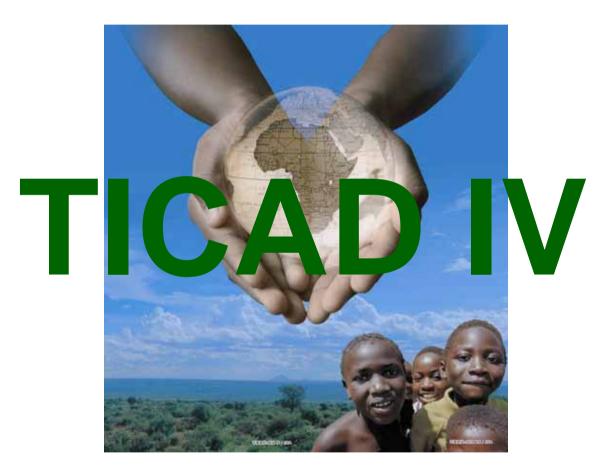
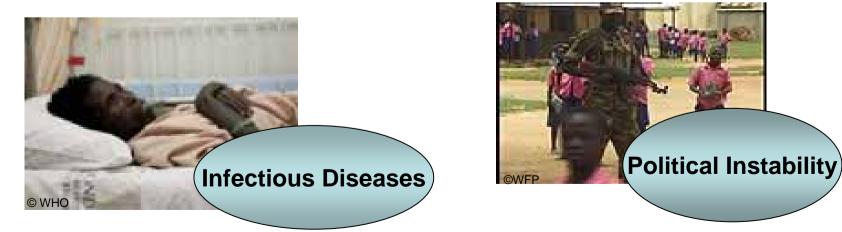
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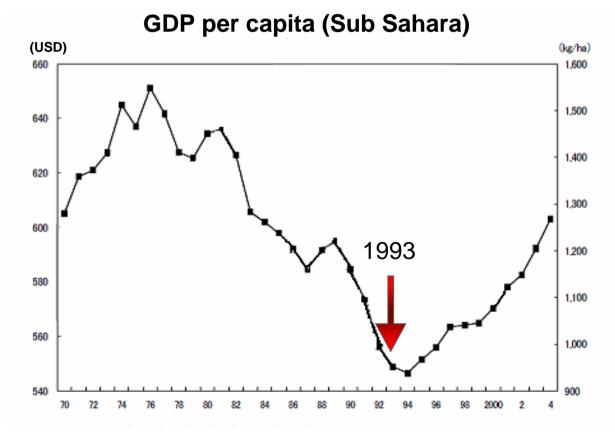
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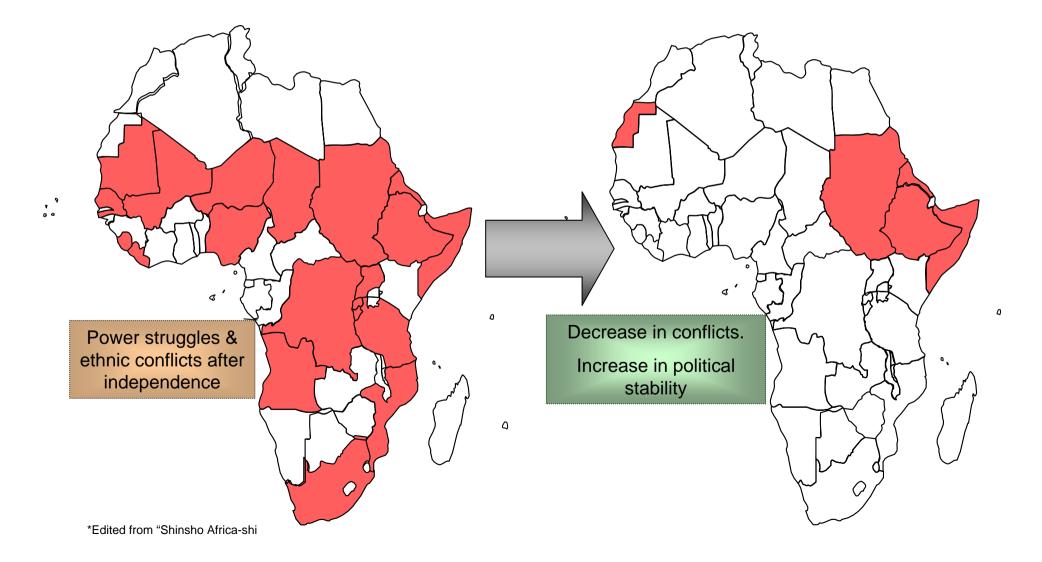
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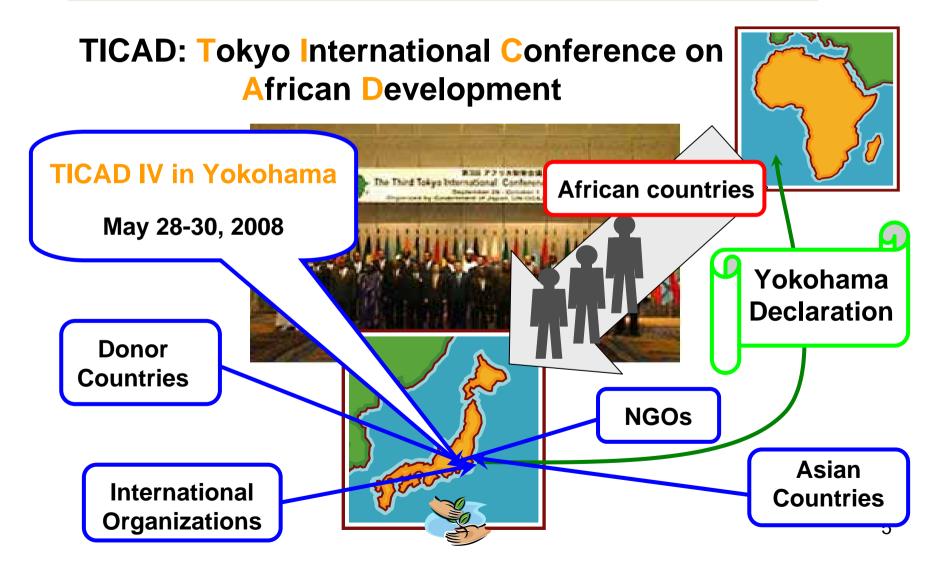


