

# **Introduction**

for  
the JICA training program  
**“Promotion of African Rice Development  
through strengthening coordination  
between CARD and CAADP - 2015”**

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# 1. WHY CAADP-CARD ALIGNMENT ?



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# 1. Why CAADP – CARD Alignment ?

## Background

### **Why the integration/ alignment of NRDS into overarching development framework is important?**

Of course rice, a component in agriculture, should fit well in the Agriculture Sector and national economy overall.

**NRDS implementation helps implementation of CAADP/ equivalent strategies through alignment/integration, because;**

- **Commodity focus enables tangible impacts in short period of time; which is usually difficult in comprehensive Strategies such as CAADP Investment Plan**
- **Issues along the whole value chain should be properly addressed for successful agriculture**



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# 1. Why CAADP – CARD Alignment ?

## Background

**Why the integration/ alignment of NRDS into overarching development framework is important?**

- **Commodity focus is useful to realize comprehensive supports for the whole value chain, strengthening linkages between market, service providers and producers**
- **Experience of NRDS development and implementation including fund matching, and strengthened capacity is helpful in implementation of overarching sector strategy**
- **Coordination can be done better among public sector, donor interventions and value chain actors, based on strategies with commodity focus (e.g. NRDS)**

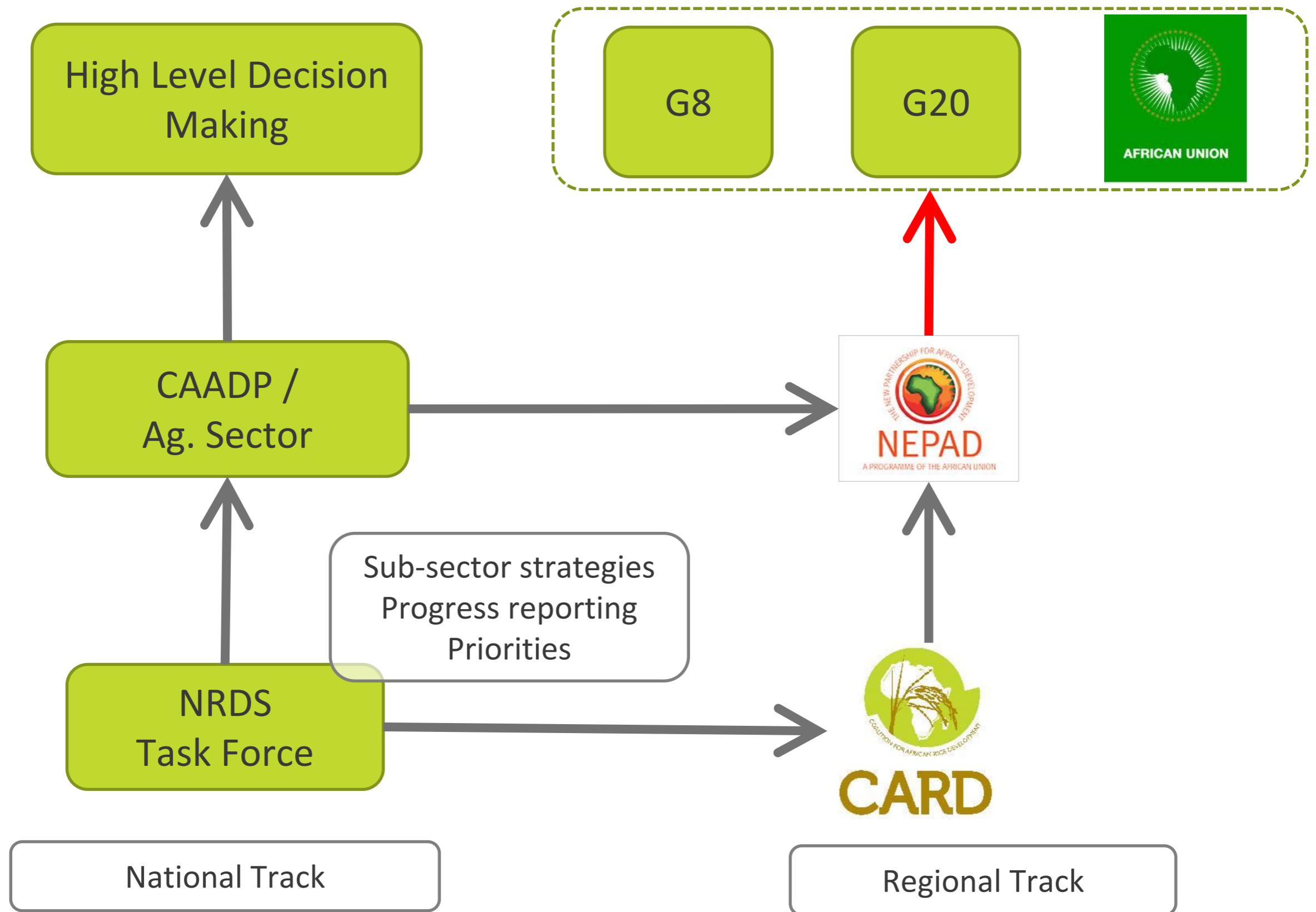


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# 1. Why CAADP – CARD Alignment ?

