

GEF-SGP UNDP:

(GLOBAL ENVIRONMENT FACILITY SMALL GRANTS
PROGRAMME)

UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

LESSONS FROM SAINT LUCIA

Integrating Gender
Equality into Nationally
Determined Contributions

GENDER MAINSTREAMING IN GRANTS ASSESSMENT

- Project design – specific gender issues/ local and national.
- Impact on women and men – division of labour, access to resources (gender analysis re: social economic, political, environmental, cultural).
- Beneficial outcomes – men and women; community; national.
- Gender disaggregation data – baseline and reporting.
- Project management and decision making – mechanisms for participation of women and men throughout project life cycle.

TOOLS OF ANALYSIS - EMPOWERMENT

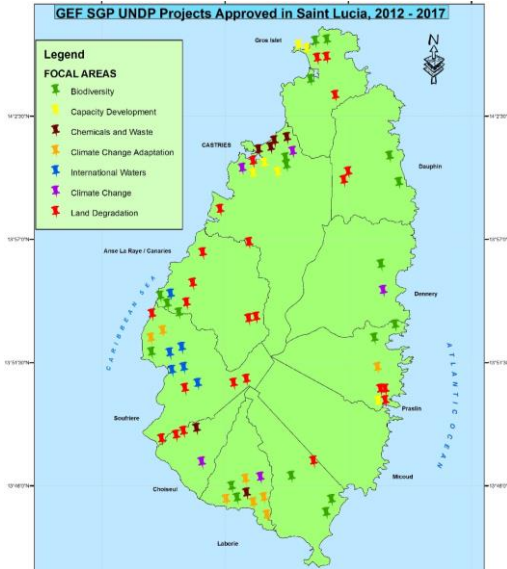
Areas of Training	Number of <u>Women from within the group</u>	Number of <u>women from outside the group</u> (other groups)	Number of Men <u>from within the group</u>	Number of men <u>from outside the group</u> (other groups)
TOTAL:				

- **GENDER EQUALITY**

- (1) How did men participate in decision making and contribute (actions) to the project during the reporting period? (2) How did women participate in decision making and contribute (actions) to the project during the reporting period? *(Focus on the nature of participation).*

- **BENEFITS:** (can include personal development; income; health; family; skills development etc.)

- (1) How did men benefit from the project during the reporting period? (2) How did women benefit from the project during the reporting period?



Distribution of projects



Belle Vue Kitchen Garden Group

COMMUNITY INVESTMENT

- **Integrated Climate Smart Agriculture – (Farm/nursery/pond/training /awareness)**
- **Solar Energy**
- **Aquaponics**
- **Organic Farming**
- **Watershed Management**
- **Food Security**
- **Capacity Building and Training**
- **Sustainable Development Planning**

KEY DATA FOR 2017 – TRAINING & INVESTMENT



**Training areas include Proposal writing
Communications, Mangrove assessment;
Computer applications; Water quality testing**

VARIABLES	Oct. 2012 – Dec. 2015	Jan. – Dec. 2016	Jan. – Dec. 2017	Total (Oct. 2012 – Dec. 2017)
Men	1289	263	416	1968
Women	1279	323	449	2051
Total	2568	586	865	4019
% Change 2016 & 2017	47.61%			



Rainwater Harvesting project

Regional Dialogue (NDCs)

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Years	Oct. 2012 – Dec. 2015	Jan. – Dec. 2016	Jan. – Dec. 2017	Total (2012-2017)
GEF SGP Investment	2,001,172	145,529	410,200	2,556,901
Cash Co-funding	1,423,222	68,123	637,278	2,128,623
In-kind Co-funding	1,586.602	126,202	253,092	1,964.896
Co-funding Ratio	1:1.50	1:1.34	1:2.17	1:1.60

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INCREASING IMPACT – BEYOND GENDER DISAGGREGATION



KEY LESSONS FROM GEF-SGP SAINT LUCIA



Gender inequities require recommendations which are **immediate** (facilitating participation) and **long term** (economic and political policies).



Gender issues are cultural and contextual – **sensitivity** in promoting and sharing the critical community values.



Sustaining community and **effective human relations** at all levels.



Empowerment of all marginalised – women, disabled, poor.



Need for accelerated **research and innovation** – constant monitoring and evaluation.



Desalination plant – Shipped to Republic of Nauru



Community women's project – responding to increasing support

DISCUSSION

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