







STATE PROJECT INCEPTION WORKSHOP REPORT MADHYA PRADESH

Green-Ag: Transforming Indian Agriculture for Global Environment Benefits and Conservation of Critical Biodiversity and Forest Landscapes



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List of Acronyms

BD - Biodiversity

BMC - Biodiversity Management Committee

CC - Climate Change

CCM - Climate Change Mitigation

CRPs - Community Resource Persons

FAO - Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations

FFS - Farmer's Field School

FPIC - Free Prior Informed Consent

FW&AD - Farmers Welfare & Agriculture Development

GEB - Global Environmental Benefit

GEF - Global Environment Facility

GLIU - Green Landscape Implementation Unit

GOI - Government of India

LD - Land Degradation

MIS - Management Information System

NPMU - National Project Management Unit

NPSC - National Project Steering Committee

NRM - Natural Resource Management

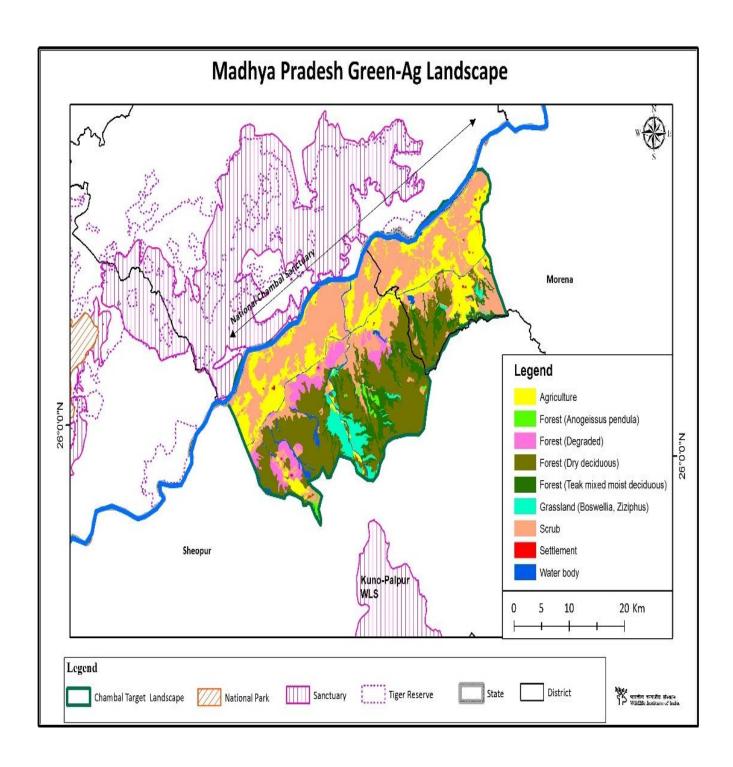
OP - Operational Partner

PPR - Project Progress Report

SPMU - State Project Management Unit

SSC - State Steering Committee

VIC - Village Implementation Committee



Executive Summary

The state inception workshop of the Green-Ag Project in Chambal Landscape was held on June 3-4, 2022 at the State Institute of Agricultural Extension and Training (SIAET), Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh. Mr. Shailendra Singh, Agriculture Production Commissioner (APC), Department of Farmers Welfare and Agriculture Development (DFWAD), Government of Madhya Pradesh (GoMP), inaugurated the workshop. The inaugural session was attended by the Director, DFWAD, GoMP, administrators, policy makers and nodal officers of various departments of the GoMP, members from the State Project Management Unit (SPMU), officials from National Project Management Unit (NPMU) and the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO).

During the two-day state inception workshop, participants were given an overview of the project and its implementation architecture, followed by detailed presentations on technical concepts of the project, such as landscape approach, landscape planning and management, livestock management, sustainable agriculture, communication, gender mainstreaming, community engagement, stakeholder analysis, and natural resource management. The participants were also oriented to the project's results framework and trained on operations, finance management, and MIS.

The Green-Ag Project seeks to catalyze transformative change for India's agricultural sector to support the achievement of national and global environmental benefits and conserve critical biodiversity and forest landscapes. The project intends to mainstream biodiversity (BD), land degradation (LD), sustainable forest management (SFM), and climate change mitigation (CCM) through various interventions. This is an innovative project as it seeks to adopt multi-sectoral approaches and new tools for landscape management which are embedded in the project design and build on the existing institutional arrangements in the landscape.

The Green-Ag project is being implemented in five States (Madhya Pradesh, Mizoram, Odisha, Rajasthan, and Uttarakhand). In this project, the appropriate monitoring, capturing of lessons and dissemination will ensure that the lessons from this project are shared nationally and internationally. Five Landscapes have been selected for their high ecological importance (including global environmental values, as indicated by the presence of at least one nationally recognized protected area that supports globally threatened species) and to represent a range of different ecosystems. Although agriculture in these selected landscapes is largely traditional and rain-fed, many farmers in these regions are increasingly adopting unsustainable agriculture and land use practices that are

resulting in the loss of environmental services, degradation of natural resources, including the loss of agro-biodiversity, as well as the loss and degradation of natural habitats acting as ecological corridors between protected areas, and the degradation of high conservation value forests.

Project Landscape in Madhya Pradesh is contiguous with the protected areas of the National Chambal Sanctuary. Referred to as Chambal Landscape, it covers Sheopur and Morena's districts spreading in an area of 97,982 ha along the Chambal River having 96 villages. The Chambal Landscape is a unique combination of riverine and ravine ecosystems, and it has the largest wild Gharial population in the world. It has a high density of Gangetic Dolphins, Indian Mugger (crocodiles), Red-crowned Roofed Turtles, and Otters. The landscape is an equally important bird area as well. It is the nesting ground for Indian skimmers, Black-bellied terns, and small Indian pratincoles and a staging ground for migratory waterfowls.

Farmer Welfare & Agriculture Development, Madhya Pradesh is the operational partner for the Chambal Landscape.

Workshop - Objective

- Raise awareness among the stakeholders in the project landscape about the launch of the project, its aims, objectives, and targeted outcomes.
- Sensitize the nodal officers of various line departments, and State Project Management Unit (SPMU) members on the project's organizational structure, results framework, technical concepts, and thematic areas.
- Provide a road map for project implementation and management in the Chambal Landscape.

Workshop Day 1- Inaugural Session, June 3, 2022

Welcome Address

The two-day state inception meeting started with Saraswati Puja and the lighting of lamps. *Mr. Ravindra Modi*, **Deputy Director**, Farmer Welfare & Agriculture Development Department, Madhya Pradesh, in his welcome address, appreciated the participants for their presence at the State Launch Workshop for the Green-Ag project, Chambal Landscape. Chief Guest Mr. Shailendra Singh, Agriculture Production Commissioner, MP Government along with Mrs. Preeti Maithil Nayak, Director, Farmer Welfare & Agriculture Development Department, MP Government, Mr. Konda Chavva, OIC, FAO-India, Mr. R.B. Sinha, Project Director, National Project Management Unit (NPMU), Mr. K.P. Aharwal, Director, State Institute of Agricultural Extension and Training, Bhopal Inaugurated the workshop.

Dr Konda Reddy Chavva, Assistant FAO Representative in India gave a brief introduction of the Green-Ag project. He highlighted the GEF focus areas in India and its funding mechanism for global environmental benefits and food security.

Mrs Preeti Maithil Nayak, Director, Farmer Welfare & Agriculture Development, MP Government, in her welcome note, highlighted the department's notable work in the state and mentioned other projects within the department whose objectives are aligned with the Green-Ag project. She acknowledged FAO's efforts in supporting the Government of India in transitioning agriculture in the country to a sustainable food system. Mrs. Nayak also provided a brief update on the current progress of the Green-Ag project in Madhya Pradesh. She assured all the necessary support from the department for the effective implementation of the project in the state.

Mr. Shailendra Singh, Agriculture Production Commissioner, MP Government in his inaugural address mentioned that the project has been delayed in taking off in the state due to the spread of Covid-19. He asked all the stakeholders for their active support to implement and complete the project in a timely and effective manner. Further, he encouraged different departments across ministries to develop convergence to achieve the cumulative results of the project and assured all the necessary support for the effective implementation of the project.

The inaugural session concluded with a vote of thanks to the Chief Guest and other dignitaries by Mr. S.C. Singadia, Additional Director, Farmer Welfare & Agriculture Development M.P.

Technical Sessions

Session 1- Project Overview

Resource Person: Dr Konda Reddy Chavva, AFAOR, FAO-India



Dr Konda Reddy Chavva, Assistant FAO Representative presented Green-Ag project, highlighting rationale, concepts, program and institutional components, structure. Dr Konda stressed the four focal areas of the GEF-funded project i.e., biodiversity (BD), land degradation (LD), climate change mitigation (CCM), and sustainable forest management (SFM). His presentation emphasized the significance of agro-biodiversity, and the proposed interventions in the project to counter the threats to the

landscape. He further, elaborated on the implementation structure, expected outcomes, and impacts of the project in India and more particularly in Madhya Pradesh.

Project's Objective

Green-Ag Project



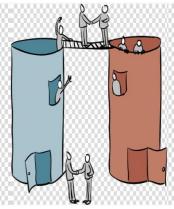
Working independently to attain their individual mandates with activities which are adversely impacting each other

GREEN-AG PROJECT



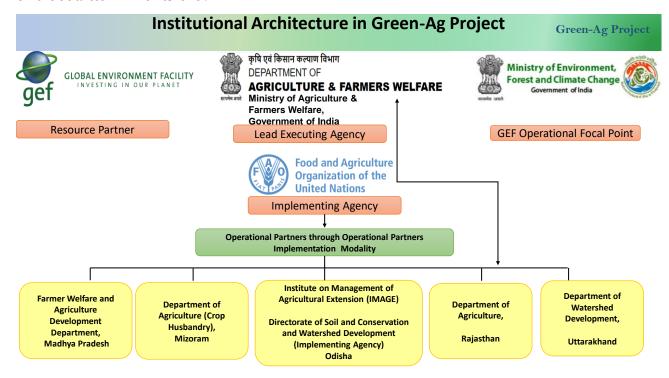
- Acts as bridge for a dialogue between both the sectors
- Supports harmonization between Gol policies, investments and institutions concerned with conservation and agricultural production for mutual compatibility
- No compromise on food and livelihood security of the local communities

Agriculture Environment Sector Sector



Communicating with each other and aligning their activities in such a way to minimize or reduce damage to each other to create a win-win situation

Further, he shared an outline of the proposed implementation arrangements and emphasized that the project strides for a multi-sectoral platform at the village level, district level, state level, and national level. The detailed presentation is enclosed as Annexure-5.



Session 2- Landscape Assessment

Resource Person: Dr Divya Shah, Natural Resource Management & Biodiversity Specialist, NPMU

In the second session Dr Divya Shah, NRM & Biodiversity Specialist, NPMU gave

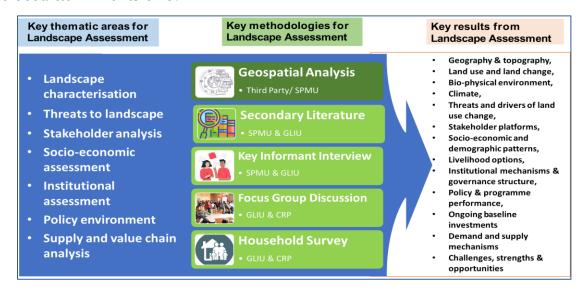
a presentation on Landscape Assessment. Landscape assessment is the first activity of the project and is crucial for the project as it helps decipher the multiple interactions within a landscape to better understand the strengths, issues, and threats, and plan evidence-based interventions.

She informed that, the landscape assessment framework also includes issues related to livelihoods and prevailing socio-economic concerns.

Further, Dr Shah elaborated on the various tools proposed for landscape assessment that would help the team to determine high-priority areas and to develop, implement and monitor the Green Landscape Management Plans (GLMP).

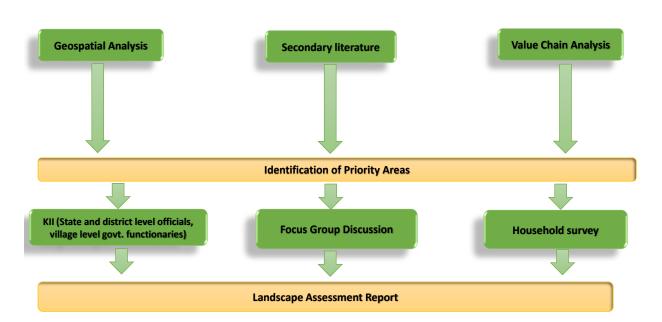


Green Landscape Management Plans (GLMP). The complete presentation is enclosed as Annexure- 6.



Process Flow of Landscape Assessment

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Session 3- Landscape and Collaborative Planning

Resource Person: Mr. R.B. Sinha, Project Director, NPMU

Mr. R.B. Sinha, Project Director, NPMU delivered the third session on landscape

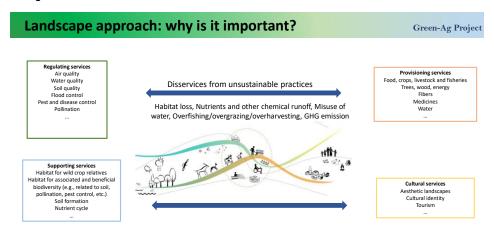
and collaborative planning. The presentation began with definition of landscape and the concept of the landscape approach. Mr. Sinha illustrated the characteristics of a landscape through images in this interactive session. He stated that landscape management and sustainable natural use of essential resources are for maintaining healthy and productive ecosystems and are important for agriculture and food security. He outlined the



components of the landscape approach and elaborated on the need for planning with a multi-stakeholder approach.

He reiterated that the landscape approach necessitates collaborative work among all stakeholders present in the landscape, without compromising their core focus. Mr. Sinha emphasized the importance of adopting a landscape approach in designing interventions through participation and collective actions.

The detailed presentation is enclosed as Annexure- 7.



Landscape management and sustainable use of natural resources are essential to maintaining healthy and productive ecosystems, they are very positive for agriculture and food security

Session 4- Sustainable Agriculture

Resource Person: Dr Divya Shah, Natural Resource Management & Biodiversity Specialist, NPMU

Dr. Divya Shah elaborated on the elements of sustainable agriculture and agroecological practices during her presentation. The presentation dealt with topics like land degradation, climate change, sustainable agricultural practices, sustainable land management, sustainable forest management, agrobiodiversity, green value chain, and management of natural resources. Dr Shah began the presentation by explaining salient features of agriculture in Madhya Pradesh and highlighted the agriculture profile of the target districts. She gave a briefing on the current scenario of agriculture in India and the negative impact it has on the natural ecosystem. Additionally, the session discussed the land use pattern and

major crops grown in Madhya Pradesh and their productivity in comparison the to national average. Land use patterns and major crops grown in the target districts of Sheopur and Morena were also discussed during the presentation.

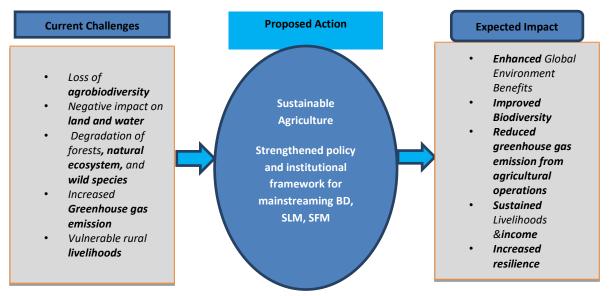


Further, the session explained in detail the relevance of agroecology as an integrated approach that simultaneously applies ecological and social concepts and principles to the design and management of food and agricultural systems. The presentation also included proposed interventions related to sustainable agriculture practices. Detailed discussions were held on various interventions of sustainable agriculture, as outlined in the results framework and existing programs/schemes of government implemented in the district in the co-financing mode. She stressed that the project aims to achieve environmental, social, and economic sustainability without compromising on food security and farmers' income. The detailed presentation is enclosed as Annexure- 8.

