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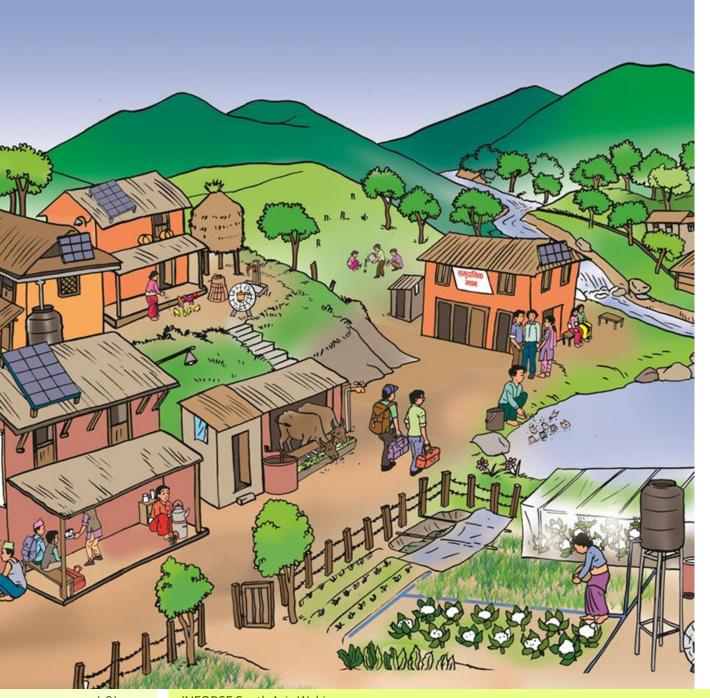












Eco Village Development (EVD) in the current climate and development discourse

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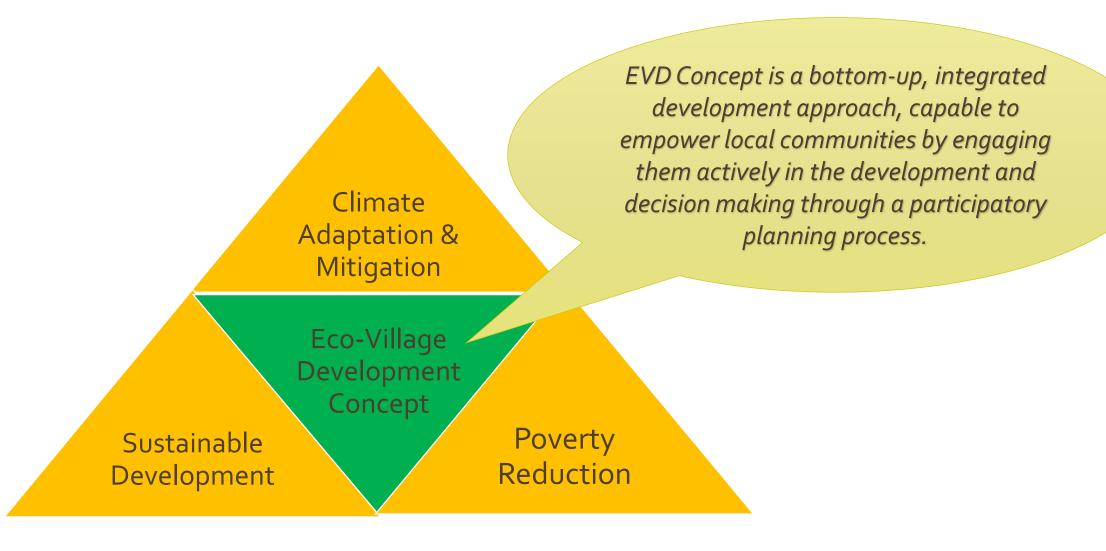


**EVD and NDC Nepal** 



**EVD Concept in Nepal** 

# EVD Concept: Development Triangle



# **Characteristics of Eco-Village**

Sustainable consumption, Conservation and Management of Environment

Participation of rural communities in planning

Strengthening capacity of the community

Optimum utilization of local resources

Adoption of climate smart agro-practices

Development of agro-entrepreneur

Integration of renewable energy technologies (RETs)

Productive end use of RETs

Inclusive decisionmaking processes

Conservation of indigenous practices

Solid waste management at household level

#### **EVD** projects contributing to 14 SDGs out of 17



**Poverty Reduction – Helps increase in income** - solar dried produce and products grown using solar poly-greenhouse, kitchen garden, and from making bamboo products etc.



