbon finance for incentivizing investments in low-carbon technologies

Future Carbon Fund	Japan Fund for the Joint Crediting Mechanism	Article 6 Support Facility	Climate Action Catalyst Fund
 Provides financial and technical support for CDM projects by purchasing post-2012 CERs \$115 million contributed by 4 governments and 2 private sector entities from Europe and Asia Contracted 10.45 million CERs with an investment of \$59.5 million Supporting 36 CDM projects in 12 DMCs Providing carbon finance support to 1.2 GW renewable energy projects 	 Provides grants for advanced low-carbon technologies in ADB- financed and administered projects utilizing the Joint Crediting Mechanism initiated by Japan \$79.29 million contributed by the Government of Japan Supports six mitigation activities in Maldives, Cambodia, Bangladesh and Mongolia 	 Provides technical, capacity building, and policy development support to enhance DMC's preparedness to participate in new carbon markets envisaged under the framework of Article 6 \$5 million facility funded by ADB and the governments of Germany and Sweden Supports Bhutan, Indonesia, Mongolia, Pakistan, Philippines, Thailand and Viet Nam. 	 New carbon fund to mobilize carbon finance through post-2020 carbon markets under Article 6 of the Paris Agreement \$100–150 million to support DMCs in achieving NDC commitments cost effectively and raising ambition over time Swedish Energy Agency and the Foundation for Climate Protection and Carbon Offset (KliK), Switzerland have committed to be initial financing partners

CDM: Clean Development Mechanism; CER: certified emission reduction

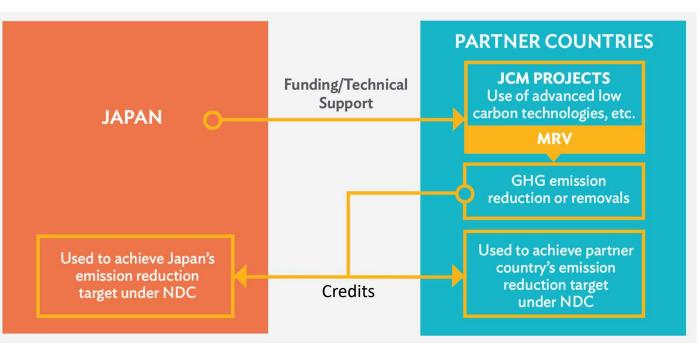
Japan Fund for the Joint Crediting Mechanism

- Established in June 2014 as one of ADB's trust funds
- Contribution by Government of Japan: \$79.3M (2014-2020)
- Provides financial incentives (grant) for adoption of advanced lowcarbon technologies in ADB-financed projects that use the Joint Crediting Mechanism (JCM)
- Both sovereign and nonsovereign projects are eligible





