

**STATUS OF PROJECTS IN EXECUTION – FY05**  
**SOPE**  
**REGION: LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN**  
**COUNTRY: HONDURAS**

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**Report on the Status of Projects in Execution - FY05**  
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**Introduction**

The Status of Projects in Execution (SOPE) Report for FY05 provides information on all IBRD/IDA projects that were active on and beyond June 30, 2005. Thus it bridges the gap in information available to the public between the Project Appraisal Document, disclosed after the Bank approves a project, and the Implementation Completion Report, disclosed after the project closes.

The World Bank has issued a SOPE Report every year as an internal communication to the Board of Executive Directors. Now, in accordance with the Bank's revised disclosure policy, the SOPE Report is also available to the public. By publishing this improved report, we have addressed one of the main concerns we heard from the public during disclosure consultations – that the public has very little access to information on projects while they are being implemented. Readers familiar with past reports will note that projects that closed during the fiscal year are no longer included in the SOPE, since their Implementation Completion Reports are now also disclosed.

The FY05 SOPE introduces a new element: in order to disclose project-by-project comparisons of disbursement estimates and actual disbursements, the SOPE report contains a line chart<sup>1</sup> showing the original estimated disbursement schedule, the latest approved revised schedule (if any) and actual disbursements for investment operations and a table showing the loan/credit/grant amount and disbursements to date.

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<sup>1</sup> Notes:

- Amounts for Projects in currencies other than U.S. dollars may not match exactly due to exchange rate fluctuations over the life of the project.
- Disbursement graphs are not included for Development Policy Loans, which provide quick-disbursing external financing to support policy and institutional reforms. For these loans, funds are disbursed in one or more stages (tranches), released when the borrower complies with agreed conditions.
- Projects which are not yet effective may not have a planned disbursement schedule and thus may not include a graph.

**Country: Honduras**

**Project Name (ID):** Community-Based Education (P007397)

**Country:** Honduras

**Board Approval Date:** 04/10/2001

**Midterm Review Date:** 02/14/2005

**Closing Date:** 12/31/2006

**Loan/Credit/Grant Number:** IDA-34970, JPN-53767

**Sector(s):** Pre-primary education (38%), Primary education (38%), Central government administration (18%), Sub-national government administration (6%)

**Theme(s):** Education for all (P), Rural services and infrastructure (P), Indigenous peoples (P), Participation and civic engagement (S)

**Project Development Objectives:**

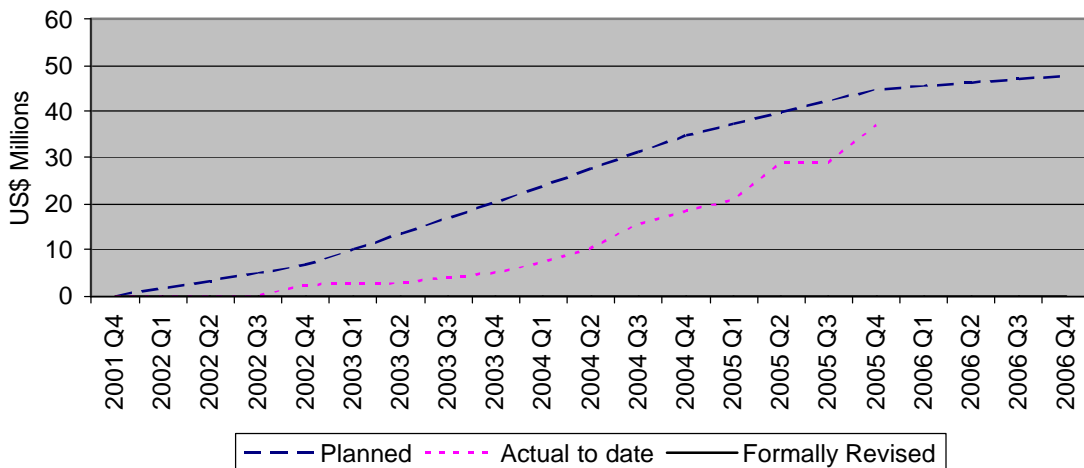
The objectives are to improve the quality of preschool and lower basic education (grades 1-6) in targeted rural areas, and to improve the quality of intercultural and bilingual education in indigenous communities.

**Progress toward achieving development objective(s):**

The project is progressing well toward achieving its objectives. Interim targets show that the primary completion rate has increased from 68 in 2001 to about 78 percent in 2004 in rural areas (drop-outs are decreasing); the Primary Net Enrollment in rural areas has increased from 82.5 percent in 2002 to 94 percent in 2004. There has been less progress on the distribution of teaching materials for teachers and students in pre-primary education and multi-grade schools, which will be addressed in fiscal year 2006. An assessment of financial and institutional sustainability of the External Education Evaluation Unit is underway. The Government is also currently reviewing the financial and institutional sustainability of the autonomous schools and semi-autonomous schools and will be reviewing options to strengthen and consolidate these schools.

**Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2005)**

Loan/Credit/Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IDA-34970	Effective	47.13	37.09	10.03	0.00
JPN-53767	Effective	0.72	0.07	0.64	0.00



**Project Name (ID):** Health System Reform (P053575)

**Country:** Honduras

**Board Approval Date:** 05/07/2002

**Midterm Review Date:** 06/06/2005

**Closing Date:** 07/31/2007

**Loan/Credit/Grant Number:** IDA-36400

**Sector(s):** Health (96%), Compulsory health finance (2%), Central government administration (2%)

**Theme(s):** Health system performance (P), HIV/AIDS (P), Population and reproductive health (P), Regulation and competition policy (P), Indigenous peoples (S)

### Project Development Objectives:

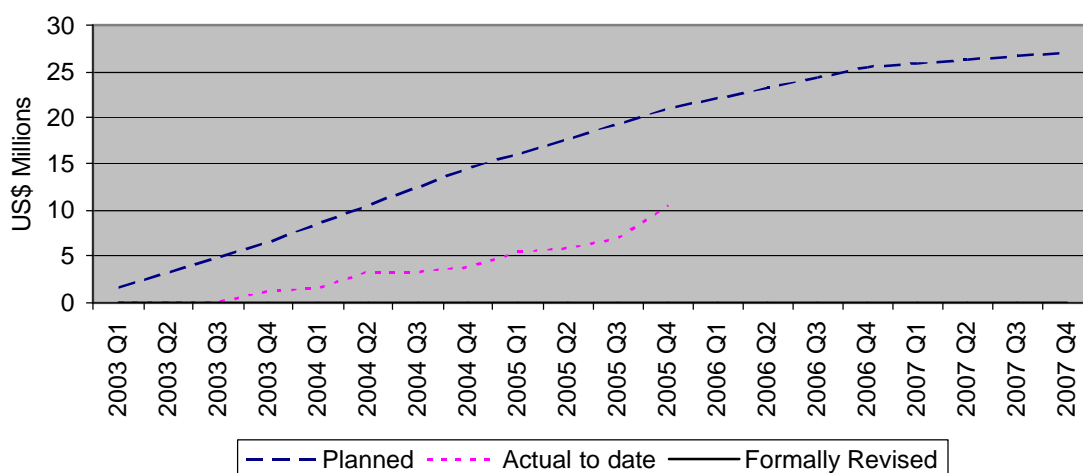
The objective is to support the reform program aimed at extending and improving health care coverage and quality.

### Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

The project has made important progress toward achieving the indicators for the third phase of the Policy Activity Schedules. The Ministry of Health and the Honduras Institute of Social Security signed new contracts with NGOs, municipalities, and private health providers to extend coverage. Although only two of these contracts (Mancorsaric and El Guante) are at least one year old, there are preliminary indications that they will turn into very successful experiences. The Ministry of Health, providers and the communities are very satisfied with these innovative systems. Considering that most of the indicators for the third phase of the Policy Activity will be achieved soon, it is expected that the project will be ready to start the third phase of implementation at the end of 2005, four months ahead of schedule.

### Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2005)

Loan/Credit/Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IDA-36400	Effective	31.81	10.44	21.41	0.00



**Project Name (ID):** Land Administration Program (P055991)

**Country:** Honduras

**Board Approval Date:** 02/26/2004

**Closing Date:** 04/30/2008

**Loan/Credit/Grant Number:** IDA-38580, IDA-Q3810

**Sector(s):** General agriculture, fishing, and forestry (61%), Central government administration (27%), Sub-national government administration (12%)

**Theme(s):** Land administration and management (P), Other rural development (P), Personal and property rights (P), Municipal governance and institution building (S), Legal institutions for a market economy (S)

### Project Development Objectives:

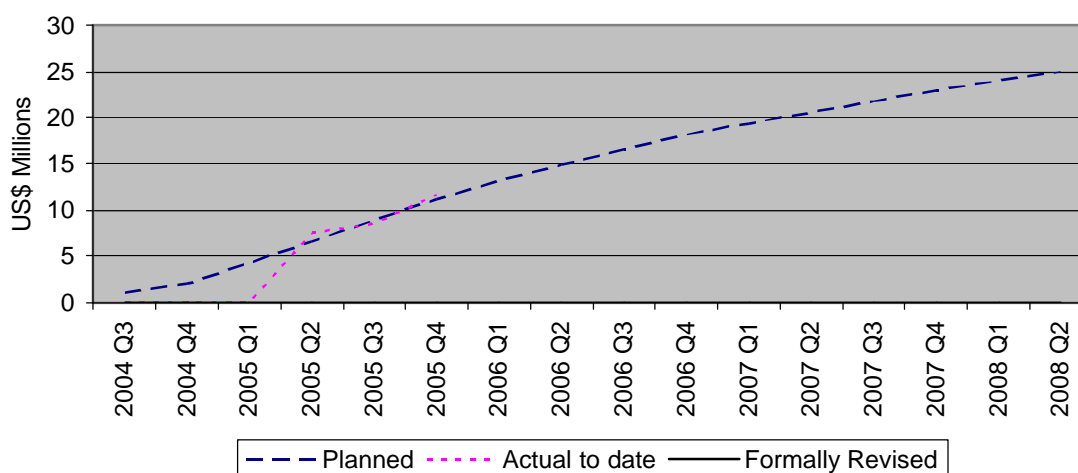
The objective is to establish an integrated and decentralized land administration system and to provide users with accurate information on urban and rural land parcels and effective land administration services.

### Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

The project has achieved remarkable progress so far. A property law was passed in July 2004, establishing the legal and institutional framework for land administration (sooner than anticipated), which greatly facilitates the implementation of this first phase of the Adaptable Program Credit (APL). Establishment of the National Property Administration System is proceeding very well and several institutions are connected to the system. The technological integration of various databases is also proceeding well. Implementation of field activities has been excellent, performance indicators are exceeding targets, and it is expected that all project resources will be fully committed by June 2006.

### Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2005)

Loan/Credit/Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IDA-38580	Effective	24.66	11.66	13.51	0.00
IDA-Q3810	Closed	2.00	0.00	0.00	2.00



**Project Name (ID):** Interactive Environmental Learning and Science Promotion (P057350)

**Country:** Honduras

**Board Approval Date:** 06/17/1999

**Midterm Review Date:** 01/15/2001

**Closing Date:** 10/31/2005

**Loan/Credit/Grant Number:** IDA-32500, IDA-32501, JPN-26463

**Sector(s):** Adult literacy/non-formal education (84%), Other social services (16%)

**Theme(s):** Education for the knowledge economy (P), Other environment and natural resources management (P), Biodiversity (S)

### Project Development Objectives:

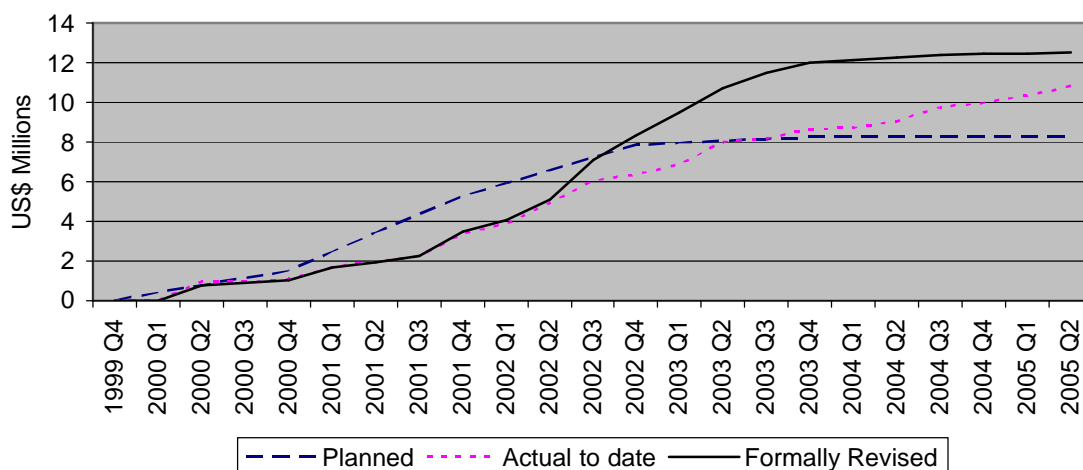
The objective is to promote and expand scientific, environmental, and cultural knowledge and management in the context of Honduran sustainable development and ethnic diversity.

### Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

This project has nearly completed achieving its objective, particularly in terms of expanding access to non-formal educational opportunities in science, environment, and Honduran history and culture. The Chiminike Interactive Learning Center in Tegucigalpa continues to receive about 4,000 visitors/month with more than half under the age of 18. During 2004, 968 schools visited the center (528 private and 540 public) and 80 percent of these schools use the educational materials in the center to reinforce their curriculum. In Copan, the Casa K'inich, an interactive children's learning center on the Maya civilization, receives about 1,000 visitors/month. The Distance Learning Centers (DLC) in Tegucigalpa and San Pedro Sula were inaugurated in March 2005. Since then, the Honduras Council on Science and Technology has developed the Global Distance Learning Network locally. The DLCs have offered a steady stream of course and dialogue learning events with a focus on development issues.

### Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2005)

Loan/Credit/Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IDA-32500	Closed	8.69	8.02	0.00	0.00
IDA-32501	Effective	4.67	2.82	1.84	0.00
JPN-26463	Closed	0.25	0.20	0.00	0.05



**Project Name (ID):** Road Reconstruction and Improvement (P057538)  
**Country:** Honduras  
**Board Approval Date:** 11/07/2000  
**Closing Date:** 03/31/2006  
**Loan/Credit/Grant Number:** IDA-34320  
**Sector(s):** Roads and highways (90%), Central government administration (10%)  
**Theme(s):** Natural disaster management (P), Rural services and infrastructure (P)

**Project Development Objectives:**

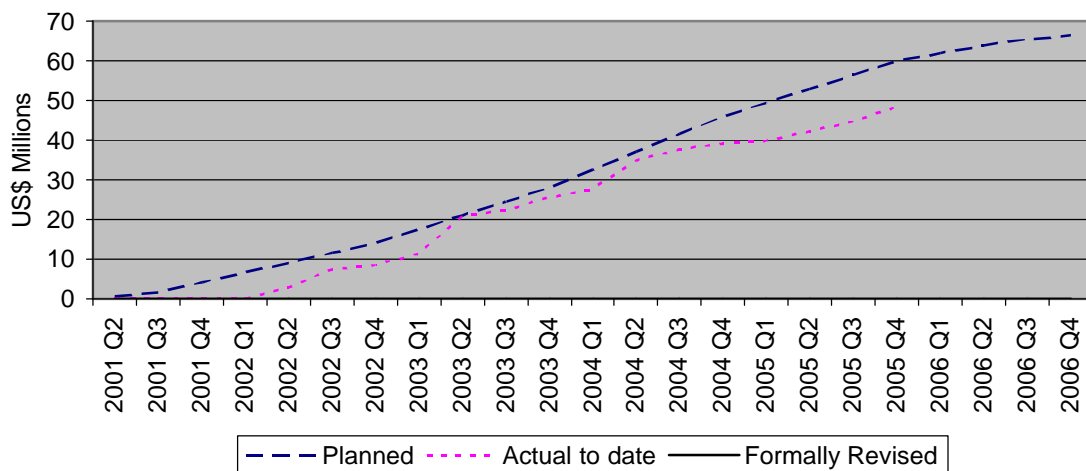
The objectives are to: (a) restore roads damaged by Hurricane Mitch; (b) improve trade corridors; and (c) establish a sustainable and accountable financial and institutional set-up for the road subsector.

**Progress toward achieving development objective(s):**

Overall implementation is proceeding well and the project is expected to meet its objectives. The Government has requested a closing date extension however to ensure all components can be satisfactorily completed. Physical implementation of the roads damaged by Hurricane Mitch (Rio Dulce-Porvenir and Santa Rita-Yoro) is completed. All planned works on rural roads and bridges have been completed. The San Lorenzo-Olanchito works may proceed under alternative funding once the Emerald Hummingbird action plan is completed. The road maintenance microenterprise program--to help establish sustainability--is progressing well and has had high development impact according to the mid term review findings. However the objectives for road maintenance funding have not been met and the Government is seeking further assistance for the program under the credit while revised performance indicators are agreed. Action is ongoing in regard to the objective for road sector institutional strengthening.

**Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2005)**

Loan/Credit/Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IDA-34320	Effective	74.71	48.44	23.74	0.00



**Project Name (ID):** Sustainable Coastal Tourism (P057859)

**Country:** Honduras

**Board Approval Date:** 07/25/2001

**Midterm Review Date:** 03/12/2004

**Closing Date:** 12/30/2005

**Loan/Credit/Grant Number:** IDA-35580

**Sector(s):** Other industry (37%), Sub-national government administration (34%), Central government administration (29%)

**Theme(s):** Water resources management (P), Biodiversity (P), Rural non-farm income generation (P), Environmental policies and institutions (P), Municipal governance and institution building (P)

**Project Development Objectives:**

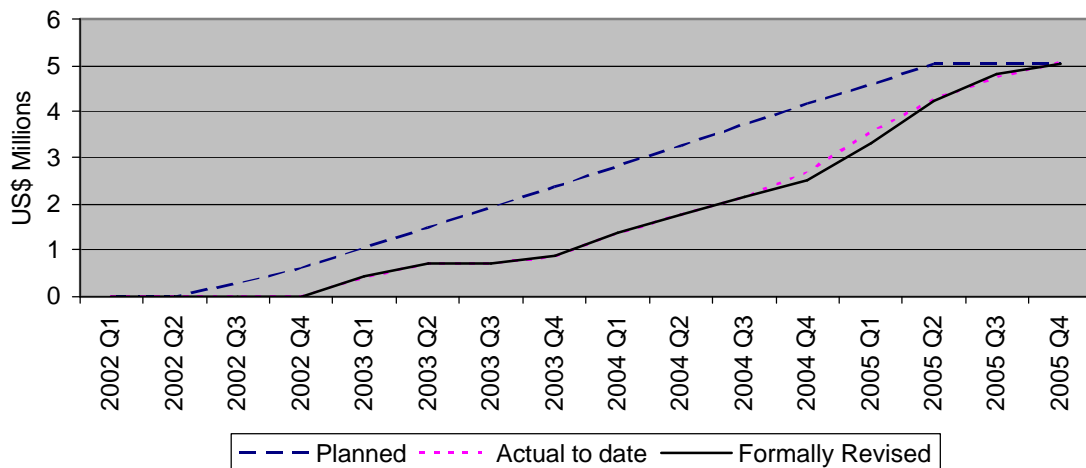
The objective is the development and management of sustainable coastal tourism along the North Coast mainland and offshore Bay Islands of Honduras.

