Introducing

Integrated Horticulture Promotion Project

Research and Development Center, Bajo



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Project Goal & Purpose

Horticulture production is expanded with appropriate technologies in the target areas

Develop implementation n system for promotion of horticulture

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Project Outputs

1) Develop
appropriate
technologies for
promoting
horticulture farming

OP-1

OP-3

2) Strengthen fruits/vegetable seeds/seedlings production system at RDC-Bajo, NSC-Bajo, private nurseries

3) Strengthen training and extension system (Outreach Programs) for promoting horticulture farming

Activities of Output-1



Develop appropriate technologies for promoting horticulture farming

Introduce and identify suitable cultivars for horticulture farming in the target areas

Develop horticulture production management practices



Develop/improve appropriate extension materials

Activities of Output-2

Develop appropriate technologies for production of quality seeds and seedlings at RDC-Bajo

Strengthen vegetable seeds and fruits seedlings production system

Identify private nurseries and seed growers & provide training for quality seeds/seedlings

Monitor private nurseries & seed growers for quality seeds/seedlings production

Provide technical support for quality seeds/ Seedlings production in NSC-Bajo

Activities of Output-3



Formulate/modify outreach program in collaboration with RDC-Wengkhar

Strengthen training and extension system (Outreach Programs) for horticulture promotion

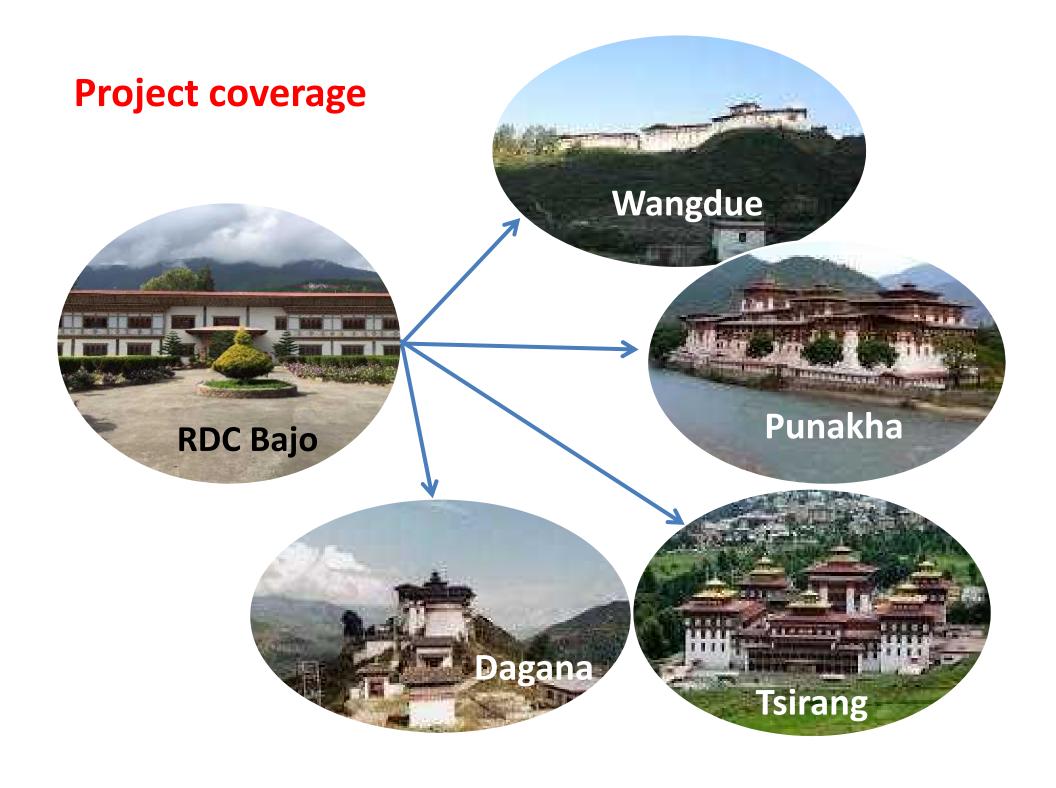
Provide technical support for farm development at ADTC-Chimipang

Provide capacity development programs for researchers and extension officers

Provide training for farmers to establish demonstration farms in focus villages as well as to encourage vegetable farmers



Monitor and support extension activities by extension officers and farm owners



Project input

Expertise

- 1) Chief Advisor/Horticulture
- 2) Horticulture-2/Pest & Diseases
- 3) Coordinator/Training

Farm machinery

Excavator, vehicles, farm equipment, water pumps, agriculture machinery and farm equipment for RDC Bajo

Capacity development

Training of Researchers, Extension
Officers and Farmers (In-country and Excountry)

Infrastructure development

Land development and nursery establishment at RDC Bajo & RDSC Tsirang

Orchard establishment & improvement

Orchards establishment through Outreach Programs & orchards improvement

Collaborative support



Two Gewogs (Khatoed and Khamaed) of Gasa Dzongkhag

Technical supports

Agriculture Demonstration and Training Center (ADTC) at Chimipang



National Seed Center of Bajo for seeds and seedlings nursery establishment

