



EBAFoS Activity Delivery Report

1: Project Information/Summary

1.1: Project title: Integrated Landscape Management for Food Security Enhancement: GVH Changali, Mangochi District, Southern Malawi.

1.2: Project starting date: 1st December 2014

1.3: Project completion date: 31st December 2015

1.4: Reporting period: 1st quarter of 2015 (*January-March*)



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2: Detailed Reporting

2.1 Output/activity delivery status ¹				
ID	Main activity (numbered according to the work plan & budget line)	Output	Status (Complete / current)	Comments
1.1	Project coordination-conduct DESC meeting (n2)	3 meetings (Reports)	2 meetings done	1 st was project inception & 2 nd was beneficiary identification for conservation agriculture & poultry.
1.2	Train VNRMC/bee keeping (n4)	10,000 trees planted; Indicator: 22 VNRMC members trained in 2 sessions.	Completed	22 Village Natural Resource Management Committee (VNRMC) were trained in 1 session. 15 females & 7 males.
1.3	Training of 20 CA Demonstration Farmers (n4)	10 demonstration plots of 0.2ha; indicator: 20 farmers trained (link 10 to DC for support)	Current	Sensitization meeting and beneficiary identification exercise was jointly done with Crops and Land Resource departments of District Agriculture office on 26 th March 2015.
1.4	Training of 40 VNRMC in Beekeeping and entrepreneurship (n4)	2 beehives installed & colonized; Indicator 40 VNRMC members trained	Current	To be implemented in August 2015 after tree survival assessment exercise
1.5	Train BVC members in aquaculture (n4)	1 fish pond constructed and functional; Indicator: 10 BVC members trained	Current	District Fisheries Office facilitated Fish pond-site identification exercise involving community. Training and construction be done in April 2015
2.1	10,000 trees planted on mountain slopes & along river banks (n6)	Perennial flow of Ulungwi river reclaimed; Reduced runoff & erosion on Namadidi hill slopes; Indicator: 10,000 seedlings planted	Completed	VNRMC raised 29,000 seedlings and 27,000 survived. 25,000 seedlings have been planted, to be completed as soon as rains resume.
2.2	Support establishment of fruit trees in homesteads (10x300) - under vertiva/agro-	3000 fruit trees established in 300 homesteads	Current	2000 fruit trees have been planted and to be completed as soon as the rains

¹ List outputs and activities delivered or under preparation i) since the submission of the last progress report, ii) for the last six months or iii) since the commencement of the project, in case of a new project.

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	forestry (n6)			resume.
2.3	Support rollout for CA demonstration (n6)	10 demonstration plots of 0.2ha supported with inputs	Current	Sensitization meeting and beneficiary identification exercise was jointly done with Crops and Land Resource departments of District Agriculture office on 26 th March 2015. Plot demarcation will be done after harvest (July-August 2015)
3.1	Promote poultry farming using pass-on arrangements (n6)	75 chickens distributed on pass-on arrangements	Current	This is ongoing activity. Sensitization meeting and beneficiary identification exercise was jointly done with Animal Husbandry department of District Agriculture office on 26 th March 2015.
3.2	Support small scale irrigation along Ulungwi river (n6)	2 women farming groups established and supported	Current	To start in the 2nd quarter
1.	3.3: Support construction of a fish pond (n6)	1 pond constructed and stocked with fingerings	Current	To start in the 2nd quarter
2.	4.1 Baseline EBAFoS studies (n9)	2 A0 maps & soft copies	Current	A simple database has been created and maps will be finalized in 2nd quarter.
3.	4.2: Consultants -household surveys-ongoing (n3)	1 Baseline and 4 quarterly progress reports	Current	1 baseline report was produced. This is 1st quarterly report
4.	4.3: Project monitoring and evaluation (n7)	5 radio programmes; 4 on-line newsletter contribution; 1 publication	Current	1 TV programme was produced on 5 th February 2015 during Community Tree Planting exercise & broadcast on Malawi Broadcasting Corporation Television.

2.3: If the project conducted inception seminar, training workshop; public sensitization meeting at local, district or national levels, please complete the Table below										
Category of Participants	Senior local government Officials	Local government Extension Staff	Local Government; Opinion Leaders; Community Leaders	Academia and Research	Private Sector (include. Media)	Civil Society Organizations (NGO, CBOs, etc)	Women Groups	Youth Reps.	International and Development Organizations	Total
Main Activity										
1.1 DESC meeting, 1 st	5	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	8
1.1 DESC meeting, 2 nd	16	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	20
1.2 VNRMC Training	4	3	10	2	0	0	5	7	0	31
1.3 CA sensitization	3	2	11	2	0	1	37	5	0	61
2.1 Tree planting launch	5	10	25	1	3	5	10	12	1	72
3.1 Poultry sensitization	3	2	11	2	0	1	37	5	0	61

Note: Activity 1.1, out of 16 Senior Government Officials 5 are women include the secretary of the District Environmental Sub- Committee (DESC) of the District Executive Committee (DEC). She is also the District Focal Point for the project (Mrs. Tryness Mankhwazi). The NGOs are Malawi Lake Basin Project and SEED Malawi.

