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ACRONYMS

AAS	Afghan Agro Services
ABADE	Assistance in Building Afghanistan by Developing Enterprises
ADF	Agriculture Development Fund
AIA	Afghanistan Industrial Association
AISA	Afghanistan Investment Support Agency
AMA	Afghanistan Microfinance Association
ANSOR	Afghanistan National Seed Organization
APTTA	Afghanistan Pakistan Transit Trade Agreement
ASTWG	Agriculture Strengthening Strategic Technical Working Group
B2B	Business-to-Business
CCP	Critical Control Plan
CHAMP	Commercial Horticulture and Agricultural Marketing Program
DAI	Development Alternatives, Inc.
DAIL	Department of Agriculture, Irrigation and Livestock
DOC	Development Outreach and Communications
DoEc	Directorate of Economy
DoPH	Department of Public Health
DoWA	Directorate of Women Affairs
FAIDA	Financial Assistance for Investment in the Development of Afghanistan
FOG	Fixed Obligation Grant
FTE	Full Time Equivalent
GAALO	Green Afghanistan Agriculture and Livestock Organization
GIRoA	Government of the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan
HACCP	Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Points
HCDP	Horticulture Cooperative Development Program
IDEA-NEW	Incentives Driving Economic Alternatives for the North, East and West
IIFC	Islamic Investment and Financing Cooperative
INL	International Narcotics Law Enforcement
IPM	Integrated Pest Management

ISA	International Seed Association
MAIL	Ministry of Agriculture, Irrigation and Livestock
MoCI	Ministry of Commerce and Industries
MoU	Memorandum of Understanding
MT	Metric Ton
NAEC	National Agriculture Education College
NAPPO	North America Plant Protection Organization
NATC	Nangarhar Afghan Agriculture Training Center
NCCI	Nangarhar Chamber of Commerce and Industries
NCE	No Cost Extension
NHLP	National Horticulture and Livestock Program
PBISC	Parwan Bastan Improved Seed Company
PDC	Provincial Development Council
PDT	Peace Dividend Trust
PERSUAP	Pesticide Evaluation Report and Safe Use Action Plan
PGC	Prosperity Group of Companies
PHDP	Perennial Horticulture Development Program
PIN	People in Need
PPE	Personal Protection Equipment
RSI	Rahman Safi Impact Consultancy
RSSAO	Reconstruction & Social Services for Afghanistan Organization
SAGAL	Strengthening Afghan Governance and Alternative Livelihoods
SNGA	Said Khail Nursery Growers Association
TVET	Technical Vocational Education and Training
TWG	Technical Working Group
USAID	United States Agency for International Development
VSU	Vetting Support Unit
WPCSO	Women Prophecy-able Cultural and Social Organization

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PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The U.S. Agency for International Development's (USAID) Afghanistan country strategy includes the promotion of long-term agricultural development and alternative livelihoods for farmers that results in “a sustainable, thriving agricultural economy” and contributes to the U.S. Government's stabilization and counter narcotics policy goals. USAID's Office of Agriculture launched the Incentives Driving Economic Alternatives for the North, East and West (IDEA-NEW) program in March 2009. Its mission is to expand the licit agricultural economy in northern, eastern and western Afghanistan. Its activities support agribusinesses at different points of each value chain in order to improve their market access, increase processing capacity and catalyze investments into Afghanistan's agricultural sector.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

IDEA-NEW continued project activities during the month of November, with the Green Afghanistan Agriculture and Livestock Organization (GAALO) conducting the second session of ‘Pesticide Safety and Safe Handling’ training in Jalalabad. A total of 16 input suppliers from Nangarhar and Laghman provinces participated in the training. Also, Reconstruction and Social Services for Afghanistan Organization (RSSAO) conducted a five-day ‘Accounting and Marketing’ training in Jalalabad in which 15 commercial input suppliers and processors participated. Farmer field days continued throughout the month with a total of 212 farmers, 51 agriculture faculty students and nine DAIL representatives in attendance. RSI Consulting, one of IDEA-NEW's subcontractors, also conducted two taste tests (one in Kabul and one in Jalalabad) to compare the processed foods of IDEA-NEW grantees with imported goods. The taste tests took place November 12-13 in Kabul and November 24-25 in Jalalabad. Overall, local products rated higher than imported brands.

