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Preservation and Proliferation of
Rural Resources and Nature



Annual Report 2017-18

Enhancing Agriculture of Women & Marginal Families

विकास के मूल सिद्धान्त (Principles of Development)

“पंच स” जिन्दगानी के लिए ।

“पंच ज” जीवन चलाने के लिए ॥

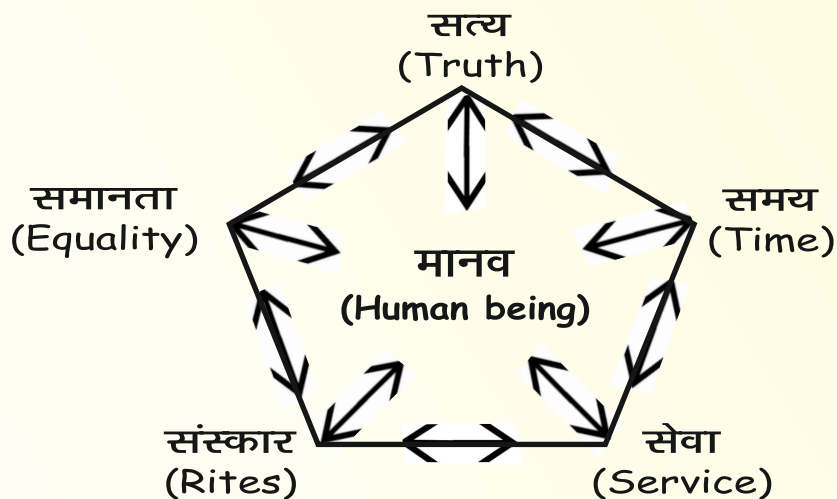
(Five S: To achieve the goals of life; Five J: To run the life)

पंच स (Five S):

1. सत्य (Truth) 2. समय (Time) 3. सेवा (Service) 4. संस्कार (Rites) 5. समानता (Equality)

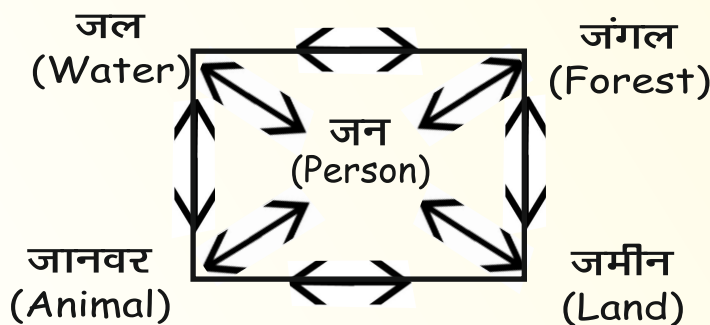
जिस जन्तु के व्यवहारिक जीवन में सत्य, समय, सेवा, संस्कार एवं समानता का समावेश हो उसे मानव कहा जाता है। विकासकर्मों के लिये मानव बनना प्रथम शर्त है।

(A living creature having truth, timeliness, service, rites and equality in its practical life is called a human being. For development work a man has to become a human being first.)



पंच ज (Five J):

1. जल (Water) 2. जंगल (Forest) 3. जमीन (Land) 4. जानवर (Animal) 5. जन (Person)



सृष्टि/प्रकृति के विधि अनुरूप प्राकृतिक संसाधनों का स्थायी एवं टिकाऊ विकास करना ही श्री विधि विकास कहलाता है।

(Sustainable development of natural resources including human resource based on law of nature/God is called SRI method of development)



Preservation and Proliferation of Rural Resources and Nature (PRAN)

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Chapter-I: Introduction

Preservation and Proliferation of Rural Resources and Nature (PRAN) works with poor and marginal communities at the grassroots to enhance their food security and cash income through System of Root Intensification (SRI) method of crop cultivation. It also builds capacity of Government functionaries, grassroots organizations and various other actors of rural development in SRI. The primary operational area of PRAN is Bihar State.

PRAN is an offshoot of PRADAN. It was formed in 2012 with a view to address food security and income of small and marginal farmers. It is registered in the holy city of Gaya as a Public Charitable Trust under The Indian Trusts Act, 1882.

PRAN engages spirited youth – both from local areas as well as those who have earned higher academic qualifications elsewhere – to work closely with people and promote livelihoods based on natural resources through application of SRI principles in life and livelihoods. PRAN builds capacity of local and educated people through its principles of development: *Panch S (Satya, Samay, Seva, Sanskar and Samanata) and Panch J (jal, Jungle, Jameen, Janawar and Jan).*

Chapter II-Our Mission and Approach

Our Mission

“Enhancing Agriculture of women and marginal families _ preservation and proliferation of rural resources and nature”

Our Approach to Grassroots Action

PRAN believes that SRI way of life and livelihood beginning with crop cultivation has great potential positively impact the community and the environment. Strengthening farming systems integrated with Climate change adaptation for women and marginal households in particular is main area of our intervention. The major focus of PRAN is to form SRI women groups to sustain the activities of SRI method of crop cultivation. PRAN also works with existing women collectives in villages formed by various organisations, Gram Panchayat and other social bodies. Facilitating women collectives to identify and nurture local cadres through phased training of village women and men farmers enable our interventions reach out to large number of small and marginal farmers.