Remarks by the participants

- The death of peacocks because of pesticides in the Morena and Sheopur districts should be highlighted as well.
- Land use may also include the status of illegal sand miners in the landscape.
- The project may plan for rainwater harvesting.

Dr Divya informed the participants that these suggestions are welcome and shall be included in reports.



Session 5- Livestock Management

Resource Person: Mr. R.B. Sinha, Project Director, NPMU

The presentation on livestock management highlighted the current scenario of the livestock sector in Madhya Pradesh, especially in the landscape area. Mr. Sinha explained the concept of livestock management and its implications for project outputs and outcomes. He elaborated on the economic, environmental, and social factors affecting livelihoods and conservation priorities in the landscape. The ownership issues relating to livestock resources at a household level were discussed while acknowledging that women's ownership of such the issues of availability and access to animal health care facilities at the village level, while also emphasizing the importance of promoting indigenous livestock varieties. The discussion also included the potential to develop fisheries in the state. The detailed presentation is enclosed as Annexure- 9.

Role of Livestock Sector Green-Ag Project				Green-Ag Project
Economic factors	₹	Fig. 2. And the second	Farm incomesLivelihoodsValue chains	
Environmental Factors	(H ¹ 10)	Sources of agricultural CHG emissions	Traditional breeds im through value chain, smanagement Disease management reporting Land use and land con	, monitoring and
Social factors	ÔQ,		Gender roles Household nutrition Resource ownership a Support institutions	and access

Session 6- Natural Resource Management

Resource Person: Dr Divya Shah, Natural Resource Management & Biodiversity Specialist, NPMU, and Ms Athira RS, Project Associate, NPMU

Dr Shah began the presentation with an explanation of natural resources and the importance of their management. The presentation highlighted the various natural resources, rich faunal and floral diversity, including topographical factors, the prevalence of various rivers, and natural streams of the landscape. It focused on the management of these natural resources and how this management affects the quality of life. She provided information on land availability, use pattern, and agrobiodiversity, including major threats to natural resources. Further, the presentation explained what community-based natural resource management practices are and the importance of the same for the minimization of the degradation process. The detailed presentation is enclosed as Annexure-10.



Session 7- Results Framework

Resource Person: Dr Konda Reddy Chavva, AFAOR, FAO-India

Dr Konda Reddy Chavva, Assistant FAO-India Representative began the Green-Ag Results Framework presentation by defining results with certain examples and explaining the concept of the result chain. The elements of the resulting chain were broken down into a sequence of inputs, activities, outputs, outcomes, and impact which was illustrated using a real-life scenario. Dr Chavva explained each element and categorized them into processes and results. Further, a detailed discussion took place on the project's results framework matrix, covering indicators, baseline data, targets, and means of verification for various components of the project strategy. He explained the correct way to decode the results framework through an interactive activity with the audience. Additionally, the meeting included discussions on the various activities to be carried out at the state, national, and landscape levels for the two components of the Green-Ag project.

The detailed presentation is enclosed as Annexure- 11.

Remarks by the participants

- Convergence based projects have low rate of success. The documentation of these projects is very good but working on ground level is very difficult.
- Human resource is not available at the village level. Need to focus on developing human resources in the landscape.

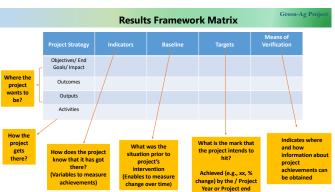
Snapshots of the Inaugural & Technical Session of Inception Workshop (Day-1)

Session 8- Capacity Enhancement

Resource Person: Dr Konda Reddy Chavva, AFAOR, FAO-India

The last presentation on the first day of the inception workshop was delivered by *Dr Konda Reddy Chavva* on the Green-Ag capacity enhancement strategy. He explained the concept of capacity and capacity development. The presentation introduced capacity building as a process for developing or strengthening existing skills, instincts, and abilities of a farmer or community. Capacity development was broadly categorized into technical capacities and functional capacities. Following this, he gave an outline of each of the three dimensions (individual, organizational, and enabling environment) in capacity development. The concept of Farmer Field School (FFS) and its importance in the project were discussed thoroughly. He also highlighted the FFS principles and agroecosystem analysis (AESA) in relation to crops and livestock. He then discussed the field schools on landscape governance, green value chains, and how it is linked to interventions around sustainable agriculture and livestock management. The detailed presentation is enclosed as Annexure- 12.





Snapshots of the Inaugural & Technical Session of Inception Workshop (Day-1)



Lighting of Lamp by Chief Guest
(Hon'ble Agriculture Production Commissioner & Guests)



Dignitaries at the Inaugural Session (L to R) Mr. R.B. Sinha, Project Director, NPMU, Mr Shailendra Singh, Agriculture Production Commissioner, MP Government, Dr Konda Reddy Chavva, Assistant FAO Representative in India, Mrs Preeti Maithil Nayak, Director, Farmer Welfare & Agriculture Development,

Message by Dignitaries during the Inception Workshop



Mr Shailendra Singh APC, MP Government



Mr R.B. Sinha Project Director, NPMU



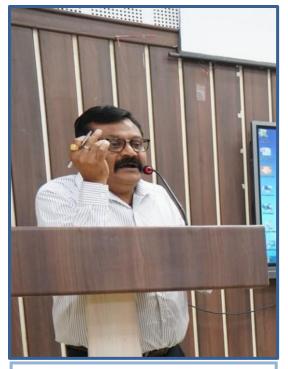
Mrs Preeti Maithil Nayak,
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Agriculture Development, MP
Government



Dr Konda Reddy Chavva, Assistant, FAO Representative in India



Mr. S.C. Singadia,
Addl. Director, Farmer Welfare &
Agriculture Development,
MP Government



Mr. Ravindra Modi,
Deputy Director, Farmer Welfare
& Agriculture Development,
MP Government

Workshop Day 2- Technical Session, June 4, 2022 Session 1- Gender Mainstreaming and Social Inclusion

Resource Person: Mr. Kaustuv Chakrabarti, Communications and Value Chains Specialist, NPMU

The first presentation of the second day was delivered by *Mr. Kaustuv Chakrabarti*, Communications and Value Chains Specialist, NPMU on gender mainstreaming and social inclusion. It started with an interactive session where participants were asked to relate gender (male/female) to different occupations. Participants were asked to express their understanding of different genders and associated roles. This activity was done to understand how societal conditioning frames gender-specific roles. Gender is a socially constructed attribute and opportunities associated with being male and female.

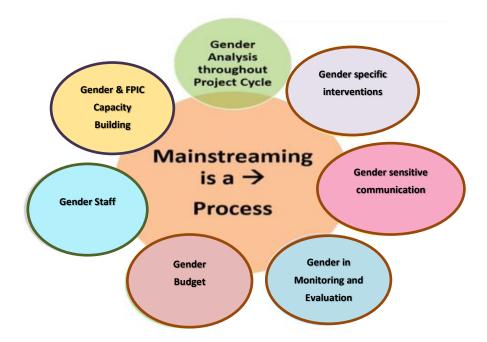
Mr. Chakrabarti explained the concept of social inclusion and the importance of mainstreaming gender and social inclusion in the project. The discussion also elaborated on the need for equitable representation, participation, and women's role in decision-making. He mentioned interventions to achieve the same in the project. He also touched upon the concept of 'Feminization of Agriculture' and pointed out that agriculture remains the most important source of employment for women that largely fall within the informal economy with little or no social protection and labor rights. The detailed presentation is enclosed as Annexure-13.

Remarks by the participants

- Share more information on the kinds of activities planned for Gender Mainstreaming.
- In our patriarchal society, people are not accustomed to accepting women's leadership. How is the project planning to change these mindsets?

Key elements of the discussion

- Gender roles in decision making.
- Religion has a major influence on setting social norms.
- Status of Women in land ownership and other assets
- Access to resources such as training, technology, extension services, etc.
- The impact of climate change on gender equality.



Session 2- Stakeholder Analysis

Resource Person: Mr. R.B. Sinha, Project Director, NPMU

Mr. R.B. Sinha, Project Director, NPMU began the presentation with a story of a village where a national highway project is going to be implemented. While interacting with the participants he explained different villager's occupations and asked participants to determine the villagers who are going to be affected by the project. Further, Mr. Sinha explained that a stakeholder can be a person, group, or institution which might be impacted by the project implementation and outcomes. He further classified this impact to be positive, negative, short-term, or long-term. The presentation elaborated on key objectives of stakeholder engagement and the process to identify stakeholders in the project landscape. A stakeholder analysis was explained through the help of Johari Window. Further, He underlined the strategies and importance of developing stakeholder engagement to engage and communicate with the stakeholders effectively during the implementation of the project. The detailed presentation is enclosed as Annexure- 14.

Key elements of the discussion

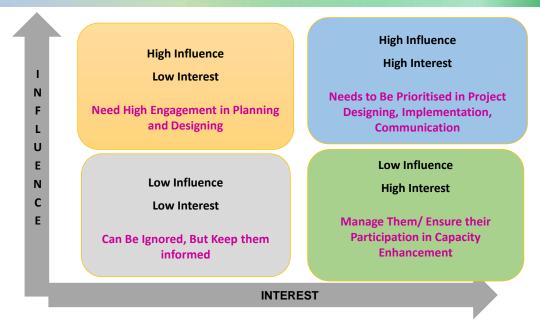
- Why engagement with stakeholders is crucial for ensuring the success, sustainability, and replicability of the project?
- Why understanding stakeholders will help us to address their concerns, needs, and interest in the project?
- Stakeholder for a project is diverse and each one of them might have different Interest and Influence on the project.
- Stakeholder Engagement is an ongoing process.
- Best methods and understanding of local practice for holding community meetings.

Remarks by the participants

• What is the reason behind choosing Sheopur & Morena District for this project?

Green-Ag Project

Stakeholder Engagement Strategies



Session 3- Communication Strategy

Resource Person: Mr. Kaustuv Chakrabarti, Communications and Value Chains Specialist, NPMU



The third presentation titled Communication Strategy was given by Mr. Kaustuv Chakrabarti, Communications and Value Chains Specialist, NPMU. He began the presentation by asking participants to share what they understand by the term 'communication'. After this, he explained the term and explained 4W & 1H approach for the project. Here 4W and 1H stand for Why or Why do we need to communicate (purpose of the project), What or What to communicate (message of the project), Who or who should we communicate with (The audience), When

or When should we communicate (timing) and how or how to communicate (tools or channels). All the components were elaborated and discussed in detail. Mr. Chakrabarti emphasized the importance of clear and effective communication to highlight and disseminate the best practices, learning, outcomes, and ongoing status of project implementation among different stakeholders. The presentation elaborated on the tools of communication, the steps to be followed, the target audience, messages, and the timing of communication in detail. Additionally, he discussed the activities, indicators, targets, publication workflow, and state communication plan. The detailed presentation is enclosed as Annexure- 15.

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Audience

Whom to communicate with?

• Community members (GP members, community groups, farmers, women, indigenous people, opinion leaders, sarpanch, faith leaders)



- Field level staff of various Government Departments
- Media (print and broadcast)
- SPMU

Session 4- Operations Management: Staff management, Procurement, Record Keeping, Monitoring, and Reporting

Resource Person: Ms. Uma Balaji, Admin & Operations Officer, NPMU

Ms. Uma Balaji, Admin, and Operations Manager (NPMU) presented Green-Ag

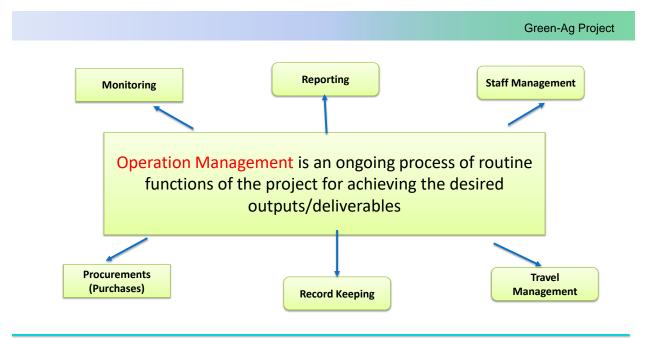
operation management, annual work plan budget, monitoring, and record management. This session explained various elements relating to project operations like execution operational of partner agreements, proper staff management, travel management, working as per the annual work plan budget (AWPB), procurement, monitoring, and reporting. The role of the operational partner in devising various travel rules and procurement processes for the smooth execution of the project



was discussed in detail. Broadly, apart from expendable and non-expendable procurements, the project team will need to recruit human resources as well. All such procurements and bookkeeping are to be in accordance with the state government rules/regulations/instructions. The stock management process post-procurement was also explained. The process of preparing the annual work plan & budget and approval at various levels like the State Steering Committee (SSC) and National Project Management Committee (NPMC)and the fund transfer mechanism from FAO to operational partner were discussed in detail during the session. Ms Balaji reiterated that major deviations in the budget will need to be approved by SSC and NPMC. The project monitoring mechanism which includes field visits by FAO/OP, midterm evaluation, and periodical audits was touched upon during the presentation.

Ms. Balaji mentioned that all procurements are to be carried out as per SSC approved annual work plan budget and if any changes are made, the revised procurement plan should be approved by SSC in the next meeting. She also explained different types of reporting formats, requirements and their respective timeline. Further, monitoring mechanisms such as monitoring visits by FAO

experts, audits, spot checks, and mid-term and final reviews were also outlined. The detailed presentation is enclosed as Annexure- 16.



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Session 5- Community engagement strategy, Village Implementation Committees (VICs), and Free Prior and Informed Consent (FPIC)

Resource Person: Mr. R.B. Sinha, Project Director, NPMU

Mr. R.B. Sinha began the presentation on Community engagement strategy and VICs by explaining the community engagement framework. The framework consisted of various elements of the community engagement strategy, where the first element was community stakeholder mapping. He explained key aspects to keep in mind while identifying community stakeholders. Mr. Sinha elaborated on the need to develop a community engagement plan and key aspects to cover while introducing the project. He outlined the importance of Village Implementation Committees (VICs) and Gram Panchayat Support Unit (GPSU). Different stages of project implementation and the project's grievance redressal mechanism were also discussed during the presentation. Further, the session dealt with the importance of seeking the consent of local communities in the project. The concept and relevance of Free Prior and Informed Consent (FPIC), especially in the context of the indigenous population of the landscape were introduced. This was followed by an overview of the presence of different indigenous communities in the Sheopur and Morena districts and the relevance of nature, natural resources, habitation, traditional knowledge, and values to the cultural ethos of these communities. Different methods of executing the FPIC process in the landscape including the benefits of FPIC were discussed in detail. The detailed presentation is enclosed as Annexure- 17.



Session 6- MIS and Online Accounting

Resource Person: Mr. Sumanta Kumar Sahoo, Finance and M&E Specialist, NPMU, and Mr. Abhishek Saini, IT Specialist NPMU



Mr. Sumanta Kumar Sahoo and Mr. Abhishek Saini gave the presentation on Management Information Systems (MIS) and online accounting. The presentation dealt with financial architecture, accounting systems (Data entry), account records and management information systems (MIS). They introduced MIS as a system of collecting, storing, and disseminating data in the form of information needed to carry out the functions of management.

Along with this, the MIS web portal and MIS data collection methodology were also discussed. It is programmed in such a way that it generates regular reports on operations for every level of management in the project. Using this application, data will be collected from the community level, entered at the GLIU level, validated at the SPMU level, and then forwarded to NPMU.

