



Blue Gold Program

Workshop on Community-led Agricultural Water Management (CAWM) for SAAOs, Lid Farmers & CDF

BGP Training room, Patuakhali

12-13 May, 2018

Introduction

Blue Gold Program has recently selected 24 CAWM activities in Patuakhali zone. Workshop on 14 CAWM up-scaling Planning for Patuakhali Polders No. 43/2A, 43/2D, 43/2F, 43/1A, 43/2B and 55/2A were selected as first batch. The Workshop program was held on 12-13 May, 2018 at BGP training room, Patuakhali for the selected CAWM areas.

Accomplishment

According to the original agenda the workshop was started in time and almost all the invited participants i.e. all the SAAOs of DAE representatives including Agriculture Extension Officer, Patuakhali from DAE, XO of BWDB representatives and lid farmers were present in the workshop. There were 46 participants attended in the workshop on 12-13 May, 2018.



List of Participants

DD from DAE:	01
AEO from DAE:	01
SAAO from DAE:	13
XO from BWDB:	02
Lid farmer:	19
Polder Coordinator/CDF from BGP:	05
Polder Coordinator:	05



After a short inauguration of the work shop participants were introduced with the CAWM Program, its objectives, activities, duration and implementing procedures. Expectation of participants was noted down on brown paper under the supervision of Training Expert Mr. Abul Kashem.

The Zonal Coordinator of BGP, Patuakhali, presented main features of CAWM, achievement, reasons of up-scaling, adaptation and horizontal learning, steps which were followed, basis of CAWM-FFS, risk and up-scaling of CAWM through power point. Examples and Challenges of CAWM- Experience from last year implemented CAWM under BGP and How to start CAWM (steps of implementation with WMG) were presented by Mr. Md.Shaifullah, BDC, Md. Shamim Ahamed Yousuf, Agricultural Expert and shamim, lid farmer. Review the experience of crop-water management problems, orientation for field visit CAWM and Crop-water system analysis and group formation for field visit were prepared by Mr. Md. Gias Al Hasan, Training Coordinator, Mr. Md. Sydur Rahman, Water Management/Drainage Eng., Mr. Md. Nazrul Islam (Jewel), Junior socio-Economist and Mr. Amal Krishna Roy, CDF through large group discussion. Whole participants were divided into 4 groups. Group 1 &3 went patukhali WMG and group 2 &4 purbo shakharia WMG for collecting crop-water related data.

2nd day of the workshop, collecting data participants drew map and listed problems related to water management. Then prepared maps and problems were presented by the group members. Internal polder water management was also discussed in this workshop. Lastly an open discussion was held to satisfy the different queries of the participants in the Question Answer session.

Challenges

During CAWM-FFS session it is very tough to keep the participants present in full time of the session. Arranging snakes for the participants may be solving the problem.

Seed were not available in appropriate time when farmer needs.

At the time of planning farmer show huge interest in construction work related to inter polder water management of CAWM but they seem reluctant during execution period.





Conclusion

At the end of the orientation program most of the participants appreciated Blue Gold Program authority for organizing this workshop where they got the chance to know about CAWM activities and their role in implementation of CAWM program. The Deputy Director of DAE, Patuakhali was present in closing session and very much pleased to add community based in CAWM program and welcomed BGP and again gave his commitment of full support for smooth running of this project on behalf of DAE. He also expressed their gratitude to BGP authority and thanked for arranging such type workshop for implementing CAWM activities.

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Workshop Agenda

Day-01 (May 12, 2018)

Time	Topics	Sub-topics	Methods	Facilitators
09.00-09.30	1. Course opening	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Inaugural speech - Ice breaking - Introduction - Logistic Information - Expectation from participants 	Game and large group discussion	Shorab, Kashem Gias Al Hassan
09.30-10.00	2. Objective of the training course	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Background of the Training course - Review of Training Agenda and objectives 	Large Group Discussion, VIPP	Asraf & Kashem
10.00-11.00	3. CAWM concepts and Background	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Introduction concept of CAWM - Benefits of CAWM) - Background, objectives and Main activities 	PPT Presentation, Discussion	Shorab & Sydur
11.00-11.15	Tea Break			
11.15-12.00	4. CAWM Experience Sharing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Examples and Challenges of CAWM- Experience from last year implemented CAWM under BGP - How to start CWM (steps of implementation with WMG and WMA) 	PPP, Experience Sharing	Saifullah, Shamim, Lid Farmer
12.00-13.00	5. Discussion on crop-water management analysis	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Review the experience of crop-water management problems - Orientation for field visit CWM and Crop-water system analysis 	Large Group Discussion	Jewl, Gias Sydur & Amol
13.00-14.00	Lunch break			
14.00-17.00	6. Field Visit & data collection from the farmers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Formation of group and prepare questionnaire to analysis the crop-water management systems - Conduct Field Visit and data 	Field Visit	Sydur, Amol, Jewel, Gias, CDF



	group	collection		
Evening time		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Prepare brief group presentation - Review the day learning 	Small Group Work	

Day – 02 (May 13, 2018)

Time	Topics	Sub-topics	Methods	Facilitators
09.00-10.00	7. Field visit experience sharing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Review and field visit experience sharing 	Interactive Discussion	Gias & Amol
10.00-10.15	Tea break			
10.15-12.00	8. Team Building Exercise - Dream for Catchment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Group wise map preparation - Presentation on Crop-water system analysis - Analysis and identify the best solutions 	Small Group Work, Model Preparation Presentation and Analysis	Atik & Sydur
12.00-13.00	Presentation on CAWM Training Module	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Brief presentation of FFS curriculum Presentation - Methods and guideline 	Presentation & Large Group Discussion	Atik
13.00-14.00	Lunch break			
14.00-15.00	9. Experience sharing on market orientation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Review experience on Market Orientation - Collective Actions for selling and buying - Linkage with input and output traders 	Role Playing, Presentation, Large Group Discussion	Shaifullah/ Rabiul
15.00-15.15	Afternoon snacks			
15.15-16.30	10. Preparation of Action Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Presentation timeline and roles & responsibilities of field staff in CWM activities - Preparation and presentation of action plan for implementing CAWM in 2018-2019 	Presentation & plenary discussion	Sydur, Jewel & Amol
16.30-17.00	11. Workshop closing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Review of workshop learning - Closing remarks by DD 	Speech	DD, DAE, Patuakhali Asraf, Shorab & Kashem



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#	Polder	Union	No. of CAWM	No. of Participants per Polder						Total	Remaks
				Farmer	SAAOs (one for each UP)	Co-co/ CDF	XOs - BWDB	PC			
1	43/2A	2	3	3	2	1	1	1	8	Sujon	
2	43/2B	1	2	2	1		1	1	5	Female Farmer	
3	43/2D	1	2	2	2	1		1	6	Babul Rabidas	
4	43/2F	1	1	1	1			1	3		
5	43/1A	1	1	1	1	1		1	4	Sanjoy	
6	55/2A	3	4	8	3	2			13	Jafor, Feroz	
	Total	9	13	17	10	5	2	5	39		