

Terms and Conditions of Japanese ODA Loans
(Effective from October 16, 2017)

Category		GNI Per Capita (2015)	Terms	Fixed/Floating	Standard/Option	Interest Rate (%)	Repayment Period (years)	Grace Period (years)	Conditions for Procurement
Least Developed Countries and Low Income Countries (~ US\$ 1,025)	Low-Income Least Developed Countries ¹					0.01	40	10	Untied
			STEP ²	Fixed	Standard	0.10	40	12	Tied
			Preferential Terms for High Specification ³	Fixed	Standard	0.25	30	10	Untied
					Option1	0.20	25	7	
					Option2	0.15	20	6	
					Option3	0.10	15	5	
			Preferential Terms ⁴	Floating ⁵	Longer option	¥LIBOR+35bp	40	12	
					Standard	¥LIBOR+25bp	30	10	
					Option1	¥LIBOR+20bp	25	7	
					Option2	¥LIBOR+15bp	20	6	
				Option3	¥LIBOR+10bp	15	5		
				Fixed	Standard	0.90	30	10	
					Option1	0.75	25	7	
					Option2	0.60	20	6	
			Option3		0.40	15	5		
			General Terms	Floating	Longer option	¥LIBOR+45bp	40	12	
					Standard	¥LIBOR+35bp	30	10	
					Option1	¥LIBOR+30bp	25	7	
		Option2			¥LIBOR+25bp	20	6		
		Option3		¥LIBOR+20bp	15	5			
		Fixed		Standard	1.00	30	10		
				Option1	0.85	25	7		
				Option2	0.70	20	6		
			Option3	0.50	15	5			
Lower Middle Income Countries	US\$ 1,026 – US\$ 4,035	STEP	Fixed	Standard	0.10	40	12	Tied	
		Preferential Terms for High Specification	Fixed	Standard	0.50	30	10	Untied	
				Option1	0.45	25	7		
				Option2	0.40	20	6		
				Option3	0.35	15	5		
		Preferential Terms	Floating	Longer option	¥LIBOR+85bp	40	12		
				Standard	¥LIBOR+65bp	30	10		
				Option1	¥LIBOR+55bp	25	7		
				Option2	¥LIBOR+45bp	20	6		
			Option3	¥LIBOR+35bp	15	5			
			Fixed	Standard	1.30	30	10		
				Option1	1.10	25	7		
				Option2	0.90	20	6		
		Option3		0.65	15	5			
		General Terms	Floating	Longer option	¥LIBOR+105bp	40	12		
				Standard	¥LIBOR+85bp	30	10		
				Option1	¥LIBOR+75bp	25	7		
				Option2	¥LIBOR+65bp	20	6		
Option3	¥LIBOR+55bp		15	5					
Fixed	Standard		1.50	30	10				
	Option1		1.30	25	7				
	Option2		1.10	20	6				
	Option3	0.85	15	5					
Upper Middle Income Countries	US\$ 4,036 – US\$ 12,475	Preferential Terms for High Specification	Fixed	Standard	0.70	30	10	Untied	
				Option1	0.65	25	7		
				Option2	0.60	20	6		
				Option3	0.55	15	5		
		Preferential Terms	Floating	Longer option	¥LIBOR+105bp	40	12		
				Standard	¥LIBOR+85bp	30	10		
				Option1	¥LIBOR+75bp	25	7		
				Option2	¥LIBOR+65bp	20	6		
			Option3	¥LIBOR+55bp	15	5			
			Fixed	Standard	1.50	30	10		
				Option1	1.30	25	7		
				Option2	1.10	20	6		
		Option3		0.85	15	5			
		General Terms	Floating	Longer option	¥LIBOR+125bp	40	12		
				Standard	¥LIBOR+105bp	30	10		
				Option1	¥LIBOR+95bp	25	7		
				Option2	¥LIBOR+85bp	20	6		
			Option3	¥LIBOR+75bp	15	5			
Fixed	Standard		1.70	30	10				
	Option1		1.50	25	7				
	Option2		1.30	20	6				
	Option3	1.05	15	5					
Consulting Services			For consulting services, the interest rate will be minimal (0.01%) and the repayment, grace periods and conditions for procurement will be the same as those for main components.						
Options for Program Type Japanese ODA Loans			In case of co-financing, it is possible to apply the same repayment terms as co-financer's lending while maintaining the concessionality of Yen loans.						