Chapter III Area Profile and Outreach

Area Profile

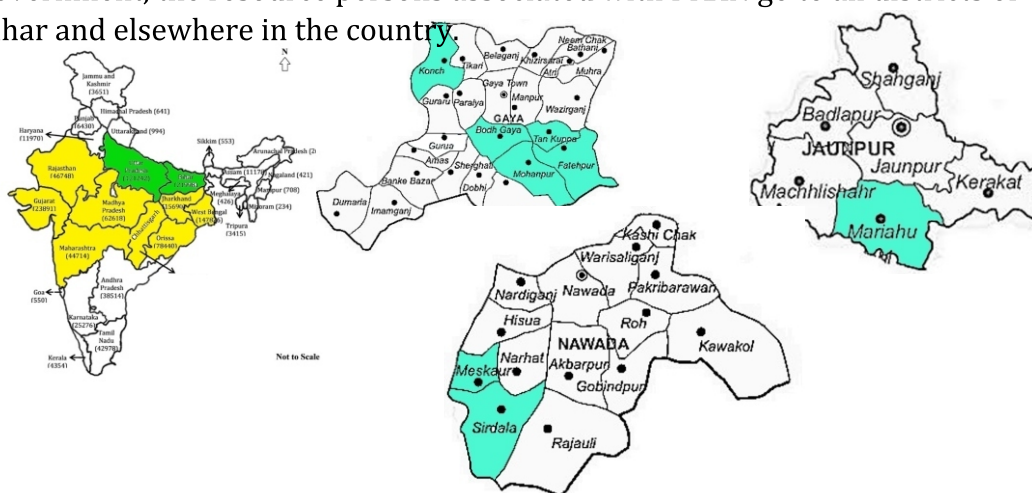
PRAN works with socio-economically disadvantaged communities, such as Schedule Castes, women, landless, backward communities and marginal and small cultivators.

Grassroots action involving innovative and sustainable agriculture to enhance livelihoods is PRAN's primary focus. Improving the husbandry of natural resources is the broad avenue PRAN follows to enhance livelihoods. Average productivity of major food grain and other crops in general is very low in Bihar. Small and marginal rural households face food grain insecurity; poor and bad monsoon aggravate the situation. Distress migration to distant places in search of work is a common phenomenon.

Despite accelerating growth rates in food grain as well as non-food grain production, the status of agriculture in Bihar is not comparable to agriculturally developed states or even all-India average. With similar area, West Bengal produced more than double of paddy output in Bihar. Similarly, Haryana with half of the area produced almost equal of wheat output to Bihar. The case of other crops such as maize, arhar, gram, sugarcane, rapeseed/mustard, potato, etc. was no different. Moreover, the yield gap between the potential and the actual was large at 50-70% in the state, depending upon the crop and irrigation condition.

Outreach

PRAN's current grassroots operations are in two districts of Bihar viz. Gaya and Nawada and one district of Uttar Pradesh viz. Jaunpur. However, for training of personnel and grassroots workers of other organisations, including Government, the resource persons associated with PRAN go to all districts of Bihar and elsewhere in the country.



Operational Area of PRAN

As PRAN works on two aspects **working with local rural communities** and **working on theme of SRI**, we focused our work accordingly.

Chapter IV - Working with local Rural Communities

We are partnering with different donor agency to implement SRI Scaling up project in Bihar and Uttar Pradesh. We focused our attention in three districts i.e. Gaya, Nawadah and Jaunpur and working as resource agency under BRLF, MoRD, New Delhi in eight different states of India i.e. Jharkhand, Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Orissa, West Bengal, Maharashtra, Gujarat and Rajasthan. PRAN is also giving training to officials and farmer from different organizations like Jeevika, BRLPS, ATMA Gaya, BRLF partner organization and others organizations who are promoting sustainable agriculture.

Particulars	Plan	Achievement
Number of districts	4	4
Number of blocks	13	13
Followup of old solar projects	7	8
SRI Kharif Crops	1300 households	1331 households in 165 acres
SRI- Other Crops	550	1481 households in 62.08 acres
Farmers using ITK preparations (Sri Pranamrit and others)	250	299 households
No of Common Interest Groups	20	31
Training to common farmers on SRI-Paddy	1300 trainee	6285 trainee
Training to common farmers on SRI-Other Crops	550 trainee	
DSR	50 Acres	177 Farmers in 136 Acres
BMP- Others crops	50 Acres	119 Farmers in 91.5 Acres
PSP trained	0	11

Chapter V - Household coverage in Previous year (2007-2017)

Year	SRI Coverage	Cumulative No.	Partners
2007-2008	128	128	PRADAN/BRLPS
2008-2009	5146	5274	PRADAN/BRLPS/ATMA
2009-2010	5994	11268	PRADAN/BRLPS/ATMA
2010-2011	8864	20132	PRADAN/BRLPS
2011-2012	24134	44266	TATA TRUST/PRADAN/ATMA
2012-2013	31522	75788	TATA TRUST/PRADAN/ATMA
2013-2014	17662	93450	TATA TRUST/PRADAN/ATMA
2014-2015	36356	129806	TATA TRUST/PRADAN/ATMA
2015-2016	38948	168754	TATA TRUST/PRADAN/ATMA
2016-2017	9579	188333	PRADAN/ATMA/BRLF
	Total	188333	