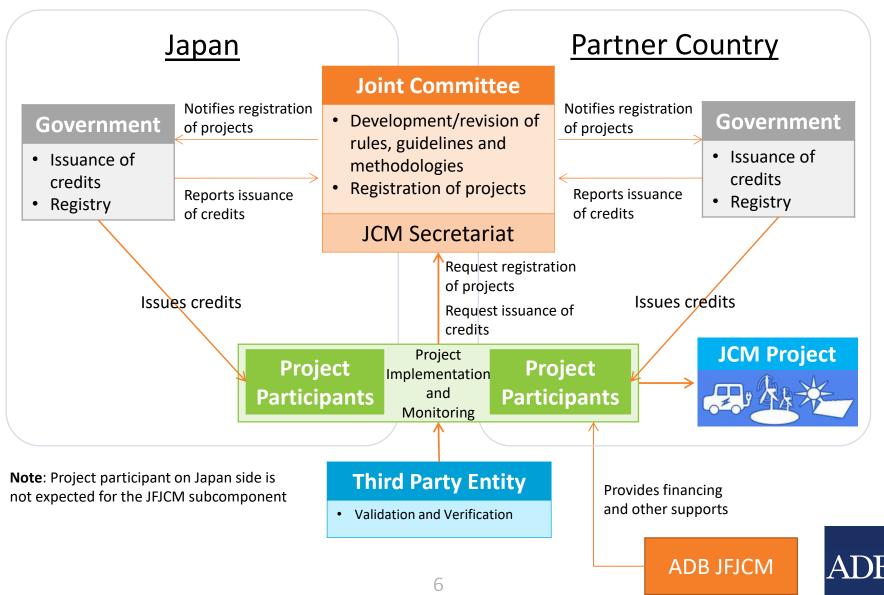
Concept of the JCM



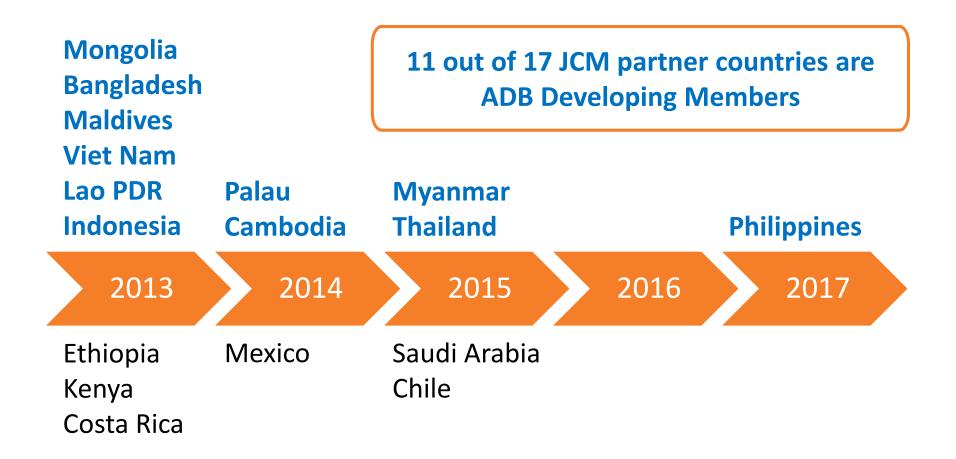
- Project-based bilateral offset crediting mechanism managed by Japan and a partner country
- Facilitates the diffusion of low-carbon technologies that lead to GHG emission reductions that are measurable, reportable & verifiable
- Contributes to sustainable development of partner countries
- Carbon credits from JCM projects will be shared among the countries and used to achieve their emission reduction targets
- JFJCM provides support for ADB-financed projects to be JCM projects



Roles of key entities in JCM projects











Eligible projects and technologies

Eligible Project

- Project co-financed with an ADB or ADB administered funds.
 - * Can be used for additional financing to ongoing ADB project.

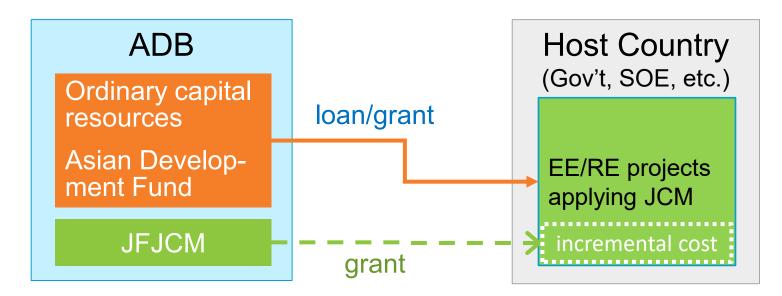
Eligible Technology

- Advanced low carbon technologies that reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emission including CO₂ from energy source.
- The technologies must have a proven implementation and operation record of its technical effectiveness.





