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COMPONENT 2 : PRODUCTIVITY  
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- A total of 73,625 marginal farmers (13,841 woman farmers) participated for 2009 wet and dry seasons and 2010 wet seasons
- 13,672 farmers received TOT training
- A total of 1985.80 tons of rice seeds and 7,701.62 tons of fertilizers were distributed
- Independent monitor (NGOs) observed and reported to ADB and task Force
- Activity completed.

## COMPONENT 2 :PRODUCTIVITY ENHANCEMENT SUPPORT (CONTINUED)

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- Rice Seed Provided for free
- 50% of fertilizer cost Payable and on credit without interest, to be refunded after the harvest.
- Debt Collection was arranged in cooperation with Microfinance Institution (till date 85% of total debt is collected)

## ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES RELATTED TO COMPONENT II

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- + provided rice seeds to farmers effected by Ketsana Thyphoon in 2009 in total 54,965 families.
- + provided rice to farmers effected by flood in 2010 in total 622 families.
- + provided rice and vegetable seeds to farmers in 2011 in total 15,966 families.
- + provided rice seeds to farmers effected by flood 2011 in total 9,501 families.

# DISTRIBUTION OF SEED AND FERTILIZER TO BENEFICIARY FARMERS , BANTEAY MEANCHEY

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# Training To Beneficiary Farmers On Improved Cultivation Practices

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## COMPONENT 2 :PRODUCTIVITY ENHANCEMENT SUPPORT(CONTINUED)

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- Additional Program-Quality Rice and Vegetable Seed Production initiated and created during the implementation as we think that it very important to help farmers in productivity enhancement and food security.
- By the program, Rice seeds should be produced in total amount of 1,350 tons and Vegetable and crops seeds - 83 tons. 50 % of total seeds to be sold to farmers in target communes at affordable price and rest 50% will be reserved under Cambodian Food Reserve System that is in the process of establishment.

## QUESTION: DO THIS COMPONENT CREATE JOB?

- ✘ I can tell you that this component creates or/u improve job.
- ✘ Because for farmers paddy and rice milling activities are the main income generating and food production activities.
- ✘ Under this component we provide rice seeds to the farmers in total 154,679 families. It means that at least during the season of rice production we help farmers to keep and to improve job 309,358 jobs if we propose that each family 2 peoples involve.



# QUALITY RICE SEED PRODUCTION



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***COMPONENT3: CAPACITY  
DEVELOPMENT FOR EMERGENCY  
RESPONSE TO THE FOOD CRISIS AND  
PROJECT MANAGEMENT***

# THE CAPACITY DEVELOPMENT FOR EMERGENCY RESPONSE TO THE FOOD CRISIS IN CAMBODIA

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- Recommendations for Cambodian Food Reserve System (CFRS) for emergency response were endorsed by the Prime Minister in 2011
- Draft Sub-Decree to establish CFRS is prepared and discussed in the technical committee and will be put in consultation with the relevant stakeholders soon
- By the draft in CFRS, Food and Seeds (rice and main crops) should be included in the reserve system.
- The Food and Seeds will be reserved in kind and cash.
- In CFRS, the private partners will be encouraged and involved .

## THE CAPACITY DEVELOPMENT FOR EMERGENCY RESPONSE TO THE FOOD CRISIS IN CAMBODIA (CONTINUED)

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- CFRS is prepared and developed based on the existing institutions involved in Food Reserve and Seed supply, and Emergency Food Assistance Project.
- The amount of debt collection from EFAP fertilizers selling and seed-production selling, and existing food reserve in Green Trade company will be the main sources for the CFRS.
- The remaining sources for CFRS are expected from Global Agriculture and Food Security Program financed through ADB for EFAP in phase 2, and other sources.

# EFAP INTERVENTION DURING THE FLOODS

- Distributed rice seed to 54,965 HHs in 62 communes affected by Ketsana Thyphoon in Kampong Thom Province in 2009.
- Distributed rice seed to 622 HHs affected by flood in wet season 2010 in Banteay Meanchey.
- Supported 9,501 flood effected farmers in 36 target and non-target communes through subsidized sale of 467 tons of quality rice seed produced under the project.

# COMMUNE OFFICE DURING FLOOD



# RICE FIELDS AND HOUSES AFFECTED BY FLOOD





# SOME LIVING ACTIVITY DURING FLOOD



# ACTIVITY OF RICE AND VEGETABLE SEED DISTRIBUTION DURING FLOOD



# ACTIVITY OF TRANSPORTATION OF RICE AND VEGETABLE SEED BY BOARD



# RICE FIELD AFTER ASSISTED BY EFAP' SEED



# VEGETABLE FIELD(CORN) AFTER ASSISTED BY EFAP' SEED

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# CONCLUSION

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- RGC's Strong policy and commitment in macro-economic stability, GDP growth, job creation and poverty reduction .
- In Cambodia while saying about job creation and improvement we do not forget at least more 60% of total jobs focus in rural area.
- To create and improve job in Cambodia, we pay more attention on the rural job, especially agriculture activities because these types of job still have potential to create more job and give more income for Cambodian people.
- Vocational training supports are crucial important for job finding, self job creation, job improvement and better job earning.

## CONCLUSION (CONTINUED)

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- Productivity enhancement support to smallholders , especially to help them in building capacity to increase productivity and diversify their jobs and income generation activity is very important.
- Effective Public investment and private could bring economic growth, job creation and income generation in sustainable ways..
- The policy priority in agriculture is very positive contribution to the job creation and improvement in rural area and in the processing agricultural activities and poverty reduction and improving living standard of the people.
- Sustainable social protection activities should be linked with domestic economic growth and prosperity.



Thank you

Emergency Food Assistance Project