Chapter VI - Major Interventions

a. SRI method of Paddy cultivation

With great enthusiasm we entered in to Kharif 17-18. The early rainfall also raised our expectation. We put our best of energy in SRI-Kharif. This year we had deliberately left the farmers who had done SRI with PRAN continuously for three years. To manage the target of 1300 families in new area of Nawadah District of Bihar and Jaunpur District Uttar-Pradesh. We faced similar problems as we faced in initial year as in gaya project. Though SRI was scaled up in bihar, the poor and marginal communities were left out, it was difficult to convince the poor and marginalised community to take up SRI. We provided them exposure to the older projects and succeeded in demonstration of SRI in newer pockets of Bihar and Uttar pradesh. With initial resistant the farmers in new area started getting convinced with the emergence of tillers in their SRI paddy plots. We also took old SRI farmers to newer area and involved them in campaigning of SRI NPM project in Nawadh and Jaunpur. The new team members were intensively trained on SRI method of crop cultivation along with organic formulation and climate resilient technology relevant for the villagers and the area.

We identified rural women and men and provided them phase wise training on SRI to become a matured Village resource Person (VRP). It has been mandatory for a farmer to experience SRI in his/her field first and then help other to follow. During this year 51 VRPs were involved in promotion of SRI paddy in PRAN project area. One VRP promoted SRI paddy with average 30 to 50 farmers. In all the SRI clusters we organised weekly plan and review meeting with VRPs.



Yield obtained under SRI-Paddy for 2017-18

Our strategies of promotion of suitable varieties worked well and farmers at large in the project area could harvest good Paddy yield. The project average yield is 6.59 ton/hect. Out of a total of 1250 households who transplanted Paddy with SRI we gather data from all farmers and result is as follows.



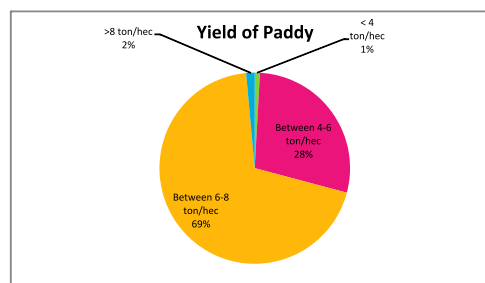
Photo: Fulwa devi(Right) with SRI paddy and Krishna Manjhi (Left) with Non-SRI paddy in first image and one kisan didi doing crop cutting for yield estimation.



Didi showing tillers of SRI paddy at her field in Meskaur block

Total No farmers	Yield data collected for	Less than 4 ton/hect	Between 4-6 ton/hect	Between 6 -8 ton/hect	More than 8ton/hect
1250	1250	11	353	858	18
%age	100	0.88	28.24	68.64	1.44

- 69% farmers got more than 6ton/hect
This year too the farmers in villages realized the importance of SRI. Where the normal cultivation yielded very poor and many farmers lost the crops



the farmers associated with PRAN got good average yield. Panna Mansoori, Damini, Sahbhagi, Moti variety was used in PRAN project area which yielded good where farmers could assist with little irrigation.

2.4.3. SRI-Kharif Vegetables in 2017-18

The inconsistency in rainfall and draught like situation prevailing in project area also forced us to put our integrated effort in the changing agro climatic scenario. On few crops we are focusing in SRI-kharif vegetables. The vegetables which will be transplanted within September we consider that as Kharif vegetables. Total 81 households grow Kharif vegetables (Tomato, Cauliflower, Chilli, Brinjal etc) in Nawadah District of Bihar. Farmer experienced 1.5 to 2 times better yield than conventional method. Taste and shelf life of SRI Cum NPM Kharif Vegetables was good as compare to conventional grown vegetables.

The integration of local fertilizers and pesticides through women common Interest groups are bringing positive results in villages.



Photo: Machaan vidhi at Kenduiyatand (left) and SRI cum NPM tomato cultivation (Right)

PRAN FY 2017-18 Kharif SRI Vegetables Data

<u>Total Block</u>	2
Total Village	12
Total Panchayat	6
Total Central Nursery	26
Total Farmers_Transplanting	81

Rabi season crops

After kharif crops farmers went for rabi season crops like wheat, oilseed and vegetables. In addition to wheat and rapeseed we promoted vegetables with farmers in rabi season.

Against a target of 550 households during rabi season we reached 1481 households. After seeing the result of SRI paddy large number of poor and small farmers participated in the rabi season. The farmers are very much excited after seeing the crop status in the field. In most of the cases the local fertilisers and pesticides are being integrated.



Exposure of SRI field by Jila Parishad and Mukhiya



SRI wheat at Akri

The Rabi season crops like wheat, oilseed and vegetables gradually started maturing. In addition to wheat and rapeseed, we promoted vegetables with farmers in Rabi season. In most of the cases the local fertilisers and pesticides were integrated.



