

STATUS OF PROJECTS IN EXECUTION – FY07
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Introduction

The Status of Projects in Execution (SOPE) Report for FY07 provides information on all IBRD/IDA projects that were active as of June 30, 2007. The World Bank has issued a SOPE Report every year as an internal communication to the Board of Executive Directors. In accordance with the Bank's revised disclosure policy, since FY02, the SOPE Report is available to the public.

The report is intended to bridge the gap in information available to the public between the Project Appraisal Document or Program Document, disclosed after the Bank approves a project, and the Implementation Completion Report, disclosed after the project closes.

In addition to the project progress description, the FY07 SOPE report¹ contains project level comparisons of disbursement estimates and actual disbursements, and a table showing the loan/credit/grant amount and disbursements to date.

¹ Notes:

- Amounts and Graphs for loans/credits/grants 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 Operations, which provide quick-disbursing financing to support policy and institutional reforms. For these operations, funds are disbursed in one or more stages (tranches), released when the borrower complies with agreed prior actions.
- Projects which are not yet effective may not have a planned disbursement schedule and thus will not include a graph.



Country: Turkey

Project Name (ID): Biodiversity/Natural Resource Management (GEF) (P044175)

Country: Turkey

Board Approval Date : 06/13/2000

Midterm Review Date : 10/29/2003

Closing Date : 12/31/2007

Loan/Credit/Grant Number : MULT-29051, WBTF-23556

Sector(s): Central government administration(58%), Other domestic and international trade(21%), Other social services(21%)

Theme(s): Biodiversity(P), Environmental policies and institutions(P), Participation and civic engagement(P), Land administration and management(S), Export development and competitiveness(S)

Project Development Objectives:

The project's global objective is to sustainably conserve the biological diversity and ecological integrity of selected forest, wetland, steppe and alpine ecosystems that are representative of Turkey's four major bio-geographical zones, which include the Black Sea and Caucasian mountain region, the Central Anatolian plateau, and the European and Mediterranean regions.

The project's development objective is to establish effective intersectoral, participatory planning and sustainable management of protected areas and natural resources at four selected biodiversity conservation demonstration sites and build capacity at the national level to facilitate replication of these activities at priority conservation sites throughout Turkey.

Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

The project is greatly assisting the Ministry of Environment and Forestry in aligning Turkey's nature protection policies and practices with what is going on in the European Union and in the global conservation community. The proposed nature protection law brings the body of national legislation closely in line with the Birds and Habitats Directives.

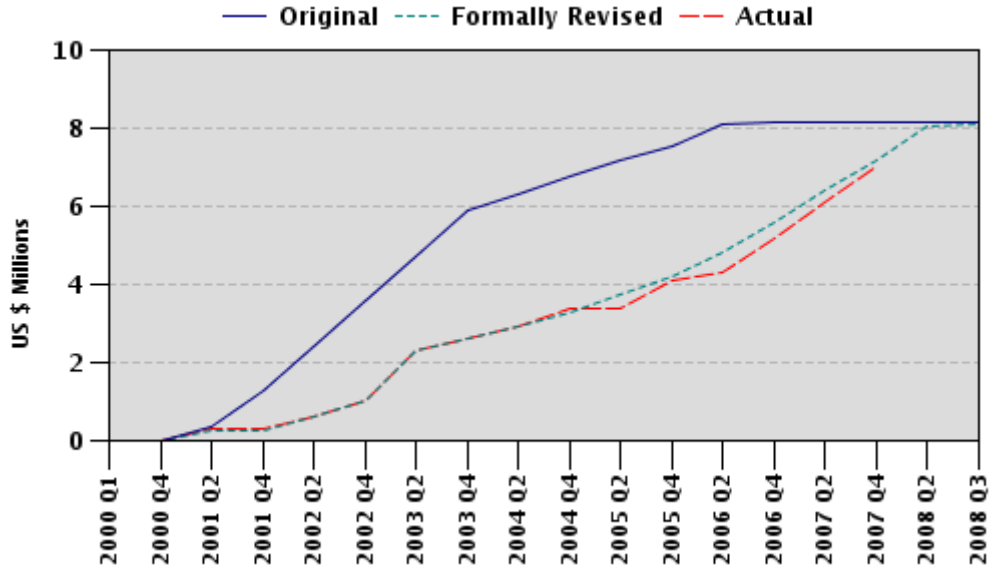
The work on the Biodiversity Information Management System provides a good framework for identifying so-called "sites of community interest" because it compiles in one database all available information about species diversity and endemism.

Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2007)

Loan/Credit/Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
MULT-29051	Closed	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00
WBTF-23556	Effective	8.19	7.02	1.17	0.00



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Project Name (ID): National Transmission Grid (P048852)

Country: Turkey

Board Approval Date : 06/11/1998

Midterm Review Date : 07/02/2004

Closing Date : 12/31/2007

Loan/Credit/Grant Number : IBRD-43441, IBRD-43440, JPN-29667

Sector(s): Power(99%), Sub-national government administration(1%)

Theme(s): Infrastructure services for private sector development(P), Other urban development(P), Regulation and competition policy(P), Pollution management and environmental health(S)

Project Development Objectives:

The project development objectives are to: (a) implement the new Electricity Market Law and the restructuring of the power sector; (b) establish TEIAS, the Turkish electric transmission company, as an efficient, low cost transmission company, technical and market system operator; (c) develop adequate transmission capacity in a timely and environmentally sustainable manner; and (d) establish the financial viability of TEIAS.

Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

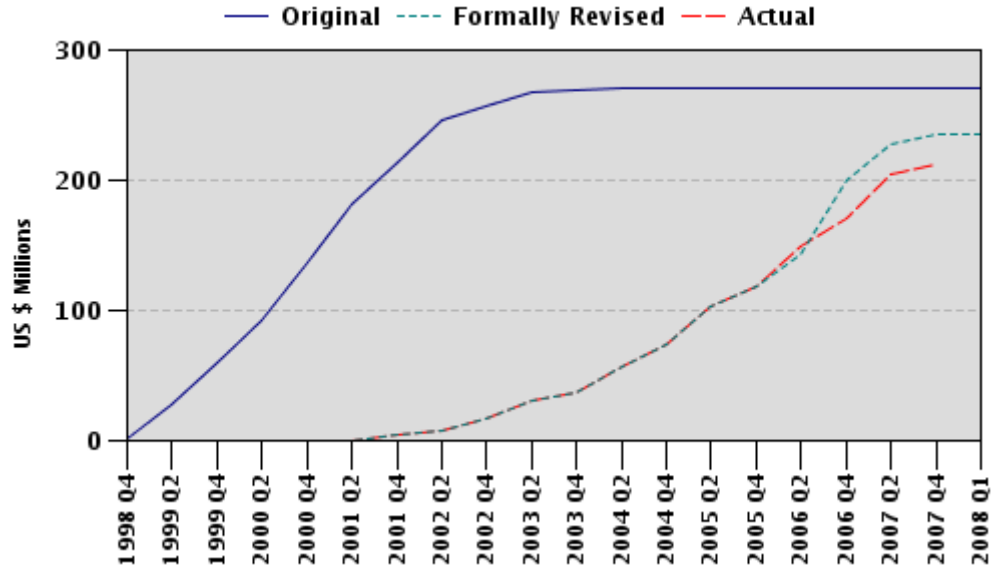
The project has already achieved the intended objectives. The borrower is operating as an efficient transmission company with very low losses, and the network capacity has also grown rapidly over the life of the project. Apart from two transmission lines, which are likely to be completed after the closing date, the project is performing at or above expectations.

Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2007)

Loan/Credit/ Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IBRD-43441	Closed	20.00	5.07	0.00	14.93
IBRD-43440	Effective	250.00	207.86	21.32	20.82
JPN-29667	Closed	0.76	0.76	0.00	0.01



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Project Name (ID): Basic Education 2 (APL #2) (P059872)

Country: Turkey

Board Approval Date : 07/16/2002

Midterm Review Date : 04/30/2005

Closing Date : 08/31/2007

Loan/Credit/Grant Number : IBRD-46710

Sector(s): Primary education(65%), Secondary education(28%), Pre-primary education(5%), Central government administration(1%), Sub-national government administration(1%)

Theme(s): Education for all(P), Education for the knowledge economy(P), Rural services and infrastructure(S), Access to urban services and housing(S)

Project Development Objectives:

The objective is to increase coverage and improve the quality of basic education among low-income and disadvantaged groups.

Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

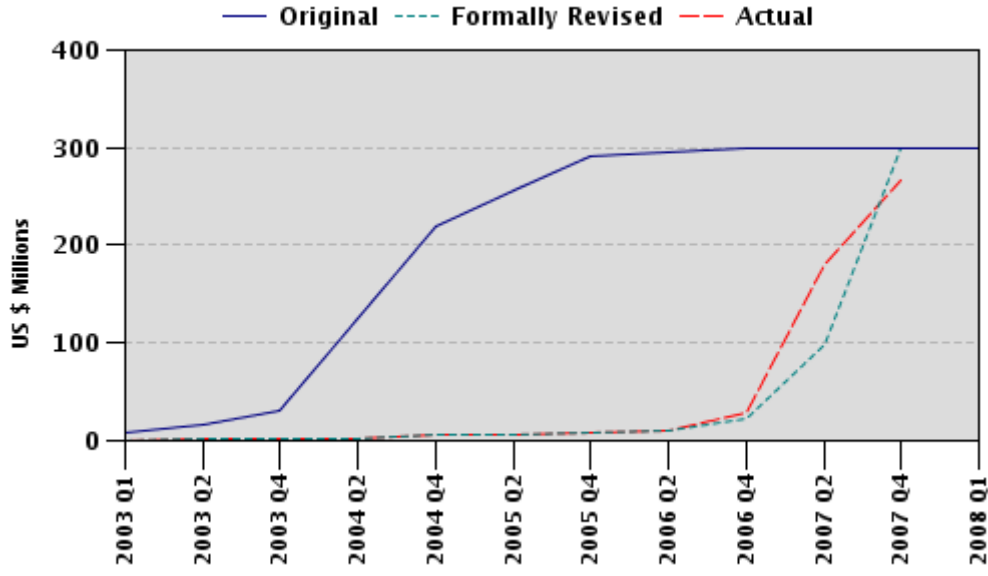
The project has made remarkable progress this past year with disbursements increasing from \$23 million to \$267 million. The project was extended to August 2007 and is on track for completion by the new closing date. According to a mini survey among beneficiaries low income/disadvantaged students have begun to use new teaching and learning materials and their interest for learning increased. 3.14 million students benefited from ICT investments, 106,000 students of which most are from low-income districts benefited from new facilities.

Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2007)

Loan/Credit/ Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IBRD-46710	Effective	300.00	266.54	14.46	19.00



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Project Name (ID): ODS Phaseout 2 (Montreal Protocol) (P038404)

Country: Turkey

Board Approval Date : 10/05/1995

Closing Date : 12/31/2007

Loan/Credit/Grant Number : WBTF-21942

Sector(s): General industry and trade sector(97%), Other social services(3%)

Theme(s): Pollution management and environmental health(P), Small and medium enterprise support(S)

Project Development Objectives:

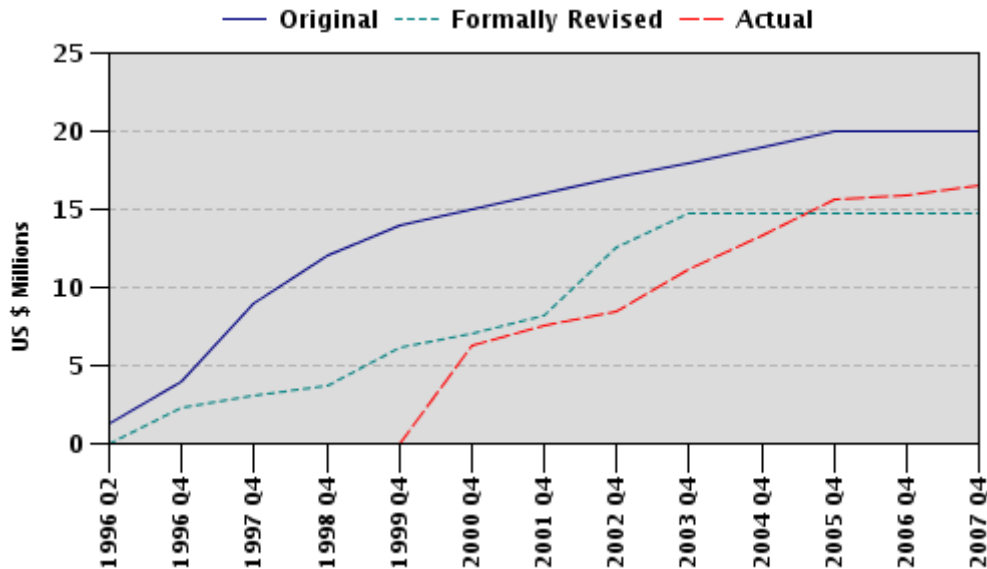
The project objective is to assist industries using ozone depleting substances (ODS) to effectively phase out ODS use.

Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

The project is on track to meet its global environment objective. Turkey has been phasing out ozone depleting substances (ODS) successfully, at an accelerated pace in some areas. The pilot effort to convert to non-ODS technology in refrigeration equipment manufacturing and foam producing and methyl bromide sectors has been very successful. This success has led other countries to emulate the pilot. Turkey has also made important progress in chiller conversions, exceeding the original planned targets. A halon banking project was completed in May 2007 and is now operational.

Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2007)

Loan/Credit/Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
WBTF-21942	Effective	20.00	16.75	3.25	0.00



Project Name (ID): Secondary Education (P066149)

Country: Turkey

Board Approval Date : 03/15/2005

Closing Date : 05/31/2010

Loan/Credit/Grant Number : JPN-26143, IBRD-47670

Sector(s): Secondary education(50%), Vocational training(33%), Central government administration(17%)

Theme(s): Education for the knowledge economy(P), Education for all(S)

Project Development Objectives:

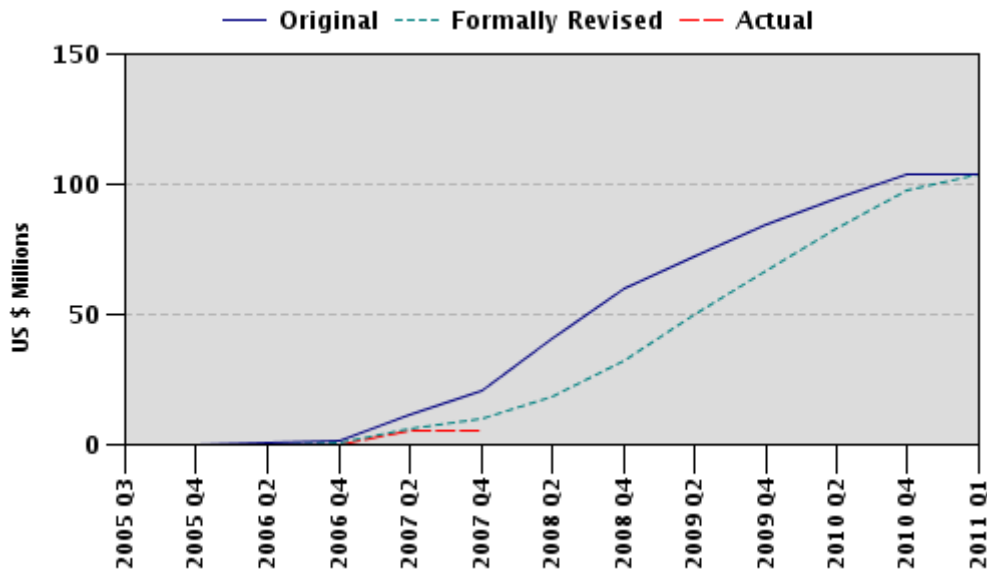
The objective is to improve the quality, economic relevance, and equity of the secondary education to support life-long learning.

Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

The start-up of this project has been extremely slow as the client has been working on a variety of proposals to switch a significant part of the loan to financing overseas training of English-language teachers. Work continues to resolve this issue as encouragement is given to continue implementation of other parts of the project.

Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2007)

Loan/Credit/Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
JPN-26143	Closed	0.29	0.03	0.00	0.26
IBRD-47670	Effective	107.98	5.13	102.58	0.00



Project Name (ID): ARIP (P070286)

Country: Turkey

Board Approval Date : 07/12/2001

Closing Date : 12/31/2008

Loan/Credit/Grant Number : IBRD-46310

Sector(s): Crops(65%), Agricultural marketing and trade(25%), Central government administration(10%)

Theme(s): Rural policies and institutions(P), Debt management and fiscal sustainability(P), State enterprise/bank restructuring and privatization(S), Land administration and management(S)

Project Development Objectives:

The objective is to help implement the agricultural reform program, which aims to: (a) dramatically reduce artificial incentives and government subsidies and (b) provide incentives to agriculture and agro-industry producers to increase productivity. At the same time, the project is designed to mitigate potential short-term adverse impacts of subsidy removal and facilitate the transition to efficient production patterns.

Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

Substantial progress is being made in all targeted areas. The policy objectives of the supported reforms are being translated into sector programs that begin to impact on sector competitiveness and thus on growth prospects, and efforts to continue the approximation to regional policy programs continue. Net growth (minus subsidies) of real value added in the sector is sustained at rates even above the target rate of three percent. Should such growth average four percent until the project closing date in December 2008, the project's target of 28 billion YTL in revenues will be reached. The potential adverse impact of subsidy removal is being mitigated by the direct income support system and restructuring activities that are ongoing.

Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2007)

Loan/Credit/ Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IBRD-46310	Effective	600.00	422.08	138.06	39.86



Project Name (ID): Anatolia Watershed Rehab. (P070950)

Country: Turkey

Board Approval Date : 06/01/2004

Closing Date : 06/30/2012

Loan/Credit/Grant Number : IBRD-P3970, IBRD-47410

Sector(s): General agriculture, fishing and forestry sector(50%), General water, sanitation and flood protection sector(15%), Agro-industry(13%), Irrigation and drainage(13%), Central government administration(9%)

Theme(s): Other environment and natural resources management(P), Other rural development(P), Pollution management and environmental health(P), Environmental policies and institutions(S), Regional integration(S)

Project Development Objectives:

The project's overall development objective is to support sustainable natural resource management practices in 28 microcatchments in Anatolia and Turkey's Black Sea Region and, thereby, raise incomes of communities affected by resource degradation.

Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

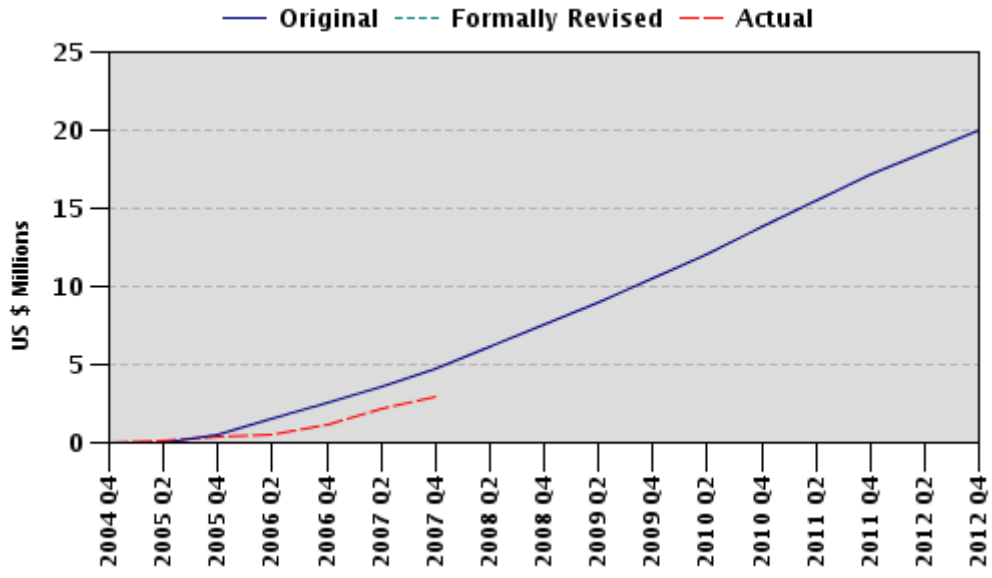
Excellent progress has been made towards achieving the project development objective. Microcatchment management plans have been prepared and are under implementation in 15 of the project's 28 microcatchments. Good progress is being made in the agricultural waste management activity, with a large number of farm-level manure storage units having been constructed in several key sites. Three central storage facilities have been completed, and a fourth is underway.

Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2007)

Loan/Credit/ Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IBRD-P3970	Closed	0.28	0.01	0.00	0.27
IBRD-47410	Effective	20.00	2.92	12.78	4.30



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Project Name (ID): Renewable Energy (P072480)

Country: Turkey

Board Approval Date : 03/25/2004

Closing Date : 06/30/2010

Loan/Credit/Grant Number : IBRD-72210, JPN-51629

Sector(s): Renewable energy(50%), Micro- and SME finance(40%), Central government administration(10%)

Theme(s): Climate change(P), Other financial and private sector development(P), Legal institutions for a market economy(P), Water resource management(S)

Project Development Objectives:

The objective is to increase privately owned and operated distributed power generation from renewable sources, without the need for government guarantees, within the market-based framework of the new Turkish Electricity Market Law.

Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

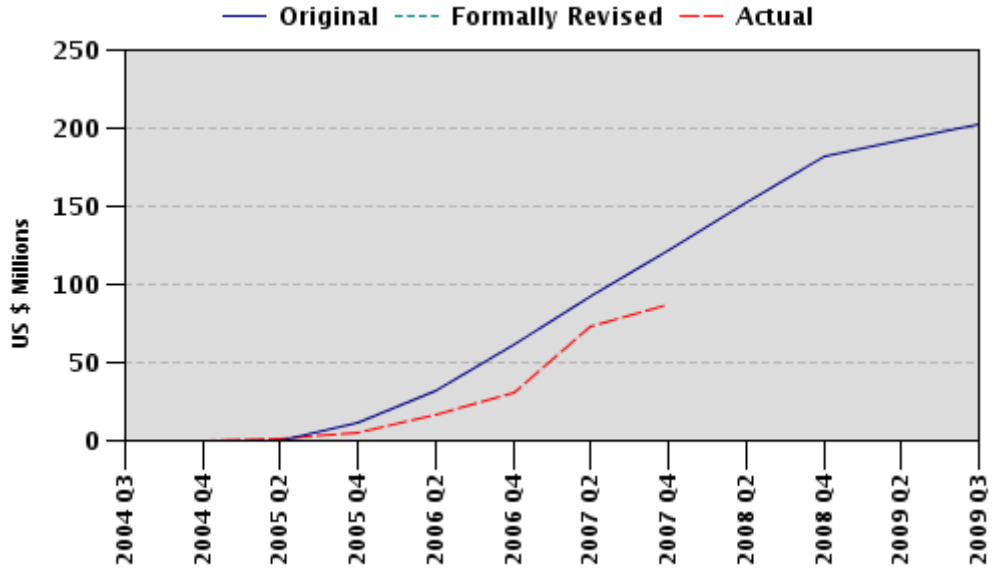
The project is implemented by two commercial banks. Turkiye Kalkinma Bankasi A.S. (TKB) has committed \$24.7 million of its \$50 million to three projects (2 hydropower plants; 1 geothermal plant) and Turkey Sinai Kalkinma Bankasi A.S. (TSKB) has committed \$83.6 million of its \$150 million to eight projects (6 hydropower plants; 1 geothermal and 1 wind). The design of these projects is consistent with the project objective, and their successful implementation will significantly contribute to achieving the project development objectives. Both banks are preparing further projects.

Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2007)

Loan/Credit/ Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IBRD-72210	Effective	202.03	87.07	113.95	1.01
JPN-51629	Closed	0.48	0.43	0.00	0.05



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Project Name (ID): Health Transit. (APL #1) (P074053)

Country: Turkey

Board Approval Date : 05/20/2004

Midterm Review Date : 09/04/2006

Closing Date : 12/31/2008

Loan/Credit/Grant Number : IBRD-47370, JPN-51884

Sector(s): Central government administration(60%), Health(30%), Compulsory health finance(10%)

Theme(s): Health system performance(P), Injuries and non-communicable diseases(S), Administrative and civil service reform(S)

Project Development Objectives:

The revised project objective is to: (a) help expand the capacity of the Ministry of Health and the Social Security Institute to formulate and effectively implement health policies, health sector regulatory mechanisms, and health insurance functions, and (b) support the implementation of critical health services delivery reforms (family medicine and hospital autonomy) with the objective of improving access, efficiency, quality and fiscal sustainability of the health sector.