PROGRAM ACTIVITY UPDATES

ACTIVITY 1: STRENGTHENING AGRICULTURAL INPUT SUPPLIERS

Sub-Activity 1.1: Train input suppliers to identify and respond to the technical needs of their customers

In August, a fixed obligation grant (FOG) was awarded to GAALO to provide pesticide safety and handling training to IDEA-NEW selected ag-input dealers. Completing two sessions of training in Kabul and one session in Jalalabad during the month of October, GAALO completed the second session of pesticide safety and safe handling training in Jalalabad from November 2-6. A total of 16 input suppliers (14 from Nangarhar, 2 from Laghman) participated in the training.

The classroom training session (three days) included presentations and group discussions on pest and disease problems, integrated pest management (IPM) and disease control methods, pesticide labels and applications methods, and Ministry of Agriculture, Irrigation and Livestock (MAIL) pesticide regulations.

Practical training sessions (two days) were conducted at the Nangarhar Department of Agriculture, Irrigation and Livestock (DAIL) Shesham Bagh research farm. The classroom training session (3 days) included presentations and group discussions on pest and disease problems, integrated pest management (IPM) and disease control methods, pesticide labels and application methods, and Ministry of Agriculture, Irrigation and Livestock (MAIL) pesticide regulations.



Input suppliers during practical training on pesticide safety and safe handling at the Shesham Bagh research farm; November 05, 2014

Practical training sessions (2 days) were conducted at the Nangarhar Department of Agriculture, Irrigation and Livestock (DAIL) Shesham Bagh research farm. Trainers demonstrated different types of sprayers, Personal Protection Equipment (PPE) and safety measures. Each demonstration was followed by a Q&A session.

Sub-Activity 1.2: Improve the business management, administration and marketing capacities of input suppliers

On September 14, IDEA-NEW signed an FOG agreement with RSSAO for ‘Marketing and Basic Business Accounting for Agribusinesses’ (ag-input dealers and food processors) in Central and Eastern Afghanistan. Target beneficiaries for the training included staff from 60 commercial input suppliers, processors and traders from IDEA-NEW targeted provinces¹. All IDEA-NEW grantees (input dealers and food processors) are required to attend this training as part of their grant agreements.

During the month of November, RSSAO submitted the training materials for review by IDEA-NEW. The material was supplied in Dari, Pashto and English and was comprised of timetables, learning material, curricula, agendas, and pre and post-tests for the three courses. These were edited and approved in coordination with IDEA-NEW staff.

The five-day ‘Accounting and Marketing’ training began on Sunday, November 23 in Jalalabad. Fifteen trainees from 15 agribusinesses attended this training. Representatives of the Directorate of Commerce and Industries (DoCI), Nangarhar Chamber of Commerce and Industries (NCCI) and Directorate of Economy (DoEc) spoke to trainees about the importance of financial records and product promotion.

The 2nd session of the training began on Sunday, November 30 in Jalalabad. Delivery of the first session for this training in Kabul is scheduled to commence on December 7. Further details will be included in the December monthly report.

Sub-Activity 1.3: Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits

During the month of November, IDEA-NEW signed three promotional grants with input dealers as follows:

¹ IDEA-NEW’s targeted provinces are Kabul, Kapisa, Parwan, Panjshir, Nangarhar, Laghman and Kunar.

Sheen Zar Agricultural Trading Co Ltd: Sheen Zar was first established in 1993 by Dr. M. Kabeer “Kochi” in Maidan Wardak province, but moved to Kabul in 1998. It is a leading independent provider of agriculture products/services. IDEA-NEW signed a grant agreement for a promotional grant with Sheen Zar on November 2. [REDACTED]

The company requested that IDEA-NEW provide a variety of promotional items including pens, brochures, key chains, calendars, wall clocks and caps. The company will increase employment with two full-time equivalent (FTE) positions and purchase radio advertisements spots.

As at the end of November, USAID Development Outreach and Communications (DOC) office approvals for the majority of the promotional items were received and the items were sent for printing and delivery. All items will be delivered during the first two weeks of December.