SRI Wheat Field at Jaunpur



SRI Cum NPM Brinjal Plot at Jaunpur



Exposure of SRI Wheat to Farmers at Gaya



Measurement of length of wheat Panicle at Jaunpur

Achievement in Rabi seasons 2017-18

Particulars	Units
Number of districts	3
Number of blocks	5
SRI-Wheat	840 households in 58.27 acres
Rabi SRI- vegetables	643 households in 33.57 acres
SRI-rapeseed	220 households in 8.88 acres

Focus on sustainable interventions

PRAN has been focusing on use of local fertilisers and pesticides use in few villages of all trust project blocks. The training and capacity building of farmers and village resource persons on various products preparation were organized. Among various fertilisers, pesticides *Sripranamrit*, *Srineemastra*, *Srimathhastra* became widely popular among farmers. These locally prepared fertilisers, pesticides are called by farmers' SRI VIDHI fertilisers and pesticides. The demonstrations in few villages of all trust project villages influenced ***Bharat Rural Livelihood Foundation, New Delhi*** after they visited few villages of PRAN at Gaya. Thereafter our work on SRI cum sustainable agriculture was also identified as better as Centre for Sustainable Agriculture, Hyderabad. Bharat Rural Livelihood Foundation through its partners (Non-Government and government organisations) in 8 different states (***Jharkhand, Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Orissa, West Bengal, Maharashtra, Gujarat and Rajasthan***). PRADAN is also a major partner with Bharat Rural Livelihood Foundation, New Delhi. Similarly many other non-government organisations like BAIF, FES, SRIJAN, WONC, AKRSP(I), PARHIT, YCDA, Digbarur Angikar, Lupin Foundation etc. and government organization like JSLPS (Jharkhand State Livelihood Promotion Society) are also partners in various BRLF project districts spread over eight states excluding Bihar.



The various components of sustainable practices under SRI method of crop cultivation in PRAN project area



A worker of PRAN looks at condition of Azolla and Nadeb compost being practiced in project villages

Seasons	Name of district	Names of blocks	No of villages covered	SRI		SRI -Other Crops		Gross Farmers	Net farmers (Actual no of farmers covered)
				Farmers	Acreage	Farmers	Acreage		
Kharif 2017	Nawadah (Bihar)	Sirdala	14	228	33.18	9	0.52		
		Meskaur	12	707	78.40	72	10		
		Jaunpur (UP)	8	300	46.32	---	----		
	Total		34	1235	157.9				

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				Farmers	Acreage	Farm er	Acreage		
Rabi 2017	Nawadah (Bihar)	Sirdala	11	275	4.05	214	13.65		
		Meskaur	10	286	9.60	561	21.78		
	Jaunpur (UP)	Mariyahu	8	42	5.6	89	7.2		
	Gaya (Bihar)	Mohanpur	9	111	22.79	---	---		
		Konch	10	124	16.62	---	---		
	Total								

Promotion of child Protection Committee in Gaya

The exploitation of children from villages of Gaya has been a concern for the common people in general and public representatives in particular. In collaboration with Department of Child Protection, Gaya we formed two children Protection Committees one in fatehpur block while the other in Manpur block of the Gaya district. The Block Education Officer along with public representatives (Mukhia of respective Gram Panchayat) and students participated in the meeting. All the participants collectively decided to strengthen the child protection Committees.



Child Protection committee meeting in Fatehpur (Dakshin Lodhwe)

Improved Rice Based Rainfed Agricultural Systems (IRRAS)

IRRAS project has validated several high-impact technologies that improve productivity and increase benefit-cost ratios among smallholder farmers. IRRAS' success has positioned CRS to support the scaling up of these technologies within India, the region and globally. CRS and its partners need to refine and demonstrate approaches for wider scale up and sustainable adoption of practices. To do so, this project will look at honing the application of community private service providers (PSPs), local input dealers, state and district level agriculture extension services adoption of technologies, farm level implementation of service provision, and expanded Information access through Improved Education and Communication (IEC) efforts. In this project, training on goat based livelihood promotion have organised and in that training all the PSP-LS along with CLM organized household surveys for all goat rearers in villages under the project area. In goat based livelihood promotion training was given on deworming, vaccination, how to make chara and dana stand and several health camp was organised.



Goat deworming camp in Narkatiya village under Bodhgaya Block



Input dealer training in Manpur block, Gaya

Capacity Building of Programme staffs, farmers and Local Resource Persons

We organised various training events for farmers and Village Resource persons in all of our project area i.e. Nawadah, Gaya District of Bihar and Jaunpur district of Uttar Pradesh. The training and capacity building of farmers and programme staffs is happening intensively through out the year. . The SEWs and Senior staffs participated in thematic training on SRI and various aspects of SRI including POP of various interventions like Organic / local fertilisers and pesticides preparation. The training has been organised centrally. The training helped the programme staffs to learn the full method of process of doing priming of seeds, nursery raising, transplanting, plant protection etc. The staffs are now well versed with skills and knowledge related to SRI. The staffs have been taken for exposure at Ranchi and Rajasthan where they had learnt new things and integrated those learnings in the project. This has continuously improved the performance of the project being appreciated by various stakeholders. For farmers video show on SRI using Piko projector, demonstration of priming of seeds, Practical nursery raising, practical training on transplanting and running Paddy weeder were organised in villages. For Village Resource Persons the training was organised by senior professionals at project area. The VRPs have undergone training on various interventions eg Kitchen gardening, SRI in various crops, Common Interest Groups formation and nurturing. For programme staffs the training was organised on concepts, thema of SRI, Climate resilient training, POP of SRI, the scientific reasons for all aspects, Protocol in the meeting of VRPs and various developmental aspects. After training all programme staffs are highly involved in implementation of the programme. PRAN also build the capacity of farmers and programme staffs on SRI Cum NPM of 13 organisation (BAIF, FES, SRIJAN, WONC, AKRSP(I), PARHIT, YCDA, Digambarpur Angikar, Lupin Foundation, JSLPS, PRADAN, SEWA and VSK) under BRLF, MoRD, New Delhi as a resource agency. During 2017-18, PRAN also give training to BRLPS, JEEVIKA farmer on climate resilient technique in several batches having 30 members in each batch.



