

Overview of various documents available

Country Assistance Strategy (CAS)	A Country Assistance Strategy (CAS) is based on a country's own vision for its development. The CAS is developed by country authorities, civil society organizations, development partners, and other stakeholders to set out a selective program of World Bank support to the country's development strategy. The CAS includes a comprehensive diagnosis of the development challenges and identifies the key areas where the World Bank can have the biggest impact on poverty reduction.
Project Information Document (PID)	The document provides a short summary of the project as well as contact information for the Task Team Leader. The PID is essential for the preparation of the tender documents. The PID also contains information concerning the allocation of funds to different components of the project. The PID is available in the project database under "available project documents".
Project Appraisal Document (PAD)	The PAD consists of detailed information such as project development goals, procurement plan, timeframe, and key contacts on WB side. The PAD is not always available, but can be found under "available project documents"
Procurement Plans (PROP)	<p>The borrowing country presents a " procurement plan " in which they describe the goods, services and jobs that will be procured during the first 18 months, including the contract procedures.</p> <p>The PROP should be updated periodically as the project moves forward. Sometimes the PROP can be found as an Annex 8 of the PAD.</p> <p>Recently published PROPs can be found at: http://documents.worldbank.org/query?sortBy=date&pageSize=20&docType=739941 (hit 'procurement plan' in left column).</p>
Country Procurement Assessment Reports (CPAR)	Country procurement assessment report is a SWOT analysis of the procurement policy of a recipient country, and aims to help a country in strengthening its procurement capabilities. This report is useful in finding information on how this specific country allocates contracts, and how appeal processes work. An overview of CPARs can be found: http://go.worldbank.org/FRX4XXJLP0 .
Procurement information	Procurement guidelines, standard bidding documents and an overview of contracts awarded per company, country and year can be found: http://go.worldbank.org/9KQZWXNOI0 . Procurement guidelines for good, services and jobs can be found on: http://go.worldbank.org/1KKD1KNT40 .

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