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### At Regional Level

**NEPAD-AU as one of three key founders of the Coalition** - Jointly with AGRA and JICA at TICAD IV (Japan, May '08)

**Key African development partners as the Steering Committee members** - NEPAD-AU, AGRA, AfricaRice, FARA (Pillar IV)

**Gained recognition for the contribution in the implementation**

- [A side event at 8th CAADP Partnership Platform](#) (Kenya, May '12):

*Communique Annex 2*



### At Country Level

**Integration of the result of NRDS implementation to CAADP** - Matching priority interventions into CAADP/ Providing project concept notes to CAADP Country Team (Uganda, etc), same focal point (e.g. Cameroon Guinea, Madagascar)

**Integration of NRDS into CAADP Investment Plan** - NRDS as 'Rice Chapter' (e.g. Uganda, Guinea, Sierra Leone – SCP)

**CAADP-CARD Alignment** –a 3 yrs Training in Japan organised by JICA

## **2. WHAT'S IN TSUKUBA TRAINING PROGRAM? – BACKGROUND**



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# 2. What's in Tsukuba Training program?

## Background

### <CARD (Coalition for African Rice Development)>

- Commodity based initiative on rice by 11 International Organizations
- Targeting doubling rice production in SSA 2008-18
- Operating in 23 SSA countries
- NRDS (National Rice Development Strategy) Formulation and implementation

### <CAADP>

Policy & Institutional framework (e.g. 6% productivity growth, 10 % budget allocation: See the Presentation by NEPAD at CARD HP)

<http://www.riceforafrica.org> → Meetings → Trainings → JICA TSUKUBA 2013-15



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# 2. What's in Tsukuba Training program?

## Background

Two separate initiatives, and not much interface.....



**Successful experiences are observed in CARD-CAADP coordination that gave positive impacts on implementation of both initiatives at country level in some countries**

### <Benefits>

- Benefit of NRDS (commodity focus, comprehensiveness, immediate impacts, better coordination)
- Promoting CAADP implementation
- Better resource mobilization



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# 2. What's in Tsukuba Training program?

## Overview of three-year training

**JICA offered a 3-year training program for integration of CARD related activities into CAADP framework at national level**

### **<Objectives for 2013-2015>**

1. To learn about CARD, CARD-CAADP Integration (importance and experiences of successful countries)
2. To develop a Guideline for CARD-CAADP Integration and Formulation of Country Action Plan
3. To enhance Implementation of CARD-CAADP integration through update and sharing experiences
4. To learn Japan's experiences in Rice Sector Development



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# 2. What's in Tsukuba Training program?

## Overview of three-year training

### Initial Design of the CARD - CAADP Coordination Training

#### <2013>

- Learning about CARD, and success cases in NRDS Integration into CAADP Investment Plan (Uganda and Madagascar)
- Development of Guideline for CARD Integration into CAADP
- Formulation of Country Action Plan for CARD-CAADP integration based on the Guideline
- Learning Japan's experience in Rice Development

#### <2014 and 2015>

- Report the progress of Action Plan for CARD-CAADP integration
- Share the successful experiences
- Share and discuss issues and possible solutions
- Revise the action plan

- Learning Japan's experience in Rice Development



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## 3. RECAP OF 2013 AND 2014 PROGRAMS



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## 3. Recap of the 2013 program

### < Objectives >

- **To develop common understanding among the participants (officers in charge of CAADP) that CARD is taking a part of rice sector under the framework of CAADP, and the CARD Initiative contributes to implementation of CAADP process;**
- **To make common guideline (action points) as well as country specific action plans on how to strengthen alignment between CAADP and CARD;**
- **To learn Japanese Agricultural policy on rice sector as well as observe rice cultivation sites in Ogata Village, Akita Prefecture.**



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# 3. Recap of the 2013 program

## <Activities >

### 1. CARD-CAADP integration

- Learning about CARD, CAADP, and Possibility of Green Revolution in Africa
- Learning Successful CARD-CAADP integration (Madagascar, Uganda)
- Development of Guideline and Formulation of Country Action Plan

### 2. Learning about Japan's rice development experiences

- History and Policies for Rice Development in Japan
- System of Agriculture policy formulation and implementation in Japan
- Collaboration between government, cooperatives, and private sector in Japan
- Rice Culture and Development of Related Technologies in Japan
- Visit of District Agricultural Research Center/ Large Scale Irrigation Scheme/ Cooperatives/ WUA/ Farmers