The project was restructured, or received Additional Financing during FY 07

The restructuring of the project was motivated by the need to increase project relevance and accelerate project implementation. In addition to a change in the development objectives, restructuring of the project included: (a) a reduction of the number of project components from seven to six, (b) the deletion of some sub-components and introduction of new sub-components, (c) the integration of the functions and responsibilities of the Project Implementation Unit into the Ministry of Health line departments, (d) the synchronization of project investments with high priority health reforms already underway, and (e) a one year extension of the project.

Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

The project has made progress in achieving its development objective. The hospital performance management system has been implemented in the Ministry of Health hospitals which has improved productivity of health personnel and increased the examination time per patient. The reforms separating health purchasing function from provider function have been completed, thereby enabling more effective and efficient contracting with healthcare providers. Primary health care reforms based on the model of family medicine have been initiated. Family medicine is operational in 11 provinces, covering a population of approximately 12 million. Use of first level primary healthcare services for outpatient visits is increasing in these provinces compared with provinces without a functioning family medicine system. Also, the referral rate to outpatient specialists and hospitals is lower in family medicine provinces as compared with others.

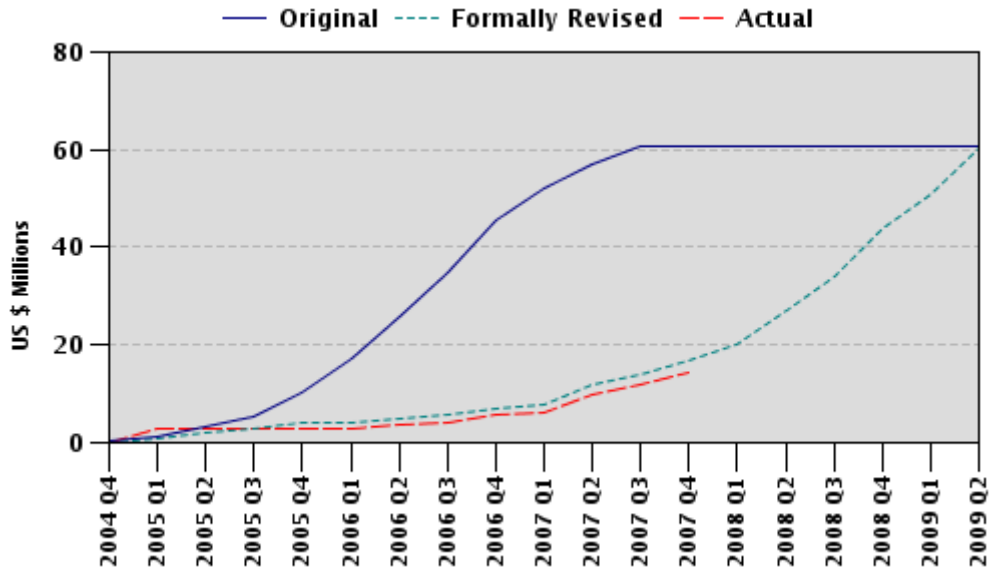
Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2007)

Loan/Credit/ Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
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IBRD-47370	Effective	66.68	14.31	51.22	0.30
JPN-51884	Closed	0.80	0.46	0.00	0.34



Project Name (ID): CEDPL (P074181)

Country: Turkey

Board Approval Date : 06/28/2007

Closing Date : 09/30/2008

Loan/Credit/Grant Number : IBRD-74690

Sector(s): General industry and trade sector(54%), Central government administration(15%), Banking(13%), Housing finance and real estate markets(13%), Sub-national government administration(5%)

Theme(s): Regulation and competition policy(P), State enterprise/bank restructuring and privatization(S), Tax policy and administration(S), Personal and property rights(S), Export development and competitiveness(S)

Project Development Objectives:

The development policy loan supports legal, institutional, and structural reforms that promote growth and the creation of more and better jobs in Turkey by helping (a) maintain the currently enabling macroeconomic framework; (b) improve the investment climate—including a large program of privatization of state owned enterprises, (c) set the foundations for overhauling labor market regulations in the future, (d) increase access to investment capital, and (e) promote the generation of knowledge and innovation, the adoption of new technologies, and upgrading the skills of the labor force.

Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

The Bank approved the loan on June 1, 2007, and declared it effective on July 18. The full loan amount of EUR 367,300,000 was disbursed on July 20, 2007.

Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2007)

Loan/Credit/ Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IBRD-74690	Effective	495.76	0.00	495.76	0.00



Project Name (ID): Rail Restructuring (P077328)

Country: Turkey

Board Approval Date : 06/09/2005

Closing Date : 09/30/2009

Loan/Credit/Grant Number : JPN-53200, IBRD-47870

Sector(s): Railways(100%)

Theme(s): Infrastructure services for private sector development(P), Other public sector governance(S), Trade facilitation and market access(S)

Project Development Objectives:

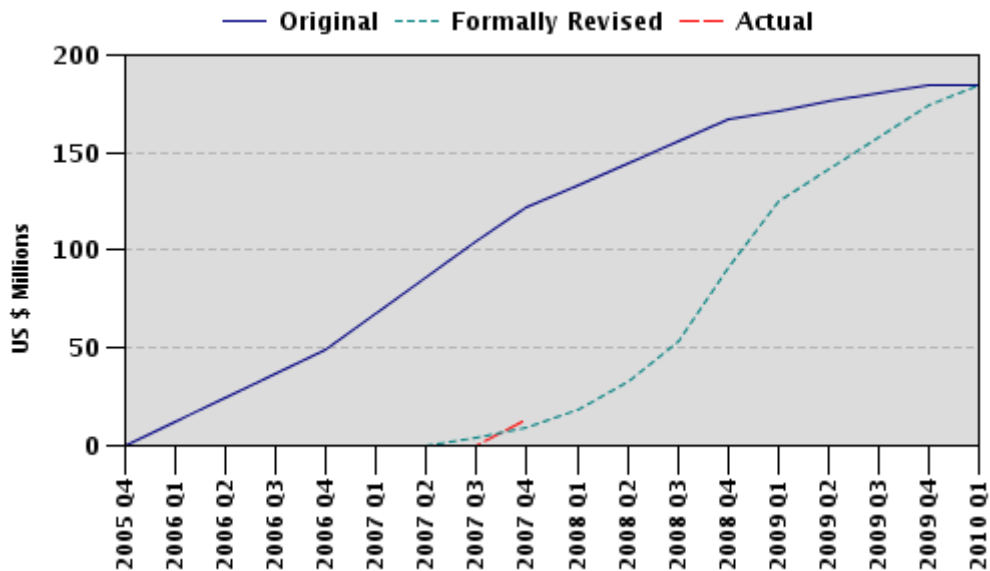
The overall objective is to support implementation of the railway restructuring program over the four-year period 2005-2009, to improve the productivity and effectiveness of railway operations and to assist the General Directorate of State Railways Administration in reaching a financially sustainable situation and reduce the fiscal burden the railway represents for the borrower.

Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

The project has not yet made significant progress toward its development objectives. Significant restructuring of the Turkish railway awaits the passage of new railway and entity laws (now expected in summer 2008). Until then, the project can only help the railway prepare for the restructuring.

Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2007)

Loan/Credit/Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
JPN-53200	Closed	0.70	0.70	0.00	0.00
IBRD-47870	Effective	193.96	13.48	180.46	0.00



Project Name (ID): Seismic Risk Mitigation (P078359)

Country: Turkey

Board Approval Date : 05/26/2005

Closing Date : 09/30/2010

Loan/Credit/Grant Number : JPN-52686, IBRD-47840

Sector(s): Sub-national government administration(40%), Other social services(20%), Health(20%), General education sector(20%)

Theme(s): Natural disaster management(P), Municipal governance and institution building(S), Participation and civic engagement(S)

Project Development Objectives:

The development objective of the project is to improve the city of Istanbul's preparedness for a potential earthquake through enhancing the institutional and technical capacity for disaster management and emergency response, strengthening critical public facilities for earthquake resistance, and supporting measures for better enforcement of building codes and land use plans.

Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

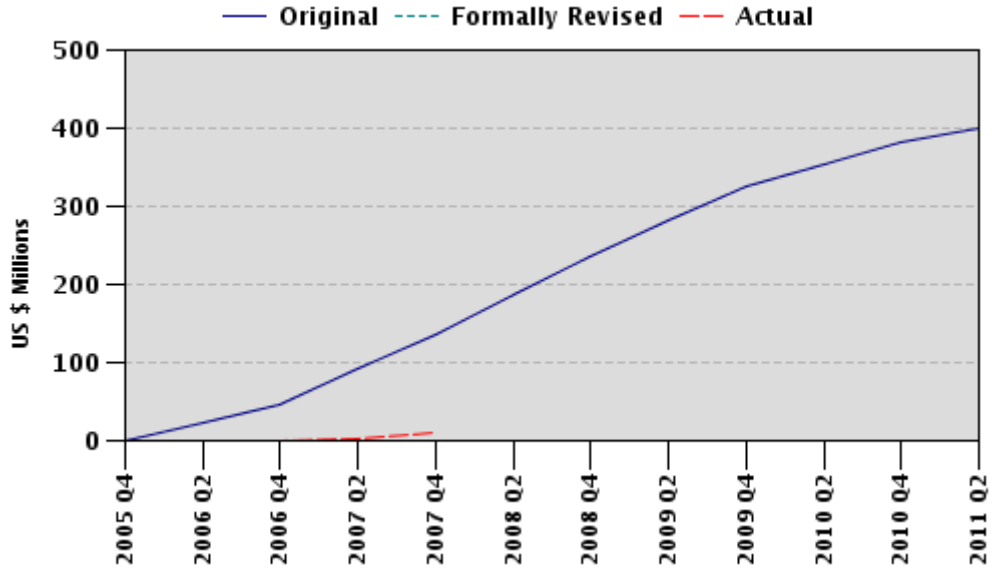
The project has made moderate progress during the reporting period. Designs for 118 facilities have been completed and the retrofitting of 15 schools has already started. The contracts to launch retrofitting for another 61 schools and two hospitals will be launched in July 2007. The furnishing and equipping of the newly-constructed Governorship Disaster Management Center was completed, and several packages of medical equipment and search and rescue vehicles were procured for the emergency response services. Two studies on municipal information system and public land management have been completed. A protocol was signed between the Governor office and the Ministry of Public Works and Settlements to disseminate the new retrofitting code and to provide training for civil engineers in retrofitting techniques.

Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2007)

Loan/Credit/ Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
JPN-52686	Closed	0.93	0.82	0.00	0.11
IBRD-47840	Effective	418.42	10.14	407.97	0.00



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Project Name (ID): Municipal Services (P081880)

Country: Turkey

Board Approval Date : 06/23/2005

Midterm Review Date : 05/18/2006

Closing Date : 06/30/2010

Loan/Credit/Grant Number : IBRD-73120, JPN-53127

Sector(s): Water supply(43%), Sewerage(33%), Solid waste management(16%), Sub-national government administration(8%)

Theme(s): Pollution management and environmental health(P), Other urban development(P)

Project Development Objectives:

The objective is to support municipal development in a sustainable manner. To this end, the project will: (a) support the development of municipal infrastructure to provide quality local services; and (b) support the institutional strengthening of Iller Bank, which is the source of financing for municipalities.

Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

The project is making slower than expected progress towards achieving its development objectives, due to the complex implementation involving 11 sub-projects, a first-time borrower, and the need to prepare 11 environmental assessments.

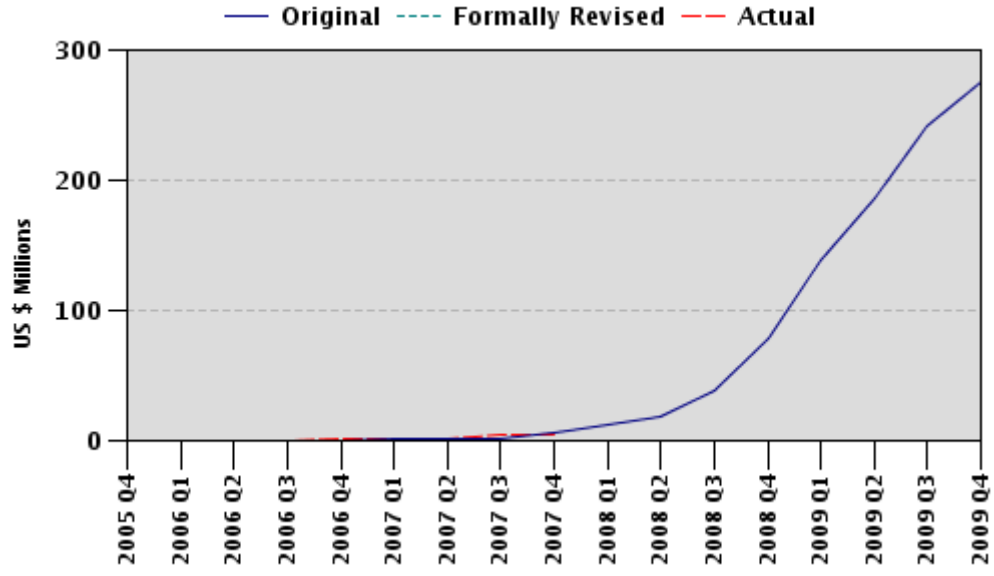
The Iller Bank law was submitted to Parliament, and the Strategic Plan for Iller Bank was completed on schedule. Financial, economic, and procurement training sessions for municipalities and utilities were held in spring 2007 and will continue regularly to further strengthen the capacity of staff.

Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2007)

Loan/Credit/ Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IBRD-73120	Effective	287.36	4.55	282.62	0.00
JPN-53127	Closed	0.50	0.48	0.00	0.02



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Project Name (ID): EFIL 2 (P082801)

Country: Turkey

Board Approval Date : 01/13/2004

Closing Date : 09/30/2009

Loan/Credit/Grant Number : IBRD-72130

Sector(s): Banking(35%), Micro- and SME finance(35%), Other domestic and international trade(30%)

Theme(s): Small and medium enterprise support(P), Export development and competitiveness(P), Other financial and private sector development(S)

Project Development Objectives:

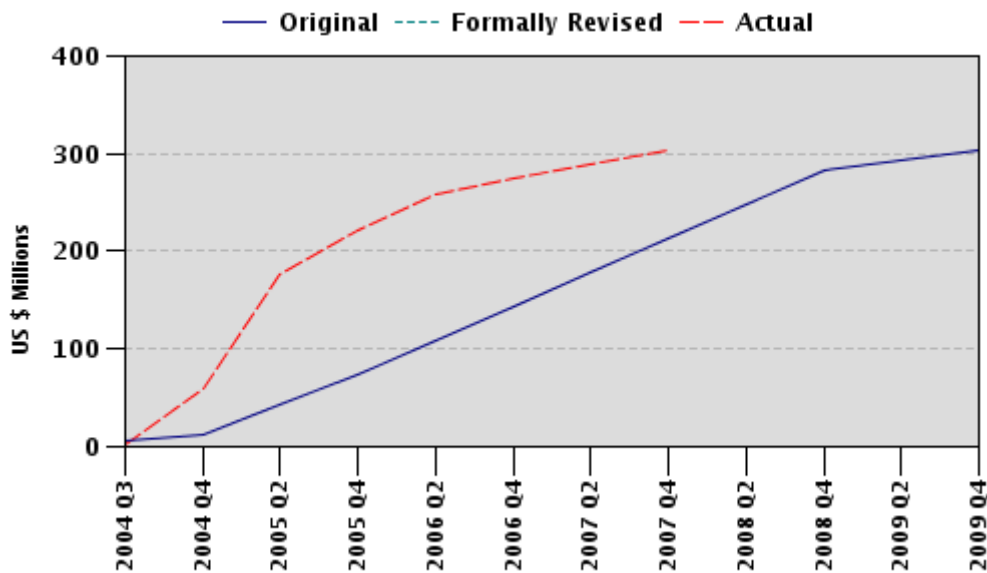
The objectives of the project are: (a)provision of medium- and long-term working capital and investment finance to private exporters, and contribute to further facilitating export growth in Turkey; and (b) improvement in the quality, and safety of, and access to, finance through development of financial intermediation in the Turkish private financial sector by banks and leasing companies.

Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

The project was fully disbursed by the end of FY 2007 more than two years ahead of schedule, and exporters have been extended US\$300 million worth of credit. The total exports for the project's sub-borrowers in 2006 had grown by 27 percent compared to 2004.