Sadat Ghafari Brothers Company Ltd: Sadat Ghafari was established in 2005 and is registered with the Ministry of Commerce, the Afghanistan Investment Support Agency (AISA), MAIL, the Afghanistan National Seed Organization (ANSOR), International Seed Association (ISA), Peace Dividend Trust (PDT) and the North America Plant Protection Organization (NAPPO). They are the registered dealer for Condor seeds sourced from the U.S. and focus on producing and importing certified seeds to farmers, and importing insecticides, herbicides, steel and plastic sprayers, heavy duty agro-machinery, drip irrigation kits and other agri-inputs.

They have a network of contract farmers who purchase seeds on a loan basis. Post-harvest, Sadat Ghafari buys their products and exports to Dubai and other countries in the region.

IDEA-NEW signed a grant agreement for a promotional grant with Sadat Ghafari on November 9. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] The grant was approved to supply pens, brochures, key chains, calendars, wall clocks, product racks, banners and caps. Sadat Ghafari’s cost-share includes the distribution of 50 kits of fertilizers, seeds and pesticides/insecticides to farmers. Two new FTE jobs are being created from this effort.



The owner of Sadat Ghafari Brothers Ltd signs a sole distribution dealership contract with the owner of Najib Habib Charkhi Plastic Industry at the IDEA-NEW office in Kabul; November 03, 2014

During the reporting period, all of the designs for promotional items were completed and submitted to USAID DOC for approval. Upon receipt of approval, all items will be produced and provided to Sadat Ghafari during the month of December.

Najib Habib Charkhi Plastic Industry: Najib Habib Charkhi has invested [REDACTED] in a plant for molding and assembling a range of plastic spray pumps designed for the Afghanistan agriculture market. This product is a

potential import substitute and an export opportunity for the company. IDEA-NEW is providing support in developing its distribution network, as this product represents a cost savings to the end user and is manufactured in Afghanistan.

On November 11, IDEA-NEW signed a promotional grant agreement with Najib Habib Charkhi [REDACTED] [REDACTED] to produce posters, calendars, key chains, clocks, pens and business cards. These will be printed and delivered to the grantee by December 25. As part of the grantee's cost-share, they will train 70 farmers in pesticide spraying techniques and provide protective clothing during the training. Additionally, they will provide information to trainees on their products. This training will take place between December 14-16.

As part of the grantee's cost-share under their grant agreements with IDEA-NEW, the following ag-input suppliers conducted farmer field days. A total of 106 farmers, 51 agriculture faculty students, 23 retailers and two DAIL representatives attended these field days.

Nangarhar Agriculture Training Center (NATC): NATC conducted a field day on mushroom production in Behsud district of Nangarhar on November 06 in which 13 green house farmers, 11 professional high school students and three DAIL representatives participated.



NATC representative conducts field day on mushroom production in greenhouses November 06, 2014.

Kama Green Agriculture Development Company: Kama Green organized and financed a field day on greenhouse production and marketing for five vegetable wholesalers and 15 retailers at its farm in Behsud district of Nangarhar on November 06.

Al-Roheed Agriculture Services Company: Al-Roheed conducted a field day on November 20 in Behsud district of Nangarhar in which 34 farmers and one retailer participated. This field day was arranged to transfer technical farm-related knowledge to farmers and to attract new customers.

Hayatullah Nursery Farm: The Nursery Farm arranged a field day at its site in Jalalabad on November 11, in which 12 nursery growers and 15 agriculture faculty students participated. The field day was conducted to update nursery growers on modern agricultural practices (greenhouse production) and techniques.

Abdul Wakil Agriculture Company: Abdul Wakil organized and financed a field day on fruit pruning for 36 agriculture faculty students of Laghman province at its farm in Mehterlam district of Laghman on November 30.

Helal Hadawal Agro Service Company: Helal Hadawal conducted a field day on November 20 in Qarghayee district of Laghman province in which a total 30 farmers, one retailer and one DAIL representative participated. The objective of this field day was to transfer technical information to farmers, advertise Helal Hadawal's products and services, attract new customers, and provide farmers with contact information for local retailers.