JFJCM support to ADB projects (sovereign)

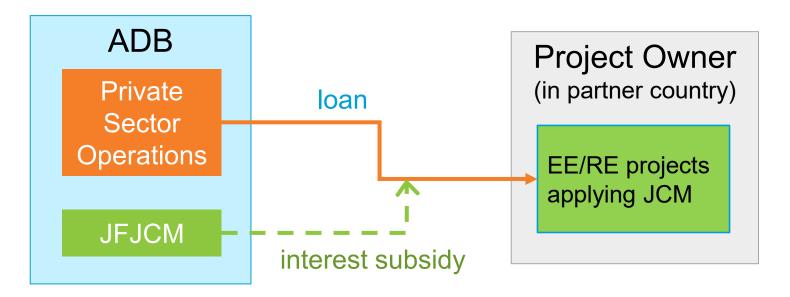


- JFJCM provides grant for incremental cost of advanced low-carbon technologies
- Maximum amount of grant:
 - i. 10% of total project cost (capped to \$10 million)
 - ii. \$5 million if the project cost < \$50 million





JFJCM support to ADB projects (nonsovereign)



- JFJCM provides grant as an interest subsidy to ADB's loan to energy efficiency / renewable energy projects applying the JCM
- The borrower will repay the loan with reduced interest, instead of receiving the grant itself.
- > Maximum amount of interest subsidy:

10% of total project cost (capped to \$10 million)





Requirements for JCM application

JCM Application

- Preparation and approval of JCM Methodology
- Preparation of Project Design Documents (PDD)
- Validation by Third Party Entities (TPEs), and registration of the project
- Monitoring, reporting and verification of GHG emission reduction
- Issuance of the JCM credits and delivery to government(s)

Borrower needs to hire consultant by using the JFJCM grant JFJCM secretariat may help the process

Reference: <u>Handbook for Developing JCM Projects</u>



Other Requirements of the JFJCM support

Procurement for nonsovereign projects

Procurement shall be carried out following established private sector or commercial practices acceptable to ADB.

Environment and Social Impact

- > The project should benefit recipient DMCCs through:
 - a reduction of environmental pollution, including air or water pollution, solid waste treatment, or conservation of natural resources; and/or
 - other social economic benefits, including increased job creation opportunities and better access to basic infrastructure.

Cost effectiveness*

➢ Cost of reducing 1tCO2e ≤ \$40

* grant amount / (annual GHG emission reduction x project period)



Other Requirements of the JFJCM support

> Minimum concessionality for nonsovereign projects

To justify the amount and degree of concessionality created by the JFJCM support, ADB will use the principle of minimum concessionality and will document how concessional financing makes the project viable or acceptable from a risk-reward perspective.

➢ Others

- The JFJCM subcomponents cannot apply for other international carbon market mechanisms (e.g. Clean Development Mechanism)
- The JFJCM cannot be used together with Financing Program for JCM Model Project under the Ministry of the Environment Japan.





JFJCM approved projects (All are sovereign projects)

#	Project	Country	JFJCM grant	Approval	Technologies supported
1	Preparing Outer Islands for Sustainable Energy Development Project (POISED)	Maldives	\$5 million	Mar 2015	Advanced battery system and energy management system (EMS)
2	Provincial Water Supply and Sanitation Project	Cambodia	\$10 million	Dec 2017	Energy efficient wastewater treatment system
3	Southwest Transmission Grid Expansion Project	Bangladesh	\$7 million	Jul 2018	Energy efficient transmission lines
4	Upscaling Renewable Energy Sector Project	Mongolia	\$6 million	Sep 2018	Solar PV with advanced battery system and EMS
5	Improving Access to Health Services for Disadvantaged Groups Investment Program	Mongolia	\$3.48 million	Oct 2019	Energy efficient HVAC, high insulation window, rooftop solar PV and ground source heat pump
6	Greater Male Waste to Energy Project	Maldives	\$10 million	Aug 2020	Waste to energy plant (incineration)
			\$41.48 milli	on	

Green Recovery from COVID-19 Pandemic

New business opportunities for "build back better"

