

Building Resilience and Adaption to Climate Extremes and Disasters (BRACED/ANUKULAN)



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Introduction

BRACED/ANUKULAN is a DFID funded programme that focus on elements like Income, Food security, Access to services related to livelihood security, Access to sufficient water, Access to climate-adaptive technologies, and Health for food security and resilience building. The programme is led by iDE-UK, whereas RIMS-Nepal is responsible to take a principal role in agriculture related climate change adaptation and livelihoods components as well as support in DRR components in Bardiya.

Goal & Impact

The programme aims to enable the vulnerable poor, especially women and children, in Nepal to be more resilient to climate extremes and disasters.

- Increase the annual income for 100,000 households (benefiting over 500,000 people) by £140 (NPR 22,300).
- Promote the integration of DRR and Climate Change Adaptation measures.
- Reduce the proportion of children under five suffering from malnutrition, through climate resilient farming systems and diversification of livelihoods.
- Empower women, as measured by the WEAI, to take leading roles in rural institutions contributing to economic opportunities.

Approach & Technology interventions

- Multi-stakeholder (public-private) partnership
- Harmonisation of LDRMP and LAPA
- Smallholder Commercial Pockets
- Conservation agriculture (CA)
- Essential Oil Distillation

- Integrated Pest Management (IPM)
- Micro Irrigation Technologies (MITs)
- Multiple Use Water Systems (MUS)
- Renewable energy (Biogas, Bio briquette)
- Improved cooking stove (ICS)
- Recharge/plastic ponds

Project area



Budget

The total project budget is £ 4,925,000 for period of three years (January 2015 to December 2017).

Consortium partners

International: iDE, ADRA, IWMI, CIMMYT, University of Middlesex, Renewable World & Netafim
National: Rupantaran, RIMS-Nepal, SAPPROS and NTAG
Local: Tharu Women Upliftment Center (TWUC), Bardiya