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Assistance for Each Region

The challenges and problems vary according to the countries and regions. Japan is working to resolve the problems faced by developing countries through ODA, taking into consideration the social and economic backgrounds of these problems.

Chart II-7 > Japan's Bilateral ODA by Region (2012)

(US\$ million)

Region	Type	Bilateral ODA						Total Net disbursement basis	Change from the previous year (%)	Total Gross disbursement basis	Percentage of total (%)	Change from the previous year (%)	
		Grants			Loan aid								
		Grant aid	Technical cooperation	Total	Amount disbursed	Amount recovered	Total						
													Grants provided through multilateral institutions
Asia		723.91	126.43	1,033.31	1,757.22	6,399.72	6,544.91	-145.19	1,612.03	17.6	8,156.94	56.2	5.3
East Asia		352.10	26.69	788.78	1,140.88	3,715.83	5,150.02	-1,434.19	-293.31	45.9	4,856.71	33.5	8.4
Northeast Asia		55.19	—	161.41	216.61	447.31	1,391.58	-944.27	-727.66	-79.5	663.92	4.6	-30.7
Southeast Asia		296.49	26.29	618.81	915.30	3,268.52	3,758.44	-489.92	425.38	398.0	4,183.82	28.8	19.0
South Asia		192.74	35.18	195.55	388.29	2,451.47	1,290.17	1,161.30	1,549.58	-6.8	2,839.76	19.6	-2.6
Central Asia and the Caucasus		52.30	9.49	39.13	91.43	232.42	104.72	127.70	219.13	39.5	323.85	2.2	26.4
ODA for multiple countries in Asia		126.77	55.07	9.85	136.63	—	—	—	136.63	45.4	136.63	0.9	45.4
Middle East And North Africa		985.69	775.44	237.96	1,223.65	1,016.80	742.59	274.21	1,497.86	57.3	2,240.45	15.4	20.4
Sub-Saharan Africa		1,105.80	443.40	595.88	1,701.68	142.17	125.84	16.33	1,718.01	-0.9	1,843.85	12.7	-42.1
Latin America and the Caribbean		126.31	2.01	229.83	356.14	118.80	667.11	-548.31	-192.17	-157.4	474.94	3.3	-43.3
Oceania		82.49	1.30	59.92	142.42	9.99	24.26	-14.27	128.15	-19.4	152.41	1.1	-16.9
Europe		13.05	—	28.17	41.22	52.68	58.65	-5.97	35.25	-79.7	93.90	0.6	-62.0
Eastern Europe		0.50	—	6.35	6.86	38.83	45.88	-7.04	-0.19	-100.8	45.69	0.3	-44.6
Assistance encompassing multiple regions		81.06	46.60	1,471.48	1,552.55	—	—	—	1,552.55	-27.3	1,552.55	10.7	-27.3
Total		3,118.31	1,395.19	3,656.56	6,774.87	7,740.16	8,163.36	-423.20	6,351.67	-7.4	14,515.03	100.0	-10.4

*1 Due to rounding, the total figure may not match the sum of each number.

*2 Including assistance to Eastern Europe and graduated countries.

*3 Grant aid includes aid provided through multilateral institutions that can be classified by country.

*4 Negative numbers appear when the recovered amount of loans, etc. exceeds the disbursed amount.

*5 Multiple region aid, etc. includes items that cannot be regionally classified such as survey team dispatches, etc. spanning over multiple regions.

*6 Disbursements under "ODA for multiple countries in Asia" utilize figures based on the OECD-DAC criteria, and therefore, include disbursements for multiple countries, including some areas of the Middle East.