- Renewable energy and energy efficiency projects will be the key for recovering from the pandemic, with possible support by green recovery stimulus packages by governments and international support
- Possible areas to explore
 - Net zero energy buildings (ZEB) with renewable energy and energy efficient technologies together with preventive measures for communicable diseases, such as cooling systems with effective ventilation design to reduce the risk of transmission of the viruses within the building
 - Development of energy efficient cold chain backed by reliable and sustainable electricity supply for delivering vaccines to those in need
 - Waste management systems to address infectious waste and improve public sanitation, including waste to energy



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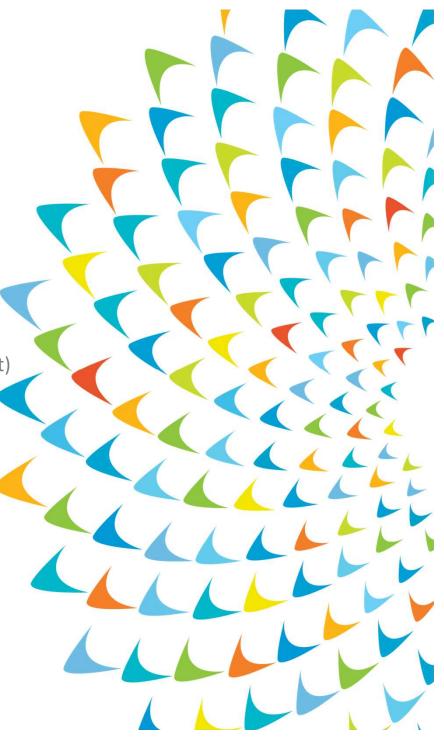
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Reference



Overview of Asian Development Bank

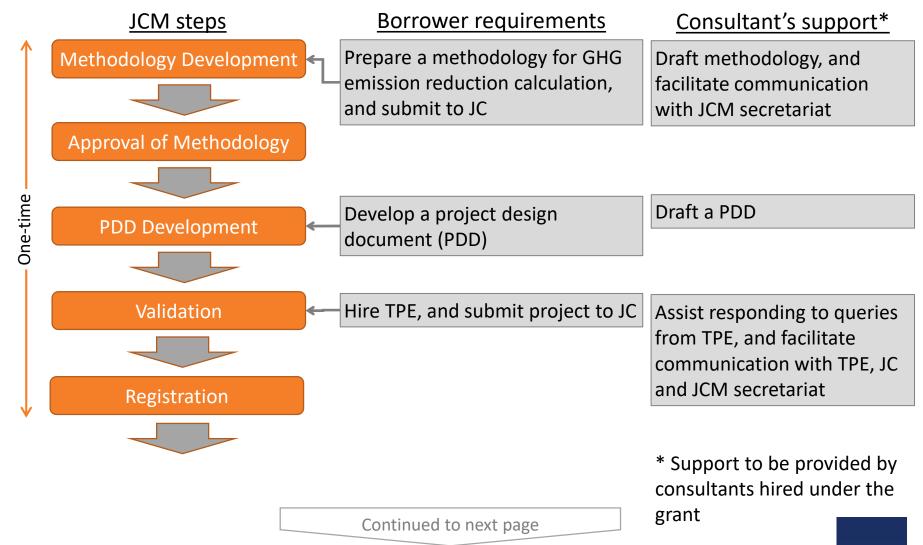
- Established in 1966
- > 68 members, 49 regional members, 41 borrowing members
- 3,000+ employees globally
- ➤ 32 offices
- Triple-A credit ratings (Moody's / S&P / Fitch)
- Commitments in 2019:

(\$ million)	Total ADB
Loans, Grants and others*	21,643
Sovereign	18,643
Loan	17,799
Guarantee	-
Grants	844
Nonsovereign	3,000
Loan	2,670
Equity Investment	155
Guarantee	175

* Does not include technical assistance and co-financing



JCM project cycle and requirements (1)





JCM project cycle and requirements (2)

	JCM steps		Borrower requirements	<u>Consultant's support*</u>
	Monitoring	~	Monitor emission reductions, and prepare monitoring reports [until end of project operation or	Assist and train project staff in monitoring and draft monitoring reports
ing period			expiry of JCM bilateral document, whichever earlier]	
During project per	Verification	•	Hire TPE and have GHG emission reductions (monitoring reports) verified	Assist and train project staff in verification procedures
	Issuance of JCM Credits	*	[At least twice (1 st : a year after operation start, 2 nd : 2030)] [#]	
		L	Request issuance [upon each verification]	Assist and train project staff in issuance procedures

[#] Cost for TPE will be borne by Borrower for the verification to be done after implementation period.