JEEVIKA Farmers after completing training on climate resilient agriculture

Working on thema of SRI

Chapter VII - Dissemination of SRI knowledge

PRAN participates in various kisan melas organised by department of agriculture and agricultural universities. It sends various materials on SRI in Hindi and English to various stakeholders including government and civil societies in state of Bihar and elsewhere in villages and block headquarters PRAN distributes various pamphlets relating to SRI method of crop cultivation and fertiliser and pesticides preparation. Various research institutes also get in touch with us and ask for SRI package of practices.

Awareness Events

This year we were extensively engaged in capacity building of farmers through various events. First of all we spread awareness among farmers in new villages so that they can start SRI. In awareness events a group of 3-4 women in yellow sari go to a hamlet with big fur and pamphlets of SRI. The villagers are informed beforehand. The women of the hamlet gather. These yellow Sari SRI farmers hang the fur on a wall or tree, sit below and start singing SRI-song. They start singing with a few but after listening to the songs the other women also join the SRI cultural event. After one song these yellow sari women discuss on experience and principles of SRI. Again they sing a different SRI song there after they share the SRI methods in other crops. The women sitting and men watching and listening to these women feel excited and ask for help from them in the coming season. The SRI Vidhi songs which are the majorly used tools for campaigning are actually the step wise PoP of various crops and benefits from them. Therefore the awareness spreading events are in themselves capacity building measures for farmers. Another kind of awareness building event is *Jhanki* on Republic Day parade in District Head Quarters.

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Workshops

We were supposed to organize three workshops each in Jaunpur, U.P, Gaya and Nawadah, Bihar. We organized these district level workshops in Jaunpur, Gaya and Nawadah. In the district level workshop in Nawadah large number of government officials' participated including the project director ATMA, Nawadah cum District Horticulture Officer, Nawadah, District Project Manager (DPM), BRLPS, Nawadah and District Soil Conservation Officer, Nawadah. In Jaunpur, in district level workshops the former Director, Sugarcane Development, under Ministry of Agriculture, Government of India based at Lucknow also participated in SRI workshop. The implements being used are highly appreciated by KVK scientists. The officials observed various fertilisers, pesticides, SRI implements, KIOSK displayed at the workshop. The SRI farmers shared their experiences of doing SRI method of cultivation. Nearly 60 persons from villages participated in the workshop.



District level Workshop at Nawadah

District level workshop at Jaunpur

Cluster Adhivesan

We organised several SRI Cluster Adhivesans in Nawadah and Jaunpur Districts. In these cluster adhivesans 200 to 400 villagers participated and shared their positive experiences of practising SRI method of crop cultivation. They also sing SRI songs on these occasions. In these cluster adhivesans the block officials like Agriculture Co-ordinator and public representatives like Mukihya, member of Panchayat Samiti and member of Jila Parishad participated. All these persons highly appreciated the work being done by PRAN in remote areas of the district.



Cluster Adhivesan at Medhkuri of Nawadah District



Cluster Adhivesan at Mariahu block of Jaunpur District

Sri Vidhi Jhanki on Republic Day

Like every year this year also PRAN Jhankee on SRI Vidhi drew attention of ministers and officials on 26th January 2018 in Gandhi Maidan, Gaya. Addressing from the stage the honourable minister appreciated the SRI particularly in Paddy. Large number of women Village Resource Persons and PRAN workers along with farmers represented SRI Jhankee.



PRAN Jhankee on innovations and sustainable practices in Bihar

Wall writings to bring awareness among communities

PRAN in its operational villages put wall writings on SRI and local fertilizers and pesticides being promoted among them. These wall writings on SRI principles and Indian Traditional Knowledge (ITK) products are drawing attention to rural communities and people passing by.



SRI-stall in Bihar Agricultural University, Sabour, Bhagalpur

The Bihar Agricultural University, Sabour, Bhagalpur through its Director Extension invited PRAN to participate in Kisan Mela. The Mela was inaugurated by the Agriculture Minister Mr Prem Kumar. Large number of farmers, officials and scientists interacted with women farmers on all innovations displayed by PRAN.



Minister of Agriculture, Govt of Bihar Dr Prem Kumar viewed our stalls (left) and a SRI practicing woman farmer explaining the natural formulation to farmers

Chapter VIII- Visitors

- Dr S. K. Singh principal scientist, ICAR-RCER, Patna
- Bharat Rural Livelihood Foundation officials from New Delhi
- Dr Virendra Kumar, IRRI, Patna
- Jila Parishad member, Nawadah
- Mukhia from gram Panchyat of Nawadah

- Officials from Azim Prem Ji Philanthropic Initiaves, Catholic Relief Services, Deshpandey Foundation, Livo-link Foundation
- TISS, Guwahati
- KVK scientist from Baksha, Jaunpur
- ADO, Agriculture, Mariahu, Jaunpur
- ATMA and DAO officials
- A group of Agricultural scientists from Indian Agriculture Research Institute, New Delhi
- Representatives from NGOs



Dr S. K. Singh (Principal Scientist) ICAR-RCER, Patna visited field in Sirdala block