During the discussion, it was emphasized to follow the financial rules and regulations of the Government of Madhya Pradesh for securing and spending the fund provided by FAO. It was reiterated that while formulating the budget amount should be allocated to each activity in accordance with the project's overall budget. Additionally. the presentation reiterated that for online accounting, supporting documents such as approvals from the relevant authority, and the bill vouchers



must be uploaded for each entry. The session ended with a demonstration of the online accounting entry.

The detailed presentation is enclosed as Annexure- 18.

Valedictory Session

The State Inception workshop concluded with a message from Mr. R.B Sinha, Project Director, NPMU, and Dr. Konda Reddy Chavva, AFAOR, FAO India. It was reiterated to the participating nodal officers and the project team to work closely on various issues to effectively implement the project. The participating nodal officers from various departments also expressed their appreciation for the insights gained from thethematic presentations during the inception workshop. Following this, participation certificates were distributed to all the attendees. Mr. S.C. Singadia, Addl. Director, Farmer Welfare & Agriculture Development, MP Government, delivered the vote of thanks and expressed gratitude towards all the participants.

Annexure 1

Participant list of State Inception Workshop, Green-Ag Project, Madhya Pradesh

Date: 3rd& 4th June

Venue: State Institute of Agricultural Extension and Training, Bhopal

	Name	Designation	Department
1	Mr. Shailendra Singh	Agriculture Production Commissioner	M.P. Govt
2	Mrs. Preeti Maithil Nayak	Director	Farmer Welfare and Agriculture Development Bhopal (M.P.)
3	Mr. R.B. Sinha	Project Director, NPMU	NPMU
4	Mr. Konda Reddy	Asst. Representative FAO	FAO
5	Mr. Sumanta Kumar Sahoo	Finance and M&E Specialist	NPMU
6	Ms. Divya Shah	Natural Resource Management & Biodiversity Specialist	NPMU
7	Ms. Athira RS	Project Associate	NPMU
8	Ms. Uma Balaji	Admin & Operations Officer	NPMU
9	Mr. Kaustuv Chakrabarti	Communications and Value Chains Specialist	NPMU

10	Mr. Abhishek Saini	IT Specialist	NPMU
11	Ms. Bushra Khan	Budget & Finance Officer	SPMU
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Annexure 2

State Inception Workshop

State Project Management Unit (SPMU)

Department of Farmer Welfare and Agriculture Development, Madhya Pradesh

Date: 3rd and 4th June 2022

Venue: SIAET, Bhopal

Schedule

Day 1 (3rd June 2022)

Time	Activities Day -1		
9:30 AM- 10:00 AM	Registration of Participants.		
10.00 AM-10.35 AM	Arrival of Guest		
	Day-1 Technical Session-1		
10.35 AM -11.15 AM	Project Overview by – Shri Konda Reddy, AFAOR		
11.15AM -11:35 AM	Landscape Assessment by Dr Divya Shah, NPMU		
11:35 AM - 12.10 PM	Landscape and collaborative Planning by Shri R.B. Sinha (Project Director), NPMU		
Inaugural Session			
12.10PM - 12.15 PM	Saraswati Pooja & Welcome of Guests		
12.15 PM - 12.25 PM	Address by: Dr Konda Reddy, AFAOR, FAO India Representative		
12.25 PM - 12:30 PM	Address and Tone setting by: Mr.s. Preeti Maithil Nayak, Director, Farmer Welfare & Agriculture Development, MP Government		
12:30 PM - 12:35PM	Inaugural address by: Mr. Shailendra Singh, Agriculture Production Commissioner, MP Government		
12:35 PM - 12:40PM	Vote of Thanks by Addl. Director, Dept of Agriculture, MP		

12:40 PM – 1:00 PM	Tea Break		
Day-1 Technical Session-2			
1.00 PM -1.20 PM	Participants Introduction		
1.20 PM - 02.00 PM	Sustainable Agriculture by Dr Divya Shah, NPMU		
02.00 PM - 03.00 PM	Working Lunch		
Day-1 Technical Session-3			
03.00 PM -04.00 PM	Livestock Management by Shri R.B. Sinha (Project Director), NPMU		
04.00PM - 04.45 PM	Natural Resource Management by Dr Divya Shah, NPMU and Ms. Athira RS		
04:45 PM - 05:00 PM	Tea Break		
05.00PM - 05.30 PM	Results Framework by Shri Konda Reddy, AFAOR		
05.30PM - 06.00PM	Capacity Enhancement by Shri Konda Reddy, AFAOR		

Day - 2 (4th June 2022)

Time	Activity Day – 2		
Day-2 Technical Session-1			
10.00 AM- 10.30 AM	Most important lessons learnt yesterday and clarifications		
10.30 AM- 11.15 AM	Gender Mainstreaming by Shri Kaustuv Chakrabarti, NPMU		
11.15 AM-12.30 PM	Stakeholder Analysis by Shri R. B Sinha, NPMU		
12.30 PM-12.45 PM	Tea break		
12.45 PM-01.20 PM	Communication strategy by Shri Kaustuv Chakrabarti, NPMU		
01.20 PM-01.50 PM	Procurement plan, Monitoring, and record management by Ms. Uma Balaji, NPMU		
01.50 PM- 02.45 PM	Lunch break		
Day-2 Technical Session-2			
02.45 PM-03.20 PM	Community engagement strategy and VICs by Shri R. B Sinha, NPMU		
03.20 PM-04.45 PM	MIS and on-line Accounting by Shri. Sumanta Kumar Sahoo and Shri Abhishek Saini, NPMU		
04.45PM-05.45 PM	Valedictory session& Certificate Distribution		
05.45 PM-06.00 PM	Tea Break		

Annexure 3

Media Coverage Gallery



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कृषि मंत्रालय भारत सरकार, कृषि विभाग मध्यप्रदेश और संयुक्त राष्ट्र फूड एंड एग्रीकल्चर के सहयोग से चलाया जा रहा ग्रीन ऐग प्रोजेक्ट

- कृषि उत्पादन आयुक्त श्री शैलेन्द्र सिंह ने कार्यशाला का उदघाटन किया।
- प्रोजेक्ट का मुख्य उद्देश्य कृषि प्रणाली में बदलाव लाकर वैश्विक पर्यावरण लाभ प्राप्त करना है
- प्रदेश के श्योपुर और मुरैना जिले में कई विभागों के सहयोग से समन्वित परियोजना जारी है, एक लाख हेक्टेयर भूमि पर ग्रीन ऐग प्रोजेक्ट का क्रियान्वयन, 1 लाख 11 हजार किसान होंगे लाभान्वित।
- चंबल नदी के घड़ियाल और कूनो अभ्यारण्य के चीतों के साथ जैव विविधता संरक्षण के साथ प्राकृतिक तरीकों से खेती का उद्देश्य।
- ि कार्यशाला में संचालक किसान कल्याण तथा कृषि विकास सुश्री प्रीति मैथिल नायक, प्रोजेक्ट डायरेक्टर श्री आर बी सिन्हा एवं एफ ए ओ प्रतिनिधि डॉ. कोंडा रेड्डी के साथ श्योपुर एवं मुरैना जिले के वन, पशुपालन, उद्यानिकी तथा कृषि आदि विभागों के प्रतिनिधियों ने भी सहभागिता की।

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पर्यावरण मैत्री के साथ उन्नत कृषि आधारित परियोजना संबंधी हुई कार्यशाला

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संवालक कृषि श्रीमती प्रीति मेथिल नायक ने मध्यप्रदेश में कृषि विभाग की उपविश्वयों की जानकारी कार्यशाला में साझा की। उन्होंने बताया कि स्थोपुर और मुरेना में संचालित प्रोजेक्ट से एक लाख से अधिक कृषक लाभान्वित होंगे। श्रीमती प्रीति मेथिल ने समान उद्देश्यों वाली अन्य परियोजनाओं की जानकारी भी दी।

कृषि तथा किसान-कल्याण मंत्रालय भारत सरकार, किसान-कल्याण तथा कृषि विकास विभाग मध्यप्रदेश और संयुक्त राष्ट्र फूड एण्ड एप्रीकल्चर ऑर्गेनाइजेशन (एफएओ) के संयुक्त तत्वावधान में कार्यशाला का आयोजन किया गया। कार्यशाला में श्लोपुर और मुरेना में संचालित किये जा रहे भीन एम प्रोजेक्ट पर विस्तार से चर्चा की गई। जैव-विविधता संरक्षण के साथ प्राकृतिक तरीकों से खेती पर भी चर्चा हुई। एफएओ प्रतिनिश्व की कोंडा रेड्डी ने कहा कि एक लाख हेक्टेयर भूमि पर प्रोजेक्ट संवालित किया जा रहा है। प्रोजेक्ट डायरेक्टर डॉ. आर.बी. सिन्हा ने कहा कि कृषि प्रणाली में बदलाव लाक वेष्ट्रिक एप्यंवरण लाभ प्राप्त करना परियोजना का मुख्य लक्ष्य है।

तीन और चार जून को दो दिवसीय कार्यशाला में विभिन्न विभागों के राज्य स्तरीय नोडल अधिकारियों के साथ श्योपुर एवं मुरेना जिले के वन, पशुपालन, उद्यानिकी और कृषि विभाग के अधिकारी और प्रतिनिधि उपस्थित थे।

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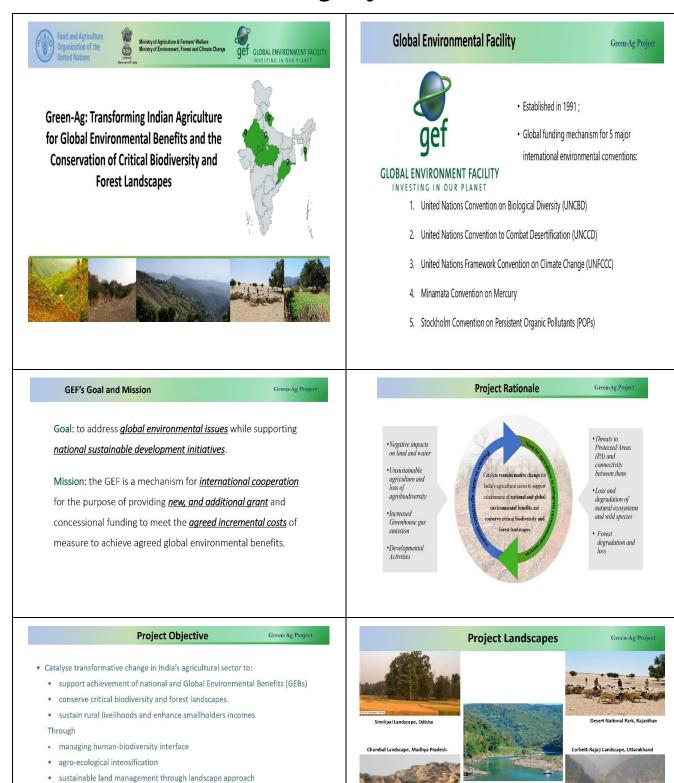


Annexure 4

IEC Gallery (Banner)



Annexure 5: Session 1- Green-Ag Project overview



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drivers of deforestation

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Green-Ag Project

- 96143.2 ha landscape in Sheopur and Morena districts, along the Chambal river
- · Protected Areas in the landscape: National Chambal Sanctuary
- · Number of Villages: 96
- Approx. total population of 1,11,590 persons (24,560 HH)

District	Block	Tehsil
Morena	Sabalgarh	Sabalgarh
Sheopur	Vijaypur	Vijaypur, Beerpur

Global Biodiversity Significance in Chambal landscape

- Unique combination of riverine and ravine ecosystems
- Largest gharial population in the world
- High density of Ganges River Dolphin, Indian Mugger crocodile, Red-crowned Roofed Turtle and Otter
- Important Bird Area –Nesting ground: Indian skimmer, Black bellied tern, small Indian pratincole, Staging ground for migratory waterfowl







Agrobiodiversity in Chambal Landscape

Some notable agrobiodiversity in the area include:

- Wheat
- · Little Millets
- Jawar, Bajra
- Rice
- Pigeon pea, Black gram

Threats to Chambal Landscape

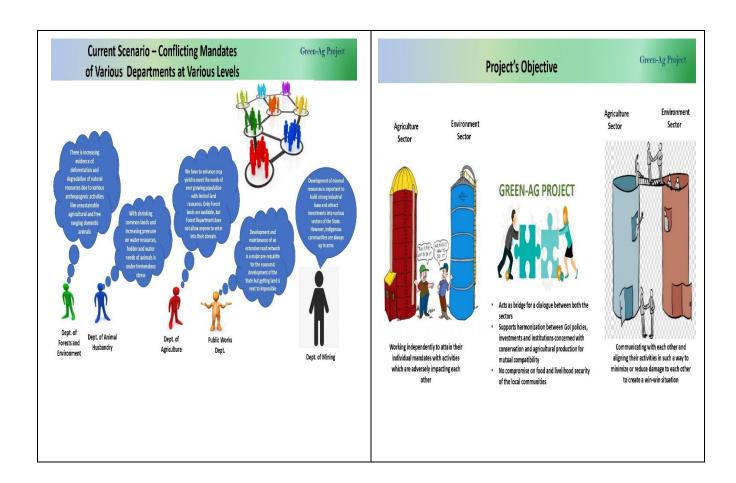
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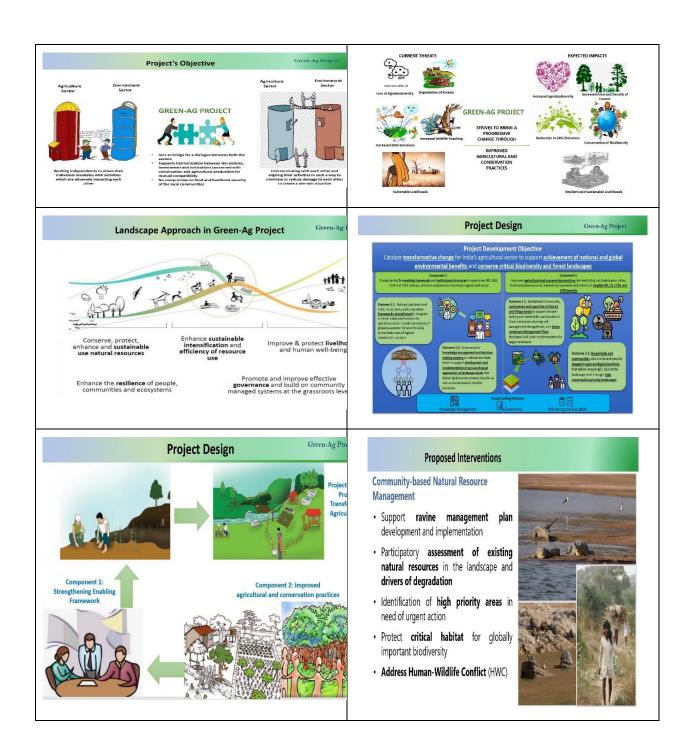


