

4-3. Implementation of Short-term Training

The Asian Disaster Reduction Center has been conducting a short-term training for the disaster risk reduction. Target people of the training are mainly government officials and students overseas. The contents of the training are focused on the current state of disaster in Asia, the activities of the Asian Disaster Reduction Center, and the disaster prevention measures in Japan etc.

The training activity is a good opportunity to deepen their understanding of the efforts and awareness about the significance of disaster prevention activities, to improve the disaster prevention capability in Asian countries.

During these trainings, there were opinions/demands for the capacity building of the satellite image analysis on Sentinel Asia, a main purpose of which is to provide disaster satellite images for disaster affected countries. Concerning the Great East Japan Earthquake, while the government's reaction was highly appreciated, there was a criticism that it did not provide enough information to the overseas.

The ADRC would like to operate incorporating those valuable opinions gained during the discussions. The following table is the list of visitors from abroad who attended lectures in FY 2011.

Table 4-3-1 Short-term Training in FY 2011

Date	Affiliation	Number of participants	Country
6/25	Lecture for students of Kansai University	200	Japan
7/8	JENESYS Program	24	ASEAN 10 countries, etc.
7/13	JICA Training Course	4	Philippines, Vietnam, Senegal, Serbia
7/15	Delegation from New Zealand	2	New Zealand
7/26	JICA Training Course	10	Bangladesh, China, Peru, Turkey, etc.
7/27	JICA Training Course	20	Mauritius, Chile, etc.
8/4	Delegation from Tongji University	2	China
8/11	JICA Training Course	10	Bangladesh, China, Congo, etc.
8/16	JICA Training Course	12	Croatia, Chile, etc.
9/5	JICA Training Course	12	Fiji, Solomon
9/6	Delegation from National Applied Research Laboratories, Taiwan	4	Taiwan
9/14	Delegation from Yamaguchi University	2	Indonesia, Japan
9/20	JICA Training Course	9	Indonesia, Malaysia, Philippines, Vietnam
10/25	JICA Training Course	21	Kenya, Uganda, Ghana

10/26	JENESYS Program	15	India, Sri Lanka, Bhutan, etc.
11/11	JENESYS Program	12	Mongolia
11/17	JICA Training Course	8	Uganda, Laos, Samoa, Mozambique, etc.
11/21	JICA Training Course	6	Armenia
1/13	Delegation from Harvard University	2	America
2/7	JICA Training Course	6	Macedonia
2/17	Delegation from King Abdulaziz University	4	Saudi Arabia