# Practical MRV under the JCM and the role of IGES

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## **JCM Financing Programmes**

Financing programs by Ministry of the Environment, Japan

JCM Model Project	<ul> <li>Finances less than half of initial investment costs to facilitate dissemination of low-carbon technologies.</li> <li>Covers projects that reduce energy-related CO2 emissions.</li> <li>Includes projects in collaboration with JICA and other government-affiliated financial institute.</li> <li>Budget for FY 2017-2019: approx. USD 60 million</li> </ul>
JCM REDD+ Model Project	<ul> <li>Finances part of project cost for REDD+ projects.</li> <li>Participatory monitoring of illegal logging, disaster prevention, forest restoration, provision of alternative livelihoods.</li> <li>Budget for FY 2017: approx. USD 0.8 million</li> </ul>
ADB Japan Fund for JCM (JF JCM)	<ul> <li>Grant for incremental cost of technologies for projects under public and state-owned entities.</li> <li>Interest subsidy to ADB-financed loans for non-government projects, to private sector borrowers and financial institutions.</li> <li>Budget for FY2017: approx. USD 10 million</li> </ul>



## **IGES Support for Project**



#### **JCM Matchmaking Platform:**

- Online company information form for Japanese and partner countries
- Company search engine
- Companies can communicate directly

#### Methodology development:

- Preparation of draft methodology based on market survey, official statistics, etc.
- Submission of draft methodology proposal to the JCM Secretariat of Partner countries.

#### **PDD development and** validation

- Preparation of draft PDD, including local stakeholder consultation
- Coordination with project participants, TPEs and both sides' governments to submit necessary documents for each procedural step

#### **Monitoring report and** verification

- Preparation of draft monitoring report in coordination with TPEs
- Submission of monitoring reports to the JCM Secretariat of Partner countries.

IGES has supported participants of selected projects in: 44 methodologies 57 project design document **18 projects** monitoring reports **5 projects** issuance of credits

## **Example: Solar PV supported by the JCM**

#### **Rooftop solar PV**

Factory, school, office buildings (Thailand, Palau, Cambodia, Maldives, etc.)



Chemically strengthened specialty glass



Ultra-lightweight Solar Panels

#### Solar power plant

(Mongolia, Indonesia, Chile, etc.)



Floating solar power system

(Lao PDR)

*Include grid-connected systems, isolated systems (self-consumption)* 



## Practical MRV Case: Solar PV (MN\_AM003)

#### 3 eligibility criteria

Criterion 1	The project newly installs solar PV system(s).			
Criterion 2	The PV modules obtained a certification of design qualifications (IEC 61215, IEC 61646 or IEC 62108) and safety qualification (IEC 61730-1 and IEC 61730-2).			
Criterion 3	The equipment used to monitor output power of the solar PV system(s) and irradiance is installed at the project site.			

(MN\_AM003 Approved Methodology for Mongolia)

## Practical MRV Case: Solar PV (MN\_AM003)

#### Formula to calculate emissions

Calculation of reference emissions	Electricity generated by the solar PV system (MWh) Monitored by project participant	Х	Reference emission factor (t-CO2/MWh) Default value provided in the methodology		
Monitoring parameter	Only one: Electricity generated by the solar PV system (monitored using electricity meter)				
Calculation of project emissions	Emission from electricity consumption by solar PV system = 0				
Emission reductions reference emissions - project emissions			missions		



## Practical MRV Case: Solar PV (MN\_AM003)

#### Reference emission factor

Calculation of reference emissions	Electricity generated by the solar PV system (MWh)	х	Reference emission factor (t-CO2/MWh)
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Project participant selects the reference factor from the options in methodology, based on the project connectivity to Mongolia's national electricity grid.



## Illustration of estimated project emission reductions (MN003)



#### **Estimated emission reductions = 2,171 t-CO2**

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