

BANGLADESH INSTITUTE OF DEVELOPMENT STUDIES
E-17 Agargeon, Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka

Credit programs for the Poor Project

Community Questionnaire

Date: _____

Name of Village _____

Village Code _____

Name of Thana _____

Thana code _____

1. What are the prevailing daily wage rates in the village?

Labor type		Wage Rates in Taka (Including meals)	
		Peak Season	Slack Season
A. Agriculture	1. Child Labor*		
	2. Adult Male		
	3. Adult Female		
B. Non-agriculture	4. Child Labor*		
	5. Adult Male		
	6. Adult Female		

* Child labor under 15 years of age

2. Are the following development activities going on in this village or any nearby village? (Yes =1, No =2)

Activity code	Activity name	This village	Nearby village
1	Road construction		
2	Canal digging		
3	Development of schools or other institutions		
4	Government food program		
5	Non-government food program		
6	Any health project		
7	Any cottage industry		

3. Price of consumption goods

Commodity	Unit	Price/Unit (TK)	Commodity	Unit	Price/Unit (TK)
01. Coarse rice	Kg		19. Egg (hen)	4-count	
02. Medium rice	Kg		20. Milk	Kg/liter	
03. Fine rice	Kg		21. Onion	Kg	
04. Flour (fine)	Kg		22. Garlic	Kg	
05. Flour (coarse)	Kg		23. Turmeric	Kg	
06. Lentil (khesari)	Kg		24. Potato	Kg	
07. Lentil (maskalai)	Kg		25. Brinjal (Egg plant)	Kg	
08. Lentil (chhola)	Kg		26. Green pepper	Kg	
09. Lentil (masur)	Kg		27. Chili	Kg	
10. Lentil (mung)	Kg		28. Salt (iodide)	Kg	
11. Brown sugar (date)	Kg		29. Beef	Kg	
12. Brown sugar (cane)	Kg		30. Goat meat	Kg	
13. Sugar	Kg		31. Chicken	Kg	
14. Soybean oil	Kg		32. Washing soda	Kg	
15. Mustard oil	Kg		33. Body soap	Piece	
16. Coconut oil	Kg		34. Washing soap	Piece	
17. Kerosene oil	Kg		35. Tobacco (Bidi)	Pack	
18. Egg (duck)	4-count		36. Tobacco (cigarette)	Pack	

4. What are the prevailing agricultural input prices the farmers have faced?

Input (fertilizer)	Price in Taka/Kg		
	Aman Season	Boro Season	Aus Season
1. Urea Fertilizer			
2. S.S.P.			
3. T.S.P.			
4. M.P.			
5. Zinc			
6. Gypsum			
5. Other (specify)			

5. Information on irrigation equipment and irrigation cost:

Equipment		Cost (Taka/Acre of land)		
		Aman	Boro	Aus
A. L.L.P.	1. Diesel			
	2. Electrified			
B. Shallow TW	3. Diesel			
	4. Electrified			
C. Deep TW	5. Diesel			
	6. Electrified			

6. What are the prices of the agricultural produces of the village?

Produce	Unit	Price in TAKA/Unit		
		Harvest Price	Minimum Price	Maximum Price
01. Aus paddy	Maund			
02. Aman paddy	Maund			
03. Boro paddy	Maund			
04. Jute (local)	Maund			
05. Jute (tossa)	Maund			
04. Wheat (local)	Maund			
05. Wheat (HYV)	Maund			
08. Sugarcane	Maund			
09. Lentil <i>khesari</i> (raw)	Maund			
10. Lentil <i>maskalai</i> (raw)	Maund			
11. Lentil <i>chhola</i> (raw)	Maund			
12. Lentil <i>masur</i> (raw)	Maund			
13. Lentil <i>mung</i> (raw)	Maund			
14. Mustard	Maund			
15. Tobacco	Maund			
16. Potato	Maund			
17. Onion	Maund			
18. Garlic	Maund			
19. Turmeric (raw)	Maund			

7. What are the prevailing interest rates on private loans from money lenders in the village?

Type of Loan	Prevailing Annual Interest Rate (%)
1. Very short term (up to 3 months)	
2. Short term (3+ -6 months)	
3. Medium-term (6 months-1 year)	
4. Long-term (1+ year)	

8. Description of village schools:

School order	School name	School type (based on gender) 1=boys, 2=girls, 3=coeducation	School type*	Highest grade offered	Year of establishment
1					
2					
3					
4					
5					

* 1=Govt. primary, 2=Non-govt. registered primary, 3= Non-govt. non-registered primary, 4=High school -adjunct primary, 5=Kindergarten, 7=Ebtedai madrasa (religious school), 8=PTI training school, 9=Community school, 10=Satellite school, 11=BRAC school, 12=GSS school, 13=PROSHIKA school, 14=Other NGO school, 15=Junior high school, 16=Govt. high school, 17= Non-govt. high school, 18= Dakhil madrasa (religious school), 19=Other

9. Miscellaneous

1. How many NGOs are active in the village?	
2. How many banks are there in the village? (yes=1, no=2)	
3. Yes there any food market/haat in the village? (yes=1, no=2)	
4. Is there any food-for-work project in any of the village schools? (yes=1, no=2)	