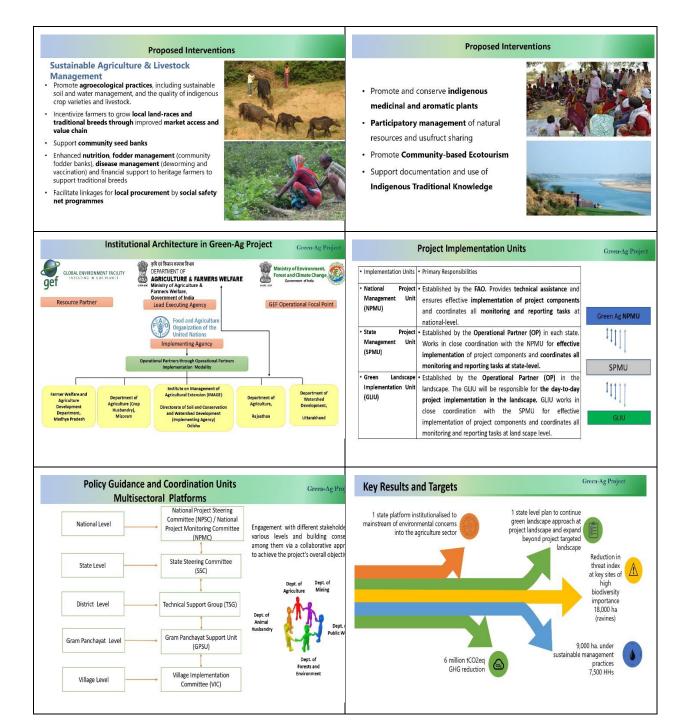


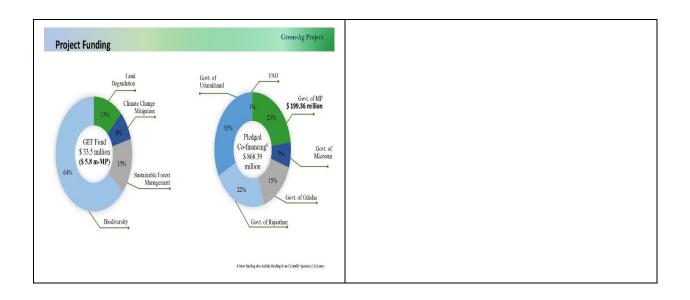
- Ingress of ravines in table land due to unsustainable use of natural resources by local communities
- Threat to the Chambal river ecosystem from unsustainable cropping and livestock management practices
- Loss of agrobiodiversity
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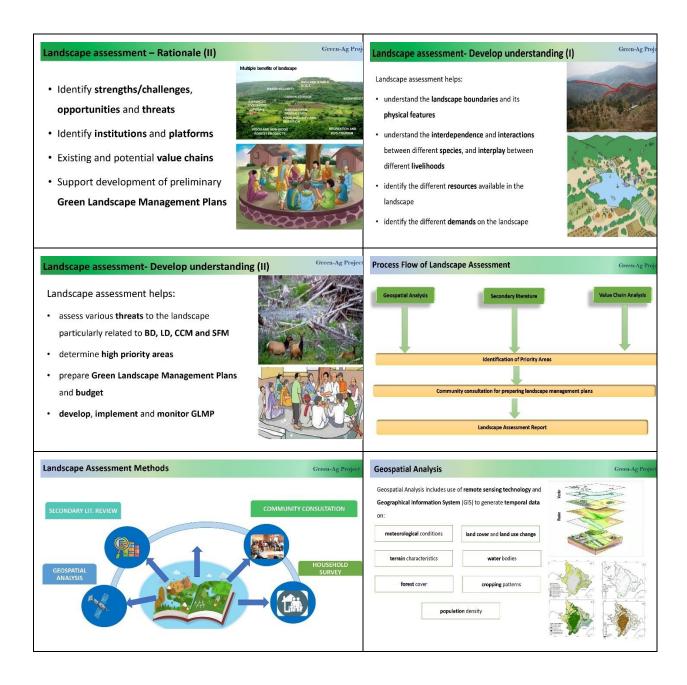


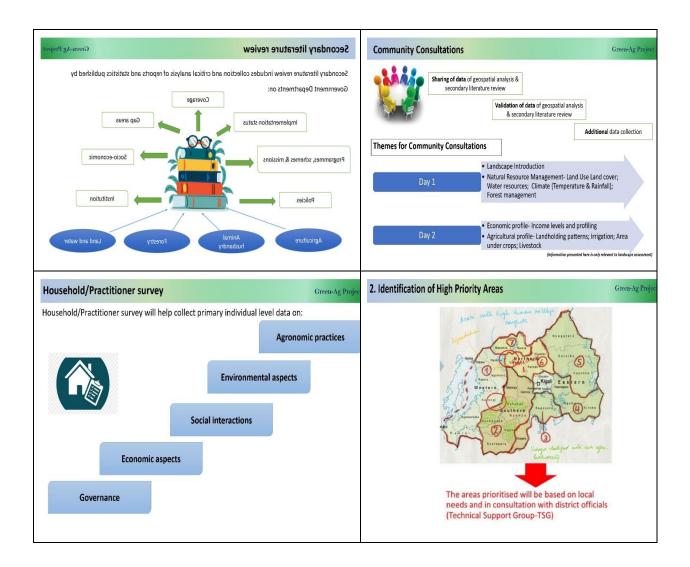


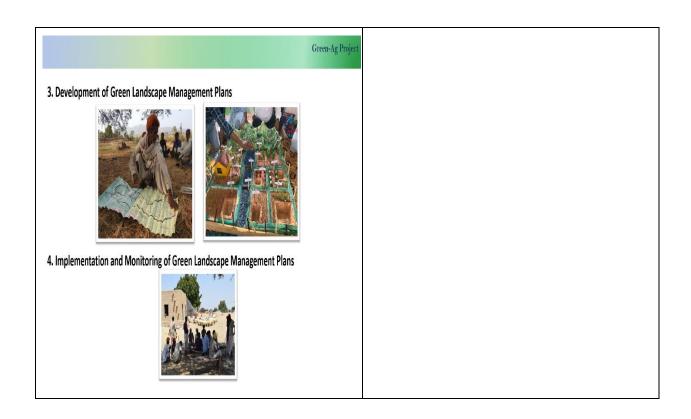


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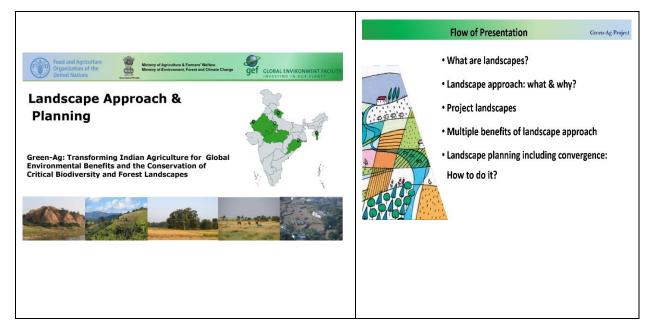


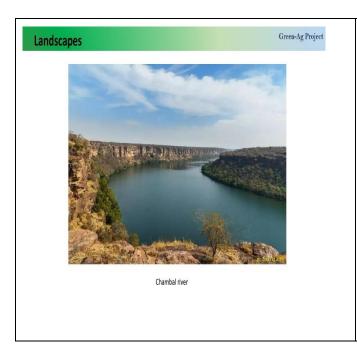


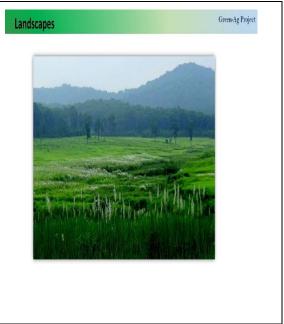


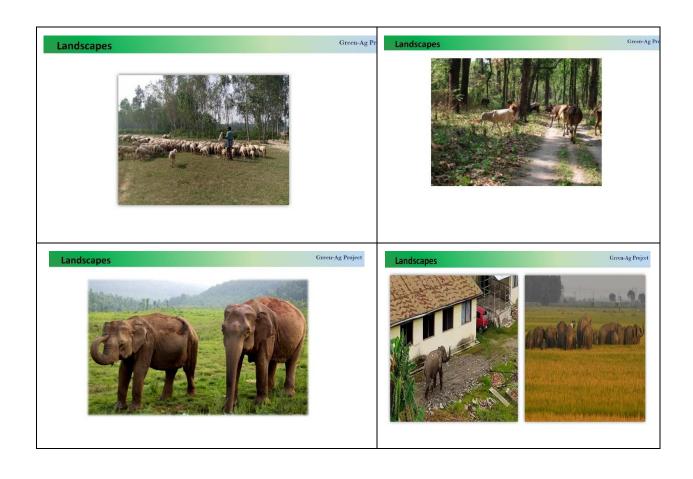


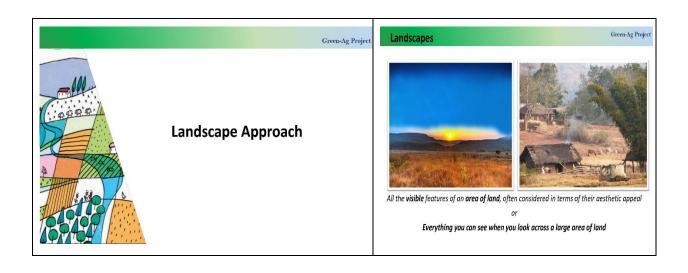
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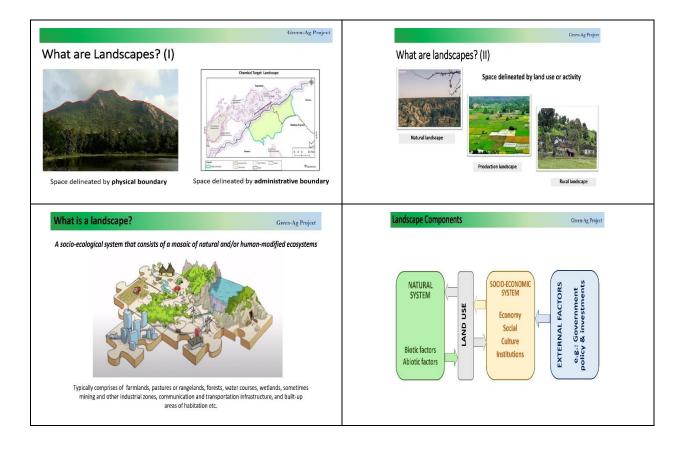


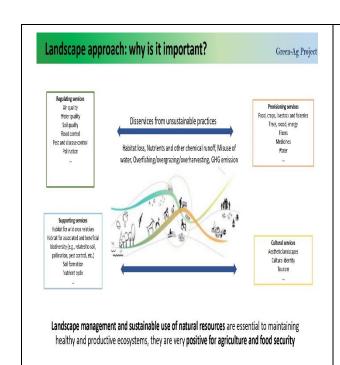








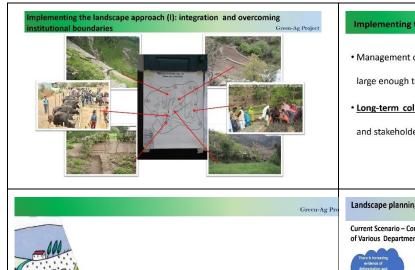




Key Elements in Landscape approach

Green-Ag Project

- Deals with processes in an **integrated and multidisciplinary** manner;
- Combines **natural resource management** with **environmental** and **livelihood** considerations;
- Factors in **human activities** and views them as an **integral part of the system**;
- Requires multi-stakeholder interventions.



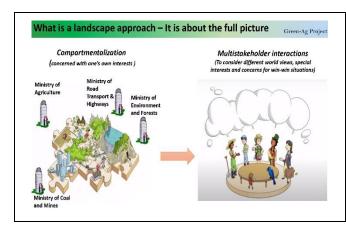
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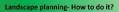
- Management of <u>production systems</u> and <u>natural resources</u> in an are large enough to <u>produce vital ecosystem services</u>;
- Long-term collaboration among different groups of land manage and stakeholders to achieve their multiple objectives



Landscape Planning







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· Before making Departmental Plans, can we start talking:





partments All Departments collective with communities

Landscape planning- How to do it?

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Concerns: Listen to





- Core concerns of each department identified and respected by all other departments.
- Communities' concerns and views on each department's actions/programmes/policies and their expectations from all departments including prioritization of issues in different department's agenda

Landscape planning- How to do it?

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Consensus:

- No compromise on any department's core concerns
- Accommodate other's priorities without compromising department's core concerns
- Reaching a Consensus- Collaboration
- List disagreements and work on them





Plan: Agreed to promote Integrated Farming System

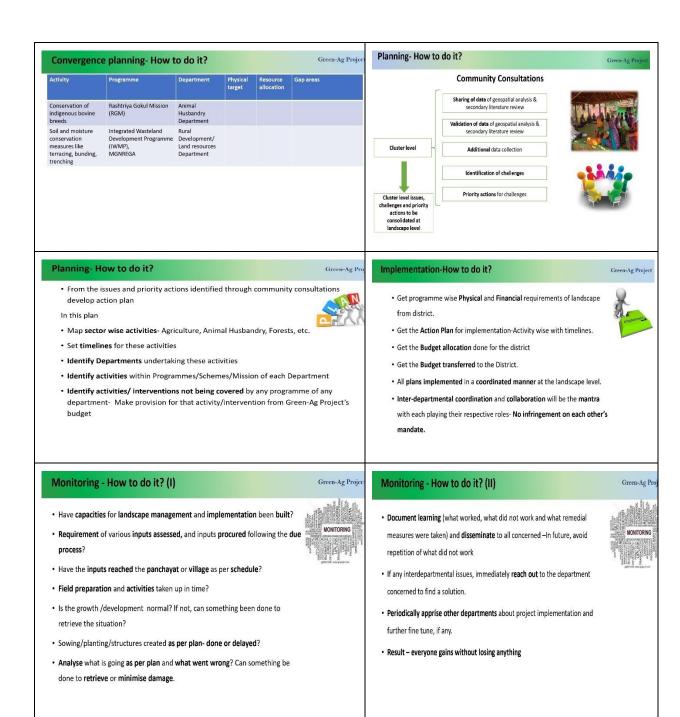
- Agriculture promotion of indigenous millets
- Livestock Promotion of indigenous goat and sheep
- Agroforestry Planting of fast-growing trees on bunds
- $\bullet\,$ Pasture Development Improvement in pasture area and even within forest area.
- · Horticulture Fruit tree planting, Seasonal vegetables in backyards
- Water harvesting, Soil and water conservation measures like check bunds, percolation tanks etc. Creation of water harvesting structurers, increasing Water-use efficiency
- Other livelihoods Bee keeping etc.

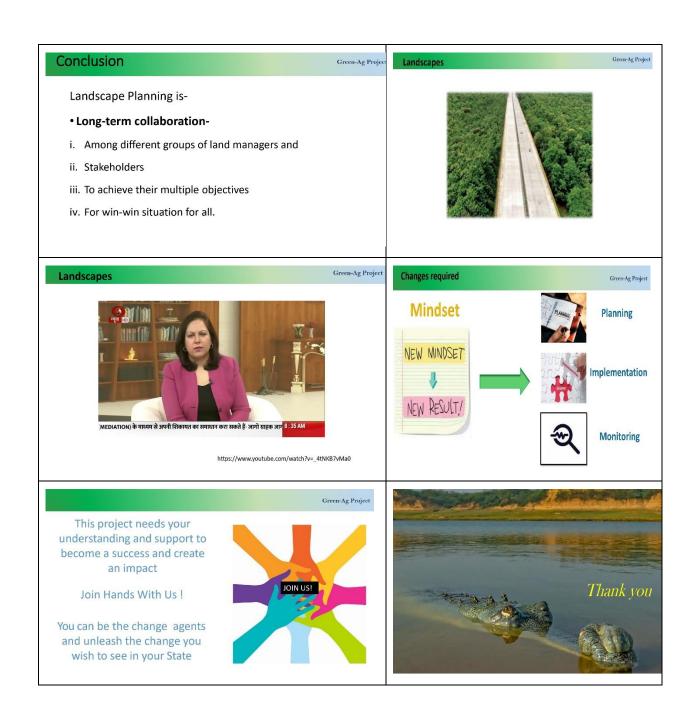
Convergence planning- How to do it?

