

Information on External Funds

Grants for International Joint Research between Thailand and Japan

Program	Objective	Subject Areas	Duration	Funding	Remark
NIKOKU-KAN (JSPS) <i>Bilateral Programs</i> <i><A. Joint Research Projects></i>	To promote international scientific exchanges between Japan and counterpart countries in accordance with agreements or memoranda of understanding concluded with academies, research councils and other science-promotion organizations in those countries.	All fields of the Humanities, Social Sciences, and Natural Sciences	Up to 3 years	Up to JPY 2.5 million per fiscal year (up to JPY 7.5 million in total)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The counterpart Thai team leaders are to submit their applications to NRCT. For travel exchanges, the sending side will cover international travel expenses while the receiving side will cover domestic travel expenses and maintenance allowances.
e-ASIA (JST) <i>e-ASIA Joint Research Program</i>	To raise the level of science and technology in the whole region of East Asia and to connect to the industrial activities and reforms of social systems, by promoting research interaction through workshops, etc.	Fields of cooperation to be determined at the Board Meeting	36 months	On Japanese side, JPY 2.7 million per project per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Each member organization provides funding to its own country's researchers. In principle, funds do not cross borders. Minimum 3 countries required for a project.
SATREPS (JST/AMED/JICA) <i>Science and Technology Research Partnership for Sustainable Development</i>	To address global issues based on the needs of developing countries, and to lead their research outcomes as practical benefits to both local and global society.	Environment and Energy, Bioresources, Disaster Prevention and Mitigation, etc.	3 – 5 years	Approx. JPY 100 million per project per year 【Funding split】 JST: JPY 36 million JICA: JPY 60 million	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Handled jointly by JST and JICA, and with ODA's technical cooperation. Subject areas should be the issues that affect more than a single country or region, and cannot be resolved without international collaboration (NB: Diseases Control has been transferred to AMED.)
Core-to-Core (JSPS) <i>Core-to-Core Program</i> <i><B. Asia-Africa Science Platforms></i>	To create world-class research hubs in the fields of special importance or significance to Asia and/or Africa and of high priority to Japan, through joint research projects, seminars, and researcher exchanges.	All fields of the Humanities, Social Sciences, and Natural Sciences	Up to 3 years	Up to JPY 8 million per fiscal year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Each member organization provides financial support to its own country's institutions. A cooperative agreement between the core institutions should be established. At least two or more of Asian and/or African countries required for a program.