

# **Coordinated Approach at Borders - to Secure and Facilitate Trade -**

**An Example of Efforts Made  
by the WCO and JICA**

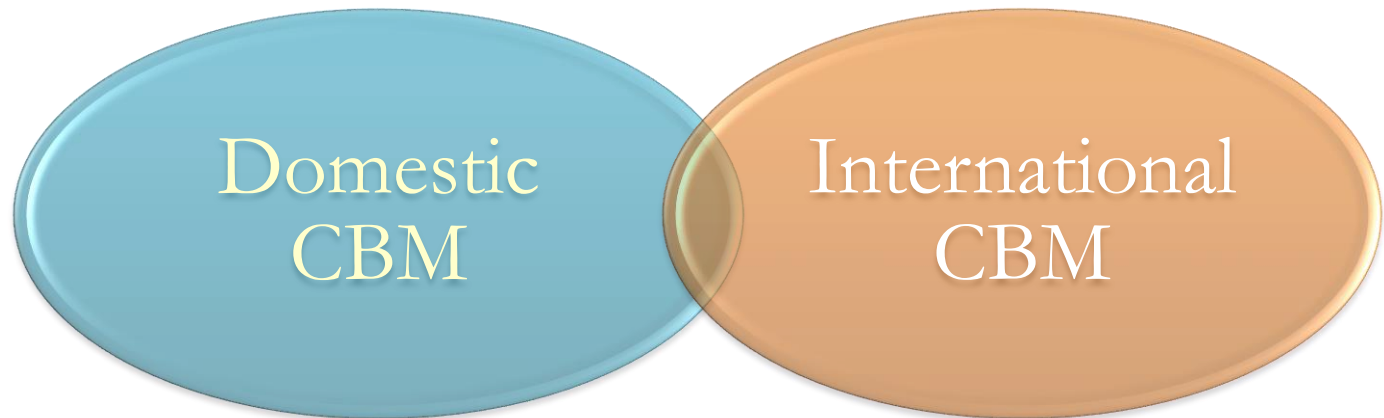
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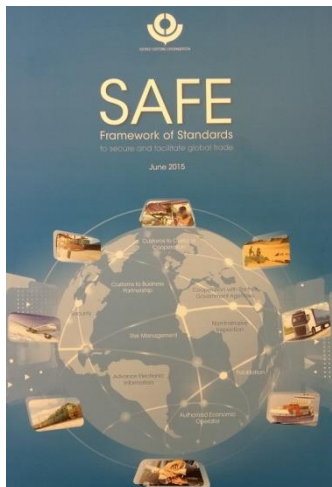
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# Coordinated Border Management (CBM)



# Coordinated Border Management



## SAFE Framework of Standards

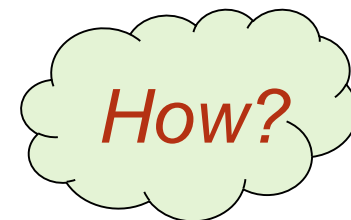
- ❑ **Pillar 1 - Customs to Customs Cooperation**
- ❑ **Pillar 2 - Customs to Business Cooperation**
- ❑ **Pillar 3 - Customs to OGAs Cooperation**

## CBM Compendium

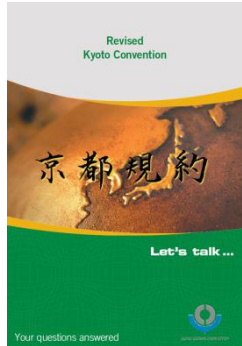
### 2.3 Key Principles for Coordinated Movement of Goods



- ❑ **Streamlined checks and clearance**
- ❑ **Congestions Management**
- ❑ **Manpower Availability**
- ❑ **Infrastructural Availability**



# Example of International Standards relating to CBM

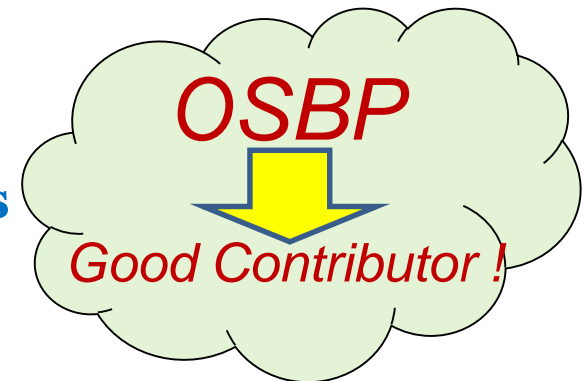


## Revised Kyoto Convention (RKC)

- ❑ **Standard 3.3: Business hours and competence**
- ❑ **Standard 3.4: Joint control**
- ❑ **Standard 3.5: Juxtaposed customs office**