**Progress toward achieving development objective(s):**

This Learning and Innovation Project has achieved its development objective and except for several activities in progress, will close at the end of the calendar year. The North Coast-Fondo Prosperidad (subprojects fund), is fully disbursed and has been recognized by the Government and the Bank as a successful component. This fund awarded seed grants to small enterprises in the project area (mainly women's groups, Garifuna or indigenous communities working in tourism-related activities). The historical restoration work in the tourism demonstration site of Trujillo will be completed in calendar year 2005; this demonstration site is expected to generate a growth of tourism. The Strategy for Sustainable Coastal Tourism/North Coast was completed, consulted with local stakeholders and is under implementation. Six municipalities have been strengthened to support systematic improvements in environmental management. Six new tourism destination packages, based on a sustainable tourism model, have been created and promoted and nine public-private sector tourism innovation projects have been launched.

**Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2005)**

Loan/Credit/Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IDA-35580	Effective	5.84	5.07	0.72	0.00



**Project Name (ID):** Economic and Financial Management (P060785)

**Country:** Honduras

**Board Approval Date:** 09/12/2000

**Midterm Review Date:** 07/07/2003

**Closing Date:** 12/31/2005

**Loan/Credit/Grant Number:** IDA-34140

**Sector(s):** Central government administration (100%)

**Theme(s):** Other accountability/anti-corruption (P), Public expenditure, financial management, and procurement (P), Administrative and civil service reform (P), Regulation and competition policy (P), State enterprise/bank restructuring and privatization (P)

**Project Development Objectives:**

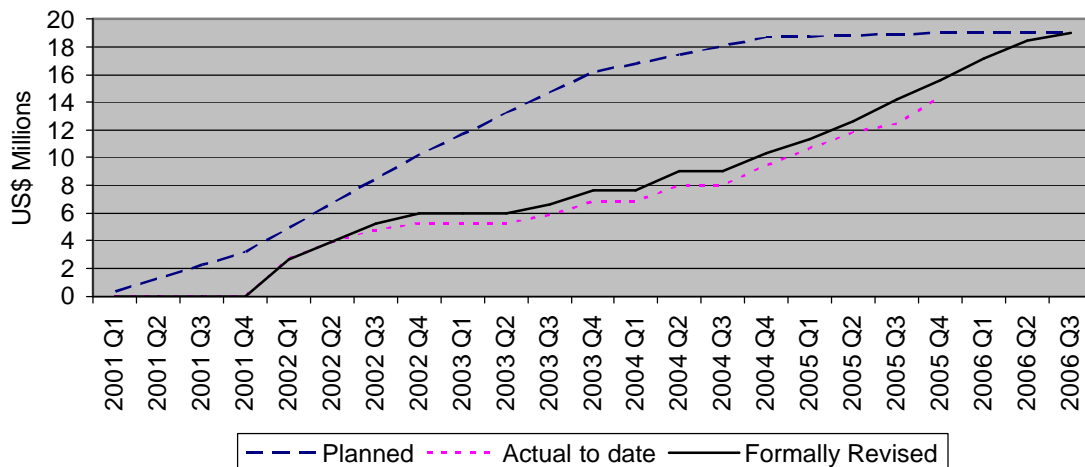
The objectives are to: (a) improve transparency and accountability in the use and allocation of public resources; (b) develop a budgetary planning and evaluation capacity in key government agencies; (c) promote institutional restructuring within the telecommunications, ports and postal services sector; and (d) strengthen the technical capacity of the regulatory entities.

**Progress toward achieving development objective(s):**

The project has filled important needs in multiple areas for the modernization agenda, and the restructuring carried out in 2003 has made it more responsive to changing Government needs. Political conditions have not allowed progress on civil service reform, and recent staffing changes have made work on this component more difficult. The project however, has made progress in assembling a team to develop the new version of the Financial Management Information System and integrate it to other related information systems, in accordance with the action plan agreed with the Bank.

**Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2005)**

Loan/Credit/Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IDA-34140	Effective	21.01	14.41	5.77	0.00



**Project Name (ID):** Financial Sector Technical Assistance (P040177)

**Country:** Honduras

**Board Approval Date:** 06/24/2003

**Closing Date:** 09/30/2007

**Loan/Credit/Grant Number:** IDA-38000

**Sector(s):** Banking (70%), Payment systems, securities clearance, and settlement (25%), Law and justice (5%)

**Theme(s):** Regulation and competition policy (P), Legal institutions for a market economy (P), Standards and financial reporting (P), State enterprise/bank restructuring and privatization (P), International financial architecture (S)

**Project Development Objectives:**

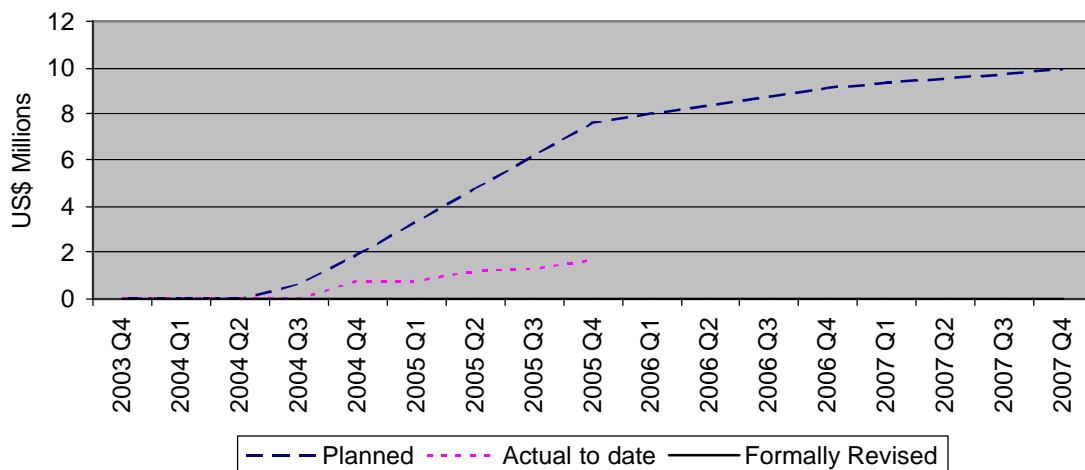
The objective is to increase the institutional capacity of the Comision Nacional de Bancos y Seguros and the Banco Central de Honduras to address vulnerabilities of the Honduran financial system.

