Work Hour Assessment of Community Resource Persons (CRP)



Background:

Community Resource Persons (CRPs) are the strong backbone of SS-SWERA project and are working as paid volunteers. At this stage, we have approximately 240 CRPs across 6 blocks of Balrampur district. As of now, we had not decided any set of working hours for CRPs. This exercise is for our self learning and to set a standard protocol for volunteers. This might help to improve their work efficiency. Through designed questionnaire, Interviews and group discussion, time rationing by CRPs is assessed.

Objective of Study:

- 1. To assess working hours of CRPs on working day for SS-SWERA project
- 2. To assess travel time

Survey Methodology:

- 1. CRPs Interview
- 2. Focus Group Discussion
- 3. Document verification
- 4. Validation by Field Coordinators and Block Coordinators
- 5. In CRPs interview, we asked about the activities they carried out in last 3 days. If they had not done any of the 7 activities mentioned in table 2 (slide no.10) in those three days, recent past data is taken to get data consistency across all the clusters

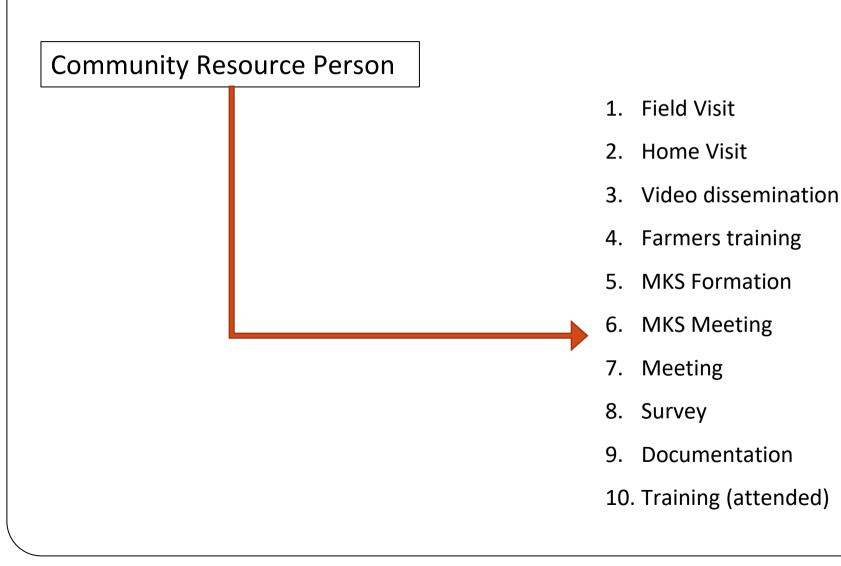
Sampling size per block :

- 1. Individual Interview: 10 CRP from each block (total= 60 CRPs)
- 2. Focus Group Discussion : 1 FGD in each blocks, except Tulsipur (total 5 FGD)

Validation :

- 1. Cross validation by Field Coordinators and Block Coordinators
- 2. Document verification

Broad categorization of CRP activities



Sub task under the activity

Activity	SN	Sub task
		Guide/help farmer in Machan construction , Wheat sowing, LTP (Poly house
Field Visit	1	in Bottle gourd nursery), Sugarcane and Garlic Mulching
		Monitor seasonal crop intervention in field such as Wheat, Sugarcane,
		Brinjal, Cauliflower, Green pea, Onion, Pigeon pea, Bottle gourd) and
	2	suggest remedy if required
	3	Seed distribution to farmer
	4	Soil sample collection
	5	Well water measurement
	6	Pond renovation
	7	To collect beneficiary data
	8	Covid awareness program
	9	Crop plot visit with farmers and MKS member
		Field visit with staff (FC,BC, District team, Senior Management team and
		others)
	11	Take farmers to FRC
	12	Photo documentation of crop field

Sub task under the activity

		Identify vegetable growing farmer and interact with them to promote
Home visit	1	Machan cultivation and intercropping
		For regular follow up and promote other intervention, to share
		information on government schemes and to inform about the video
	2	dissemination plan
	3	To meet women farmers and motivate them for MKS formation

Survey	1	MFORM
	2	Haqdarshak

Meeting	1	Cluster meeting		
	2	Monthly meeting		
	Fortnightly meeting			
	4 FRC meeting			
	5	Zoom call		