## WTO TFA Article 8: Border Agency Cooperation

- ❑ **Alignment of working days and hours**
- ❑ **Alignment of procedures and formalities**
- ❑ **Development/sharing of common facilities**
- ❑ **Joint controls**
- ❑ **Establishment of OSBP control**

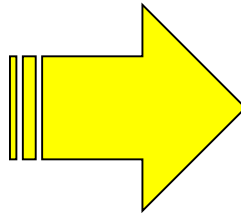


# OSBP: One Stop Border Post

**Before**



Completion  
of Exit/Entry  
Procedures  
at One Place



**After**





# OSBP implement the principles of CBM



**OSBP**



**One of the Practical Enablers of CBM !**

# WCO/JICA Collaboration

## Value of Good Coordination

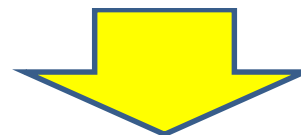


OSBP



HRD Program

## Example of Practical Work



- ❑ **OSBP Development and Operationalization**
- ❑ **Human Resource Development**
- ❑ **Support for Customs Agents**
- ❑ **Enhancement of Regional Cooperation**



# WCO/JICA Collaboration



# WCO: World Customs Organisation

*“ Borders Divide, Customs Connects ! ”*



- **Established in 1952**
- **Intergovernmental Organization Specialised in Customs Matters**
- **Located at Brussels, Belgium**
- **182 Customs Administrations Process 98% of World Trade**
- **Global Center of Customs Expertise**

# JICA

- ❑ **JICA: Japan International Cooperation Agency**  
**Executing Agency of Japanese ODA**



- ❑ **Mission**

- **JICA, in accordance with the Development Cooperation Charter, will work on human security and quality growth.**

- ❑ **Vision**

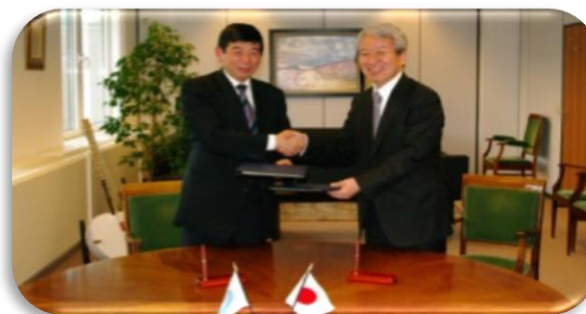
- **Leading the world with trust**

JICA Offices in the World



# Development of WCO/JICA Collaboration

- ❑ **Memorandum of Cooperation (MOC) (Jan 2015)**



- ❑ **Project on the Development of Transit Guidelines (March 2016) – Completed in 2017**
- ❑ **WCO/JICA Joint Project on Trade Facilitation in Africa (July 2016) – Ongoing and Expanding**
  - Practical implementation of MOC
  - Enhanced support for trade facilitation in Africa through partnership between WCO and JICA

# Value of WCO/JICA Collaboration

## “Advantages”

- **WCO expertise, tools and instruments**  
**+ JICA’s experience and network in Africa**
- **National good practice + International standards**
- **Hard + Soft Infrastructure**
- **Short-term + Long-term experts**
- **Multi-year/Result-oriented support**
- **Ensured ownership of the project**

