

**ADDRESSING EXTREME POVERTY IN BANGLADESH: THE CASE OF MONGA, 2008 – 2009**

**COMMUNITY LEVEL QUESTIONNAIRE - Round-1**

**Survey Period: October-November 2008**

**File Name: Identity**

**Community questionnaire Serial: SL**

<b>Identification</b>	<b>Code</b>
District: <b>Dist</b> .....	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
Thana/upazila: <b>Th_Uz</b> .....	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
Union: <b>Un</b> .....	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
Mouza: <b>Mouza</b> .....	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
Village: <b>Vill</b> .....	<input type="text"/>
	<b>Day                  Month                  Year</b>
	<b>dd                      mm                      yy</b>
Date of enumeration: .....	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
Name of enumerator: <b>Enumerator</b> .....	<input type="text"/>

**File Name: Respondent\_Info**

**Name and background information of the respondents**

	Name	Gender Male.....1 Female 2	Age	Education (Maximum class passed)	Occupation (Code)
	<b>Mem</b>	<b>Gen</b>	<b>Age</b>	<b>Edu</b>	<b>Occu</b>
1.					
2.					
3.					
4.					

**Occupation Code:**

- UP Chairman ..... 1
- UP member ..... 2
- UP Secretary/Treasurer ..... 3
- Teacher ..... 4
- Large Farmer ..... 5
- Businessman ..... 6
- Other (specify \_\_\_\_\_) ..... 7

## SECTION 1: ACCESS TO FACILITIES AND INFRASTRUCTURE

### A. BASIC FACILITIES

File Name:Sec\_1\_A

Population of mouza/village		Now	Code/response
1	Is there any electricity in the village? <b>A1</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes .....1 No.....2>>3
2	Since when is electricity available? <b>A2</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	(enter 4 digit year)
3	What is the main source of drinking water <b>A3</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Piped water.....1 Tubewell .....2 Well.....3 Pond/River .....4 Waterfall/Spring.....5 Others .....6
4	What is the main type of toilet facility for households? <b>A4</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sanitary .....1 Pacca latrine (Water seal) .....2 Pacca latrine (Pit).....3 Kacha latrine (Permanent) ....4 Kacha latrine (Temporary).....5 Open field.....6
5	What are the types of roads that run through the village? <b>A5</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Only unpaved / katcha road ...1 Unpaved + brick.....2 Unpaved + paved/pucca.....3

## B. TYPES OF PHYSICAL AND SOCIAL INFRASTRUCTURE IN VILLAGE

**File Name: Sec\_1\_B**

1	2	3	4	5	6
Name	Code	Distance from the center of the village (If in village write "0" and move to next item (Km)	Time to reach in dry season by fastest means of transport (Mins)	Fastest mode of transportation 1=Rickshaw/ cycle 2= Baby taxi / tempu 3=Bus 4=On foot	Type of main connecting road 1=Unpaved / katcha 2=Brick 3= Paved/ pucca
	<b>B2</b>	<b>B3</b>	<b>B4</b>	<b>B5</b>	<b>B6</b>
Shop(s)	1				
Weekly market (haat)	2				
Permanent Bazaar	3				
Fertilizer Depot	4				
Food godown	5				
Cold Storage	6				
Paved Road	7				
Bus stop	8				
Train Station	9				
Launch Station	10				
National Highway	11				
Union council	12				
Nearest Municipality	13				
Thana Headquarter	14				
District Headquarter	15				
Police station	16				
Post office	17				
Telephone service (including mobiles)	18				
Commercial Bank	19				
Agricultural Bank	20				
Grameen Bank / Other Microfinance NGO offices	21				
Other NGOs	22				
VGD distribution center	23				

## SECTION 2: EDUCATION FACILITIES

**File Name: Sec\_2**

For all the services listed below, please provide the distance from the village for those which are not available in the village.