ATMA officials visited Brinjal field

Chapter IX- Review, Monitoring & Challenges faced

Review and Monitoring of the Ongoing SRI Project

In all the SRI clusters of Gaya, Nawadah and Jaunpur district spread over 8 blocks and in that block weekly review and planning meetings were held on regular basis. In these meetings the respective skilled extension worker and village Resource Persons collectively review the ongoing SRI activities/organic manure in the SRI cluster. The weekly meeting in SRI cluster start with a SRI prayer and close with a SRI Song. The contents which are discussed are

- Respect crop status in the farmers' field
- interventions to improve the poorer status
- Diseases and pests if any in the fields

-Strengthening the existing SRI women groups

-Other issues concerning Village Resource persons and the farmers they are accountable for

Challenges faced

- The dry and rain fed area
- Alternate year experiencing draught
- Highly infiltrated with leftist extremism
- Low Irrigation availability
- Changing climatic condition/unpredictable agricultural seasons
- High Fog fall during winter season/night temp falls low during winter
- Early westerly winds affect grain formation in wheat and other rabi crops

Chapter X -Impact of our interventions

The small and marginal households involved in SRI method of Paddy and Wheat cultivation are getting food grain security while families cultivating Paddy Wheat, Rapeseed and vegetables through SRI method are also getting cash income in addition to food security.

Getting influenced by our interventions Government of Bihar is spreading SRI method of Paddy all 38 districts through its agriculture department. The promotion of SWI through agriculture department has been closed down as it requires more labour during sowing, govt says. The average productivity of Paddy in state of Bihar has gone up after introduction of SRI.

Participation in Development Dialogue 2018

PRAN was invited to share its experience on innovative and sustainable agriculture in Global conference on Development Dialogue. This was organised by Deshpande Foundation at Hubli, Karnataka.

Chapter XI - Our Donors/Partners

- Azim Premji Philanthropic Initiative Ltd, Bangalore
- Deshpande Foundation, Hubli
- Bharat Rural Livelihoods Foundation, New Delhi
- People Science Institute, Dehradun
- Livolink Foundation, Bhubaneswar
- Agriculture Technology Management Agency(ATMA),Gaya
- District Agriculture Office, Gaya
- BRLPS, Patna

Chapter XII-Board of Trustees

Name	Designation	Profile
Mr. Vijay Prakash	Chairperson	Ex Agriculture Production Commissioner, Government of Bihar, Patna . Vast experience of managing government department as various capacities. He lead the formation of Child labour act in Bihar.
Dr. B. C. Barah	Trustee	Dr. B. C. Barah is NABARD Chair Professor at Indian Agricultural Research Institute, New Delhi. He was a principal scientist (economics) at NCAP, India leading the theme area of Agricultural Growth, Adjustment and Outlook.
Dr. M. V. Ashok Methil	Trustee	Chief General Manager (NABARD) since 2009, and currently heading the Department of Economic Analysis & Research at NABARD HO Mumbai. Currently serving as a Member on the Board of Agricultural Finance Corporation (AFC Ltd.)
Mr. Niraj Kumar Verma	Trustee	Mr Niraj Kumar Verma is associated with ATMA, Gaya as Deputy Project Director
Mr. Anil Kumar Verma	Managing Trustee	Mr. Anil Kumar Verma is the Chief Functionary of PRAN. He set up the Gaya project of PRADAN, which later was spun off from PRADAN and has founded the new organisation PRAN.
Mr Pramodh Gorain	Staff Nominee	Mr Pramodh Gorain is Project Manager in PRAN

**PRESERVATION AND PROLIFERATION OF RURAL RESOURCES AND NATURE
SHASTRI NAGAR, SIKARIYA MORE, RAMPUR GAYA (BIHAR)**

Balance Sheet as at 31st March 2018

PARTICULARS	SCHEDULE	TOTAL AS AT 31-03-2018	TOTAL AS AT 31-03-2017
<u>SOURCES OF FUNDS</u>			
Corpus Fund		309,000	309,000
Reserves & Surplus	1	3,235,208	1,702,748
Current Liabilities	2	351,824	357,310
TOTAL		3,896,032	2,369,058
<u>APPLICATION OF FUNDS</u>			
1) Fixed Assets:			
Fixed Assets		766,256	398,820
Less: Depreciation		328,510	177,023
Net Block	3	437,746	221,797
2) Investment		582,210	544,196
3) Current assets, loan & advances :			
Advances	5	89,429	96,951
Stock in hand		-	25,128
Cash & Bank Balances	4	2,779,916	1,473,869
TDS Recievables		6,731	2,817
Interest Accrued		-	4,301
TOTAL		3,896,032	2,369,058

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PRESERVATION & PROLIFERATION OF RURAL RESOURCE AND NATURE
SHASTRI NAGAR, SIKARIYA MORE, RAMPUR GAYA (BIHAR)
Income & Expenditure as at 31st March 2018