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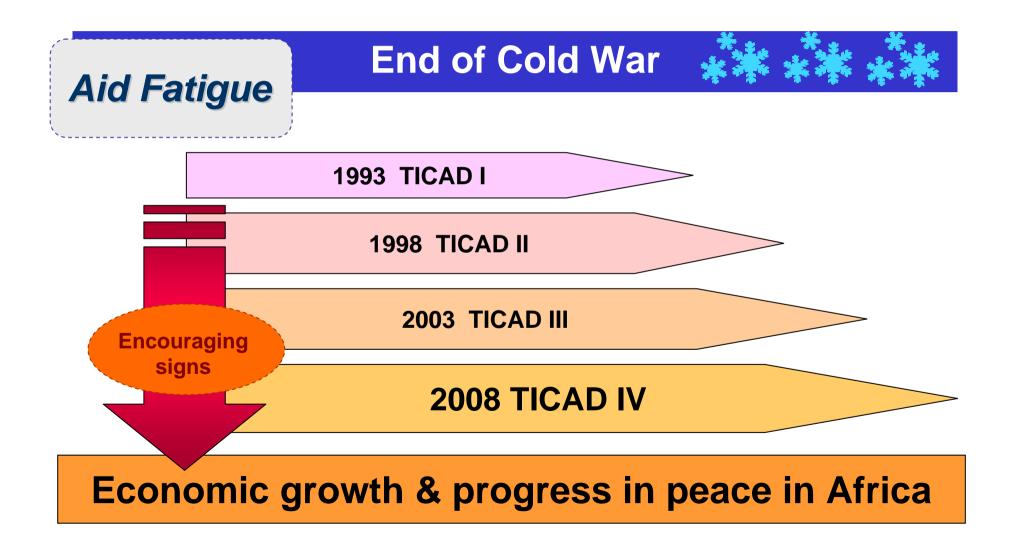
## Africa Today (2) Peace is Taking Root



Now is the Time to Boost These Encouraging Signs



# **History of TICAD**



# **Philosophy of TICAD**

#### **OWNERSHIP**

Respect Africa's own effort for development



#### PARTNERSHIP

Promote cooperation between various stakeholders of African development



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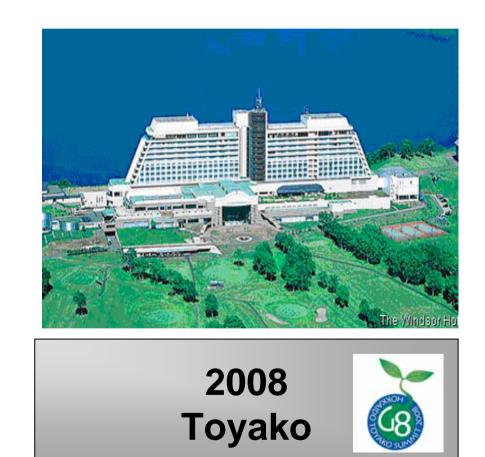
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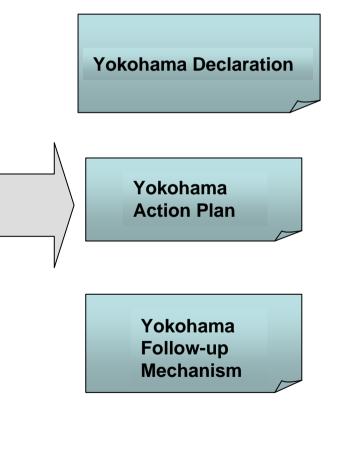








