



ENVIRONMENT

Environmental Protection in the Bac Giang Province

Promotion of environmental protection in the districts of Viet Yen, Yen Dung and Hiep Hoa.



COUNTRY
Vietnam



BENEFICIARIES
41.000



METHOD
Humanitarian aid

LOCAL PARTNERS	Department of Natural Resources and Environment of Bac Giang - DONRE
INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS	UCODEP CNR
FUNDING AGENCIES	Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs
STARTING DATE	February 2010
IMPLEMENTATION PERIOD	36 months
DESCRIPTION	The project promoted environmental protection in the heavily polluted districts of Viet Yen, Yen Dung and Hiep Hoa.
OBJECTIVES	The project contributed to the recovery and conservation of environmental resources in the province of Bac Giang, in the north of Vietnam, and to improvement of the population's living conditions. It also reduced pollution of water and natural resources in the Hiep Hoa, Viet Yen, and Yen Dung districts.
ACTIVITIES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recovery of natural resources through the construction of 4 water treatment plants, 150 organic gasification plants for storing and recycling rural organic waste, and the promotion of organic rice in order to reduce the use of pesticides in certain particularly polluted communities in the Viet Yen and Yen Dung districts; • Improvement of the technical skills of local personnel (province, districts, and municipalities) in environmental quality control and the efficient enforcement of Vietnamese environmental protection law, through the organization of training courses in environmental management; • Awareness raising/information in the population on issues such as respect for the environment and its conservation, through local media outlets as such newspapers and the radio in all municipalities participating in the project.