

NEDO JCM Demonstration Scheme

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What's NEDO



■ New Energy and Industrial Technology Development Organization (NEDO)

Organization National Research and Development Agency

Mission 1. Addressing energy and global environmental problems

2. Enhancing industrial technology

Established in 1980

Budget 152.8 billion yen (≒ \$1B) (JFY 2023) + multi-years funded programs (≒ \$40B)

of staff 1,464 (as of April 1, 2023)



Organization





NEDO Head Office (Kawasaki, Kanagawa)

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2 types of International Demonstration Project (IDP)



Type A: IDP on Japan's Decarbonizing / Energy Transition Technologies

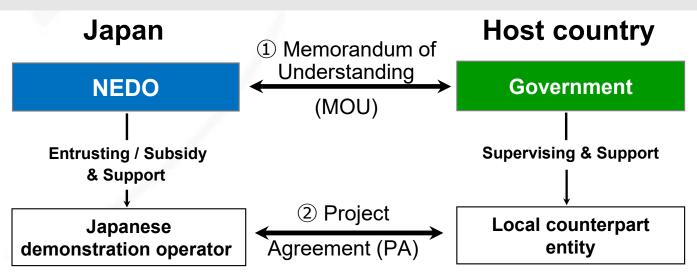
Type B: IDP on Low Carbon Technologies under the Joint Crediting Mechanism (JCM)

	Type A	Type B (JCM)
Purpose	 To demonstrate Japan's advanced decarbonizing / energy transition technologies in foreign countries To disseminate the demonstrated technology in host and neighboring countries on a commercial basis To contribute to global energy security 	 Same as Type A, but more focus on GHG reduction in line with Paris Agreement and Joint Crediting Mechanism (JCM) To quantify the amount of GHG reduction achieved by the demonstration project To share the JCM credit between two countries and count them in their respective NDC(*) (*NDC: Nationally Determined Contribution)
Target country	All countries except Japan	JCM partner countries (29 countries as of today)
Project cost (max.)	4 billion JPY(demonstration phase) (approx. 27 million USD at the current exchange rate)	billion JPY(demonstration phase) (approx. 6.7 million USD at the current exchange rate)
Subsidy rate	Large company: 1/2 SME, start-ups: 2/3	100% (entrusted by NEDO)
Project period	3 years (demonstration phase)	3 years (demonstration phase)
Call for proposal	Twice a year	Once a year (from March to May)
Applicant	Japanese demonstration operator(s)	Japanese demonstration operator(s)

Cooperation Framework (common to Type A and B)



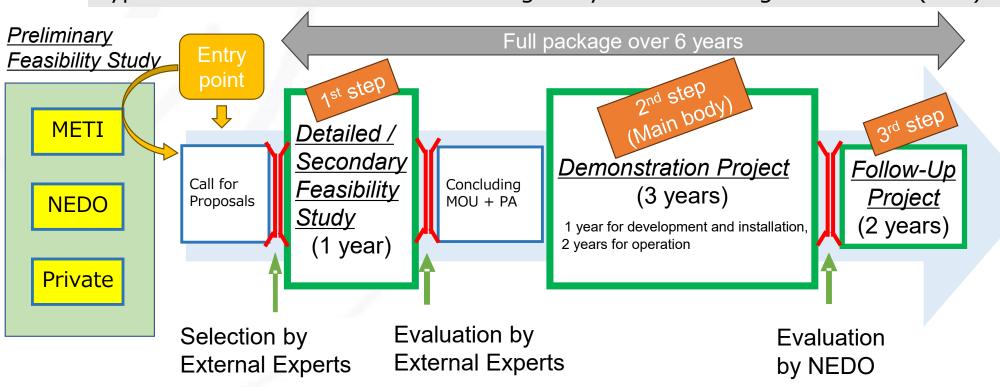
- ① NEDO and host country government entity (a competent Ministry, local government, etc.) sign memorandum of understanding (MOU) or similar agreement that has clauses for implementation of demonstration and dissemination.
- ② Japanese demonstration operator and their local counterpart entity sign project agreement (PA) which stipulates details of demonstration activities, division of works, rights and duties.



Phasing approach







Project cycle of JCM



Project Participant Joint Committee Project Participant / Each Government **Joint Committee** Joint Committee be conducted by the same TPE be conducted simultaneously **Project Participant** Third Party Entities Joint Committee **Project Participant** Third Party Entities Joint Committee decides the amount Each Government issues the credit

Submission of PIN* Confirmation of no objection Submission of Proposed Methodology Approval of Proposed Methodology Development of PDD* Validation Registration Monitoring Verification Issuance of credits

JCM project cycle

<Terminology>

- PIN (Project Idea Note): A document used to explain the outline of the project to the partner country and confirm whether there is an objection.
- PDD (Project Design Document): A document that includes monitoring methods and estimated emission reductions. Required for project registration.

(1) New JCM methodologies development study

<Note>

For the latest information on JCM rules and guidelines, including the PIN procedures adopted with each Partner Country, please refer to each partner country page on the JCM website. (2) MRV application support

Source: Recent Developments of the Joint Crediting Mechanism (JCM), July 2023, Government of Japan https://www.jcm.go.jp/opt/all/about/202307_JCM_goj_eng.pdf

Other supporting schemes



(1) New JCM methodologies(*) development study		
Purpose	In order to develop new and promising MRV methodologies and to estimate the expected amount of emission reductions, NEDO calls for research projects proposed by experienced MRV experts / consultants, presumably in partnership with future operator of JCM project.	
Target country	JCM partner countries (29 countries as of today) + potential countries	
Project cost (max.)	20 million JPY (approx. 133,000 USD at the current exchange rate)	
Subsidy rate	100% (entrusted by NEDO)	
Project period	Within 1 year	
Call for proposal	Once a year (from March to May)	

^{*}Methodology: a method for calculating and monitoring emission reductions or removals achieved by a project

Other supporting schemes



(2) MRV(**) application support		
Purpose	In order to apply MRV methodology to promising low carbon technology projects (except for the projects financially supported by the Japanese government for JCM purpose) in the JCM partner countries, NEDO calls for MRV "add-on" projects proposed by the operator of project in partnership with experienced MRV experts / consultants. This program covers the additional cost for MRV activities throughout JCM procedures.	
Target country	JCM partner countries (29 countries as of today)	
Project cost (max.)	To be confirmed	
Subsidy rate	100% (entrusted by NEDO)	
Project period	Within 4 years	
Call for proposal	Newly planned for 2024 (from April to May)	

** MRV : Measurement, Reporting, Verification of greenhouse gas (GHG) mitigation

Thank you



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