“Development and Africa” in Hokkaido Toyako Summit

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I. Discussions at the G8 Summit
“Development and Africa”

Outreach Session in the First Day

- Participants
  - G8 countries
  - 7 African countries
  - AU
  - International Organizations
    - UN & World Bank

G8 Summit hosted by Japan
7-9, July in Hokkaido Toyako
What we discuss at G8 Summit

- Efforts towards MDGs
- Boosting Encouraging Signs in Africa

2008 = Mid-point of MDGs

Japan’s leadership

Measures against sharp rise in food price
G8 Discussions on Development in Africa

05: Gleneagles Summit

- Peace and Stability
- Promoting Good and Responsive Governance
- Investing in People
- Promoting Growth
- Financing for Development
- Partnership and mutual accountability

06: Saint-Petersburg Summit

"Update on Africa"

07: Heiligendamm Summit

"Growth and Responsibility in Africa (Summit Declaration)"
Japan’s Road to G8 Summit in 2008

- **April**: Hosted G8 Development Ministers’ Meeting
- **May**: Hosted TICAD IV
- **June**: Participated in High-Level Conference on World Food Security of FAO
- **July**: Hosting G8 Summit

Japan as the G8 Chair
Japan alongside with Africa
Ⅱ. Japan’s Leadership in Each Issue
Boosting Encouraging Signs in Africa (1)
-Significance of TICAD IV-

Towards a Vibrant Africa

Lead to "Century of African Growth"
- Boosting Economic Growth
- Ensuring "Human Security"
  - Achievement of MDGs
  - Consolidation of Peace and Good Governance
- Addressing Environment/Climate Change Issues

Largest policy forum with 41 heads of states/governments

Step To G8 Summit
Boosting Encouraging Signs in Africa (2)
-Japan’s commitment in TICAD IV-

Japan will double ODA by 2012

Development of Infrastructure
- Up to $4bn ODA loan over the next 5 years
- Regional road networks, “One Stop Border Post”
- Development of power infrastructure

Support for Private Investment
- Dispatching public-private joint economic mission
- $2.5bn of financial assistance including JBIC Facility for African Investment
  Aiming to double Japanese private investment to Africa
Boosting Encouraging Signs in Africa (3)
-Achievement of TICAD IV-

- Yokohama Declaration
- Yokohama Action Plan
- TICAD Follow-up Mechanism
- Chairperson’s Summary by the Chair
Measures against Food Crisis
-Japan’s Response to Food Crisis-

Emergency Responses
- $85mil.+$100mil. for food aid
- $10mil. +$50mil. to boost food production
- Release of over 300,000 tons of imported rice
- Calling on refraining from instituting restrictions on exports

Shared Recognition of the Gravity

TICAD IV
- Doubling rice production in Africa
  - Infrastructure & market development
  - Improvement of technologies

Medium- and Long-term Efforts
- $10bn to ‘Cool Earth Partnership’
- Second-generation biofuels

Measures against Food Crisis
Achievement of MDGs (1)

-Health-

Leadership of Japan in Global Health

Comprehensive approach involving all actors

- Challenge
  - Measures against infectious diseases
  - Health Systems Strengthening

- Training 100,000 African people as health worker over the next 5 years
- Addressing population issue & expanding ‘maternal and child health handbook’
- $ 560 million to the Global Fund
- Joint research with young African researcher
- Japan-Africa Science and Technology Ministers’ Meeting
Achievement of MDGs (2)

-Water-

Japan as the Top Donor

Strong support for water cycle management

Sustainable use of water resources

Water as the basis of life

Maintenance of human life & health

Conservation of ecosystems & maintenance of economic activities

Providing access to water and sanitation to African people

Dispatching Water Security Action Team (W-SAT) to Africa

W-SAT=water specialists
Achievement of MDGs (3)

-Education-

Leading to Self-Reliance and Growth

Education for All

Expansion and enhancement of basic education both in quantity and quality
- Providing sufficient places to learn
- Enhancing teachers’ abilities
- Encouraging local community
- Considering the depth of difficulties

Fostering human resources

Holistic approach to the education system
- Technical education
- Vocational training
- Secondary and higher education

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