**Reduction in hunger** - availability of Improved **quality of produce** - vegetables and fruits from kitchen garden.



**Good health** because of clean kitchen, reduced indoor and outdoor pollution, drudgery reduction, increased income and nutrition food IHME estimates 1.6 m deaths/year, WHO-4.3 m



Helps in skill development of women and farmers



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Gender: focus on women, participation in planning, income generation and implementation, Reduces drudgery of women in fuelwood collection, cooking etc.



Availability of **clean water** because of roof water harvesting unit and sanitation because of biogas and composting



**Clean Energy** is central to EVD conceptthrough improved Cookstove, biogas, solar home system, etc. Reduces use of firewood - 1 million tons of wood is used every day for cooking.



Helps in **economic growth** through income generation activities.



The project focuses on **reducing inequality** and involves most vulnerable population



Responsible production through organic manure, Soil and water conservation fruits/ fuel and fodder tree plantation, Improved soil health.



Climate action – mitigation, adaptation, reduction in movement in forest areas (wood collection), carbon sequestration, GHG reduction, climate resilience.



The EVD concept includes promotion of home forestry and soil and water conservation helps to **halt and reverse land degradation** 



The concept involves **responsive**, **inclusive**, **participatory and representative decision-making at all levels** 



Work in partnership : participatory planning, project partnership in 4 countries

### Nationally Determined Contribution: Targets of Nepal

Source: Second nationally Determined Contribution, 2020, Nepal



25% HH Electric Cookstove



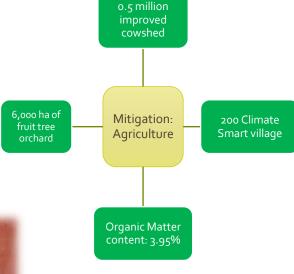


RETs and SME

Mitigation: Energy



o.5 million ICS





o.2 million HH Biogas



## Nationally Determined Contribution: Targets of Nepal

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o.5 million improved cowshed



RETs and SME



Electric Cookstove

ICS



6,000 ha of fruit tree orchard

Mitigation: Agriculture

200 Climate Smart village



Organic Matter content: 3.95%





## Nationally Determined Contribution: Targets

Source: Second nationally Determined Contribution, 2020

Adaptation Targets

Climate Education to secondary school

Improving access to water



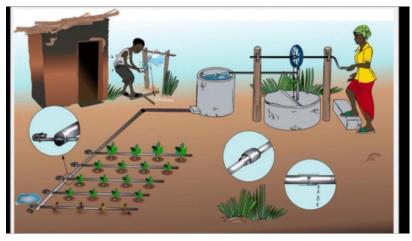


### Why Eco-Village Development (EVD) Concept

- Livelihood based on agriculture sector is highly affected by climate impacts
- Minor adjustment in the existing practices can contribute in improving the livelihood
- Minimize migration (internal & external) Barren Land
- EVD builds economic and climate resilience
- Energy beyond domestic Usage: PUE
- Addressing SDG and NDC agenda









## Implementation of EVD Concept in Nepal

S. N	Village	R/Municipality-District	Year	Beneficiary HH No.
1.	Chyamrangbesi	Bethanchowk RM-1, Kavre	2015-2017	45
2.	Dhunkharka	Bethanchowk RM-2 & 3, Kavre	2015-2017	27
3.	Chalal Ganesthan	Bethanchowk RM-4, Kavre	2015-2017	36
4.	Bhangala	Bethanchowk RM-5, Kavre	2020-2022	100
5.	Bhalumara	Marin RM-3, Sindhuli	2020-Present	100
6.	Dharpa	Bahrabise Municpality-3, Sindhupalchowk	2021-Present	137
7.	Masine	Chandragiri Municipality-2, Kathamndu	2021-Present	187
8.	Bargadahi	Rajapur Municipality-2, Bardiya	2021-Present	150

#### For More Information

https://inforse.org/asia/EVD.htm

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