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# 3. Recap of the 2013 program (CAADP/NRDS Alignment Guideline )

Actions Points	Specific Activities	Responsible Person	Budget		Timeframe	Measurable Indicator
			UDS\$'00	SOURCE		
<b>Communication</b>						
- With in Ministry - With all stakeholders						
<b>Institutional Arrangements</b>						
<b>Harmonization</b>						
<b>Resource Mobilization</b>						
<b>Implementation</b>						
- Coordination - Monitoring & Evaluation						



# 3. Recap of the 2013 program

## CAADP & CARD/NRDS ALIGNMENT ACTION PLAN MATRIX (Liberia)

Actions points	Specific activities	Responsible person	Budget		Timeframe Qtr/Qtr/Qtr/Qtr-	Measurable indicator
			UDS\$'00	SOURCE		
<b>Communication</b> -----With in Ministry;	Prepare report on seminar in Japan on CAADP & NRDS	NRDs Focal person Harry Wonyene	0	MOA	9/13	Seminar report prepare and disseminated
-With all stakeholders	Presentation at the ACC on NRDS & CAADP Process	NRDs Focal person Harry Wonyene		MOA	9/13	One comprehensive presentation done at the ACC
	Conduct present Information on CAADP & NRDS amongst stakeholders	Harry Wonyene & CAADP focal person Ousman Tall	TBD	JICA/Lib/U SAID	10/13	One institutional assessment conducted on CAADP & NRDS among key stakeholders
	Incorporate CAADP & NRDS communication dissemination in Sector communication Strategy	Harry wonyene & CAADP focal person Ousman Tall	TBD	JICA/Lib/U SAID	10/13	Sector Communication Plan incorporate CAADP & NRDS alignment activities



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			UDS\$'00	SOURCE		
<b>Institutional arrangements</b>	Propose to DP Minister For Planning on Restructuring of present CAADP and NRDS taskforce & Rice sector Technical working Group. for better coordination	Ousman Tall & Harry Wonyene	0	MOA	9/13	New Taskforce for CAADP & NRDS form with key stakeholder incorporated
	Establish a Rice Technical working Group at the MOA	Dr McClain , Dr Subah & Harry Wonyene	100	MOA	10/13	Rice Taskforce formed at MOA
	Presentation to New CAADP and NRDS Taskforce member & Rice Sector Working Group	Harry Wonyene	200	JICA-Lib/USAID	10/13	Conduct presentation on CAADP & NRDS to new Taskforce member
	Development of TOR for Restructure CAADP/LASIP & CARD NRDS Taskforce	Ousman Tall & Harry wonyene	100	JICA-Lib/USAID	10/13	TOR developed



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			UDS\$	SOURCE		
<b>Harmonization</b>	Incorporate CAADP/LASIP & CARD/NRDS alignment in DP&D Budget	Harry wonyene & New Taskforce Chair	0	MOA	9/13	CAADP/LASIP & CARD/NRDS activities incorporated in budget
	Regular meetings on harmonization between CAADP & NRDS teams Donor/Private sector/CSO on Fund matching	Harry wonyene & New Taskforce Chair	TBD	JICA Lib/USAID	10/13.-& 1/14	One meeting held every two months on harmonization among stakeholders
	Conduct a review meeting on CAADP/LASIP & CARD/NRDS timeframe with key stakeholders (Donor/Private sector/CSO)	Harry wonyene & New Taskforce Chair	TBD	JICA Lib/USAID	10/13 & 2/14	One review meeting held for time frame review on NRDS/LASIP



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Actions points	Specific activities	Responsible person	Budget		Timeframe Qtr/Qtr/Qtr/Qtr-	Measurable indicator
			UDS\$'00	SOURCE		
<b>Resource mobilization</b>	New CAADP/LASIP & CARD/ NRDS Taskforce conduct Follow-up on 5 Concept notes with lead Donor USAID.	Harry wonyene & New Taskforce Chair	TBD	MOA	9/13,10/13,11/13,12/13	Follow up with USAID on Concept conducted
	Allocation of minimum resources for CAADP/LASIP & NRDS quarterly meetings by MOA	Harry wonyene	0	MOA	9/13	Resources made available to conduct CAADP/LASP & CARD/NRDS meetings
	Attend monthly meeting of the ADWG on CAADP/LASIP & CARD/NRDS program implementation.	Harry Wonyene & New Taskforce Chair		MOA	9/13.10/13,11/13,12/13	Attend all ADWG meeting at end of every month



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# 3. Recap of the 2013 program