Activity 2.1, Private Sector is media in this case. These are reporters and producer for Malawi Broadcasting Corporation (MBC) Television (TV).

The Women Groups in this case are actual number of women present and representing different groupings of women such as Village Savings & Loans (VSL), Vegetable Association and others.

Activities 1.3 & 3.1 were done at one seating

2.4 Photo Essay



Figure 1: (Left) Tree nurseries raised by the community through Village Natural Resource Management Committee (VNRMC) with support from LEAD. Right: The degraded sites of Ulungwi river-the river supports livelihood of the people through irrigation, fishing and planting of bananas. It was affected by floods as per this February 5, 2015 photo.



Figure 2: Left-part of participants for VNRMC training in governance, ecosystems services, climate change, natural resource management and specifically tree management. Right: A cross-section of people who participated in 2015 Changali Tree Planting launch



Figure 3: Left: Senior Chief Changali (in black) preparing to plant a tree to launch 2015 tree planting. Right: Television Malawi Crew interviewing Ass. District Forest Officer about significant of community participation in tree planting







Figure 4: Top-participants Conservation Agriculture & Poultry farming sensitization meeting. Below-left: A representative of District Agriculture Office officially opening the function. Below-Right: Extension staff explaining the beneficiary identification process.

3.0 Work Plan (below)

Project Objectives	Main Activities	Partners for Outsourcing	Expected Output(s)	Timeframe 2015												
				J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	
01: Capacity of Community groups in ENRM enhanced	1.1: Project coordination-conduct DESC meeting (n2)	Mangochi EDO, EAD, DADO	3 meetings (Reports)													
	1.2: Train VNRMC/bee keeping (n4)	DFO, EDO, PM	10,000 trees planted; Indicator: 22 VNRMC members trained in 2 sessions.													
	1.3 Training of 20 CA Demonstration Farmers (n4)	DADO, EDO, Sophie	10 demonstration plots of 0.2ha; indicator: 20 farmers trained (link 10 to DC for support)													
	1.4 Training of 40 VNRMC in Beekeeping and entrepreneurship (n4)	DFO, EDO, Clifford	2 beehives installed & colonized; Indicator 40 VNRMC members trained													
	1.5 Train BVC members in aquaculture (n4)	Fisheries, Patrick, EDO	1 fish pond constructed and functional; Indicator: 10 BVC members trained.													

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02: Rehabilitated landscape's degraded sites	2.1 : 10,000 trees planted on mountain slopes & along river banks (n6)	Clifford, DFO	Perennial flow of Ulungwi river reclaimed; Reduced runoff & erosion on Namadidi hill slopes; Indicator: 10,000 seedlings planted													
	2.2: Support establishment of fruit trees in homesteads (10x300) - undre vertiva/agro-forestry (n6)	DFO,DADO, Clifford, EDO	3000 fruit trees established in 300 homesteads													
	2.3: Support rollout for CA demonstration (n6)	DADO, Sophie, EDO	10 demonstration plots of 0.2ha supported with inputs													
03: Support community based food production practices following EBAFoS	3.1: Promote poultry farming using pass-on arrangements (n6)	DADO, Gibson, EDO	75 chickens distributed on pass-on arrangements													
	3.2: Support small scale irrigation along Ulungwi river (n6)	Sophie, DADO and EDO	2 women farming groups established and supported													

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	3.3: Support construction of a fish pond (n6)	Patrick, DFO, EDO	1 pond constructed and stocked with fingerings														
04: Monitoring and Evaluation processes enhanced	4.1 Baseline EBAFoS studies (n9)	PM	2 A0 maps & soft copies														
	4.2: Consultants - household surveys-ongoing (n3)	PM	1 Baseline and 4 quarterly progress reports														
	4.3: Project monitoring and evaluation (n7)	PM	5 radio programmes; 4 on-line newsletter contribution; 1 publication														

<p>Name and title of official of cooperating agency/ supporting organization:</p> <p>Prof. Sosten Chiotha, Regional Programme Director</p> <p>Name of the agency (organization):</p> <p>LEAD Southern and Eastern Africa</p>	<p>Name of project coordinator:</p> <p>Mathews Daniel Tsirizeni</p>
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