- · Forest and wildlife conservation
- Equitable opportunities in participation and decision making for women and weaker sections

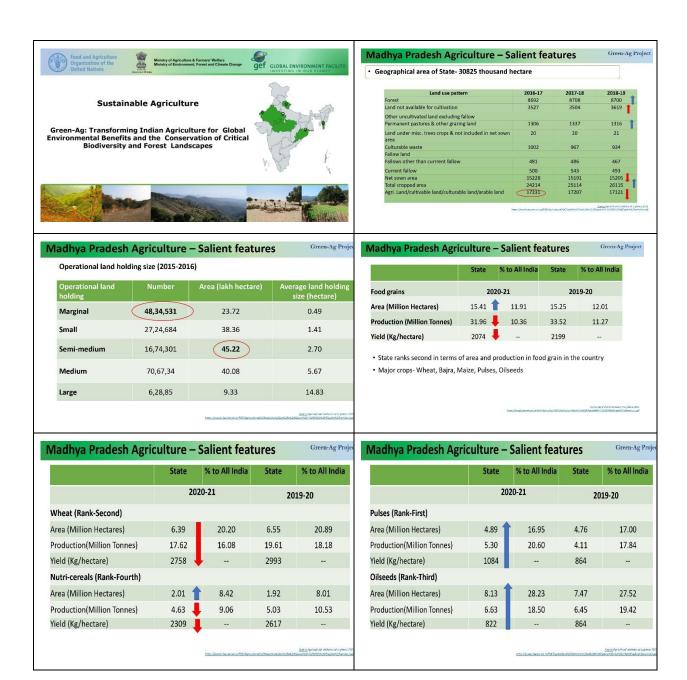
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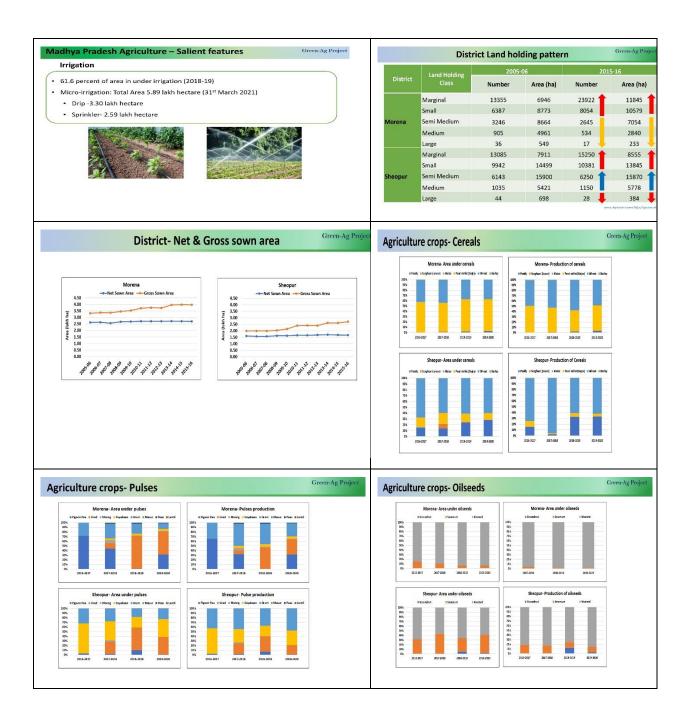
Activity	Programme	Department	Physical target	Resource allocation	Gap areas		
Vermicompost	Paramparagat Krishi Vikas Yojana (PKVY), National Mission for Sustainable Agriculture (NMSA), Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture (MIDH), National Food Security Mission (NFSM), Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana (RKYY)	Agriculture/ Horticulture Department			Assistance provided for setting up of vermicompost unit in range of 50 to 60 percent.		
Micro-Irrigation	Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana- Per Drop More Crop (PMKSY-PDMC)	Agriculture/ Horticulture Department			50 percent of the cost is borne under this scheme. Small and marginal farmers cannot bear the 50 percent cost.		





Annexure 8: Session 4: Sustainable Agriculture





High Yielding Varieties & Use of chemical fertilizers				Green-Ag Projec		
	Mo		Sheopur			
Parameters	2001 - 02	2011 - 12	2001 - 02	2011 - 12		
Area under HYV Crop (Ha)	204365	350349	37632	226470		
Area under Other Crops (Ha)	87720	24816	123945	25911		
% Area under HYV Crops	70	93.4	23.3	89.7		
% Area under Other Crops	30	6.6	76.7	10.3		
% Area under HYV Crops applying Chemical Fertilizer	76.7	90.8	60.6	71.9		
% Area under Other Crops applying Chemical Fertilizer	65.2	81.8	55.3	45.3		

ource: Agriculture Census – Input Survey (https://inputsurvey.ducnet.nic.in/

Key issues in the Landscape

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- Decline in land holding size
- Increase in area under high yielding variety and agricultural intensification threat to traditional agrobiodiversity, particularly indigenous medicinal, aromatic plants and local land race of agriculture crops
- · Soil erosion resulting in loss of productive capacity
- · Increase in use of pesticide and chemical fertilizers- threat to biodiversity

Key issues in the Landscape

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- Increase dependency on ground water irrigation- decline in water table
- Expansion of agriculture in the riverbeds and surrounding areas
- Anthropogenic pressure on the sanctuary due to human settlements
- · Human wildlife conflict
- Threat to the Chambal river ecosystem from unsustainable cropping practices

Climate Change

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- Climate change refers to long-term shifts in temperatures and weather patterns.
- Climate change is a natural phenomenon
- However, anthropogenic activities now major drivers of climate change now
- Key Green House Gases (GHGs) are carbon dioxide, methane, nitrous oxide, cholroflouro carbons etc.



Climate Change

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- Agriculture sector both contributes to and is affected by climate change
- As per recent (Third) Biennial Update Report, 2016 (GHG Inventory), India's agriculture sector has recorded an absolute decline of 2.25 percent since 2014. Agriculture sector contributes 14 percent of total GHG
- Main GHG emissions from agriculture sector are methane from livestock's enteric fermentation and rice cultivation and nitrous oxide from manure management and agriculture soil

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Climate Change

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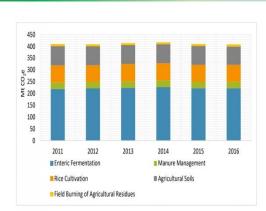
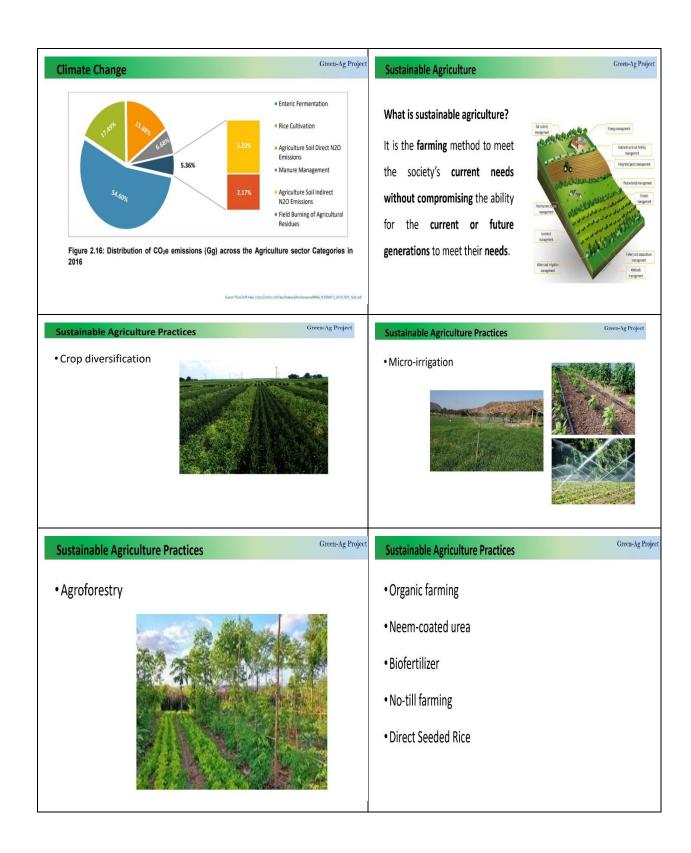
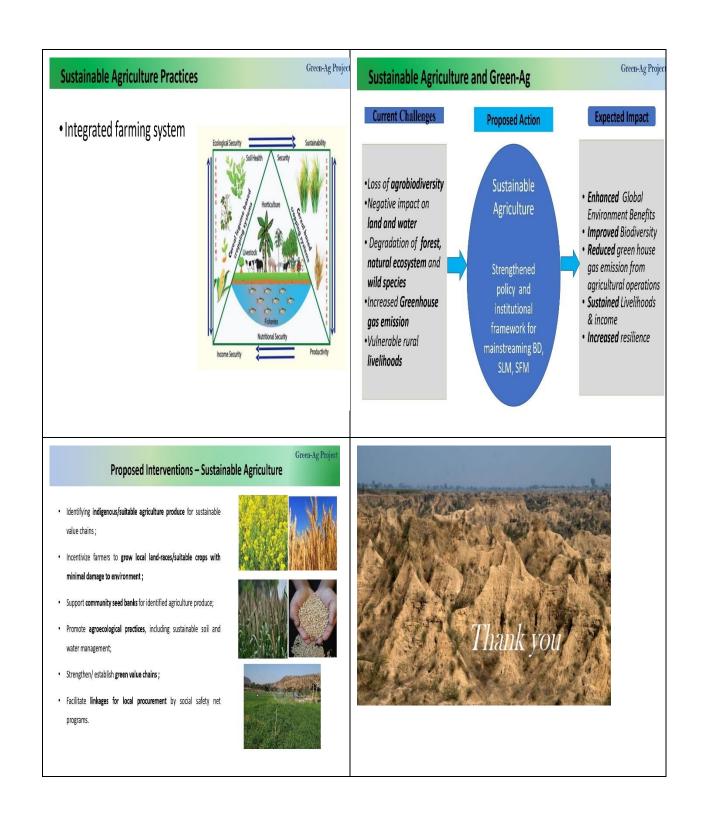


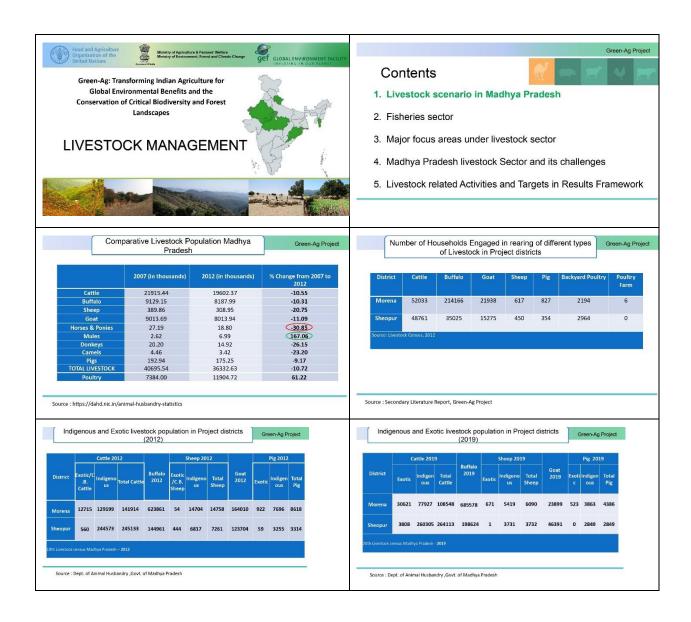
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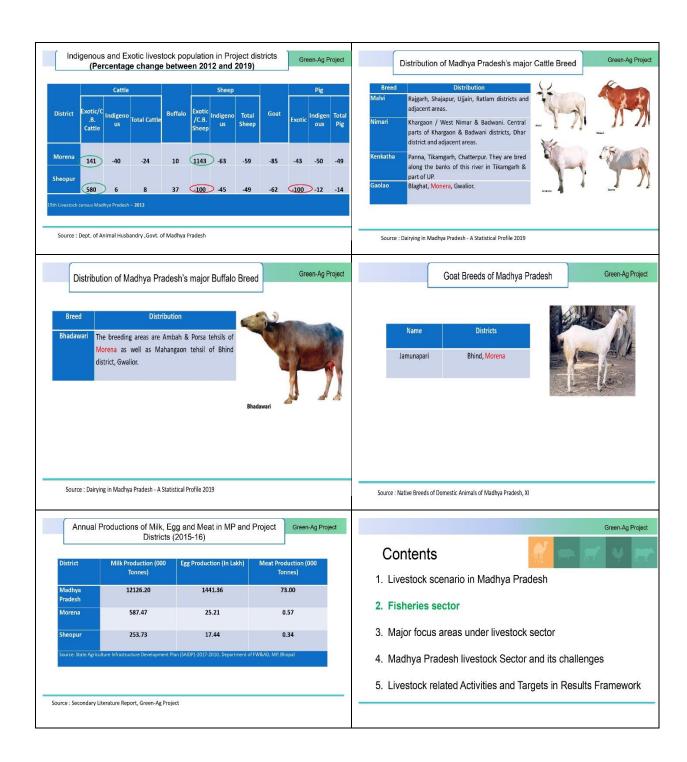
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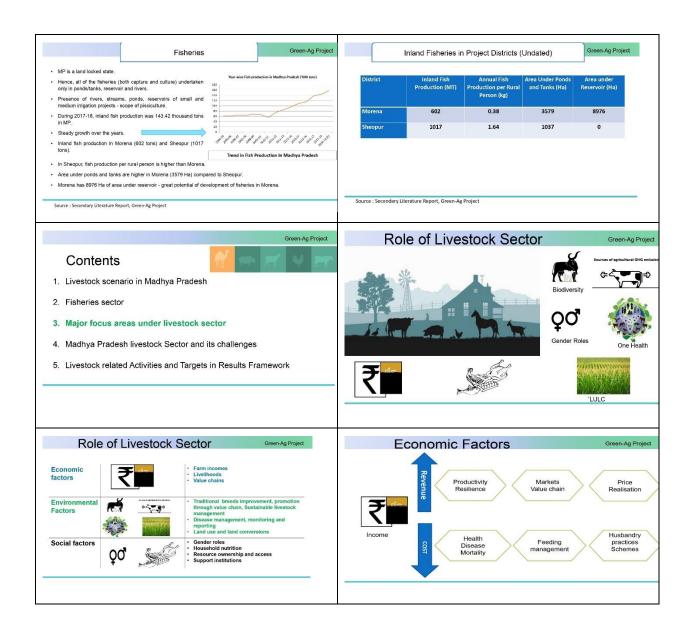


