

Data Sheet

USAID Mission:	Africa Regional
Program Title:	Crisis Prevention, Mitigation and Recovery
Pillar:	Democracy, Conflict and Humanitarian Assistance
Strategic Objective:	698-022
Proposed FY 2004 Obligation:	\$16,140,000 DA
Prior Year Unobligated:	\$6,222,000 DA
Proposed FY 2005 Obligation:	\$17,352,000 DA
Year of Initial Obligation:	FY 1999
Year of Final Obligation:	FY 2004

Summary: USAID's program strengthens African capacity to prevent or mitigate the impact of natural disasters and man-made crises. USAID's Africa Bureau program develops and applies tools and research to help prevent deadly conflict from occurring; mitigate its effects while it is occurring; and help people and countries recover from conflict, especially its social and psychological aspects.

Inputs, Outputs, Activities:

FY 2004 Program:

The Famine Early Warning System Network (FEWS NET), the Africa Emergency Locust and Grasshopper Assistance (AELGA) program, and the Complex Emergency Response Transition Initiative (CERTI) will be reported by the Democracy, Conflict and Humanitarian Assistance Bureau of USAID.

Planned activities include:

Prevent, mitigate and recover from conflict (\$16,140,000 DA; \$6,222,000 prior year DA): USAID expects to continue engaging public and private actors in activities to support regional peace dialogue efforts, inter-faith initiatives, local problem-solving methods, female-led programs, human rights education, psychological healing and reconciliation, and reintegration of ex-combatants. USAID will continue to support bilateral and regional conflict prevention, mitigation and recovery activities begun in FY 2003 and seek new areas of activity where appropriate. Principal contractors and grantees: African Centre for Constructive Resolution of Disputes (ACCORD) and the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA).

A follow-on strategic objective will begin in FY 2004 and will be notified separately upon approval.

FY 2005 Program:

Prevent, mitigate and recover from conflict (\$17,352,000 DA): USAID expects to continue engaging public and private actors in activities to support regional peace dialogue efforts, inter-faith initiatives, local problem-solving methods, female-led programs, human rights education, psychological healing and reconciliation, and reintegration of ex-combatants. USAID will continue to support bilateral and regional conflict prevention, mitigation and recovery activities begun in FY 2003 and seek new areas of activity where appropriate. Principal partners and grantees: Same as above.

Performance and Results: In FY 2003, Africa Bureau allocated \$10.5 million for bilateral missions and non-presence countries through a competitive proposal process and \$4.5 million to the three regional missions based on the submission of regional work plans. In addition, resources were used in Liberia, Burundi, Uganda and the Democratic Republic of Congo to support opportunities arising from critical turning points in the peace processes.

These activities focused on conflict response and mitigation programs that aimed to avert imminent violence, mitigate ongoing violence, or address its immediate aftermath (e.g., through mediation, community-based reconciliation, peace media, reintegration, psychosocial counseling); and conflict

management programs that address the causes and consequences of conflict (e.g., youth unemployment, ethnically based economic competition, issues with natural resources such as land, water, and forests).

In addition to the establishment of USAID's Conflict and Peace Building Fund, USAID provided support to quick response, mitigation and management activities in cross-border areas affected by conflict.

USAID also worked closely with the State Department and international organizations in planning for disarmament, demobilization and reintegration processes in a number of countries, including Burundi and Liberia. USAID's primary role was to provide technical guidance about the reintegration of former combatants into communities once they have been formally disarmed and demobilized.

US Financing in Thousands of Dollars

Africa Regional

698-022 Crisis Prevention, Mitigation and Recovery	CSH	DA	DFA	IDA
Through September 30, 2002				
Obligations	6,168	47,146	279	1,757
Expenditures	5,820	29,820	267	1,153
Unliquidated	348	17,326	12	604
Fiscal Year 2003				
Obligations	0	712	0	0
Expenditures	144	14,125	12	383
Through September 30, 2003				
Obligations	6,168	47,858	279	1,757
Expenditures	5,964	43,945	279	1,536
Unliquidated	204	3,913	0	221
Prior Year Unobligated Funds				
Obligations	0	6,222	0	0
Planned Fiscal Year 2004 NOA				
Obligations	0	16,140	0	0
Total Planned Fiscal Year 2004				
Obligations	0	22,362	0	0
Proposed Fiscal Year 2005 NOA				
Obligations	0	17,352	0	0
Future Obligations	0	0	0	0
Est. Total Cost	6,168	87,572	279	1,757