1	2	3	4	5
Name	Code	Is there a [...] in the village Yes ... 1 No ... 2>> (Next Item)	When did this school / service begin operating in your village? (year)	How far is the closest facility (from the center of the village)? (km)
	<b>Q2_2</b>	<b>Q2_3</b>	<b>Q2_4</b>	<b>Q2_5</b>
Primary School	1			
Secondary School (girls only)	2			
Secondary School (boys only)	3			
Secondary School (mixed)	4			
Upper secondary school / college	5			
Mosque school (Maktab)	6			
Aliya Madrasah	7			
Quomi Madrasah	8			
Adult literacy center	9			
BRAC School	10			
Other NGO School	11			

## SECTION 3: NGO DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS **FILE NAME: Sec\_3**

Please list the names of NGOs working in this village, the year they first started operating, and indicate whether or not they offer the following programs. Use the blank spaces for names of additional NGOs. For programs, use 1=yes and 2=no.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Name of organization	In village? 1=yes 2=no	Year started operating	Small business/ Industries	Technical training	Adolescent education	Adult Education	Health & Family planning	Agriculture -related	Water/ sewerage	Microfinance services (credit and savings)	Micro insurance	IGVGD or similar program	Other
<b>Q1</b>	<b>q2</b>	<b>q3</b>	<b>q4</b>	<b>q5</b>	<b>q6</b>	<b>q7</b>	<b>q8</b>	<b>q9</b>	<b>q10</b>	<b>q11</b>	<b>q12</b>	<b>q13</b>	<b>q14</b>
Grameen Bank (GB)													
BRAC													
Proshika													
Caritas													
ASA													

## SECTION 4: Major Income Earning ACTIVITIES

File Name: Sec\_4

(Rank according to importance of the income earning opportunities)

	Question	Rank	Answer		Code/response
1	Rank following crops according to importance:	Rank 1	<input type="text"/>	Rank1	<i>Please rank in order to importance of the income earning opportunities of the villagers</i>
	Crop ..... 1	Rank 2	<input type="text"/>	Rank2	
	Livestock..... 2	Rank 3	<input type="text"/>	Rank3	
	Poultry..... 3	Rank 4	<input type="text"/>	Rank4	
	Forestry ..... 4	Rank 5	<input type="text"/>	Rank5	
	Fishing ..... 5	Rank 6	<input type="text"/>	Rank6	
	Small and cottage industry ..... 6				
	Medium and large industry ..... 7				
	Construction..... 8				
	Transport..... 9				
	Business/ hotel/ restaurant..... 10				
	Salaried job ..... 11				
Other (specify) ..... 12					

## SECTION 5: AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION

File Name: Sec\_5\_1\_4

	Question	Rank	Answer
1	Percent of land used for the production of the following crops:	Boro	<input type="text"/>
		Aman	<input type="text"/>
		Aus	<input type="text"/>
		Wheat	<input type="text"/>
		Other crops	<input type="text"/>

	Question	Rank	Answer		
2	Rank the following according to their predominance (If not applicable, leave the box)	One Crop Land	<input type="text"/>	One_Crop_L	Most common..... 1 ..... 2 Least common .... 3
		Two Crop Land	<input type="text"/>	Two_Crop_L	
		Three Crop Land	<input type="text"/>	Three_Crop_L	

	Question	Answer	Code
3	Which is the most predominant type of land tilling	<input type="text"/>	Mechanized ..... 1 Non-mechanized ..... 2
4	What is the percentage of agricultural land under irrigation?	<input type="text"/>	(%)

5. Planting and harvesting date from this Aman to last Boro for major crops (fill in for other major crops, including Aus) **File Name: Sec\_5\_5**

Major Crops	Code	Planting			Harvesting		
		Week	Month	Year	Week	Month	Year
	Crop	P_Week	P_Month	P_Year	H_Week	H_Month	H_Year
Aman	1						
Boro	2						
Aus	3						
Jute	4						
Wheat	5						
Potatoes	6						

## SECTION 6: PRICES AND WAGES

**File Name:Sec\_6\_1**

### 1. Sale price received by farmers during harvest season

Serial no.	Crop	Unit	Was it produced? Yes .. 1, No .. 2			If Yes		
			Amon	Boro	Aus	Price		
						Amon	Boro	Aus
	Crop	Unit	Amon	Boro	Aus	P_Amon	P_Boro	P_Aus
1	Rice (coarse)	Maund						
2	Rice (medium)	Maund						
3	Wheat	Maund						
4	Paddy (coarse)	Maund						
5	Lentil	Maund						
6	Pigeon pea	Kg						
7	Kheshari	Kg						
8	Onion	Kg						
9	Potato	Kg						
10	Dry chili	kg						

### 2. Local retail price of following products (at the time of interview)

**File Name: Sec\_6\_2**

Serial no.	Products	Price (per kg)	Serial no.	Products	Price (per kg)
Products		Price	Products		Price
1	Rice (coarse)		9	Firewood	
2	Wheat		10	Potato	
3	Mustard oil		11	Lentil	
4	Soybean oil		12	Sugar	
5	Molasses		13	Salt	
6	Onion		14	Milk	
7	Beef		15	Kerosene	
8	Fish (small)		16	Fish (big)	