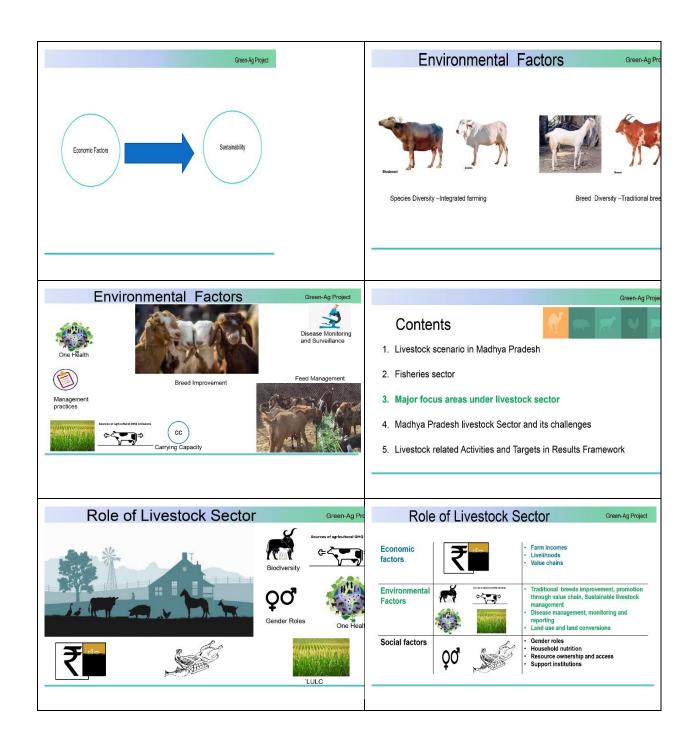


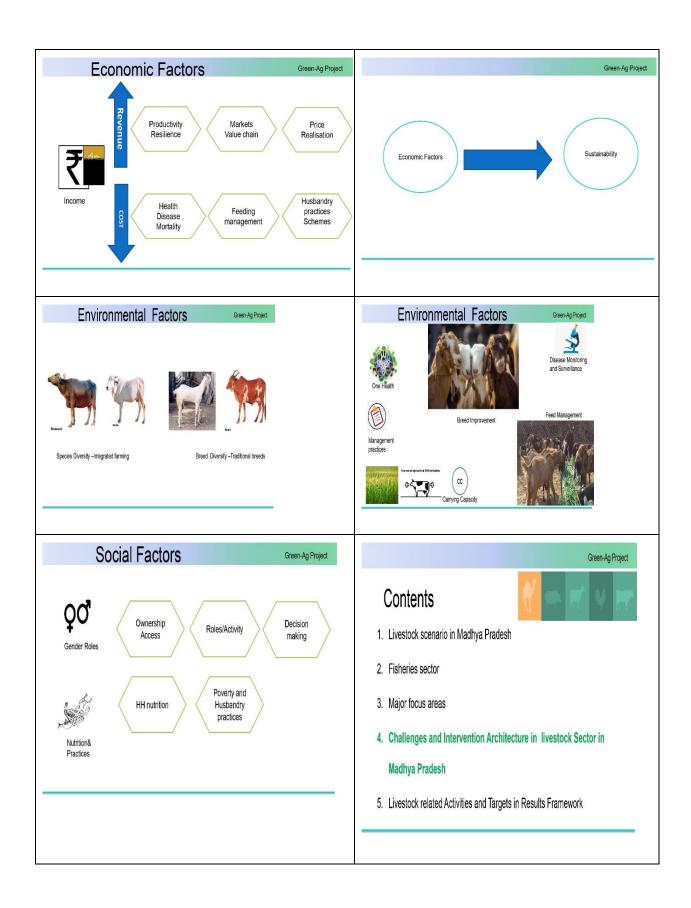
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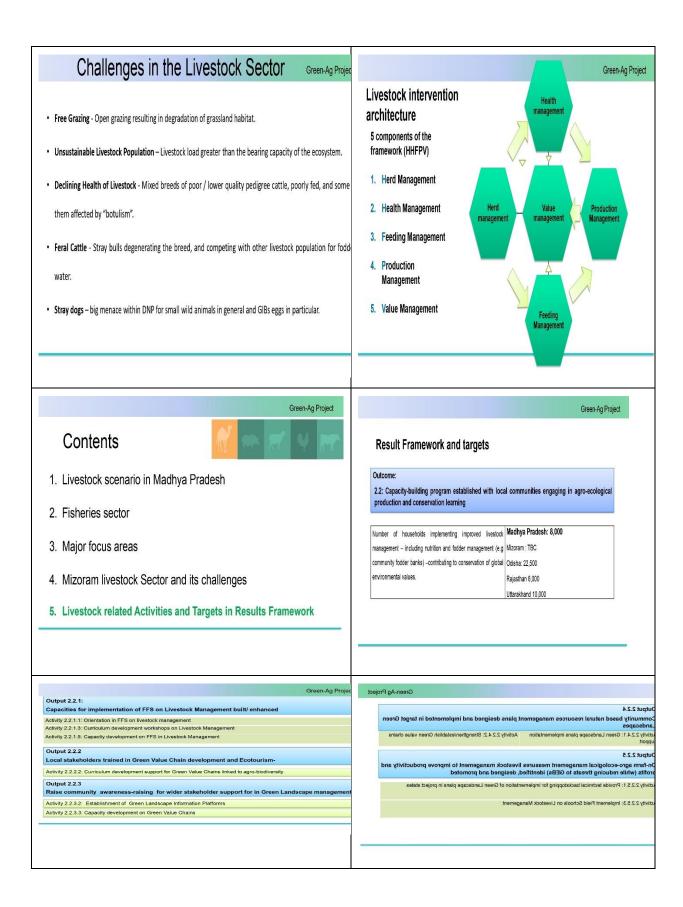












Annexure 10: Session 6: Green-Ag: Natural Resource Management

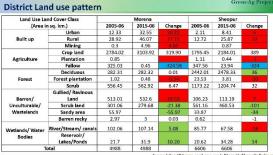


Chambal Landscape

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- Project landscape includes parts of Morena and Sheopur districts, contiguous with National Chambal Sanctuary.
- Protected area includes several globally significant species including the critically endangered Gharial, red crowned roof turtle and globally endangered Ganges River Dolphin, Indian mugger crocodile.
- Notable feature of the landscape is the deeply eroded gullies (ravines), developed in through centuries of severe land degradation
- Vegetation of Chambal region encompasses mainly two types of forests Tropical dry deciduous forest and Tropical ravine thorn forest.
- Farmers in the region have been cultivating diversity of locally adapted crops for centuries





Green-Ag Pi **Soil Characteristics**

· Chambal valley is covered by two prominent soil types- Black soil (suitable for cotton, pulses, millets, citrus fruits, sugarcane etc.) and Alluvial soils (intensely cultivated soil suitable for wheat, maize, sugarcane, pulses, oilseeds).



· Alluvial soils- highly fragile, have very high rate of soil

erosion.

Major Soils Type	Morena		Sheopur		
	Area ('000 ha)	% of total	Area ('000 ha)	% of total	
Deep soils	407	81.6	149	22.7	
Medium deep soil	39.8	8.04	84.4	12.9	
Shallow soil	51.2	10.4	425	64.4	
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Water Resources

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Parameters	Morena	Sheopur
Water source	The tributaries of Chambal River, namely Kumari and Asan rivers drain the district	Surface water is supplied by Chambal, Seep and Kuno rivers
Ground water Level Trend Pre-Monsoon (May 2010 to May 2019)	Declining trend at a higher rate (>0.2m/year) has been observed in Morena district.	Rising trend more than 0.20 m/year has been observed only in Sheopur district
Ground water Level Trend Post-Monsoon November 2010 to November 2019)	-	Declining trend at a rate 0.10 to 0.20 m/year has been observed in parts of district.
Stage of ground water extraction	35.56% (2016-17) 39.82% (2019-20)	35.96% (2016-17) 37.81% (2019-20)

Forest

Year	Morena District			Sheopur District				
	Forest Cover		Non-forest cover	Forest Cover			Non- forest cover	
	Very Dense Forest	Moderately Dense Forest	Open Forest	Scrub	Very Dense Forest	Moderately Dense Forest	Open Forest	Scrub
2005	0	238	541	91	7	1904	1723	61
2011	0	98	632	409	6	1394	2121	127
2017	0	96	646	410	6	1397	2083	128
2019	0	96	644	402	6	1395	2059	129
2021	0	96	666	368	6	1394	2044	131









Floral Biodiversity

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- · Area rich in floral/plant biodiversity
- · Around 297 plants species (both terrestrial and aquatic) have been recorded from the National Chambal Sanctuary
- · Some common examples are: Anogeissus latifolia (Dhawda), Tectona grandis (Teak/ Sagaun), Diospyros melanoxylon (Tendu), Mitragyna parviflora (Kadam), Butea monosperma (Palas), Boswelia serrata (Salai), Emblica officianalis (Amla), Hardwickia binate (Anjan)













Proposed Interventions – Community based Natural Resource

Management

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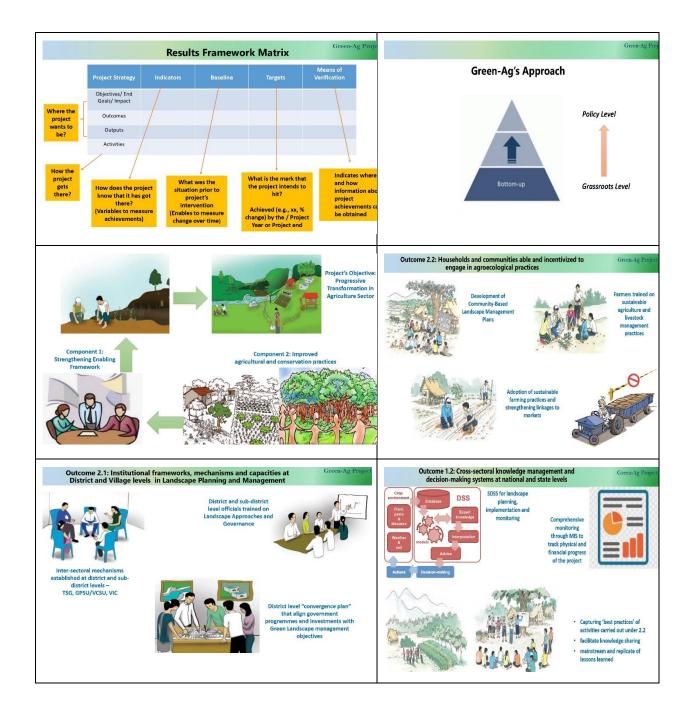
- Identifying indigenous/suitable agriculture produce for sustainable value chains;
- Incentivize farmers to grow local land-races/suitable crops with minimal damage to environment;
- Support **community seed banks** for identified agriculture produce;
- Promote **agroecological practices**, including sustainable soil and water management;
- Strengthen/ establish green value chains;
- Facilitate **linkages for local procurement** by social safety net programs.

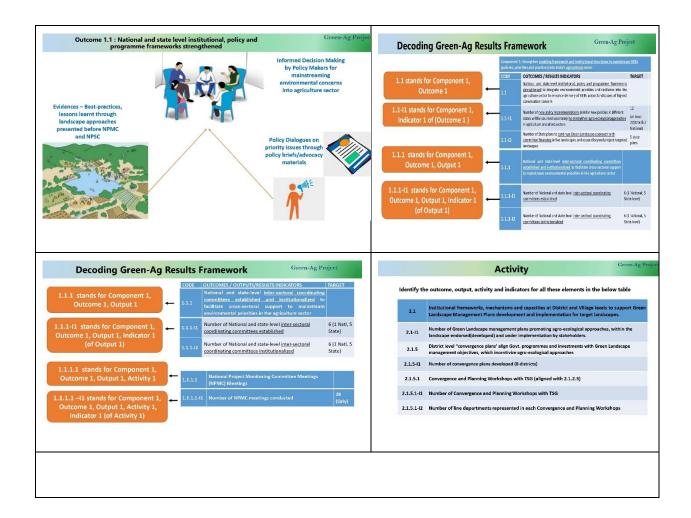




Annexure 11: Session 7: Results Framework

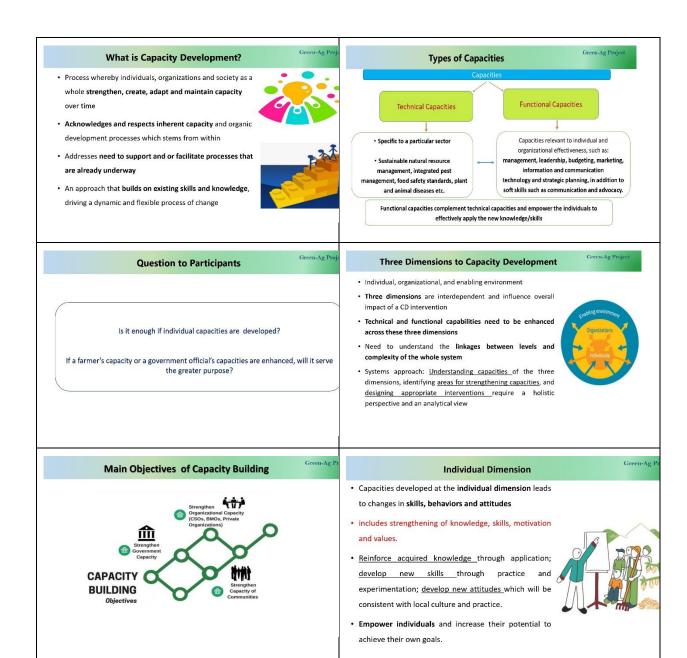


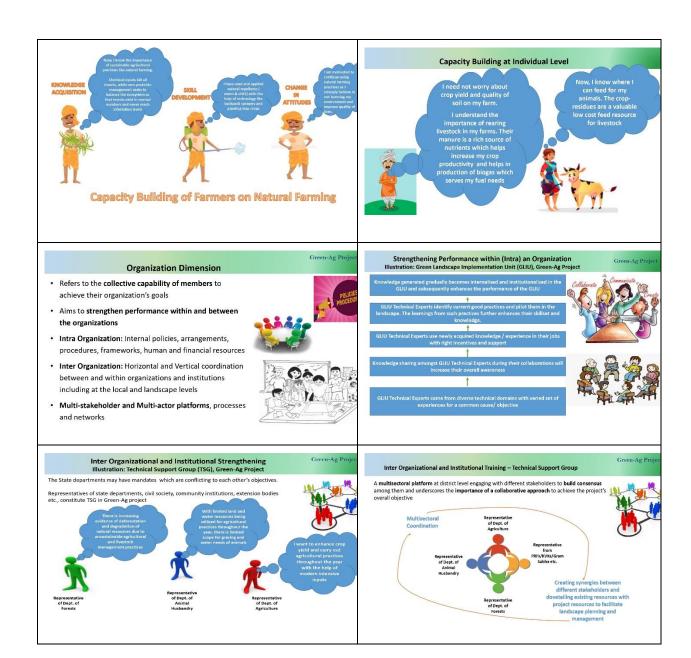


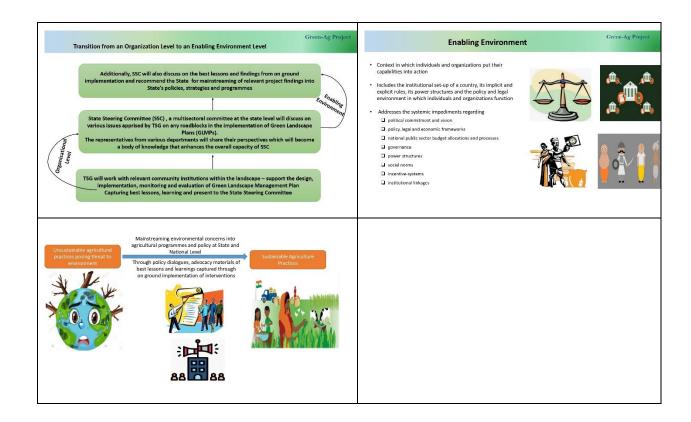


Annexure 12: Session 8: Capacity Enhancement

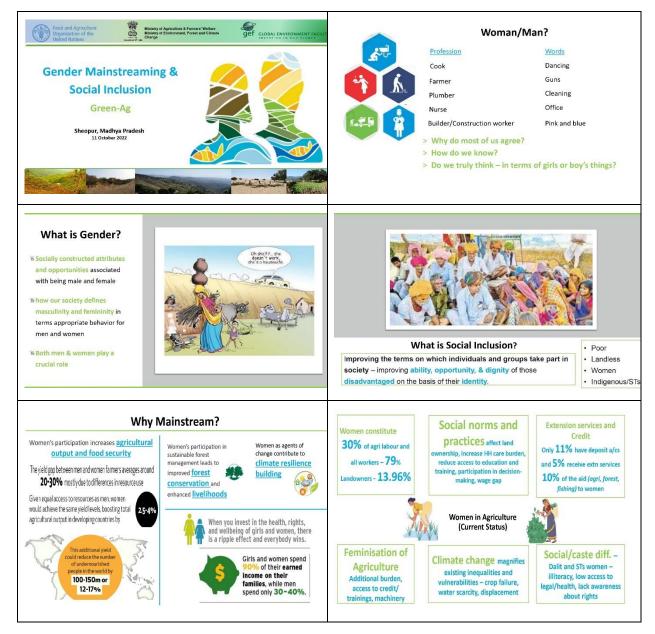








Annexure 13: Session 9: Gender Mainstreaming



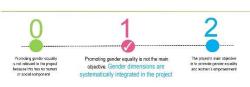
Mainstreaming Gender & Social Inclusion

in

Green-Ag project

Project is committed to improve the status of women by increasing their participation and decision-making at the household and community level, by increasing their access to knowledge, information and technology and by enhancing livelihoods opportunities and incomes. The project will also improve their access to government programmes, schemes and services on forest management, sustainable agriculture, livestock management etc.