•	1. B	oosting Economic Growth
		(1) Infrastructure
	_	Road networks and electric infrastructure development (including One-Stop-Border-
		Posts (OSBPs))
	-	(2) Trade & Investment
	-	SMEs development through the "EPSA" scheme
	-	JBIC investment loans
	-	Coordination between ODA and CSR
	-	Tourism promotion campaign
	-	(3) Agriculture
	-	Comprehensive assistance for improvements in agricultural productivity
	-	Irrigation; marketing; research & development
•	2. <u>A</u>	chieving the MDGs
•		Ensuring Human Security)
	_ `	Community Development
	-	Promotion of "One-Village-One-Product" movement
	-	Comprehensive rural development
	_	Education
	_	Regional expansion of "School for All" projects
	_	Propagation of SMASSE
	-	Science technology and research
	-	Health (Including assistance through international organizations)
	-	Infectious diseases control
	-	Focus on "Child and Maternity Health"
	-	Medical human resources development in relation with the Hideyo Noguchi Africa Prize
•	<u>3. Pe</u>	eace Consolidation / Good Governance
•		(Ensuring Human Security)
	_	Enhancing African countries' capacity for promoting peace and stability
	-	Restoration of security and prosperity for post-conflict countries
•		
4. Addressing Environmental Issues and Climate change		
	-	Financial Mechanism for "Cool Earth Partnership"
	-	Adaptation to environmental change
	-	Droughts and natural disasters; water supply
	-	Mitigation of environmental degradation
	-	Reforestation, forest conservation and environment management
	-	Improving energy Access
	-	Clean energy



# **3 Pillars of TICAD IV**

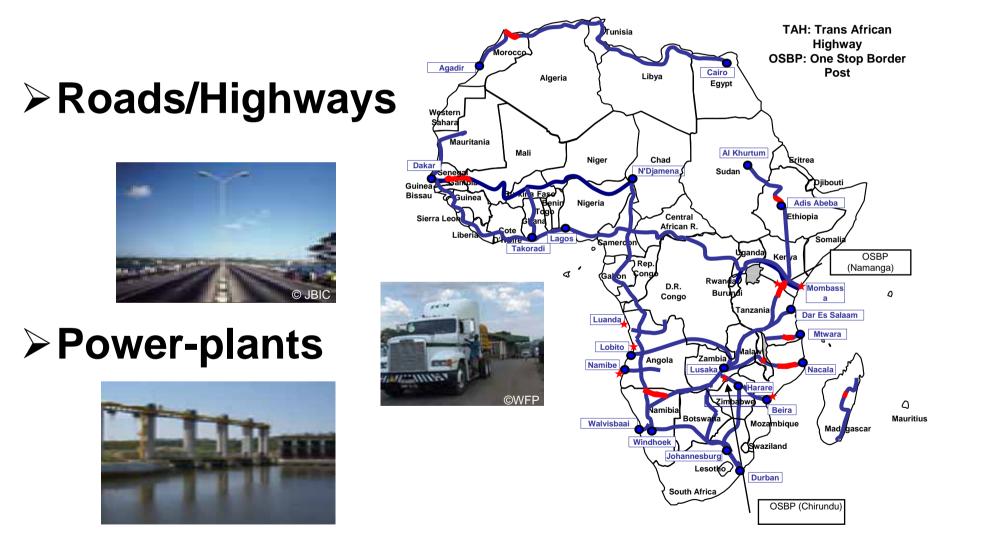
### **Boosting Economic Growth**

#### **Ensuring Human Security**

#### Addressing Environmental Issues/Climate Change



### Boosting Economic Growth (1) Cross-Border Infrastructure



## Boosting Economic Growth (2) Trade, Investment & Tourism

#### > Public-private partnership

#### **MOZAL Aluminum Smelting Plant (Mozambique)**

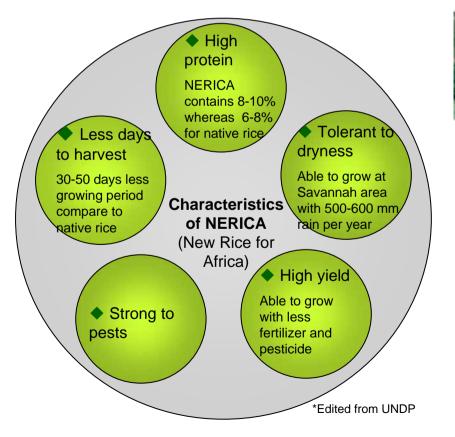


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## **Boosting Economic Growth (3) Agriculture**