**3. Cost of Farming (Now)****File Name: Sec\_6\_3**

Description	Code	Price (Taka)		
		Aman	Boro	Aus
	<b>Code</b>	<b>Aman_P</b>	<b>Boro_P</b>	<b>Aus_P</b>
Urea (Taka/50 kg)	1			
TSP (Taka/50 kg)	2			
MP (Taka/50 kg)	3			
Rent of Bullock/acre/plow	4			
Rent of power tiller/acre/plow	5			
Rent of pump (taka/acre/irrigation)	6			

Note: Record present or immediate past season prices

**4. Average price of cultivable land, of average quality****File Name: Sec\_6\_4\_5**

	Taka per decimal
Rainfed land, low land	<b>q4_1</b>
Rainfed land, high land	<b>q4_2</b>
Irrigated land, low land	<b>q4_3</b>
Irrigated land, high land	<b>q4_4</b>

**5. Availability of daily work and wage rates of hired labor (at present)****q5**

**6. Wage rates of hired labor in rice farming**

**File Name: Sec\_6\_6**

*Put NA when the task is never performed by a given category of workers.*

Tasks		Pre-harvest activities		Harvest and Post-harvest activities	
Type of laborer	Season	Taka	Meal (value in taka)	Taka	Meal (value in taka)
<b>q6_1</b>	<b>q6_2</b>	<b>q6_3</b>	<b>q6_4</b>	<b>q6_5</b>	<b>q6_6</b>
Adult male	Amon				
	Boro				
	Aus				
Adult female	Amon				
	Boro				
	Aus				
Children 12 years and above 12 years old	Amon				
	Boro				
	Aus				
Children (under 12 years)	Amon				
	Boro				
	Aus				

**SECTION 7: MIGRATION**

**File Name: Sec\_7**

Question	Answer	Code
1 Do people from this mouza migrate for work at this time of the year	<b>q7_1</b> <input type="text"/>	Yes .....1 No.....2>>3

2. Where do people migrate to? (Rank according to importance)

Rank	Destination Code	Main activity at destination Agriculture ..... 1 Non-agriculture ...2
1	q2_11	q2_12
2	q2_21	q2_22
3	q2_31	q2_32
4	q2_41	q2_42
5	q2_51	q2_52

<b>Destination code:</b>	
Dhaka .....	1
Other urban areas outside of greater Rangpur districts .....	2
Other urban areas within the greater Rangpur districts .....	3
Rural areas outside of greater Rangpur districts .....	4
Rural areas within the greater Rangpur districts .....	5

Question		Answer	Code
3	Do people from other regions migrate here	q3 <input type="text"/>	Yes .....1 No.....2>>Next section
4	What type of work do they mainly perform?	q4 <input type="text"/>	Agriculture .....1 Non-Agriculture.....2

**SECTION 8: NATURAL RESOURCES AND NATURAL DISASTERS** File Name:Sec\_8\_1

1. Do people in this village use the following natural facilities / resources?

Description	Code	Yes=1 No =2>> next item	If Yes (if it is in village write "0")	
			Distance of nearest	Time taken on foot
			Km	Minutes
	Code	Facilities	Distance	Time
River / Canal	1			
Significant fishing area (Beel) under common ownership	2			
Other open water source	3			
Forest (under common ownership)	4			
Government (Khash) land in island (char) areas	5			
Other Khash land	6			
Grazing Field	7			

2. During the last 5 years, was this village affected by the following natural disasters?

File Name: Sec\_8\_2

Description	Code	Yes=1 No =2 (>> next disaster)	Number of times occurred	Occurred within last one year: Yes=1 No =2	How did most households cope with the disaster? (list top 3 based on importance)		
					1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>
	Code	Disaster	Times	Occurred	Imp1	Imp2	Imp3
Flood	1						
Drought	2						
River erosion	3						
Cyclone/tornado/hail storm	4						
Pestilence-stricken	5						
Poultry Plague	6						
Devastating epidemic	7						
Other natural disaster (specify)	8						

Coping code	
Assistance from government program.....1	Sell household assets .....7
Assistance from NGOs (other than credit) ....2	Pawn goods .....8
Using own income .....3	Advance sell crops .....9
Using own savings .....4	Advance sell labor .....10
Taking loans from formal sources .....5	Reduce consumption.....11
Taking loans from informal sources .....6	Help from friends/family .....12
	Migration by household member .....13