

COMMUNITY SURVEY (3)

Date: _____ **Country:** _____ **Place:** _____

(To be filled by Authorized Local Administration Member to be selected by Village Head)

Name: _____

Job Title: _____

*Kindly take the necessary time to fill in each question to the best of your ability.
If you wish any clarification, please do not hesitate to ask.*

1. SUSTAINABILITY

1.1 LAND (in acres) (Take Help of Revenue Officer for a, b, and c)

a. How much land does the community have?

Village _____ Residential _____ Gochar Bhumi _____

b. How much land is fertile land?

Village _____ Residential _____

c. How much land is being cultivated?

Village _____ Residential _____

d. How many families know how to make compost? _____

e. How many families actually make regular compost? _____

f. Is there proper sewage and irrigation in place? Yes ___ No ___

g. Does the community use septic tanks or other? Yes ___ No ___

h. Is the land generally favorable according to Vastu?
(Slope, water, direction, soil, etc.) Yes ___ No ___

i. Is the land free from debt? Yes ___ No ___

1.2 ANIMALS

- a. Cows ____ Calves ____ Bulls ____ Oxen ____ Horses ____
Buffaloes ____ Goats ____ Sheep ____ Pigs ____ **TOTAL** ____
- b. How many give milk: Cows ____ Buffaloes ____
- c. How many plough the land: Oxen ____ Buffaloes ____
- d. How many used for other chores: Oxen ____ Buffaloes ____
- e. What other animals do you have, if any?
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1.3 MACHINES

- a. Which of the following machines are used in the community and how many?
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| Tractors | ____ | Cars/jeeps | ____ |
| Motorcycles | ____ | Bullock carts | ____ |
- b. What other machines are used for cultivation, if any?
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1.4. POPULATION

| YEAR | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 |
|----------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Children (up to 12 years) | | | | | |
| Male | ____ | ____ | ____ | ____ | ____ |
| Female | ____ | ____ | ____ | ____ | ____ |
| Youth (13 to 19) | | | | | |
| Male | ____ | ____ | ____ | ____ | ____ |
| Female | ____ | ____ | ____ | ____ | ____ |
| Adults (over 20) | | | | | |
| Male | ____ | ____ | ____ | ____ | ____ |
| Female | ____ | ____ | ____ | ____ | ____ |

1.5 RESOURCES

a. Number of natural water sources on the property?

Wells _____ Ponds _____

Lakes _____ Rivers _____

b. Which of the following do you utilize?

Solar panels _____ Bore wells _____

Gobar Gas _____ Traditional irrigation _____

Traditional technologies (Oil Ghani, etc.) _____

c. Does the community have any water management in place?

d. Does the community use local material for construction?

e. Does the community do re-forestation? _____

1.6 OTHER

a. What percentage of self-sufficiency has the community reached in the following areas?

Grains _____ % Vegetables _____ %

Fruits _____ % Cooking oil _____ %

Other _____ %

b. Which of the following items do residents purchase from the store or market?

Body soap _____ Laundry soap _____

Detergents _____ Tooth paste/powder _____

Tooth brush _____ Cooking oil _____

c. What programs do you have in place to financially support the community?

2.3 Obstacles in the community

a. Which of the following are main obstacles within the community?

*** Please rate on a scale 1 to 10, 10 being the highest level.

2.3.1 Inside obstacles

| | | | |
|----------------------|-------|----------------------------|-------|
| Lack of organization | _____ | Lack of spiritual guidance | _____ |
| Lack of manpower | _____ | Lack of finances | _____ |
| Shortage of land | _____ | Lack of experience | _____ |
| Lack of unity | _____ | Lack of expertise/skills | _____ |
| Lack of good land | _____ | Lack of water | _____ |
| Lack of vision | _____ | Lack of determination | _____ |
| Others _____ | | | |

2.3.2 Outside obstacles

| | |
|---|-------|
| Lack of support from leadership | _____ |
| Lack of support from neighboring villages | _____ |
| Lack of support from general society | _____ |
| Lack of support from outside family members | _____ |
| Lack of support from Government | _____ |
| Others _____ | |

2.4 Remedies for the community

Which of the following are remedies to help make the community stronger?

2.4.1 Inside remedies

| | | | |
|---------------------|-------|-----------------------------|-------|
| Better organization | _____ | Stronger spiritual guidance | _____ |
| More manpower | _____ | More finances | _____ |

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|---------------------|-------|-------------------------|-------|
| More land | _____ | More experience | _____ |
| Stronger unity | _____ | Better expertise/skills | _____ |
| Better quality land | _____ | Good water | _____ |
| Better vision | _____ | Greater determination | _____ |
| Other | _____ | | |

2.4.2 Outside remedies

| | |
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| More support from leaders | _____ |
| More support from neighboring villages | _____ |
| More support from general society | _____ |
| More from outside family members | _____ |
| More support from Government | _____ |
| Other | _____ |
| | _____ |
| | _____ |

3. EDUCATION

3.1 Facilities

Which of the following educational facilities are available for the villagers?

3.1.1. Within the village

| | | | |
|----------------|-------|---------------------|-------|
| Vedic Gurukula | _____ | Day School | _____ |
| Evening School | _____ | Home Schooling | _____ |
| Long Distance | _____ | Vocational Training | _____ |

3.1.2. Outside the village

| | | | |
|---------------|-------|---------------------|-------|
| Day School | _____ | Evening School | _____ |
| Long Distance | _____ | Vocational Training | _____ |

3.2 Teachers

How many people teach at the following educational facilities

| | | | |
|---------------------|-------|----------------|-------|
| Vedic Gurukula | _____ | Day School | _____ |
| Evening School | _____ | Home Schooling | _____ |
| Vocational Training | _____ | | |

3.3 Students

3.3.1 Students below age 20

How many students are enrolled in the following educational facilities

| | | | |
|---------------------|-------|----------------|-------|
| Vedic Gurukula | _____ | Home Schooling | _____ |
| Day School | _____ | Evening School | _____ |
| Vocational Training | _____ | Long Distance | _____ |
| Cultural Training | _____ | Other | _____ |

3.3.2 Students over age 20

| | | | |
|---------------------|-------|----------------|-------|
| Day School | _____ | Evening School | _____ |
| Vocational Training | _____ | Long Distance | _____ |
| Cultural Training | _____ | Other | _____ |

3.4 Additional Educational Services

What other educational services are available for the community?

| | | | |
|--------------------|-------|------------|-------|
| Seminars/Workshops | _____ | Counseling | _____ |
| Apprenticeship | _____ | Other | _____ |