#### **Comprehensive measures to improve agricultural production**

e.g. NERICA (New Rice for Africa)





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Further diffusion is expected for NERICA







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# Boosting Economic Growth (4) One-Village-One-Product

## Traditional products can be transformed into globally competitive products by creating added value

-Shea butter soap (Ghana)



-Zipatso orange juice (Malawi)





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Logo represents how products from small villages grow like a whirl



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# **Ensuring Human Security**



## Ensuring Human Security (1) Food Security



Emergency Food Aid in Response to Rising Food Prices 100 million dollars in next three months (50 million dollars of aid to African Countries in May)







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## Ensuring Human Security (2) Health

- Measure against infectious diseases
- Improve maternal newborn and child health
- Strengthen health system



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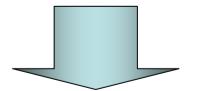
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#### Maternal & Child Health Handbook



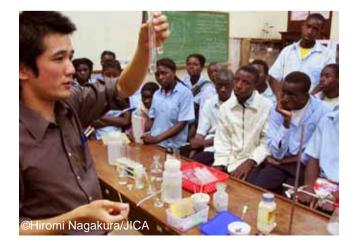


**Comprehensive / Integrated approach** 

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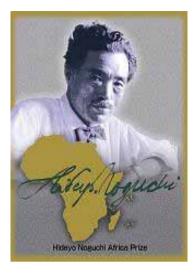
## Ensuring Human Security (3) Education

- Japan's basic approach: Education that leads to self-reliance and growth
- Over the next 5 years, in Africa, Japan will
  - Construct approximately 1000 schools containing roughly 5,500 classrooms
  - Train approximately about 100,000 teachers
    (SMASE: Strengthening of Mathematics and Science in Education Project)
  - Improve school management of 10,000 schools with community participation









# Ensuring Human Security (4) 1<sup>st</sup> Hideyo Noguchi Africa Prize

- Hideyo Noguchi
  Prominent Japanese bacteriologist dedicated his life to welfare in Africa
- Prize for medical research & services
- ➤ 1<sup>st</sup> prize winners:
  - -Dr. Brian Greenwood

Creation of effective strategies to control malaria

-Dr. Miriam K. Were Health and welfare to people in Africa at local level







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## Addressing Environmental Issues/ Climate Change (1) Remove Bottlenecks to Growth

- -Drought
- -Floods
- -Desertification



Field dried up by drought © UNICEF



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## Addressing Environmental Issues/ Climate Change(2) "Cool Earth Partnership"



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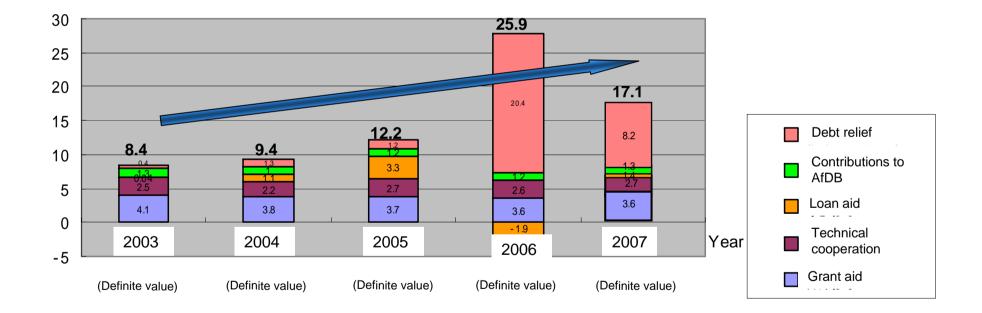


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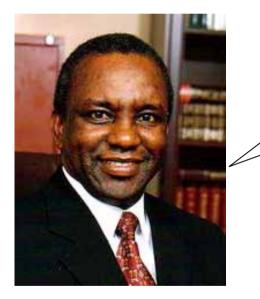
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- Mitigation of environmental degradation
- Improving energy access

# Japan's Assistance to Africa is Increasing



Japan's ODA performance to Africa from 2003-2007

## **Expectations from Africa**



"TICAD has shed light to Africa's business opportunities and made them known worldwide"

**H.E. E.E. Mtango** Ambassador of Tanzania to Japan Dean of African Diplomatic Corps in Tokyo

## **Towards a Vibrant Africa**



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