¹ For Low-Income LDCs, the term and condition of 0.01% interest rate and 40-year repayment period including 10-year grace period are applied, irrespective of sectors and fields. Three-year transition period will be granted to recipient countries that will move from the category of Low-Income LDCs, and, during the period, the terms and conditions for Low-Income LDCs will be applied to the projects of the countries.

² Special Terms for Economic Partnership (STEP) is extended to the projects for which Japanese technologies and know-how are substantially utilized, based on the recipient countries' request to utilize and transfer excellent technologies of Japan. Countries (except LDCs), which are eligible for tied aid under Arrangement on Officially Supported Export Credits issued by OECD, are eligible for STEP terms.

³ Preferential Terms for High Specification will be applicable to projects promoting quality infrastructure. The applicability of the terms will be decided on a case-by-case basis.

⁴ Preferential Terms are applied to the following sectors and fields:
(i) Issues on Global Environmental and Climate Change
(ii) Health and Medical Care and Services
(iii) Disaster Prevention and Reduction
(iv) Human Resource Development

⁵ The base rate of Floating Loan is the value of the 6-month Japanese Yen LIBOR, and the fixed spread remains constant over the life of the loan. If the base rate plus fixed spread is lower than 0.1%, the interest shall be 0.1%.

⁶ Irrespective of the income category, the term and condition of 0.01% interest rate and 40-year repayment period including 10-year grace period are applied to projects assisting recoveries from disasters, including Stand-by Emergency Credit for Urgent Recovery (SECURE). For Stand-by Emergency Credit for Urgent Recovery (SECURE), the term and condition of 20-year repayment period including 6-year grace period, or 15-year repayment period including 5-year grace period are also available, in order to apply Currency Conversion Option.

Notes
• For countries complying with ongoing IMF-supported programs or receiving grants from IDA, it is possible to modify the terms and conditions of the ODA Loans so as to meet the IMF's concessionality criteria.
• For General terms and Preferential terms, fixed interest rate for all countries (except Low-Income LDCs) will be revised on a regular basis so that its concessionality will be equal to that of Floating interest rate.
• For Upper-Middle-Income Countries, Floating Term will be applied in principle, although Fixed Term could be applied.

Potential Loan Recipient Countries Classified by Income Categories (FY 2017)

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Category	GNI Per Capita	
	Low-Income- Least Developed Countries	Afghanistan, Benin, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Central African Republic, Chad, Comoros, Democratic Republic of Congo, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Gambia, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Haiti, Liberia, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Mozambique, Myanmar, Nepal, Niger, Rwanda, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Somalia, South Soudan, Tanzania, Togo, Uganda
Least Developed Countries and Low-Income Countries (-US\$ 1,025)		Angola, Bangladesh, Bhutan, Cambodia, Djibouti, Equatorial Guinea, Kiribati, Lao PDR, Lesotho, Mauritania, Sao Tome and Principe, Solomon Islands, Sudan, Timor-Leste, Tuvalu, Vanuatu, Yemen, Zambia, Zimbabwe
Lower-Middle- Income Countries	US\$ 1,026- US\$ 4,035	Armenia, Bolivia, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Republic of Congo, Cote d'Ivoire, Egypt, El Salvador, Ghana, Guatemala, Honduras, India, Indonesia, Kenya, Republic of Kosovo, Kyrgyz Republic, Micronesia, Moldova, Mongolia, Morocco, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Pakistan, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Samoa, Sri Lanka, Swaziland, Syrian Arab Republic, Tajikistan, Tunisia, Ukraine, Uzbekistan, Vietnam
Upper-Middle- Income Countries	US\$ 4,036- US\$ 12,475	Albania, Algeria, Argentina, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Belize, Bosnia & Herzegovina, Botswana, Brazil, Bulgaria, China, Colombia, Costa Rica, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Fiji, Gabon, Georgia, Grenada, Guyana, Iran, Iraq, Jamaica, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Lebanon, Libya, Macedonia, Malaysia, Maldives, Marshall Islands, Mauritius, Mexico, Montenegro, Namibia, Palau, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Romania, Serbia, South Africa, St. Lucia, St. Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname, Thailand, Tonga, Turkmenistan, Turkey