PARTICULARS	TOTAL AS AT 31-03-2018	APPI	BRLF	Despande Foundation	Child Protection Committee	ATMA Gaya	ATMA Lakhisarai	DAO	BRLF Partners	General	TOTAL AS AT 31-03-2017
REVENUE											
Contributions- Indian	11,309,609	5,656,900	682,490	1,300,000	50,000	208,359	133,135	150,000	1,993,525	1,135,200	13,582,702
Interest From Banks	235,118	133,722	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	101,396	151,600
Other Income	27,160	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27,160	12,050
Total(A)	11,571,887	5,790,622	682,490	1,300,000	50,000	208,359	133,135	150,000	1,993,525	1,263,756	13,746,352
EXPENDITURE											
Logistic Cost	982,589	65,388	563,239	78,709	-	-	-	-	275,254	-	1,025,139
Personnel Cost	1,766,925	342,069	261,300	509,770	-	-	-	-	653,786	-	2,460,953
Learning Cost	275,657	91,616	68,681	-	-	-	-	115,360	-	-	97,672
Course and Development	139,783	-	120,000	19,783	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Formation of Committee	4,765	-	-	-	4,765	-	-	-	-	-	-
Demonstration	190,374	-	-	-	-	103,499	36,270	50,605	-	-	227,071
FFS Farmers Field School	72,503	-	-	-	-	72,503	-	-	-	-	-
Mobilisation Of Farmers	30,000	-	-	-	-	-	30,000	-	-	-	-
Farm School	32,245	-	-	-	-	-	32,245	-	-	-	-
Inovative Activities	34,620	-	-	-	-	-	34,620	-	-	-	-
Office/ Admin. Costs	780,224	151,955	-	197,688	-	-	-	-	123,418	307,163	45,983
Program Costs	4,546,879	4,309,778	-	237,101	-	-	-	-	-	-	741,680
Monitoring and Evaluation Cost	10,000	-	-	10,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,105,625
Miscellaneous	18,632	-	-	18,632	-	-	-	-	-	-	15,000
Village Resource Persons	854,172	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36,325
Bank charges	25,497	25,497	-	-	-	-	-	-	854,172	-	2,371,294
Written Off	23,076	35	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,636
Documentary	100,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Depreciation	151,487	84,334	-	-	-	-	-	-	100,000	23,041	200,000
Total(B)	10,039,427	5,070,671	1,013,220	1,071,683	4,765	176,002	133,135	165,965	2,006,630	397,357	13,393,537
Net Surplus (A-B) transfer to	1,532,460	719,951	(330,730)	228,317	45,235	32,357	-	(15,965)	(13,105)	866,399	352,815

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PRESERVATION & PROLIFERATION OF RURAL RESOURCE AND NATURE
SHASTRI NAGAR, SIKARIYA MORE, RAMPUR GAYA (BIHAR)
Reciepts and Payments as at 31st March 2018

PARTICULARS	TOTAL AS AT 31.03.2018	TOTAL AS AT 31.03.2017
Opening Balance		
Cash at Bank	1,473,869	2,117,456
Reciepts		
Contributions- Indian	11,309,609	13,582,702
Interest on Saving Account	235,118	151,600
Other Income	27,160	12,050
Corpus Fund	-	110,000
Total(A)	13,045,756	15,973,808
Logistic Cost	982,589	1,025,139
Salaries	1,766,925	2,460,953
Learning Cost	275,657	97,672
Course and Development	139,783	-
Formation of Committee	4,765	-
Demosnstration	190,374	227,071
FFS Farmers Field School	72,503	-
Mobilisation Of Farmers	30,000	-
Farm School	32,245	-
Inovative Activities	34,620	45,983
Office/Admin. Costs	780,224	741,680
Program Costs	4,546,879	6,105,625
Monitoring and Evaluation Costs	10,000	15,000
Miscellaneous	18,632	36,325
Village Resource Persons	854,172	2,371,294
Bank charges	25,497	6,636
Written Off	23,076	-
Documentary	100,000	200,000
Total	9,887,941	13,333,377
Fixed Asset Purchased	367,436	48,065
Investment	38,014	44,196
Adjustments		
Current Liabilities	5,486	(271,692)
Advances	(7,522)	53,287
Sundry Debtors	-	(434,603)
stock in hand	(25,128)	25,128
TDS Reciavables	3,914	2,817
Unutilisation	-	1,696,667
Interest Accrued	(4,301)	2,697
Total(B)	10,265,840	14,499,939



Balance (A-B)	2,779,916	1,473,869
Cash in hand	796	-
Cash at Bank	2,779,120	1,473,869
Total	2,779,916	1,473,869

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Schedule 3

Depreciation as per Income Tax Act 1961

PARTICULARS	Opening 01-04-17	Addition		Rate of dep.	Accumulat ed dep.	Dep. for the year	Total dep	Closing 31-03-18
		More than 180 days	Less than 180 days					
Computer & Printers	144,286	137,650	899	0.60	121,200	96,711	217,911	64,924
Fixture and furniture	120,420	50,028	7,860	0.10	15,390	15,899	31,289	147,019
Office Equipment	37,194	118,800	3,199	0.15	14,334	21,489	35,823	123,370
Electrical Fittings	96,920	41,200	7,800	0.15	26,099	17,388	43,487	102,433
Total	398,820	347,678	19,758		177,023	151,487	328,510	437,746

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PRESERVATION AND PROLIFERATION OF RURAL RESOURCES AND NATURE
SHASTRI NAGAR, SIKARIYA MORE, RAMPUR GAYA (BIHAR)
Schedules of Balance Sheet as at 31st March 2018