## CAADP & CARD/NRDS ALIGNMENT ACTION PLAN MATRIX (Liberia)

Actions points''	Specific activities	Responsible person	Budget		Timeframe Qtr/Qtr/Qtr/Qtr-	Measurable indicator
			UDS\$'0 0	SOURCE		
<b>Implementation</b> -Coordination	Establish coordination of the CAADP/LASIP & CARD/NRDS with other programs under LASIP	Harry wonyene	0	MOA	10/13	Establish coordination mechanism amongst all actors at the MOA and Key stakeholders
-Monitoring & Evaluation	Develop alignment reporting mechanism of CAADP/LASIP & CARD/NRDS to on going sector Reporting Process.	Harry wonyene & Ousman Tall	TBD	MOA	10/13	Reporting format aligned to present LASIP format
	Develop review mechanism of CAADP/LASIP & CARD/NRDS Implementation	Harry Wonyene & Ousman Tall	TBD	JICA-lib/USAID	10/13, 11/13	Conduct one review meeting in 4 months of the entire CAADP/LASIP & CARD/NRDS alignment process



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## 3. Recap of the 2014 program

### < Objective >

While obtaining knowledge from Japanese experience for rice promotion, action plans for strengthening CAADP-CARD alignment (which were formulated during the training in the previous year) are improved for better implementation.

### <Activities>

#### 1. CARD-CAADP integration

- Reporting the Progress of CARD-CAADP integration in your country
- Learning Successful CARD-CAADP integration (Nigeria, Mozambique)
- Share and Discuss challenges and possible solutions.
- Revision and presentation of Country Action Plan

#### 2. Learning about Japan's rice development

- Rice Mechanisation: Japan's Experience and CARD Initiative in Africa
- Important Roles of Rural Finance in Agricultural Development in Japan
- Visits to public support service providers and beneficiaries of public agricultural support services (e.g. mechanization, rural financing,)

## 4. WHAT WE WILL DO IN THE 2015 PROGRAM



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## 4. What we will do in the 2015 program

### < Objective >

1. To map out the way forward for better CAADP-CARD alignment, NRDS implementation and rice sector development in general through sharing successful experiences among participating countries
2. To obtain knowledge from Japanese experience for rice promotion



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# 4. What we will do in the 2015 program

## <Activities>

### 1. Better CARD-CAADP integration, promotion of NRDS and Rice Sector Dev't

- Learning Successful Experiences from African countries (Burkina Faso, Ethiopia, Ghana, Madagascar, Nigeria, Rwanda and Senegal)
- Sharing and Discussions on challenges and possible solutions.
- Formulation and presentation of Country Action Plan

### 2. Learning about Japan's rice development

- Rice Promotion Policies and History in Japan
- Seed Production and Supply System in Japan
- Planning and implementation of for Infrastructure Development
- Roles of cooperatives in financing, mechanization and input supply
- Sharing contribution and responsibilities among government, cooperatives and farmers

# 4. What we will do in the 2015 program (Schedule)

Date		AM/PM	Activities	
17-Aug	Mon	AM		<b>9:00-11:00 Briefing session</b>
			Lecture	<b>11:00-12:00 Program orientation/Review of the previous years</b>
		PM	Presentation	<b>Presentations of Inception Report</b>
			Discussion	<b>Challenges in CARD-CAADP integration, NRDS, and Rice Dev't</b>
18-Aug	Tue	AM	Presentation	<b>Successful Experiences in CARD countries</b>
		PM	Discussion	<b>Possible solutions for challenges</b>
19-Aug	Wed	AM	Workshop	<b>Planning of Agri. Infrastructure Development</b>
		PM	Site visit	<b>Seed production &amp; supply system</b>
20-Aug	Thu	AM	Lecture	<b>Instruction on preparation of Action Plan</b>
		PM	Lecture	<b>Development of the Japanese farm policy (Rural finance) Q&amp;A</b>
				<b>Travel to Tokyo</b>
21-Aug	Fri	AM	Lecture	<b>National Rice Promotion policies Q&amp;A</b>
		PM		<b>Preparation of action plan</b>
22-Aug	Sat	am/pm		<b>Preparation of action plan</b>
23-Aug	Sun	PM		<b>Travel to Niigata</b>
24-Aug	Mon	AM	Lecture	<b>Prefectural Rice Promotion policies</b>
		PM	Site visit	<b>Kameda Gou Irrigation Scheme</b>
25-Aug	Tue	AM	Lecture/visit	<b>Cooperatives (roles in seed supply, finance, &amp; mechanization)</b>
		PM	Site visit	<b>Interview to farmers then return to Tsukuba</b>
26-Aug	Wed	AM	Presentation	<b>Presentation of Action Plan</b>
		PM		<b>Evaluation/ Closing</b>
26-Aug	Thu			<b>Return to home countries</b>

# Thank you



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