# Implementation of the Joint Crediting Mechanism (JCM) in Asia

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# JCM related activities by the OECC



(Programme of the Ministry of the Environment, Japan)

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#### Contents

Latest information on the JCM, such as:

- basic concept of the JCM,
- JCM partner countries,
- projects/methodologies,
- support programme by the Govt. of Japan,
- list of selected projects/studies,
- current discussion in UNFCCC,
- events/seminar, etc.

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Supporting of project development in Asia

# Recent development of the JCM in Asia

- 16 JCM partner countries incld. 8 Asian countries: Mongolia, Bangladesh, Viet Nam, Lao PDR, Indonesia, Cambodia, Myanmar and Thailand.
- In addition, the Philippines and Japan signed an aide memoire with intent to establish the JCM.
- First issuance of credits in Indonesia on 13 May 2016!

Partner Countries	No. of registered projects	No. of approved methodologies	Pipeline (Model & demonstration projects in FY13-15)
Mongolia	2	2	4
Bangladesh		1	5
Viet Nam	4	5	14
Lao PDR			2
Indonesia	5 (1 in process)	10	22
Cambodia		1	2
Myanmar			1
Thailand			7

### Emission reduction potential by JCM projects: Installation of energy efficient transformers with amorphous metal core

Installation of energy efficient transformers in a power distribution grid to reduce no-load losses by transformers by 60%



Actual project

Phase 1 (started operation)

Installed 1,618 transformers

Potential emission reductions 632 tCO<sub>2</sub>/y

**Potentials** 

Phase 2 (in preparation)

Plan to install 4,834 transformers

Potential emission reduction

4,360 tCO<sub>2</sub>/y

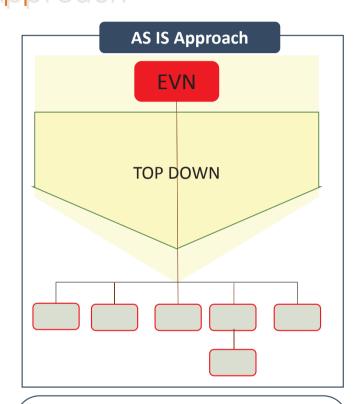
Phase 3 (in planning stage)

Plant to install transformers in Northern Viet Nam



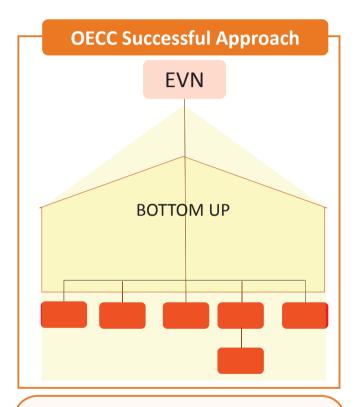
# Project development support by OECC in Viet Nam: Regional Approach





### Main issue:

- ✓ Each pc has different specs
- ✓ Individual procurement plan
- ✓ Unable to reach the actual regional demands



### Outcome:

 ✓ Find regional needs with detailed specs and parameter

# The JCM related Articles in the Paris Agreement (PA): Art. 6 para. 2-3 "Cooperative Approaches"

Q. Will the JCM continue after 2020?

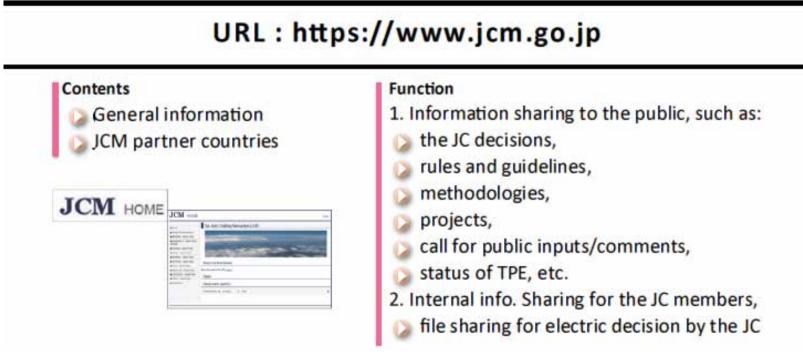
A. In COP21, the Paris Agreement was adopted as a new international framework under the UNFCCC after 2020. <u>Use of market mechanisms, including the JCM, is articulated under Article 6 paragraph 2-3</u> which prescribes for the use of emission reductions realized oversees towards national emission reduction targets, authorized by participating Parties.

What was mentioned in Japan's INDC? Please see the FAQ No. 17 http://www.mmechanisms.org/e/initiatives/faq.html

# Transparency

✓ All the project information is shared to the public through the JCM website to secure transparency.

## **JCM** Website



✓ The double registration and double issuance is checked by a third party entity
(TPE) at the time of both validation and verification.

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### Vielen Dank!

✓ FAQ on the JCM (revised as of May 2016) is available at New Mechanisms Information Platform <a href="http://www.mmechanisms.org/e/initiatives/faq.html">http://www.mmechanisms.org/e/initiatives/faq.html</a>

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