* Support to be provided by consultants hired under the grant or loan



Comparison: JFJCM and MOEJ's JCM Financing

	JFJCM Nonsovereign	JCM Financing Program for Model Projects (MOEJ)
Eligible Project Country	11 JCM Partner Countries in Asia and the Pacific	All 17 JCM Partner Countries
Maximum Grant Amount	10% of total project cost (Capped to \$10 million) as an interest subsidy to ADB loans	Up to 50% of eligible project cost but depends on the number of technologies supported in the same country, capped to 2 billion JPY (around \$19 million)
Eligible Applicant	Entity in developing member countries of ADB to borrow from ADB (JFJCM application documents will be prepared by ADB)	Japanese entity as a representative to apply for the financing support
Procurement	Shall be carried out following established private sector or commercial practices acceptable to ADB	Depends on projects
Evaluation for Financing	Loan: ADB JFJCM: ADB and MOEJ	Implementing organisation (GEC in FY2014- FY2020) and MOEJ
Cost Effectiveness	≤ \$40/tCO2	≤ 4,000JPY/tCO2
Application Period	Anytime	Budget is associated with Japan's fiscal year. For FY2020, call for proposal is open from Apr to Oct
Construction Period	No requirement per JFJCM	Within 3 Japanese fiscal years including the year the proposal is accepted

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	JFJCM Nonsovereign	JCM Financing Program for Model Projects (MOEJ)	
JCM Methodology and PDD Development	The grant recipient can hire a consultant from the JFJCM grant proceeds	MOEJ has a budget to hire a consultant	
Monitoring Period	Until the end of the project operation or the expiry of the JCM bilateral document between the Partner Country and Japan, whichever is earlier	Until the end of legal durable years of the facilities/equipment as stipulated by the Japanese law	
Verification	Verifications are to be conducted at least twice: (i) after one year of operation, and (ii) after December 2030 or end of project operation, whichever is earlier.		
Cost for TPE (Validation and Verification)	The cost for validation and 1st verification can be covered by the JFJCM grant proceeds	The cost for validation and 1st verification can be supported by MOEJ	
Credit Sharing	To be discussed among project participants and the governments of Japan and the Partner Country.	At least 50% shall be delivered to the account of Japanese government	
	*For Indonesia, at least 10% are allocated to the Indonesian side		





Case study 1: micro-grid technology in Maldives

Project name	Preparing Outer Islands for Sustainable Energy Development Project
JFJCM grant	\$5 million
Technology supported	Advanced battery system and energy management system
Description	 On top of 1.6 MW of solar PV installed under the project, battery storage and EMS supported by JFJCM will: Smooth out the fluctuation of solar PV generation Optimize diesel generator operation Integrate large amounts of renewables to the grid
Location	Addu, Maldives
Emission reductions	1.3 thousand tCO ₂ /yr (estimate)
Signing ceremony for the contract	



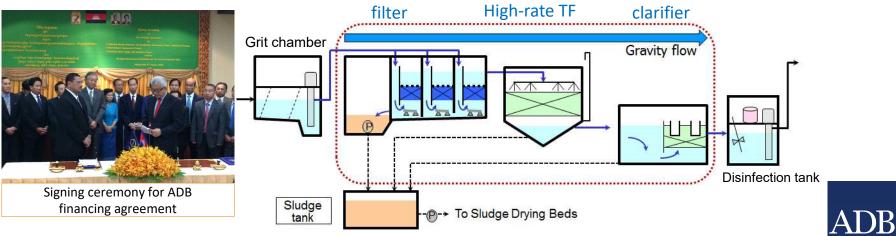
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Case study 2: wastewater treatment in Cambodia