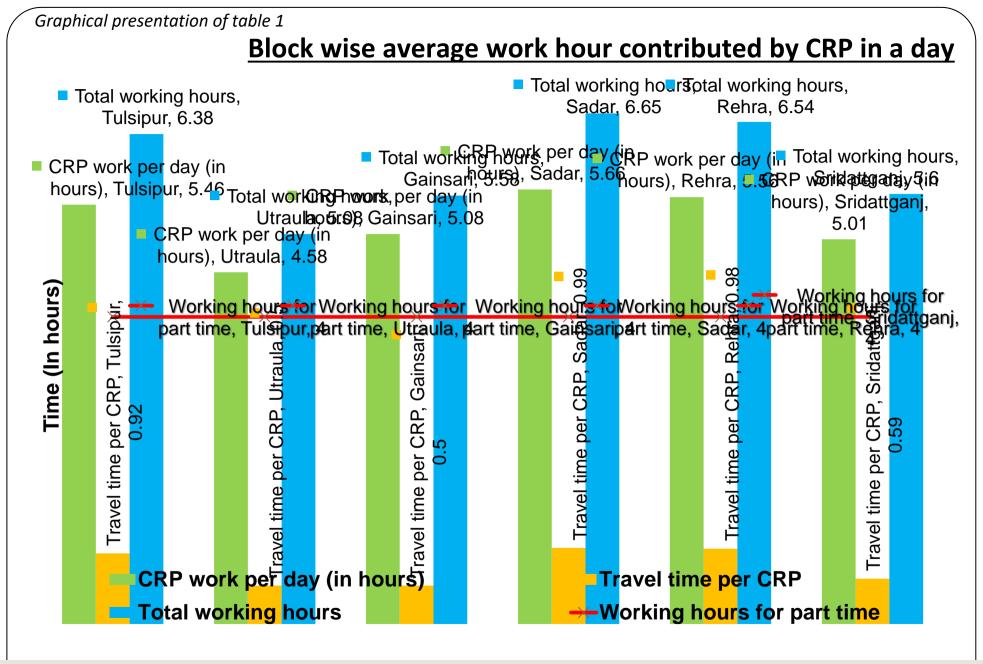
Sub task under the activity

			Frequency
Documentation at	1		
Home		Daily Dairy	Daily
	2		After every video
		Dissemination register	dissemination (daily)
	3	Dissemination plan and online	
		documentation of plan	Once in a month
	4		
		MKS form	After each MKS meeting
	5 Google form of v		After every video
		dissemination	dissemination (daily)
	6	Crop progress report	Seasonal (daily)

This is important to note, CRPs also have to spend average of 1 hour in home for above documentation

Table 1: Block wise average work hour contributed by CRP in a day									
Block	CRP Work per day (in hours)	Travel time per CRP	Total working hours	Working hours for part time	Working hours (Average)	Travel (Average)	Average work hour contributed by CRP in a day		
Tulsipur	5.46	0.92	6.38	4					
Utraula	4.58	0.5	5.08	4					
Gainsari	5.08	0.5	5.58	4	5.23	0.75	5.97		
Sadar	5.66	0.99	6.65	4	5.25	0.75	5.57		
Rehra	5.56	0.98	6.54	4					
Sridattganj	5.01	0.59	5.6	4					

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Note: Average time spent by CRP in a day : 5.23 (work time) + 0.75 (travel time) = 5.97 hours

Average time spent in each activity

			Table: 2 (ti	me per unit)
			Activity	Average time spent (In hours)
			1 Field visit	0.53
		Average time spent in each		0.22
		activity Average time		1.36
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Table 3: Block wise average time spent in different activities in a day									
Activities	Tulsipur	Utraula	Gainsari	Sadar	Rehra	Sridattganj			
Meeting	3.25	3.50	3.98	4.05	3.45	5.75			
Field visit	1.44	1.70	1.29	1.76	2.73	0.98			
Home visit	1.93	1.55	1.35	1.51	1.79	1.45			
Video									
dissemination	1.81	1.10	1.40	1.33	0.95	1.50			
Survey	0.90	1.38	1.13	0.85	2.25	1.05			
MKS meeting	1.35	1.36	1.33	1.61	1.00	1.63			
MKS Formation	2.00	1.75	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00			
Training	3.00	3.56	4.00	4.35	4.00	4.00			
Documentation	0.65	0.50	1.00	0.50	1.00	0.50			

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Table 4: Activity wise average time spent (FGD v/s Interview) [information validation]

