



“Reducing the vulnerability of Cambodian rural livelihoods through enhanced sub-national climate change planning and execution of priority actions (SRL)”

PROJECT EXIT STRATEGY

**Final Project Board Meeting
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Ministry of Environment**

SRL Project Team

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Sustainability dimensions

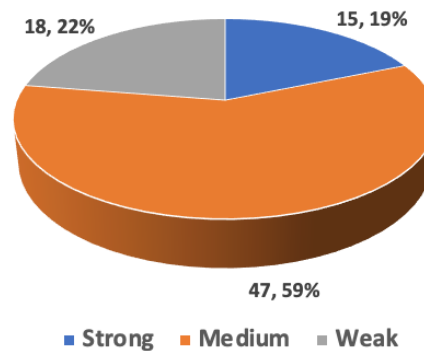
Farmer Group	Local Institution	Financial	Technical
Livelihood Improvement/ Saving Groups	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Group leaders (GL) • Capacity of GL • Rules/regulations • Group leadership • Recognition • Business plan 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Financial management and book-keeping • Increased in finance • Other sources of finance 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Training received • Technical support • Follow up and M&E • Other training
Water Infra. (WUGs)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Management commi • Capacity building • Rules/regulations • Leadership • Recognition • Investment plan 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Financial management • Maintenance fund • User fees • Fund mobilization 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specific knowledge and skills in operation and maintenance. • Other trainings: leadership, conflict...



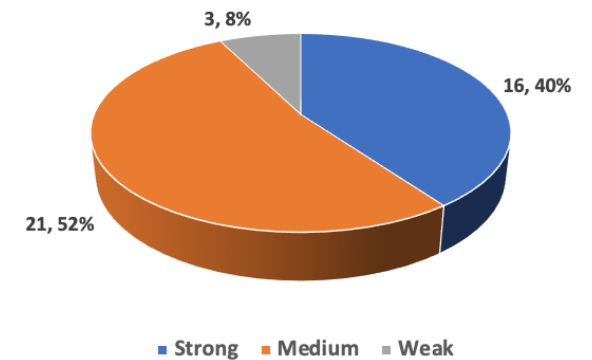
Farmer Group	# Groups	Maturity		
		Strong	Medium	Weak
LIGs	80	15	47	18
SGs	40	16	21	3
WUGs	40	0	40	0
Total	160	31	108	21



Livelihood Improvement



Saving Groups



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Maturity of farmer groups - issues

1. Limited capacity of group leaders (illiterate, commitment...)
2. Limited knowledge and inadequate enforcement of R&R
3. Irregularly group meeting to discuss group progress and issues
4. Inadequate technical training and follow up
5. Lack of vaccination and resilient seeds (including chicks)
6. Limited financial resources to scale up livelihood activities or reinvest on resilient livelihoods and income generation activities.
7. Limited labor, elderly, workload, migration...

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Actions have been taken

1. Strengthen farmer groups:

- Disseminated and enforced the updated R&Rs
- Conducted regular monthly group meeting
- Prepared and implemented the group follow up plan
- Coached group leaders on facilitation skills
- Strengthened the capacity of book-keeping and financial management.



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Actions have been taken:

2. Strengthen water infrastructures:

- Conducted regular follow up and maintenance
- Provided on-the-job training on scheme monitoring and management to WUG leaders and PMC.
- Reviewed and updated the R&Rs
- Installed one solar water pump at com. pond



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Actions have been taken:

3. Technical capacity:

- Provided animal vaccines and chick incubators (hatchery center)
- Provided coaching and technical trainings and vaccination
- Provided training and coaching on the use and management of water infrastructures.



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Actions have been taken:



4. Partnership and Synergy:

- Mapped out and prepared list of other intervention being supported by other similar development actors in the target areas.
- Worked out with relevant partners to review and merge the same farmer groups. Thus, they can receive further support from partners when the project phase out.
- Sep up a support mechanism coordinated by the CC and district focal points with a clear ToR.



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Actions to be taken:

- Provide training on conflict resolution, effective use of water to WUG and PMC and food processing/marketing to farmer groups.
- Share info and discuss the possibility of collaboration and/or integration of the project results into others' current or new initiatives.
- Support farm tools: plastic cover, dripping systems, drum seeders...
- Improve access to water:
 - Install solar water pumps
 - Connect water distribution pipes to individual households.



Thank You

