ECO-VILLAGE DEVELOPMENT SOLUTIONS:
A KEY PART OF CLIMATE & DEVELOPMENT

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A PRO-POOR & PRO-WOMEN, LOW-CARBON APPROACH TO DEVELOPMENT

An integrated approach to development with both adaptation and mitigation technologies.

A bottom-up process that focuses on the poor in rural communities.

Community involvement especially, focused on women, for planning and implementation.

Small and micro level actions used as an effective tool to address climate change.

Low-cost and low-carbon, environmentally friendly.

Demonstration based eco village technologies for awareness building.

Needs based solutions.
SOME RENEWABLE ENERGY TECHNOLOGIES

- Solar Dryer
- Compost Basket
- Greenhouse
- Solar Cooker
- Organic gardening
- Biogas
GENDER INCLUSIVENESS

- Women are the primary stakeholders
- Self Help groups mobilize women and girls
- Women included in consultations
- Income generation activities for women
- Capacity building activities like training in building, upkeep and maintenance.
COMMUNITY LED, NEEDS DRIVEN

Community involvement for design and needs assessment

Organization of Self Help groups for constant feedback mechanism
INCOME GENERATION AND CAPACITY BUILDING

Solar dried produce for sale

Women being taught how to build components for biogas

Organic produce in markets

Women learning bamboo Basket weaving
A REPLICABLE CONCEPT

1. Successfully replicated across a range of different geographies
2. By using locally available resources, the concept can be easily diffused to other countries as well.
3. Using simple technologies allows local women and men to understand their use and also assist in their building.
4. These are need-based technologies based on locally available skills.
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