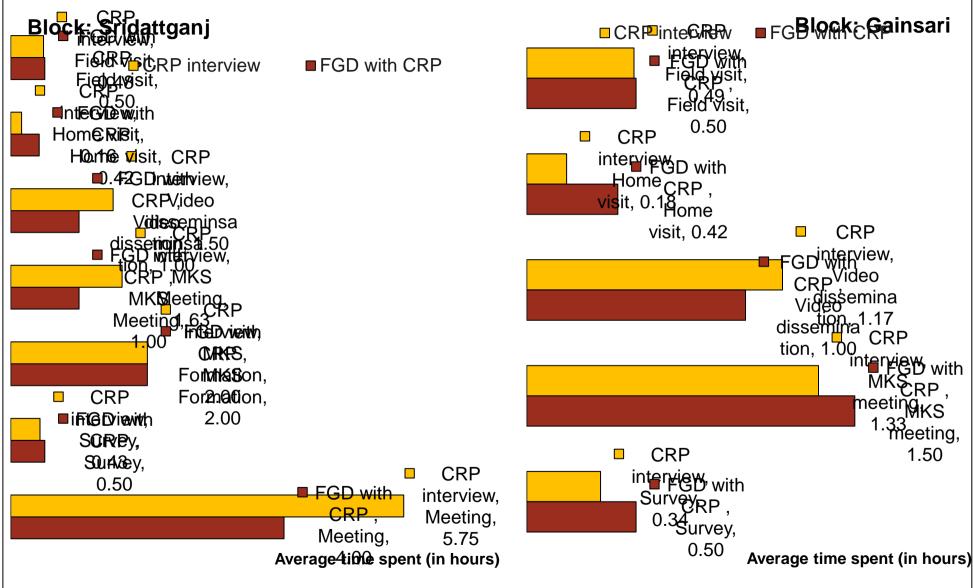
	Sridattganj		Gainsari		Rehra		Sadar	
Work done	CRP interview	FGD	CRP interview	FGD	CRP interview	FGD	CRP interview	FGD
1 Field visit	0.48	0.50	0.49	0.50			0.40	1.55
1 Home visit	0.16	0.42	0.18	0.42	0.17	0.25	0.24	0.25
1 Video dissemination	1.50	1.00	1.17	1.00	0.87	1.50	1.23	1.50
1 MKS Meeting	1.63	1.00	1.33	1.50	1.00	1.00	1.61	1.00
1 MKS Formation	2.00	2.00					2.00	2.00
1 HH Survey	0.43	0.50	0.34	0.50	0.68	0.33		
1 Meeting	5.75	4.00			3.13	5.33	4.05	4.00

Note: Only those activities are reflecting here which were comparable with CRP interview

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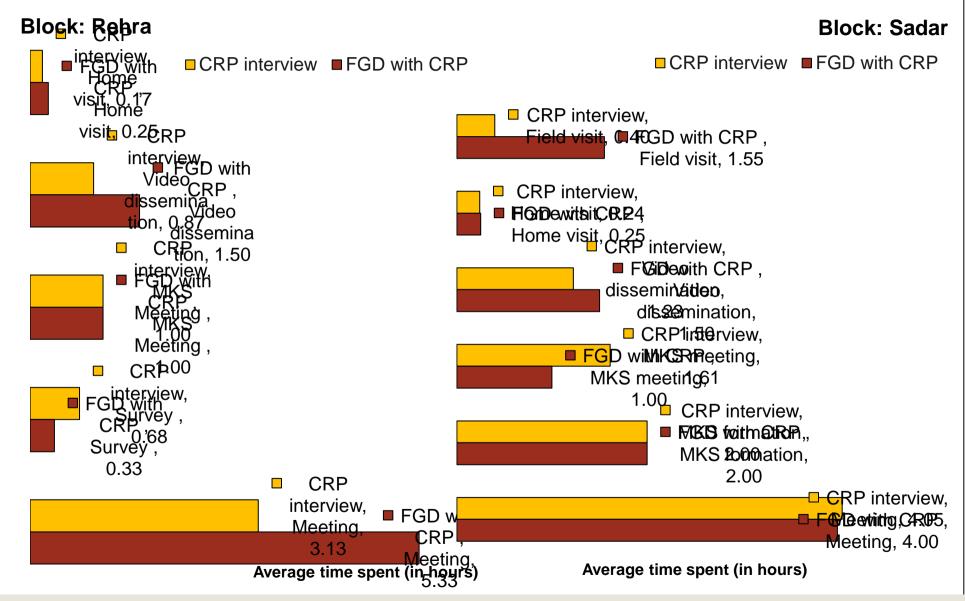
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