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Loan/Credit/ Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IBRD-72130	Effective	303.10	303.03	0.07	0.00



Project Name (ID): Access to Finance for SMEs (P082822)

Country: Turkey

Board Approval Date : 06/08/2006

Closing Date : 04/30/2012

Loan/Credit/Grant Number : IBRD-73890, IBRD-73900, IBRD-74620

Sector(s): Micro- and SME finance(70%), General finance sector(15%), General industry and trade sector(10%), Banking(5%)

Theme(s): Small and medium enterprise support(P), Other financial and private sector development(S)

Project Development Objectives:

The project's main objective is to increase small- and medium-sized enterprises access to medium-term finance. The project is supported by two financial intermediary loans.

The project was restructured, or received Additional Financing during FY 07

In May 2007, the project was amended to simplify the structure and increase the loan amount. The changes were made to reflect changing market conditions and to increase the impact of the project by increasing the loan amount.

Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

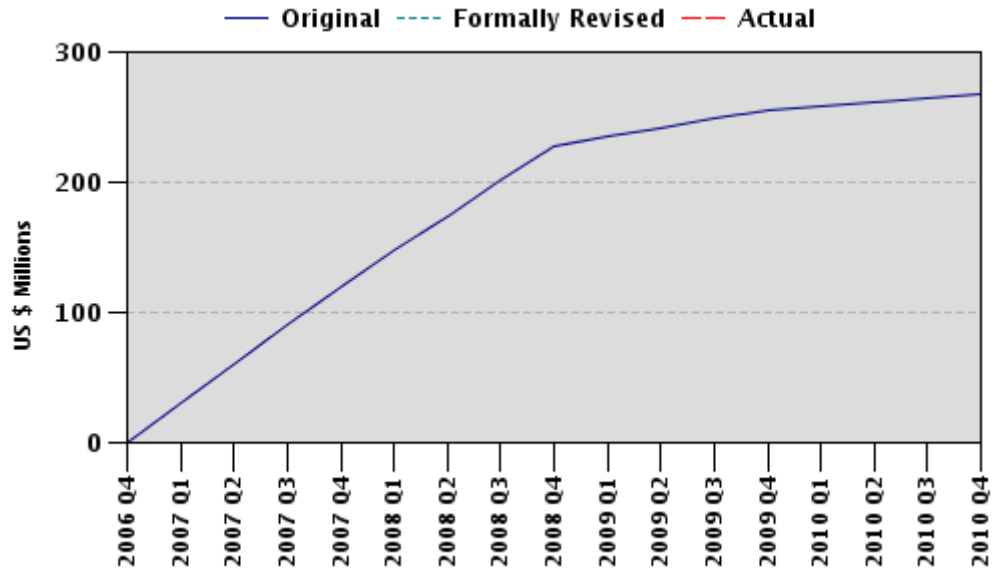
The project loan became effective on July 26, 2007. Therefore, there is not yet progress to report toward the project development objectives.

Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2007)

Loan/Credit/ Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IBRD-73890	Effective	67.49	0.00	67.49	0.00
IBRD-73900	Effective	129.04	0.00	129.04	0.00
IBRD-74620	Effective	67.49	0.00	67.49	0.00



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Project Name (ID): Electricity Generation Rehab. and Restructuring (P085561)
Country: Turkey
Board Approval Date : 06/06/2006
Closing Date : 12/31/2011
Loan/Credit/Grant Number : IBRD-48240, JPN-53753
Sector(s): Power(100%)
Theme(s): Infrastructure services for private sector development(P), State enterprise/bank restructuring and privatization(P), Regulation and competition policy(S)

Project Development Objectives:

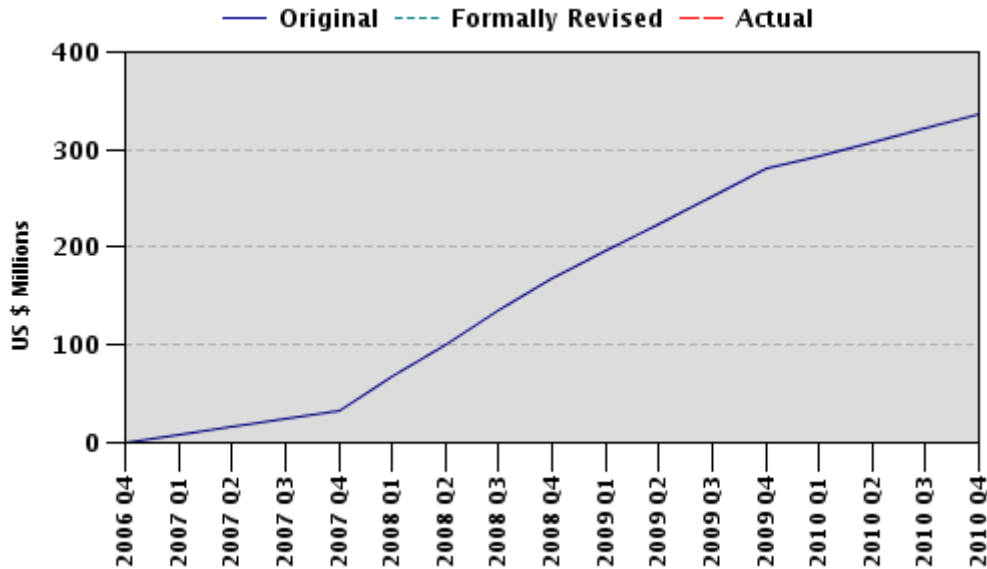
The project seeks to improve supply security during the reform transition and restructure the state-owned generation business into incorporated entities.

Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

The main component, rehabilitation of the Afsin power plant, is delayed on account of delays in procurement --electricity generation world-wide is seeing increased activity, and, therefore, this relatively complicated project has not received adequate response. The procurement process is being redesigned at this stage to take this into account.

Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2007)

Loan/Credit/Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IBRD-48240	Effective	377.93	0.89	376.99	0.00
JPN-53753	Closed	0.60	0.54	0.00	0.06



Project Name (ID): EFIL 3 (P093568)

Country: Turkey

Board Approval Date : 05/17/2005

Closing Date : 06/30/2010

Loan/Credit/Grant Number : IBRD-72950

Sector(s): Banking(40%), Micro- and SME finance(30%), Other domestic and international trade(30%)

Theme(s): Small and medium enterprise support(P), Export development and competitiveness(P), Other financial and private sector development(S)

Project Development Objectives:

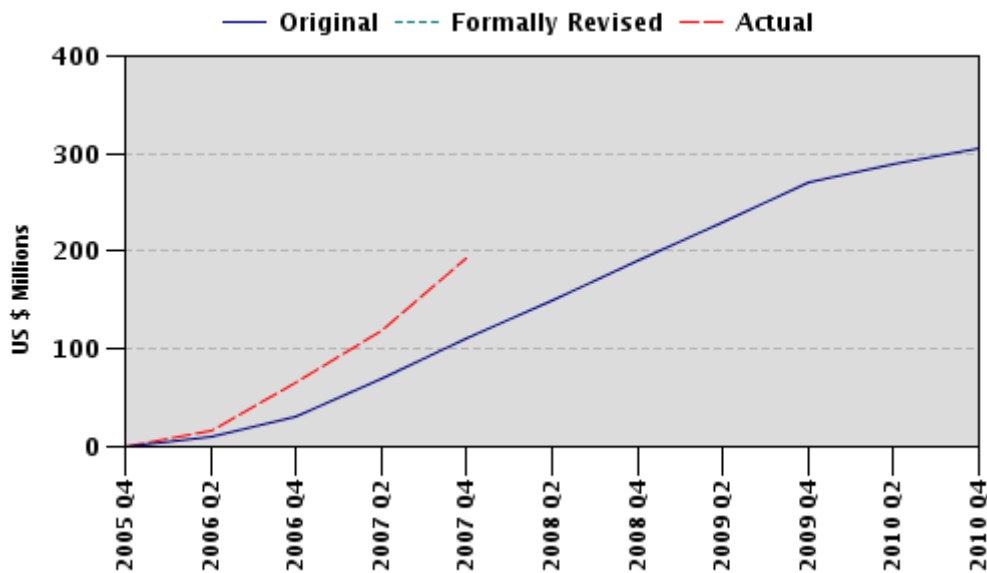
The objectives of the project are: (a) to provide medium and long-term working capital and investment finance to private exporters, and contribute to further facilitating export growth in Turkey; and (b) to improve the quality and safety of and the access to finance.

Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

The project is under implementation since the beginning of 2006,-- and nearly 55% of the line of credit has been disbursed to private exporters through a combination of private commercial banks, and private leasing companies. The project development objectives of broadening and deepening financial intermediation and of providing working capital and long term finance to Turkish private exporters is being satisfactorily achieved. The project implementation is slightly ahead of the disbursement schedule.

Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2007)

Loan/Credit/ Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IBRD-72950	Effective	309.58	192.15	111.46	0.00



Project Name (ID): Gas Sector Development (P093765)

Country: Turkey

Board Approval Date : 11/29/2005

Closing Date : 12/31/2012

Loan/Credit/Grant Number : IBRD-73420

Sector(s): Oil and gas(100%)

Theme(s): Infrastructure services for private sector development(P), State enterprise/bank restructuring and privatization(S), Regulation and competition policy(S)

Project Development Objectives:

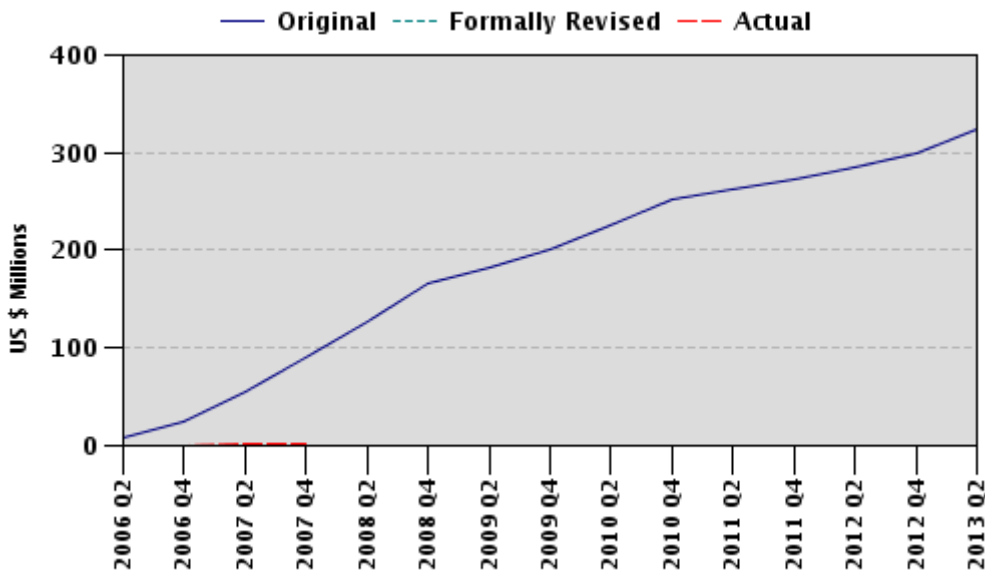
The project objective is to increase the reliability and stability of gas supply in Turkey by implementing critically needed gas storage and network infrastructure, and support BOTAS (the petroleum pipeline corporation) in strengthening its operations as a financially stable and commercially managed corporation.

Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

The project has started off slowly and has only recently begun gathering momentum. The main components on construction of the storage facility and the water pipeline are in the procurement stage, and future progress of the project will depend on the outcome of these components.

Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2007)

Loan/Credit/Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IBRD-73420	Effective	325.00	2.81	322.19	0.00



Project Name (ID): PSSP 2 (P094167)

Country: Turkey

Board Approval Date : 06/14/2005

Closing Date : 06/30/2009

Loan/Credit/Grant Number : IBRD-47910

Sector(s): Compulsory pension and unemployment insurance(94%), Central government administration(3%), Other social services(1%), General industry and trade sector(1%), General education sector(1%)

Theme(s): Improving labor markets(P), Social risk mitigation(S), Education for the knowledge economy(S), Small and medium enterprise support(S), Social analysis and monitoring(S)

Project Development Objectives:

The objective is to support Turkey's privatization program through mitigating the negative social and economic impact of the privatization of state-owned enterprises (SOE).

Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

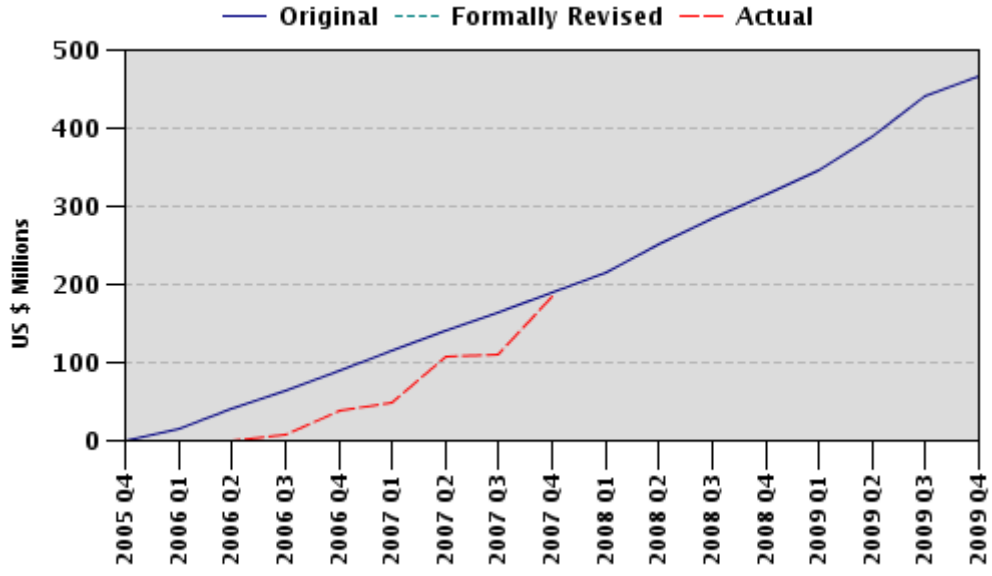
The PSSP2 loan has been disbursing rapidly reflecting the strong privatization program of the government and the fact that the labor redeployment services are now well established. Job-Loss Compensation payments will slow down until after the new elections, depending upon the policy of the new government regarding privatization. Three new small business incubators have been established, with a further four planned, in addition to the seven already established under the PSSP1.

Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2007)

Loan/Credit/ Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IBRD-47910	Effective	485.91	184.54	294.34	0.00



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Project Name (ID): ECSEE APL #2 (CRL) (P094176)

Country: Turkey

Board Approval Date : 04/01/2005

Closing Date : 12/31/2010

Loan/Credit/Grant Number : IBRD-47720

Sector(s): Power(100%)

Theme(s): Regulation and competition policy(P), Regional integration(S)

Project Development Objectives:

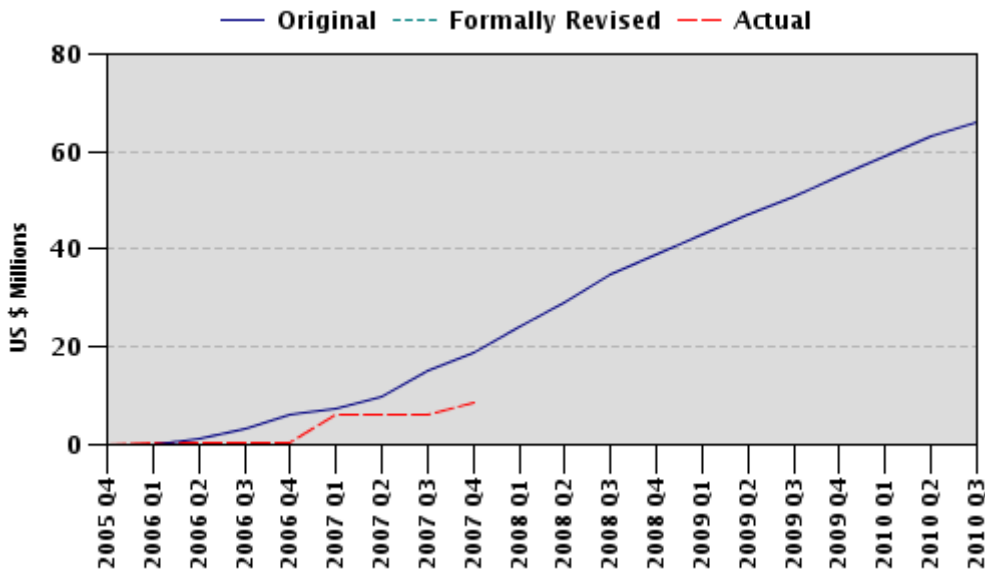
The objective of the project is to support the implementation of the investment programs of the Turkish Electric Transmission Corporation (TEIAS) including: (a) the creation of a market management system for the management of the electricity market; (b) strengthening supervisory control and data acquisition/energy management system to enable TEIAS to operate more efficiently; and (c) the provision of transmission grid strengthening and expansion for overall stability.

Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

Achievement of the objectives will depend significantly on the progress of the component on market management. Progress has been below expectations so far. The borrower has refocused efforts on preparatory work in this regard, and it is expected that this component will move faster over the next few months. The other components are performing at or above expectations.

Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2007)

Loan/Credit/ Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IBRD-47720	Effective	68.30	8.62	59.30	0.00



Project Name (ID): Avian Flu (P096262)

Country: Turkey

Board Approval Date : 04/24/2006

Closing Date : 11/30/2010

Loan/Credit/Grant Number : A57375, IBRD-48220

Sector(s): General public administration sector(45%), Health(28%), Agricultural extension and research(13%), Animal production(12%), Other social services(2%)

Theme(s): Rural services and infrastructure(P), Other communicable diseases(P), Health system performance(S), Pollution management and environmental health(S), Participation and civic engagement(S)

Project Development Objectives:

The proposed project aims to minimize the threat in Turkey posed to humans by the highly pathogenic avian influenza infection (HPAI) and other zoonoses in domestic poultry and prepare for the control and response to an influenza pandemic and other infectious disease emergencies in humans.

Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

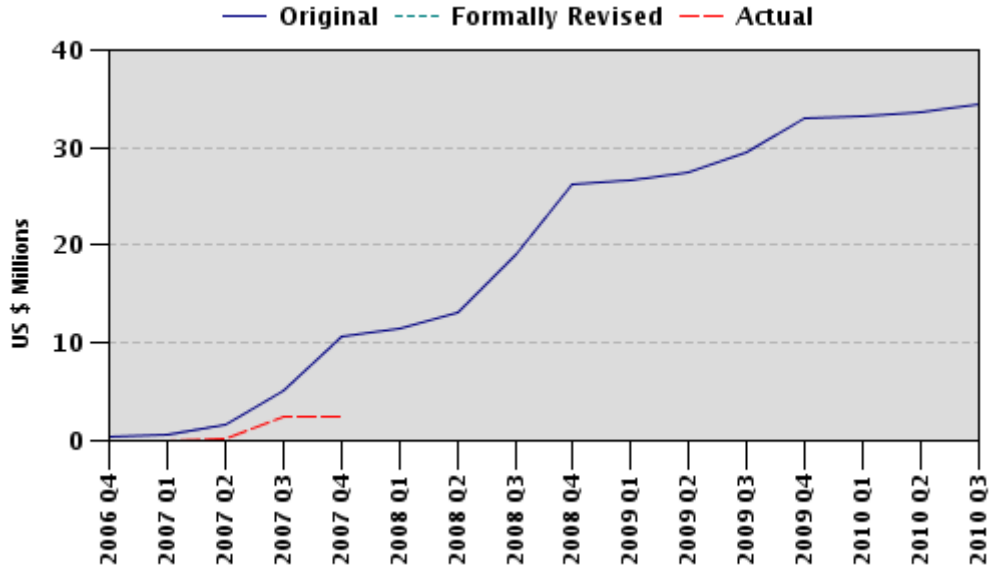
Several outbreaks of HPAI occurred in eastern and central Turkey during the second half of FY07 and provided valuable insights in terms of project design and implementation, outbreak management, and resource allocation. For the Animal Health Component, tenders of general laboratory equipment and protective gear have been completed. Field veterinary training programs have been realized in two main centers, and a total 120 field staff have been participated these programs. Pilot projects have been prepared for restructuring the backyard poultry keeping and farmers training in the critical areas.

Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2007)

Loan/Credit/ Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
A57375	Effective	0.98	0.20	0.78	0.00
IBRD-48220	Effective	36.85	2.36	34.42	0.00



Status of Projects in Execution - FY07
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Project Name (ID): ECSEE APL #3 (P096400)

Country: Turkey

Board Approval Date : 03/23/2006

Closing Date : 06/30/2011

Loan/Credit/Grant Number : IBRD-48170

Sector(s): Power(100%)

Theme(s): Regional integration(P), Other urban development(P), Injuries and non-communicable diseases(S)

Project Development Objectives:

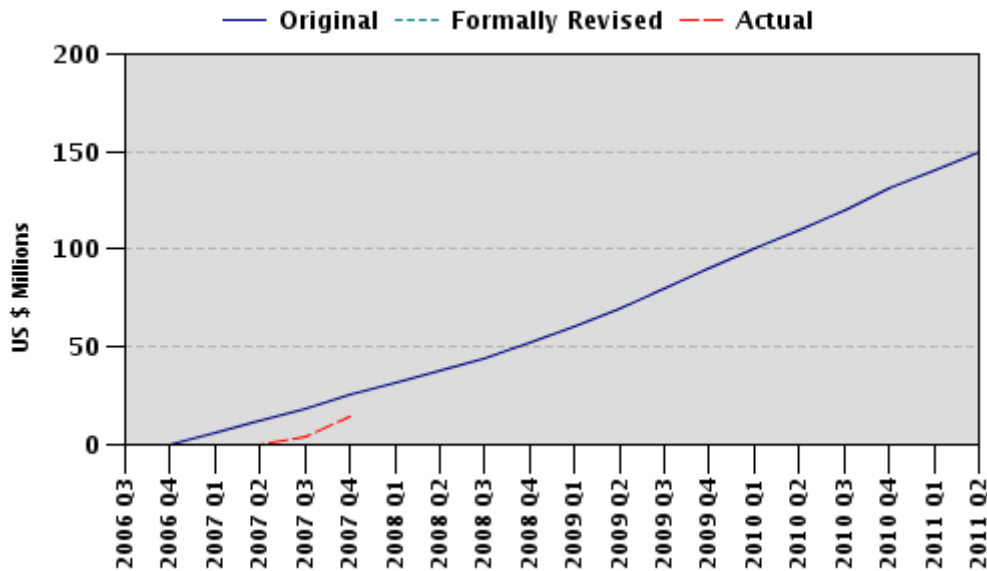
The development objective of the project is to increase the safety, reliability, efficiency, and capacity of the bulk power transmission system in Turkey and to improve market access for consumers and suppliers of electricity.

Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

The project is currently performing above expectations, and several key investments are either in advanced stages of procurement or under implementation.

Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2007)

Loan/Credit/ Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IBRD-48170	Effective	168.72	14.06	154.51	0.00



Project Name (ID): Electric Distribution Rehab. (P096801)

Country: Turkey

Board Approval Date : 04/19/2007

Closing Date : 12/31/2012

Loan/Credit/Grant Number : IBRD-48580

Sector(s): Power(100%)

Theme(s): Other urban development(P), Infrastructure services for private sector development(S)

Project Development Objectives:

The project development objective is to help improve the reliability of power supply to consumers in Turkey by supporting the implementation of the electricity distribution network rehabilitation and expansion program.

Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

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

Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2007)

Loan/Credit/ Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IBRD-48580	Not Effective	276.70	0.00	276.70	0.00



Project Name (ID): Istanbul Municipal Infrastructure Project (P100383)

Country: Turkey

Board Approval Date : 06/28/2007

Closing Date : 12/31/2011

Loan/Credit/Grant Number : IBRD-48660

Sector(s): Solid waste management(30%), General transportation sector(23%), Sub-national government administration(23%), General water, sanitation and flood protection sector(13%), Housing construction(11%)

Theme(s): Other urban development(P), Natural disaster management(P), Pollution management and environmental health(S)

Project Development Objectives:

The project development objectives are to assist the Istanbul Metropolitan Municipality in: (a) improving its solid waste management; and (b) improving its capacity to mitigate earthquakes by retrofitting key facilities and infrastructure and upgrading the institutions and their procedures to help them respond to emergencies.

Progress toward achieving development objective(s):

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

Lending Information/Disbursement Summary (USD millions, as of June 30 2007)

Loan/Credit/ Grant	Status	Amount	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Cancellation
IBRD-48660	Not Effective	322.15	0.00	322.15	0.00