**Namanga OSBP**





# OSBP Development & Operationalization



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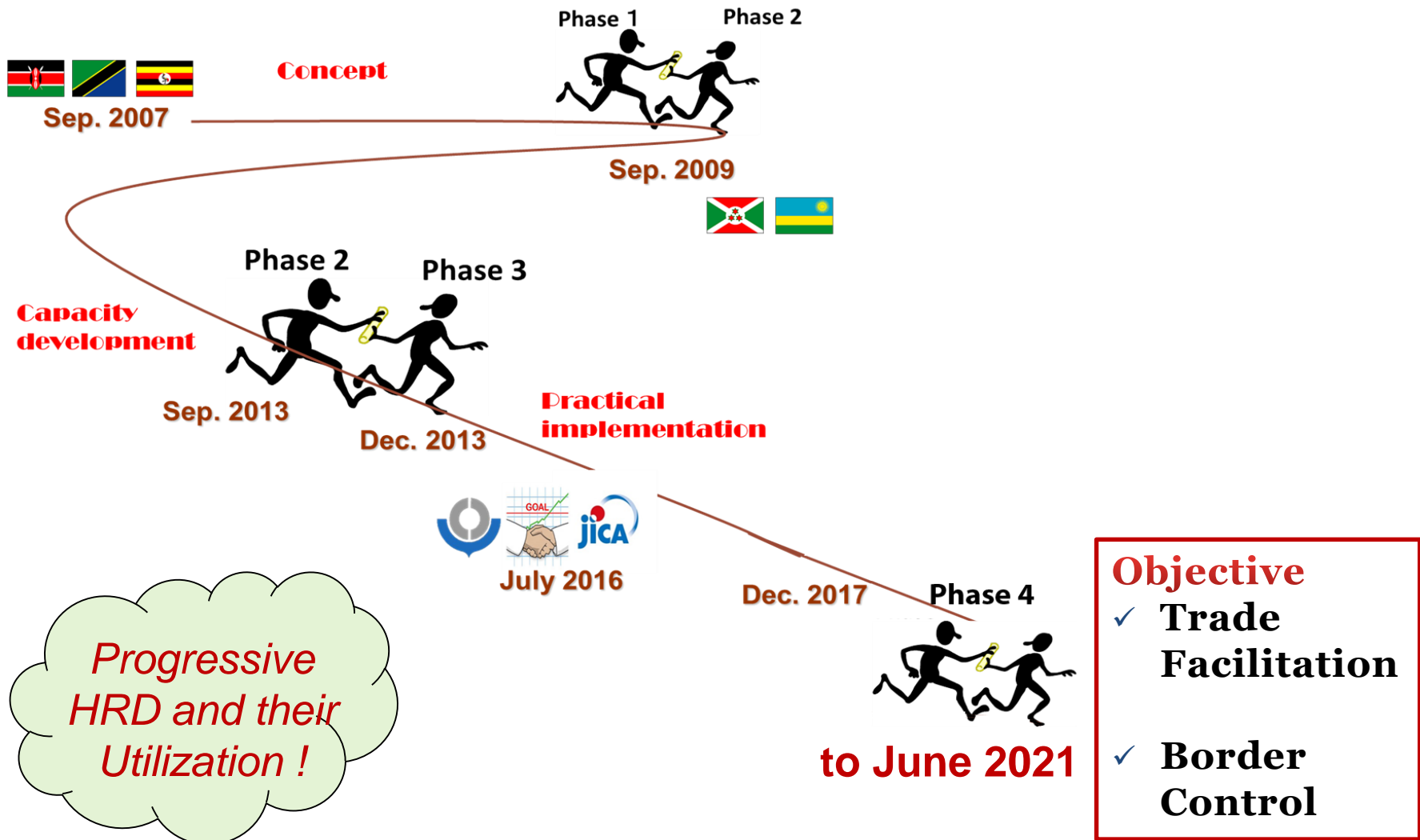
# Human Resource Development



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# History of Customs Project in EA



# Example of Activities (Phase 3) in EA

- ❑ **Trade Facilitation Project in East Africa (BI, KE, RW, TZ, UG)– completed in Dec 2017**

- ❑ **Components:**

- **Master Trainer Program (MTP)**
- **Risk Management**
- **OSBP**
- **Customs Agents**

**Simplified  
and  
Harmonized  
Procedures**

- ❑ **WCO/JICA Joint Workshops on;**

**e.g.**

- **HS Classification (Nov. 2016, Sep. 2017)**
- **Intelligence Analysis (Feb. and Oct. 2017)**
- **Customs Valuation (April 2017)**
- **Risk Management (May 2017)**

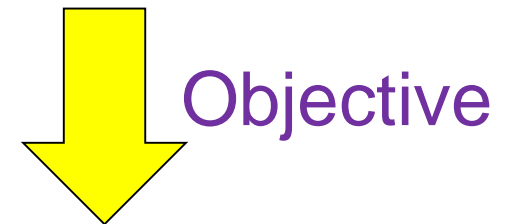


# An Example of HRD - MTP

## Master Trainer Program (MTP)



- ✓ Form of TA
- ✓ Takes unique holistic approach
- ✓ Implemented through strong collaboration between WCO and JICA



Objective

*Establishing  
More Sustainable and  
Self-contained Training  
Capacity*



# HRD through Utilization of MTs

“In addition to the Meetings and Trainings”  
for OSBP  
Operationalization



# Conclusion



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*Unfortunate Result .....*



**Let us make sure good  
coordination and collaboration !**

# Conclusion



## TEAMWORK

Coming Together Is Beginning. Keeping Together  
Is Progress. Working Together Is Success.

From “Planning” to “Implementation”



# Questions?

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