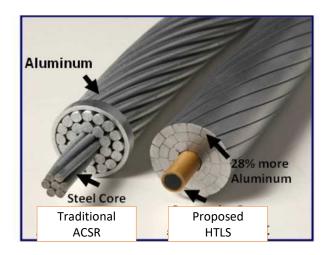
Project name	Provincial Water Supply and Sanitation Project
JFJCM grant	\$10 million
Technology supported	Energy efficient wastewater treatment
Description	Existing lagoon system will be replaced by a system consisting of high-rate trickling filter combined with filters and clarifiers, requiring a small area of land and less than 0.1 kWh/m ³ of power for treatment
Location	Battambang, Cambodia
Emission reductions	6.4 thousand tCO ₂ /yr (estimate)

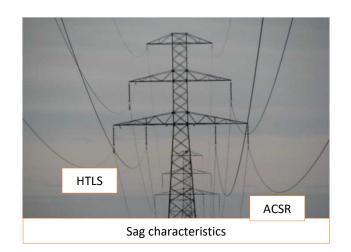




Case study 3: Advanced transmission lines in Bangladesh

Project name	Southwest Transmission Grid Expansion Project
JFJCM grant	\$7 million
Technology supported	Energy efficient transmission lines
Description	Energy efficient transmission lines will increase high-voltage network capacity while reducing transmission losses and emissions including carbon dioxide. The key technology is high-temperature low-sag (HTLS) conductors.
Location	Between Gopalganj and Barisal, Bangladesh
Emission reductions	23.1 thousand tCO ₂ /yr (estimate)



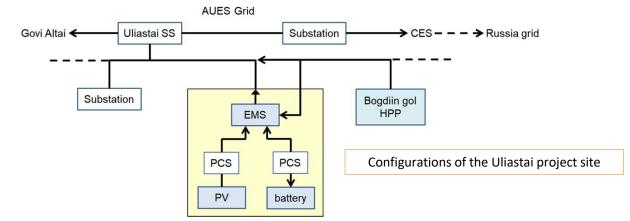






Case study 4: Upscaling renewables in Mongolia

Project name	Upscaling Renewable Energy Sector Project
JFJCM grant	\$6 million
Technology supported	5MW solar PV system, advanced battery system of 3.6 MWh and energy management system
Description	This solar power plant with battery and EMS can supply as much locally produced renewable energy as possible to local consumers, reducing carbon intensive domestic and imported grid electricity, while strengthening the country's power self- sufficiency.
Location	Uliastai, Mongolia
Emission reductions	6.4 thousand tCO ₂ /yr (estimate)





Case study 5: Green Hospital in Mongolia

Project name	Improving Access to Health Services for Disadvantaged Groups Investment Program
JFJCM grant	\$3.48 million
Technology supported	Energy efficient HVAC system, high insulation window, rooftop solar PV and ground source heat pump (GSHP)
Description	New building as expansion of existing hospital in UB will be constructed with adoption of low carbon technologies including HVAC system, high insulation windows and rooftop solar PV. New construction of three family health centers is also planned with GSHP installation, which replace the heat supply from electric heaters powered by coal fired power plants.
Location	Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia
Emission reductions	2.9 thousand tCO ₂ /yr (estimate)





Case study 6: Waste to Energy in Maldives

Project name	Greater Male Waste to Energy Project
JFJCM grant	\$10 million
Technology supported	Waste to energy plant (incineration)
Description	The project will establish an integrated regional solid waste management system in Greater Male consisting of collection, transfer, treatment using advanced waste-to-energy (WtE) technology, disposal, recycling, and dumpsite closure and remediation. The WtE facility can process 500 tons/day with up to 12 MW power generation.
Location	Thilafushi, the Maldives
Emission reductions	40.4 thousand tCO ₂ /yr (estimate) *Average of emission reductions for 20 years