Voices of women and indigenous communities will be incorporated in project implementation through the Free, Prior, Informed Consent (FPIC).



Green-Ag project will focus on

- Improving women's participation and decision-making
- Building women's skills and capacities
- Promoting sustainable livelihoods and income opportunities for women





Gender Analysis



Secondary literature review (Review of grov, publications, reports and releases documents using a gender land)

Value Chain Analysis (as per PAC's Gender Sensitive Value Chains — A Guiding Framoerark)

Primary data collection (through key informant: interviews, Fasse Group Doughtims and Household Surveys, led by Gender and Social Instance experts and Community Resource Pances (100%) (M less 150% of the respondents will be someon and indigenous

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Findings will help understand • Extent of inclusion of women and indigenous people in east, policies, programmes, where

Findings will help

- Assess women's role, income, participation and decision-making in value chains
 leart fly opportunities for value addition which will enhance incomes and livel mode parties for women and socially excluded courses.
- Mapping of key stateholders including women an inclinences mauss, their representatives and conceins.
- Document geographic and demographic information, likelihoods of nomen and indigenous groups
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- tools, rethrologs, trainings, contest and marker; the asset ownership, purhopation in decision-making. Map institutions and placforms that support women Assess capacity and skill gaps in women Assess their access to gord, schemes and programm.

Gender & Social Inclusion - Project Interventions

Multi-sectoral Committees

- NPSC: MoAFW, MoEFCC, MoRD women specific interventions
- SSC/TSG: WCD & Dept of Social Welfare; ST/SC Welfare

Gram Panchayat Support Units, Village Implementation Committees (GPSU & VIC)

- Women at least 1/3rd of the members
- At least **two** members from indigenous communities
- At least **one** member of the landless class

Convergence Plans: MGNREGA, National Agri Policy, Policy for Empowerment of Women, NRLM, etc.

Gender & Social Inclusion - Project Interventions

Capacity building

- Gender-specific and gender sensitive curriculum with engagement of women
- Training of district-level Technical and Extension Staff
- Green Landscape Governance At least one third representation of women

Community interventions

- NRM and Value Chain interventions for women and indigenous people
- 33% representation or exclusive women VC
- Enhance access to credit, inputs, trainings and markets
- FPO participation
- Enhance livelihoods and Incomes

Gender & Social Inclusion - Project Interventions



Farmer Field Schools

- 40,000 women (Od-12,000) wil be participating and benefitting from FFSs.
- Women exclusive FFSs culture related or topics require a women-specific FFS
- FFSs at venues accessible to women and convenient times

Gender in Communication



Policy Dialogue & Studies

- Dialogues to promote gender & SI
- Background/Concept note gender-specific data/information
- · Participation of organization's working for empowerment of women & Schedule Tribes

· Communication channels and tools preferred by women and indigenous groups













Communication products

- Break gender stereotypes e.g. women as leaders, speaker
- Be sensitive to colours, language/words used, posture, etc.
- Equitable representation of women and men in images
- Use culturally appropriate images and language in communication with indigenous people





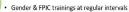
Budget

· Earmarked within project activities

Staff

- 1 Gender & FPIC expert (NPMU)
- 5 Gender & Social Inclusion experts (GL

Capacity development

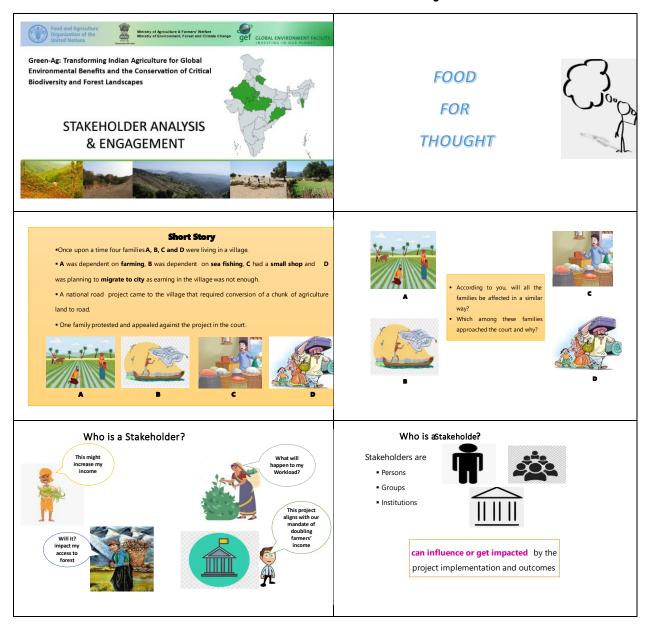


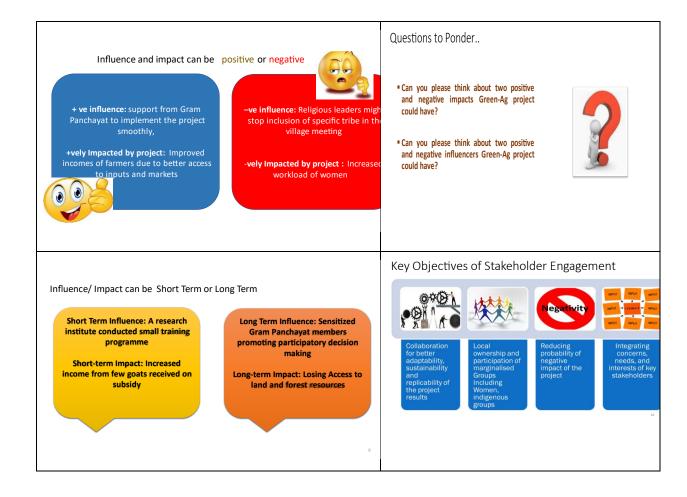


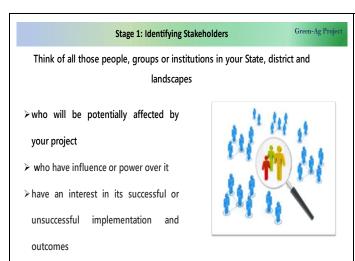
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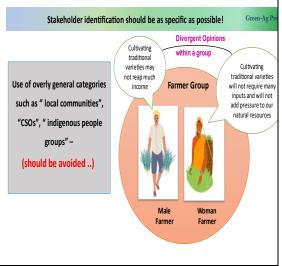
- Results framework gender sensitive & specific indicat
 Gender disaggregated data
 Evaluation UNEG guidance & Gender in Evaluations

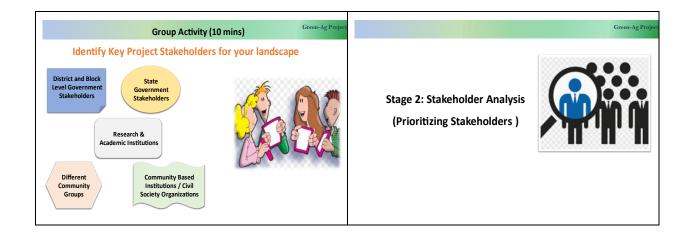
Annexure 14: Session 10: Stakeholder Analysis

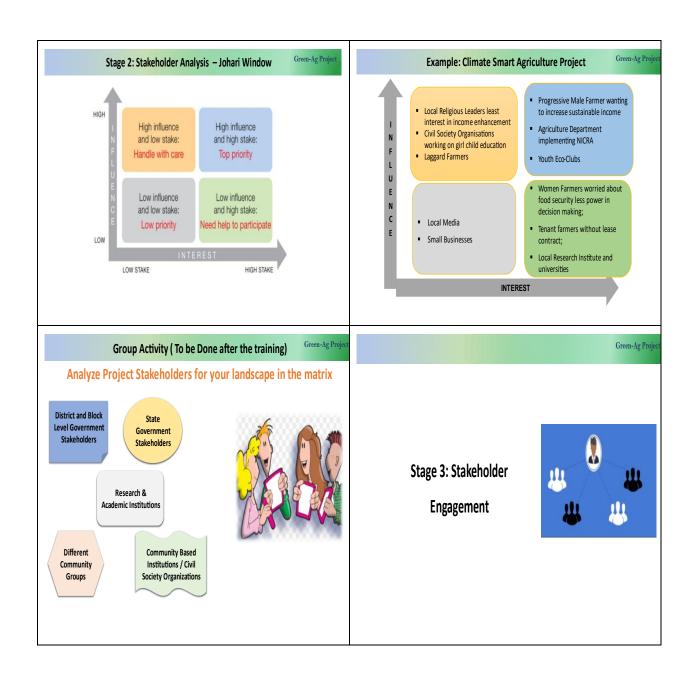


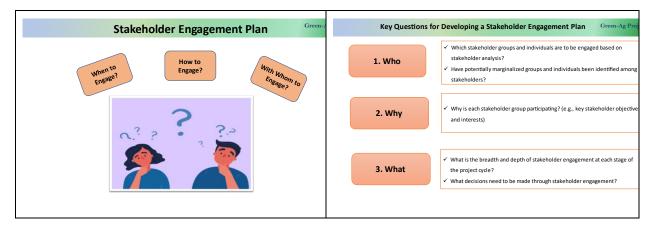


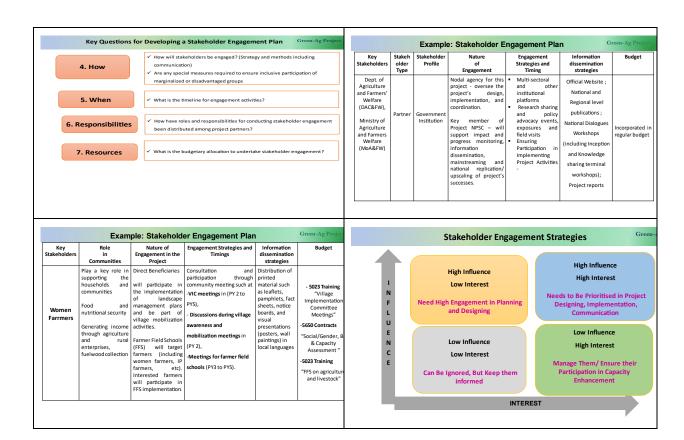


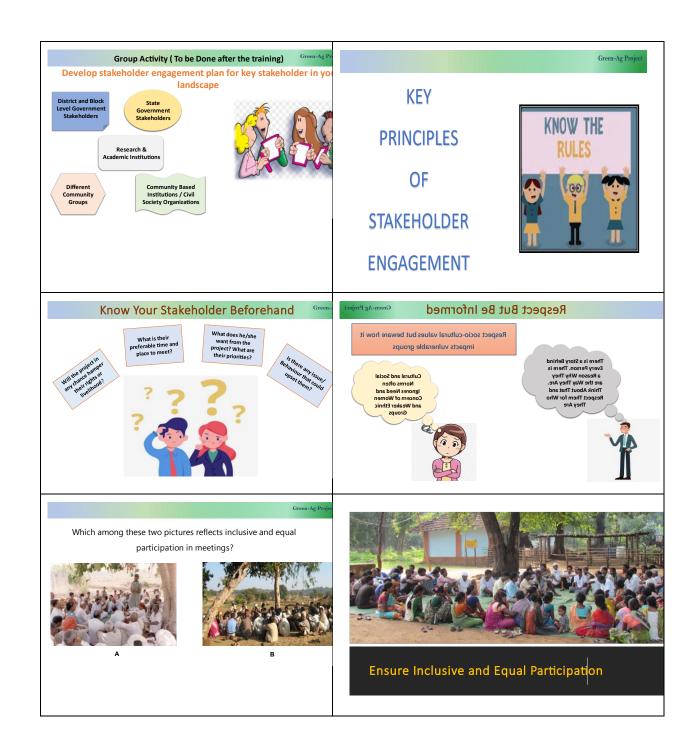


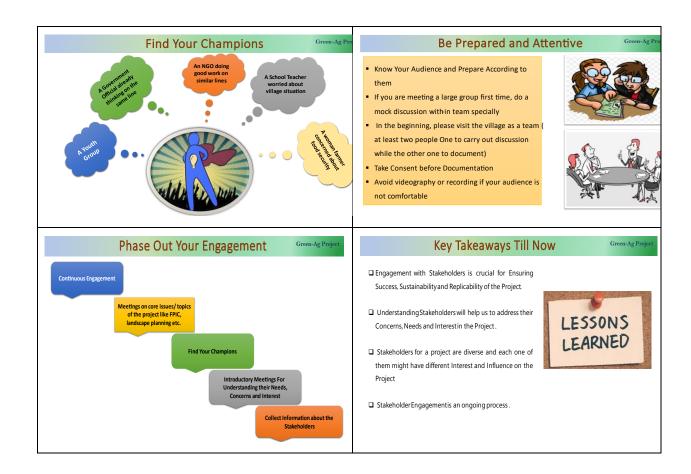




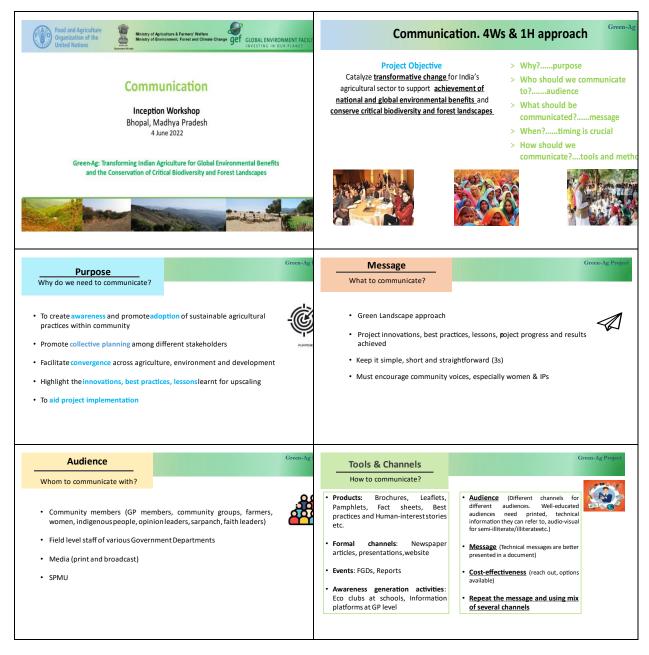




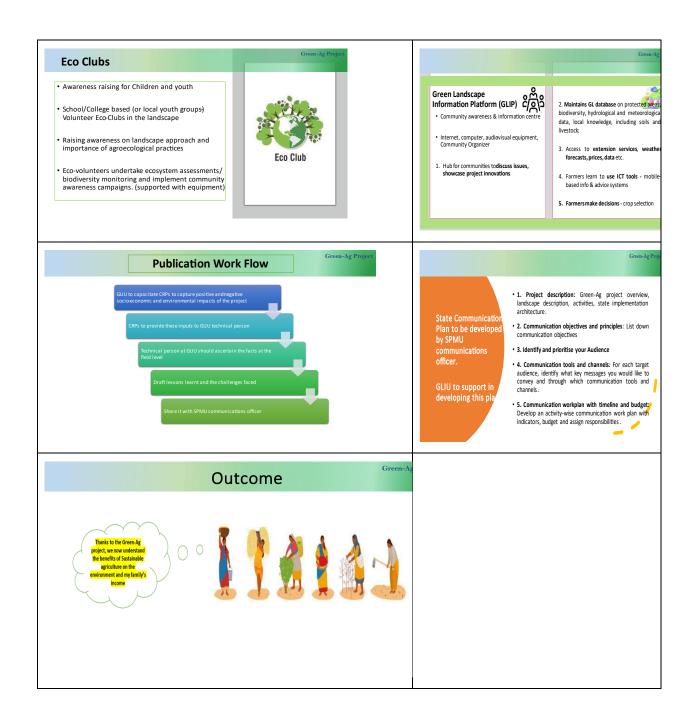




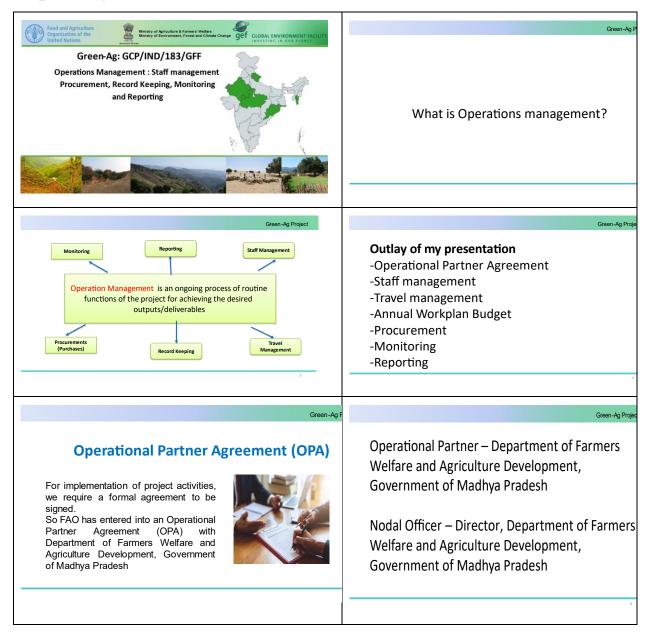
Annexure 15: Session 11: Communication Strategy