**Progress toward achieving development objective(s):**

The institutional capacity to manage risk in the financial system has continued to increase. Four key accomplishments were achieved during the year: (a) the Comision Nacional de Bancos y Seguros (CNBS) developed the capacity and methodologies to carry out intensive supervision of financial institutions that could be declared as having high risk; (b) financial institutions finalized their business plans and the CNBS developed the capacity to review and periodically request updates of these plans as the first step in developing a banking capitalization fund; (c) the CNBS's Financial Intelligence Unit developed an institutional strengthening plan, which is currently being implemented to minimize the risk to the financial system derived from illegal activities such as money laundering; and (d) the Banco Central de Honduras finalized the development of a payments system strategy and the preliminary design of the technical platform to be used to implement the system.

**Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2005)**

Loan/Credit/Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IDA-38000	Effective	10.51	1.67	8.87	0.00



**Project Name (ID):** Fifth Social Investment Fund (P064895)

**Country:** Honduras

**Board Approval Date:** 12/14/2000

**Midterm Review Date:** 12/15/2003

**Closing Date:** 03/31/2006

**Loan/Credit/Grant Number:** IDA-34430

**Sector(s):** Roads and highways (25%), General education (25%), General water, sanitation and flood protection (20%), Health (15%), Other social services (15%)

**Theme(s):** Other social protection and risk management (P), Rural services and infrastructure (P), Improving labor markets (P), Indigenous peoples (S), Participation and civic engagement (S)

**Project Development Objectives:**

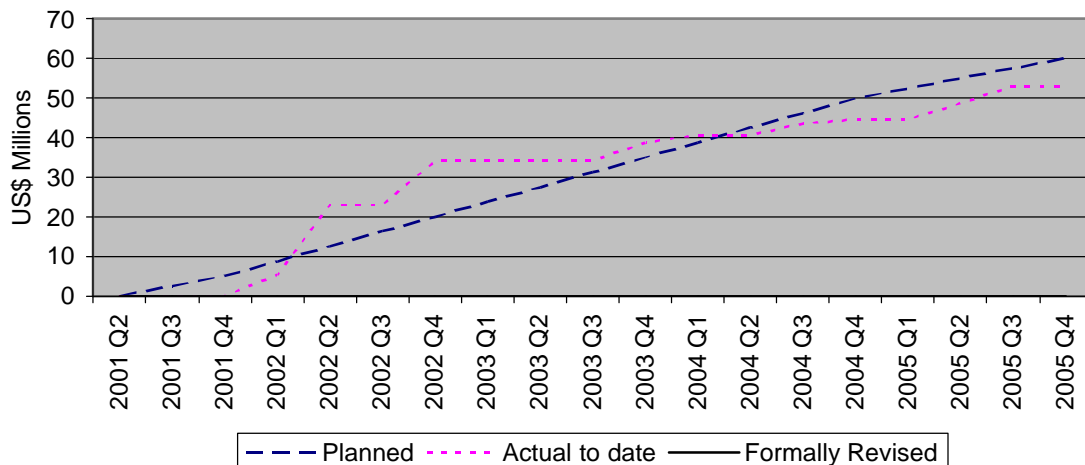
The objectives are to increase access among the poor to small-scale social and economic infrastructure, to develop social assistance programs for disadvantaged groups and to contribute to the sustainability of such investments.

**Progress toward achieving development objective(s):**

The project is increasing access among the poor to small-scale social and infrastructure by financing investments in accordance with local development priorities (expressed through participatory planning processes, which take into account both community preferences and municipal priorities) in line with the Social Investment Fund (FHIS) targeting criteria. In addition to local planning activities, FHIS is strengthening municipal governments' capacity to manage the entire project cycle, including its financing. FHIS has made significant progress in developing and implementing its Social Assistance Innovations Fund program, the innovative rural water/sanitation program, and has successfully finalized the fourth phase of the Nuestras Raíces/Our Roots program for indigenous communities.

**Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2005)**

Loan/Credit/Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IDA-34430	Effective	68.73	53.04	10.65	0.00



**Project Name (ID):** Natural Disaster Mitigation (P064913)

**Country:** Honduras

**Board Approval Date:** 05/30/2000

**Midterm Review Date:** 06/04/2003

**Closing Date:** 01/02/2007

**Loan/Credit/Grant Number:** IDA-33610, JPN-26865, JPN-52879

**Sector(s):** Sub-national government administration (51%), Central government administration (49%)

**Theme(s):** Natural disaster management (P), Administrative and civil service reform (P), Municipal governance and institution building (P), Land administration and management (S)

### Project Development Objectives:

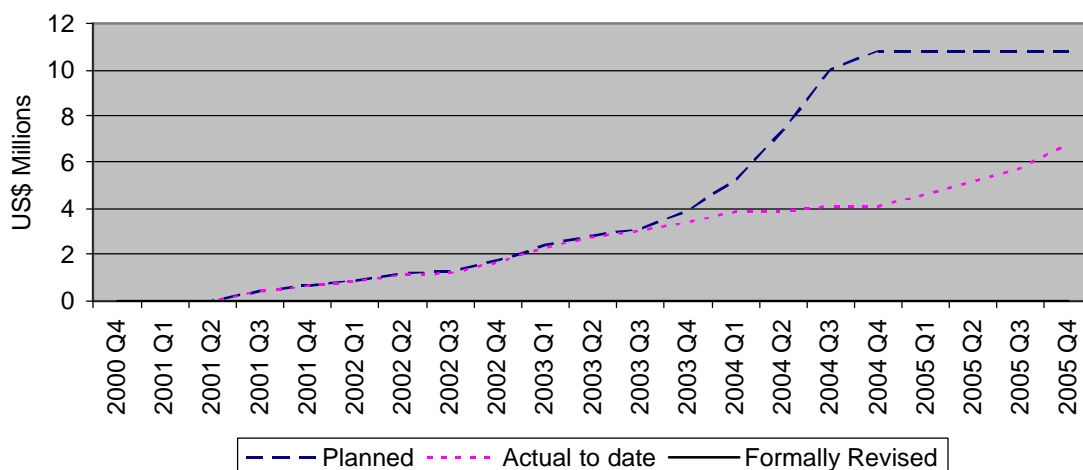
The objective is to improve the capacity to reduce vulnerability to natural disasters at the municipal level.

### Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

As of June 2005, the project's original objectives were met. Vulnerability analyses were carried out in 61 of the country's most vulnerable municipalities (target of 60). Investment projects for the first fifteen municipalities were identified and engineering designs have been completed. Early warning systems are in place for 11 municipalities (target of 5). The National Center for Weather Forecasting and its alert system is now fully accessible by all municipalities. The hydro-met designs have been completed, and all five regional emergency response systems have been fully equipped.

### Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2005)

Loan/Credit/Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IDA-33610	Effective	11.82	6.76	4.72	0.00
JPN-26865	Closed	0.32	0.18	0.14	0.00
JPN-52879	Effective	1.98	1.12	0.86	0.00



**Project Name (ID):** Forests and Rural Productivity (P064914)

**Country:** Honduras

**Board Approval Date:** 06/24/2004

**Closing Date:** 01/31/2010

**Loan/Credit/Grant Number:** IDA-39400, IDA-Q3750, JPN-26768

**Sector(s):** Forestry (50%), Agricultural extension and research (25%), Sub-national government administration (15%), Agricultural marketing and trade (10%)

**Theme(s):** Land administration and management (P), Rural policies and institutions (P), Biodiversity (S), Personal and property rights (S), Natural disaster management (S)

### Project Development Objectives:

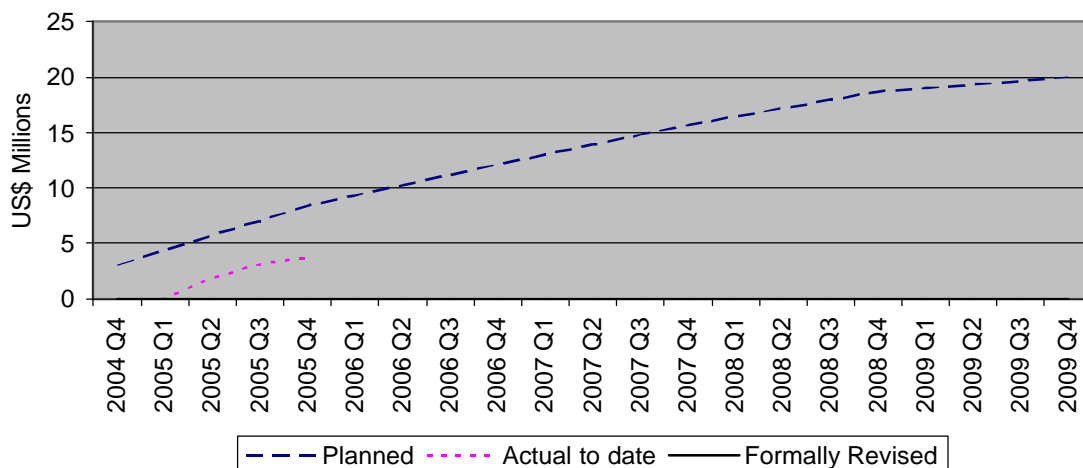
The objective is to increase the contribution of sustainable natural resources management to the income and quality of life of the rural poor in selected low-income municipalities with high agro-forestry potential.

### Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

The project launched during fiscal year 2005 and significant achievements were made at the policy level and in working with municipalities and groups of municipalities (mancomunidades) to advance the sustainable forest management agenda of the project. Since it is early in implementation, there has only been limited engagement with communities and minimal progress in activities directed toward the regularization of populations within public forest lands.

### Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2005)

Loan/Credit/Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IDA-39400	Effective	19.55	3.75	15.96	0.00
IDA-Q3750	Closed	1.97	0.00	0.00	1.97
JPN-26768	Closed	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00



**Project Name (ID):** Enhancing Competitiveness: Trade Facilitation and Productivity Improvement (P070038)

**Country:** Honduras

**Board Approval Date:** 10/21/2003

**Closing Date:** 09/30/2008

**Loan/Credit/Grant Number:** IDA-38260, IDA-Q3630

**Sector(s):** General industry and trade (35%), General public administration (20%), Vocational training (20%), Ports, waterways, and shipping (20%), Micro and SME finance (5%)

**Theme(s):** Trade facilitation and market access (P), Other financial and private sector development (P), Export development and competitiveness (P), Legal institutions for a market economy (S), Small and medium enterprise support (S)

**Project Development Objectives:**

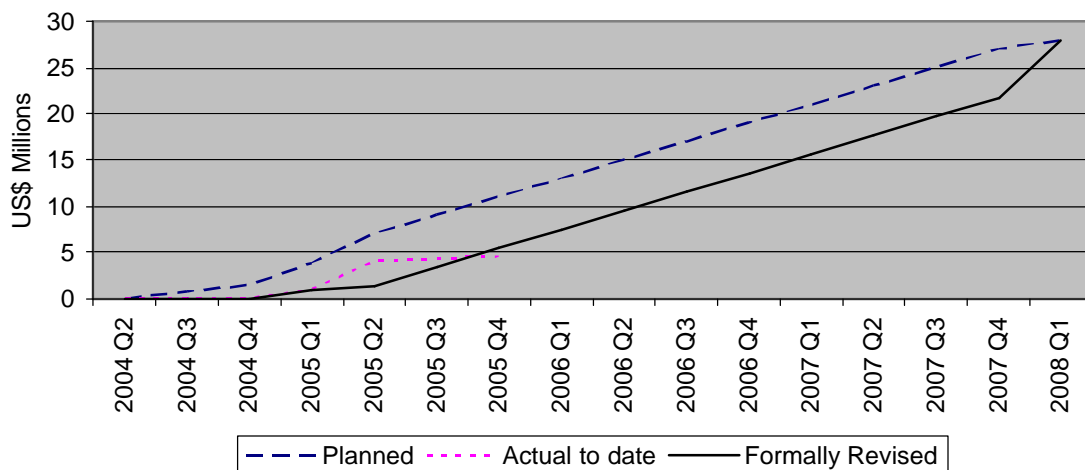
The objective is to increase the productivity of the Honduran private sector, thereby improving Honduras' competitiveness.

**Progress toward achieving development objective(s):**

There has been progress towards achieving the objective during fiscal year 2005. The main activities carried out in support of the objective include: (a) creation and strengthening of the technical secretariat to the National Quality Council; (b) survey of seven administrative procedures and design of solutions to simplify them; (c) disbursement of severance payments for port workers to modernize operations in Puerto Cortes; (d) drafting of laws on competition, quality and training; (e) implementation of a Local Economic Development plan in Copan Ruinas municipality; (f) launch of studies on strategic sector for Foreign Direct Investment as a basis for a proactive strategy; and (g) design and planned opening of a Center for Innovation in Wood during 2005.

**Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2005)**

Loan/Credit/Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IDA-38260	Effective	29.91	4.60	25.49	0.00
IDA-Q3630	Closed	1.76	0.00	0.00	1.76



**Project Name (ID):** Access to Land Pilot (P073035)  
**Country:** Honduras  
**Board Approval Date:** 11/28/2000  
**Midterm Review Date:** 08/08/2003  
**Closing Date:** 12/30/2006  
**Loan/Credit/Grant Number:** IDA-34350, JPN-53137  
**Sector(s):** General agriculture, fishing, and forestry (85%), Central government administration (15%)  
**Theme(s):** Other rural development (P), Land administration and management (P)

### Project Development Objectives:

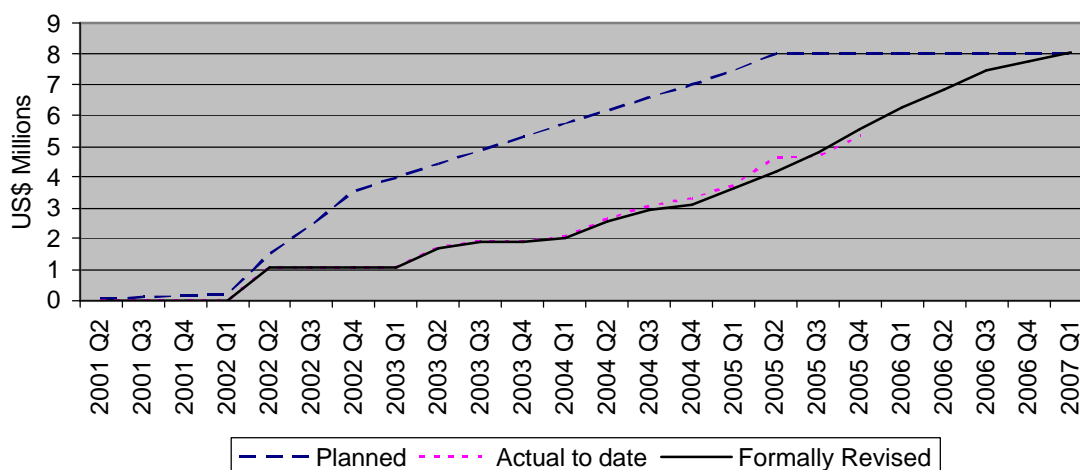
The objective is to support the acquisition of land and the formation of sustainable farm enterprises by self-organized landless and land-poor peasant families.

### Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

This year was highly productive towards achieving the objective of testing a working model for rural enterprise formation that leverages private sector financing for land purchase. This process has been an extraordinary learning experience. After starting out with a single bank, the project (PACTA) now has working agreements with 12 financial institutions. The combined offer to provide credit is greater than the program can expect to utilize in what remains of the pilot phase. As these lenders have gained more confidence in PACTA, they have gradually improved credit terms and increased their overall commitment. At the end of 2004, US\$1.5 million in land purchase loans had been approved and an equal amount is already in the pipeline for 2005. PACTA is focusing on monitoring the quality of the loan portfolio, as the first few payments by borrowers have been shown to be critical in demonstrating the ability and willingness to pay, thus giving financial institutions confidence to continue their affiliation with the program. Hence the advances of the pilot project constitute an important achievement that could be meaningful in the design of similar processes.

### Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2005)

Loan/Credit/Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IDA-34350	Effective	9.05	5.35	3.52	0.00
JPN-53137	Effective	0.43	0.13	0.30	0.00



**Project Name (ID):** Regional Development in the Copan Valley (P081172)

**Country:** Honduras

**Board Approval Date:** 05/20/2003

**Closing Date:** 03/31/2008

**Loan/Credit/Grant Number:** IDA-37640, JPN-53768

**Sector(s):** Sub-national government administration (20%), Agricultural extension and research (20%), Micro and SME finance (20%), Vocational training (20%), Other industry (20%)

**Theme(s):** Rural non-farm income generation (P), Other environment and natural resources management (P), Gender (S), Indigenous peoples (S)

**Project Development Objectives:**

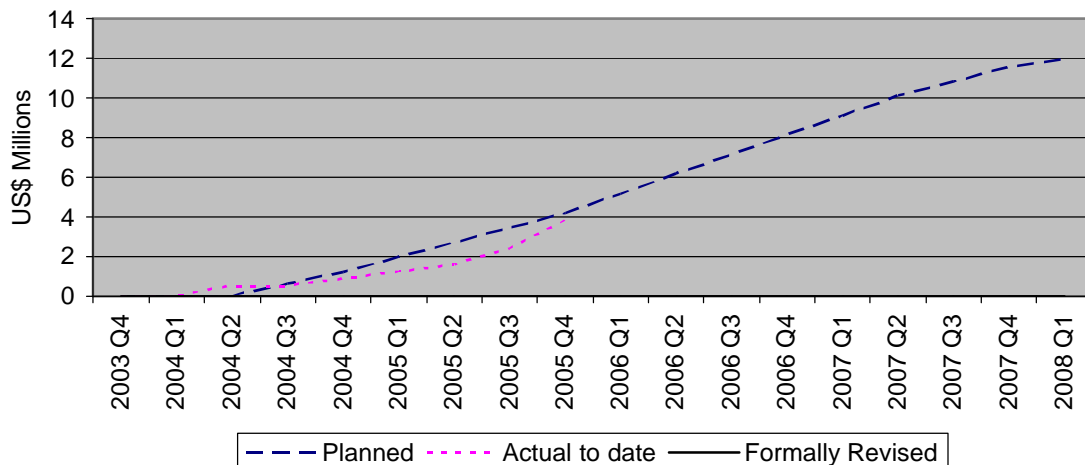
The objective is to achieve sustainable tourism development based on the cultural and natural patrimony of the Copan Valley and surrounding areas.

**Progress toward achieving development objective(s):**

There has been progress during fiscal year 2005, particularly in terms of the tourism/infrastructure improvements to help create an archeological tourist circuit, technical assistance to local communities related to development of tourism products, and capacity building related to sustainable tourism development. The Copan-Fondo Prosperidad (subprojects fund) was launched in the project areas and the first subprojects will be awarded during fiscal year 2006. Activities to improve the Copan Archeological Park include repair of the Sculpture Museum roof and conservation and protection work in the ruins. The road to the Los Naranjos site is being paved and a replica of a Maya village is in development for El Puente. Plans are in progress for the preparation of the Management Plans for El Puente, Los Naranjos, and Cerro Palenque archeological sites.

**Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2005)**

Loan/Credit/Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IDA-37640	Effective	12.84	3.84	9.07	0.00
JPN-53768	Effective	0.40	0.06	0.34	0.00



**Project Name (ID):** Nuestras Raices Program (P083244)

**Country:** Honduras

**Board Approval Date:** 05/04/2004

**Closing Date:** 05/31/2008

**Loan/Credit/Grant Number:** IDA-38920

**Sector(s):** Other social services (30%), Health (20%), General water, sanitation and flood protection (20%), Primary education (15%), General agriculture, fishing, and forestry (15%)

**Theme(s):** Participation and civic engagement (P), Indigenous peoples (P), Other human development (P), Other social protection and risk management (P), Gender (S)

### Project Development Objectives:

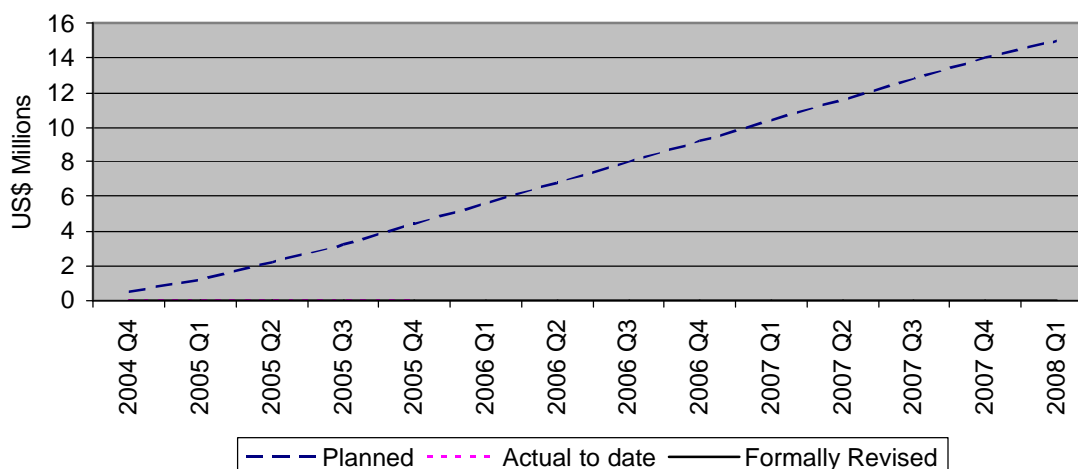
The objective is to facilitate the increased participation of indigenous and Afro-Honduran groups in the holistic development processes of their communities and their nation.

### Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

The project is progressing well toward achieving its objective. Since effectiveness, project implementation has proceeded in accordance with the plan. Two additional staff, an anthropologist and an engineer, were contracted to strengthen the Nuestras Raices team. Several workshops with the ethnic federations have been carried out to socialize the program and train the technical units of the ethnic federations in the methodology for leading the strategic indigenous people's planning process.

### Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2005)

Loan/Credit/Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IDA-38920	Effective	14.74	0.00	14.74	0.00



**Project Name (ID):** Programmatic Financial Sector Development Policy (P083311)  
**Country:** Honduras  
**Board Approval Date:** 02/22/2005  
**Closing Date:** 06/30/2006  
**Loan/Credit/Grant Number:** IDA-40360  
**Sector(s):** Banking (37%), General finance (30%), Payment systems, securities clearance, and settlement (23%), Law and justice (10%)  
**Theme(s):** Standards and financial reporting (P), Regulation and competition policy (P), Other financial and private sector development (S), Corporate governance (S), Macroeconomic management (S)

**Project Development Objectives:**

The objective is to support the institutional development of the Honduran financial sector.

**Progress toward achieving development objective(s):**

The project was not effective before the close of the reporting period.

**Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2005)**

<b>Loan/Credit/Grant</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Disbursed</b>	<b>Undisbursed</b>	<b>Cancellation</b>
IDA-40360	Effective	23.64	0.00	23.64	0.00

**Project Name (ID):** Poverty Reduction Support Technical Assistance (P083851)

**Country:** Honduras

**Board Approval Date:** 06/24/2004

**Closing Date:** 06/15/2008

**Loan/Credit/Grant Number:** IDA-39390

**Sector(s):** Central government administration (100%)

**Theme(s):** Administrative and civil service reform (P), Legal institutions for a market economy (P), Participation and civic engagement (S), Standards and financial reporting (S)

### Project Development Objectives:

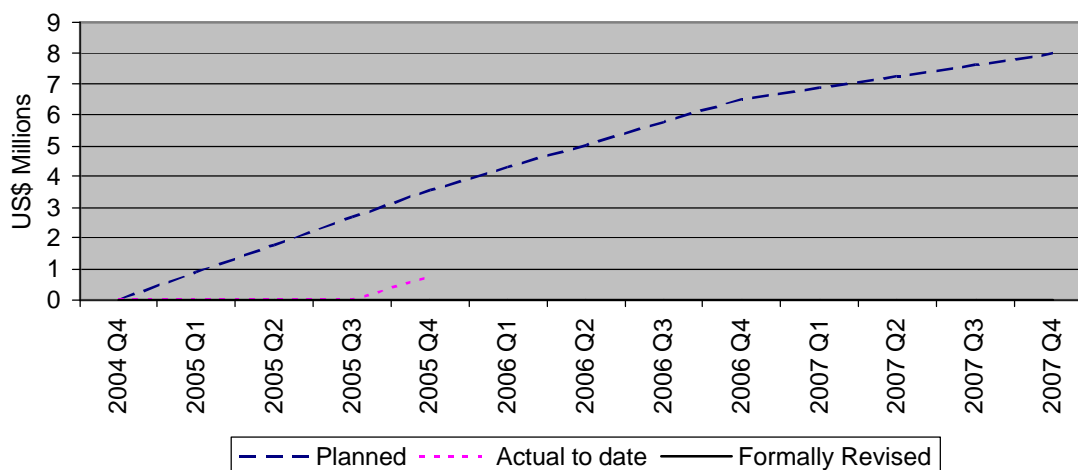
The objective is to support the implementation of the Poverty Reduction Strategy and strengthen the public sector's capacity in the areas of planning, participatory monitoring, public expenditure management, accountability, public administration, and public service delivery.

### Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

The project had just become effective before the close of the reporting period.

### Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2005)

Loan/Credit/Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IDA-39390	Effective	8.17	0.75	7.43	0.00



**Project Name (ID):** Debt Relief Under the Enhanced HIPC Initiative (P094450)

**Country:** Honduras

**Board Approval Date:** 04/05/2005

**Closing Date:** 04/30/2006

**Loan/Credit/Grant Number:** IDA-40510

**Sector(s):** General public administration (68%), Health (10%), Other social services (9%), General education (9%), Banking (4%)

**Theme(s):** Debt management and fiscal sustainability (P), Public expenditure, financial management, and procurement (P), Other accountability/anti-corruption (P), Poverty strategy, analysis, and monitoring (S), Health system performance (S)

**Project Development Objectives:**

The objective is to facilitate the delivery of debt relief assistance required under the Heavily Indebted Poor Countries Initiative.

**Progress toward achieving development objective(s):**

The project had just become effective before the close of the reporting period.

**Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2005)**

<b>Loan/Credit/Grant</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Disbursed</b>	<b>Undisbursed</b>	<b>Cancellation</b>
IDA-40510	Effective	67.27	67.24	0.22	0.00