Schedule 1

Particulars	Total As At 31-03-2018	Total As At 31-03-2017
General Fund		
Opening Balances as per last year	1,702,748	1,349,934
Add:- Excess of income Over expenditure	1,532,460	352,815
Total	3,235,208	1,702,748

Schedule 2

Particulars	Total As At 31-03-2018	Total As At 31-03-2017
Current Liabilities		
Duties And Taxes	5,072	6,395
Sundry Creditors	232,996	51,244
TA & DA Payable	39,317	75,154
Salary Payable	23,440	74,269
EpF Payable	36,408	12,710
Esic Payable	5,257	64,456
VRP payable	9,335	9,335
Conveyance Payable	-	23,497
S M Varma & Co	-	40,250
Total	351,825	357,310

Schedule 4

Particulars	Total As At 31-03-2018	Total As At 31-03-2017
Cash in Hand and Bank		
Cash in Hand	796	-
Axis Bank 02697	284,079	51,954
Axis Bank 4232	1,743,053	1,421,915
Axis Bank 4589	751,989	-
Total	2,779,916	1,473,869



Schedule 5

Particulars	Total As At 31-03-2018	Total As At 31-03-2017
Advances		
Travel Advances	12,404	12,404
Work Advances	31,953	40,242
Sanjit Kumar	15,000	
Sudhir Kumar	15,000	
Sanjay Kumar	15,072	15,072
Ashutosh Kumar	-	29,223
DAO- Nalanda	-	2,852
Deepak Kumar	-	(2,842)
Total	89,429	96,951

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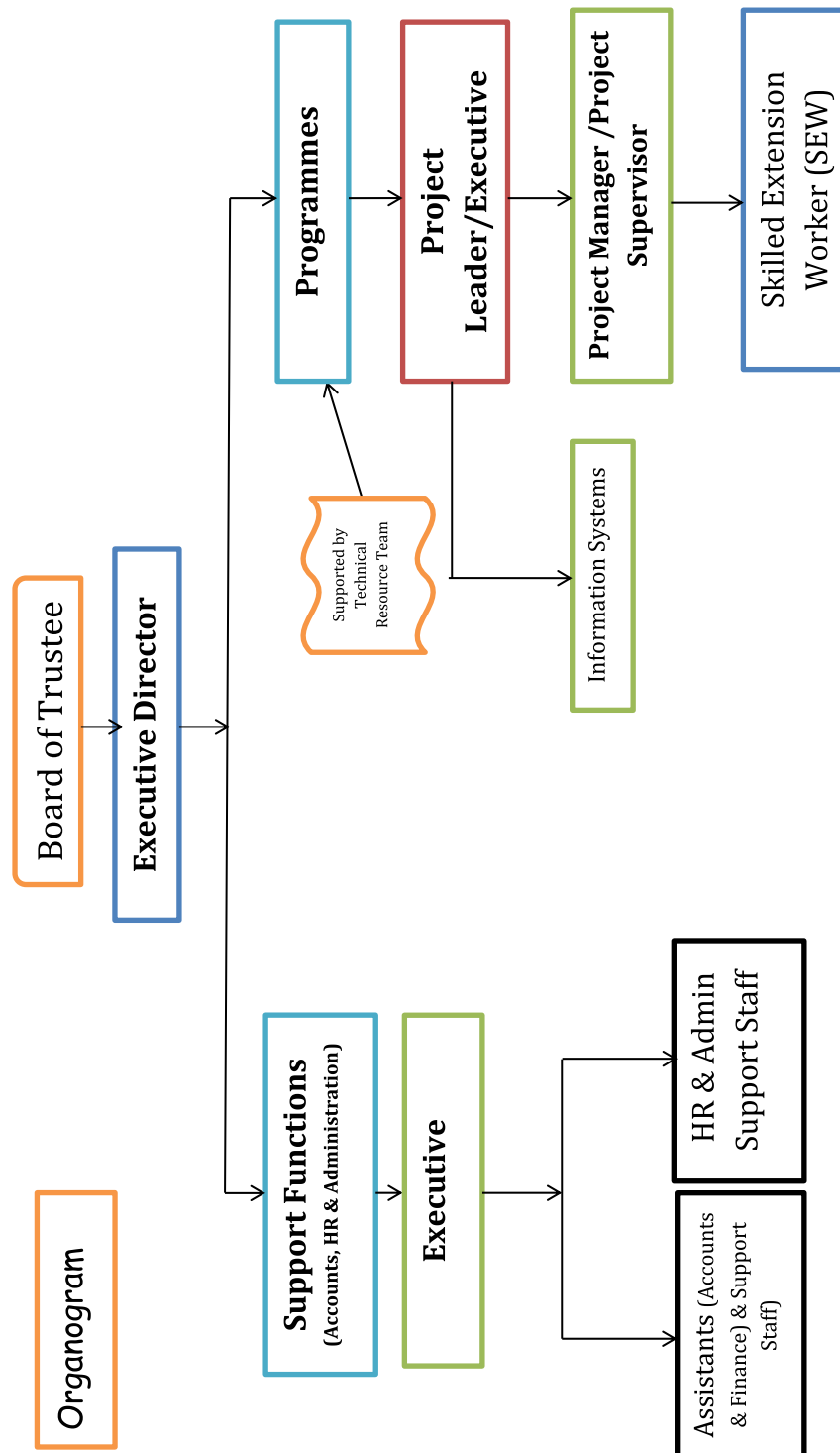
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