Annexure 16: Green-Ag: Operations Management: Staff Management, Procurement, Record Keeping, Monitoring and Reporting



Staff Management

- · Most of the recruitments have been completed under SPMU except for few positions. GLIU recruitments have to be completed.
- Regarding other HR rules like leaves, office holidays, office timings the Operational Partner may decide based on STATE HR rules/policies
- It is a good practice to collect these informations and keep record of the same

Leave approval process

Leave Register Attendance register



Travel Management

The Operational Partner may decide the travel rules / norms / entitlements based on State travel rules /norms.

Process could be

Request for travel Approval Tour Report/approval

Travel claim settlement



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Record Keeping

· SPMU/GLIU maintains books and records that are accurate, complete and up-to-date

Procurements	Recruitments	Trainings	
Contracts		Others required	as

For procurements and recruitments all documents related to approvals and the process followed to be documented and recorded in their respective files



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Procurement (Purchases)

· There are three types of purchases

Expendable Procurement: Purchases such as (stationery, printer cartridges and small items etc.) required for office use

Non Expendable Procurement : Purchases such as Hardwares like computers /laptops/laser printers/office furniture etc)

Procurement for services: Procurement for services such as conducting studies, printing of publications etc

Procurement

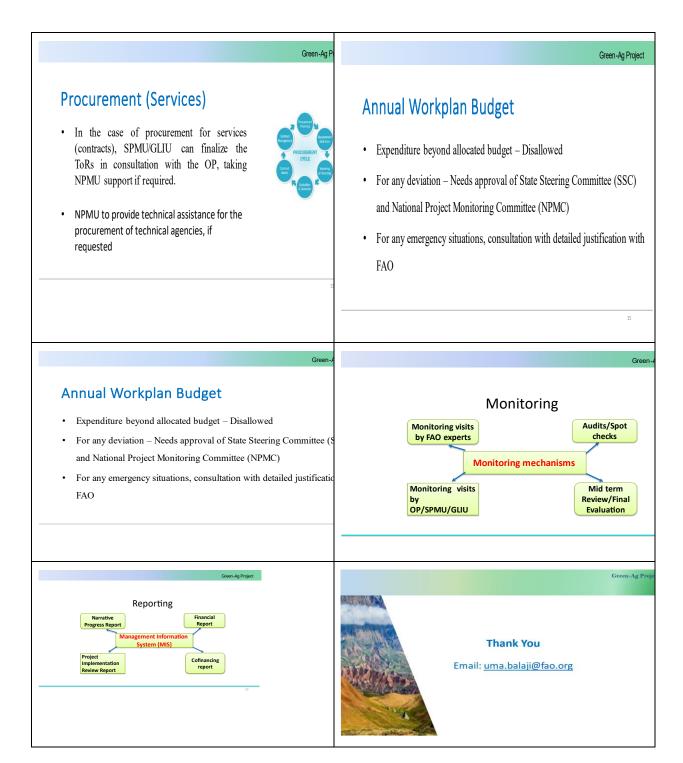
- OP uses the state government procurement policies/guidelines for the procurement process.
- Document the process followed and keep the quotations/bid document/any other related information in office files for audit inspections.



Procurement

- All Procurements to be carried out as per State Steering Committee (SSC) approved Annual Workplan Budget & Procurement
- OP to review the procurement plan after six months and make additions/changes if required.
- The revised Procurement Plan should be approved by the SSC.



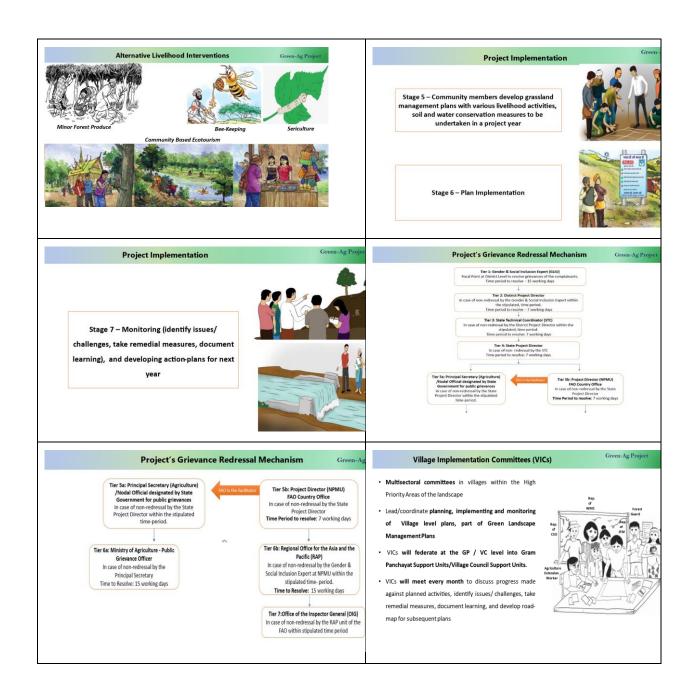


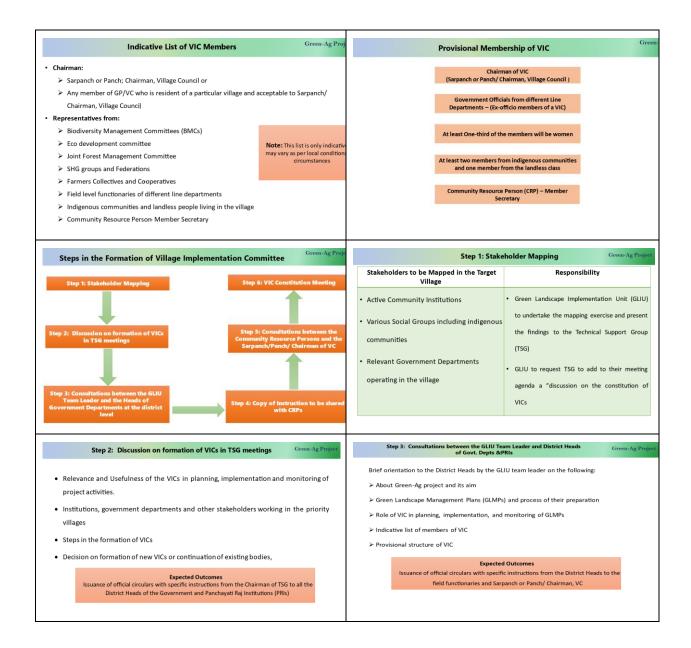
Annexure 17: Green-Ag: Community Engagement Strategy and VIC

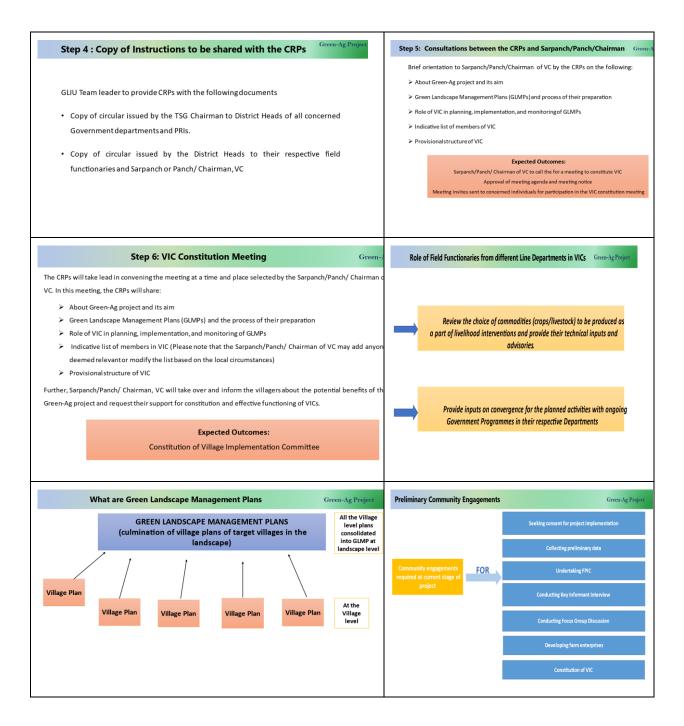


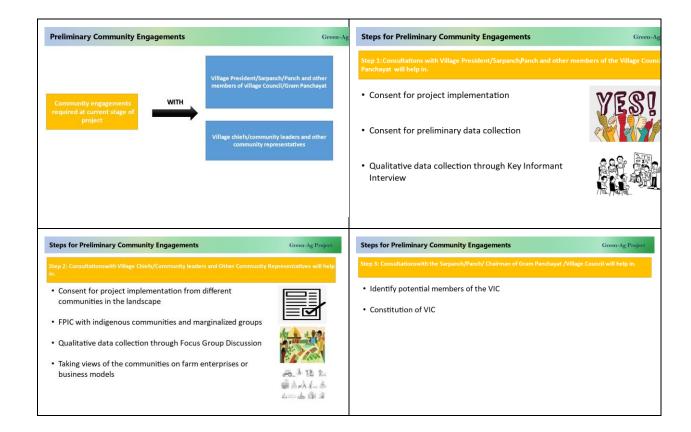






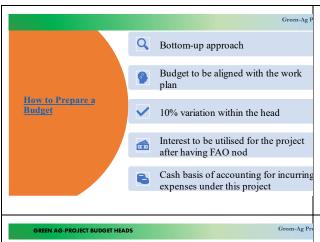






Annexure 18: Green-Ag: MIS and Online Accounting





ACCOUNTS & RELATED RECORDS

Green-Ag Project

- · Cash Book
- Bank Book
- · Salary register
- · TDS/TCS records
- Voucher
- Ledgers
- · Bank Reconciliation Statement
- · Trail balance
- Receipt & Payment account
- Income & Expenditure account
- Balance Sheet

- Contract copies
- · Audit files
- · Audit Reports
- Compliances
- · Financial reports
- Fund request
- Approved Budgets
- · Approved minutes of meeting
- Attendance & Leave record
- Asset register
- · Technical reports
- Tender and procurement documents

TRAINING (Expensescode - 5023) – Planned trainings, Meetings, Workshops to be charged to this head along with all pre and post approvals and original documents. Mandatory documents are, Bill Vouchers, participants list with Signatu Agenda, MoM, all the related official approvals.

CONSULTANTS (Expensescode - 5570) — Honorarium or salary of all the personnel engaged at SPMU or GLIU level to paid under this head following proper documentation and authorisation from respective authority. TDS, Professional I should be deducted and deposited with Government as per statute.

CONTRACT (Expensescode - 5650) — The input of thematic experts, short-term consulting firms, or third-party agencies

required to roll out the project at various stages. This head will be charged with all contracts of this sort that are issued.

TRAVEL (Expensescode - 5900) — This head will be charged for all official travel of SPMU/GLU level officials, as long proper documentation and approvals are in place. For all travels, the state travelling rule will apply.

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EXPANDEBLE PROCUREMENT (Expensescode - 6000) - All consumable purchases, such as office stationery, printin and maintenance supplies, will be charged to this account. When purchasing consumables, the state needs to ensure the resources are used efficiently.

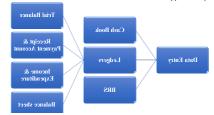
NON-EXPANDEBLE PROCUREMENT (Expenses code - 6100) - The procurement process for all long-term us products, such as communication equipment, computers and printers, electrical equipment and furniture, must be follow and documentation must be completed according to guidelines:

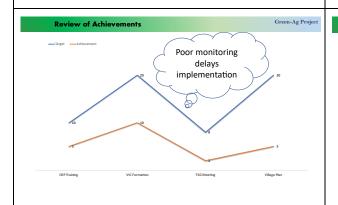
GOE (Expensescode - 6300) - General running expenses not allocated in the Expendable and Non-expendable categories be charged to this category include rent, electricity, water bills, telephone bills, municipal taxes, insurance, communicat expenses, Internet charges, and so on.

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DATA ENTRY (ACCOUNTING)

All the payments to be recorded and entered the https://greenag.nmsa.gov.in/ website after due approvals.

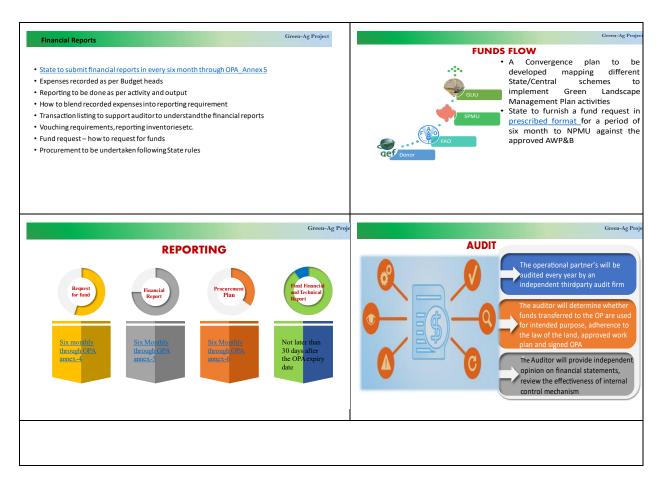




Control Mechanism for Better Result

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- The State to follow its own financial rules for making all expenses
- Indian Accounting Standard to be followed for preparation of financial statements with annexures
- \bullet AWPB to be approved by the respective SSC and thereafter by NPMC
- All the official circulars from SSC, TSG, NPMC, MPSC and FAO to be kept for compliances
- OPA, Risk Mitigation Strategy, Strategy papers will help to adhere timeline and implementation of project
- Audit, Spot Check, MTR, TE, Supervision by State/District/NPMU etc.



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