IDEA-NEW delivered promotional items to seven grantees during the reporting period:

- Now Bahar Salarzai Agriculture Company received 250 promotional wall clocks on November 18 and will distribute them to retailers and farmers to attract new customers.
- Kunar Fruit and Vegetable Wholesalers Association received 1,000 promotional wall clocks, 1,000 caps, 150 hygienic uniforms and 5,000 pens on November 6. The association will distribute these promotional items to lead farmers and agricultural cooperatives to raise their awareness of this market for their fruits and vegetables.
- Tasal Jawad Limited received 500 promotional caps on November 06.
- Al-Roheed Agriculture Company received 500 wall clocks, 2,000 caps and 50 products racks on November 17.
- Kama Green Agriculture Development Company received 15 promotional product racks, 3,000 wall calendars and 100 wall clocks on November 13.
- Hayatullah Nursery Farm received 200 wall clocks and 500 caps on November 11 which will be distributed to lead farmers, agriculture associations, and other current and potential customers.
- Wasiq Imran Limited received 500 promotional caps and 30 product racks on November 13. They will distribute these items to lead farmers and agricultural cooperatives to advertise the company's products.

The remaining promotional items under these grant agreements will be delivered by mid-December. In addition, all promotional material designs for the remaining grants were submitted to the DOC office by the end of November. Once approved, these designs will be sent to the vendor for printing and delivered to the grantees in December.

The following companies completed their grant contributions:

- Abdul Wakil Agriculture Company completed a new well as part of their cost-share requirement on November 30. The well will be used to irrigate its nurseries and mother-stock of stone fruits and citrus.
- Samsoor Ban Agriculture Company, as its contribution to the matching grant, completed a new well on November 26. It will provide supplemental irrigation to its nursery and mother-stock of pome fruits and grapes.
- Al-Roheed Agriculture Company conducted four field days. It designed and printed 3,000 business cards and 2,000 brochures. All of the cost-share field days, business cards and brochures will be used to market its products and services, increase sales and profits, and access new markets.

Grant activities under promotional and matching grants continued for the following companies during the month of November:

Prosperity Group of Companies (PGC): Due to late procurement of materials and issues relating to security, PGC informed IDEA-NEW that it would be unable to meet its cost-share contribution for farmer training and field days under its matching grant. IDEA-NEW and PGC will modify the grant agreement to extend the period for PGC to conduct the farmer demonstrations.

Said Khail Nursery Growers Association (SNGA): As part of their cost-share, the association is finalizing the building of a garage for the tractor; this will be completed by mid-December.

Parwan Bastan Improved Seed Company (PBISC): To date, PBISC has signed 70 contracts with individual farmers from different districts within the central provinces for the purchase of fruits and vegetables. PBISC works with the farmers to ensure quality and timeliness of delivery.

Afghanistan Industrial Association (AIA): As part of the AIA cost-share for the matching grant, they will prepare the foundation work comprising a cement pad for the exhibition booths and will produce 30 signboards. In addition, the final promotional products will be delivered to AIA during the first two weeks of December.

Royan Agriculture Production: As part of the grantee's contribution, Royan hired two staff—a Marketing Officer and a Finance Officer—during the reporting period. The promotional items will be delivered in December. Additionally, as part of IDEA-NEW's B2B activities, Royan attended several B2B meetings with Amini Sadri Ltd in October and submitted capsicum samples for foreign market approval. These samples were sent to Bahrain through Amini Sadri Ltd.

Afghan Agro Services (AAS): To date, AAS has trained 146 farmers in Laghman and Nangarhar provinces as their cost-share for the activity.

Aslam Zada Agriculture Services Company: During the month of November, all of the promotional items requested by the grantee were designed and will be printed as soon as approval from the DOC office is received. The installation of two billboards is complete. As part of the grantee contribution, Aslam Zada has hired four laborers for a period of six months.

Sub-Activity 1.4: Introduce pilot SMS marketing strategy for input wholesalers

IDEA-NEW's SMS initiative is an innovative way to ensure that commercially sustainable agricultural information is delivered to farmers in a timely, cost-effective and efficient manner. The program helps farmers gain access to reliable sources of information and inputs, and strengthens the linkages between farmers and input suppliers. The system benefits the input suppliers by providing easy and effective marketing and advertising to increase sales and profitability. IDEA-NEW provides SMS grants to local ag-input wholesalers. As part of the sustainable cost-share arrangements in SMS grant agreements, ag-input suppliers will cover the entire cost of SMS messaging when IDEA-NEW assistance ends.

Agricultural input suppliers that received SMS grants sent 40 targeted messages to 8,426 farmers and 2,749 retailers in November.

The following current SMS grantees continued their activities under their respective agreements during the month of November:

Bakhtar Afghan Azizi Agro-Services Company: Bakhtar Afghan conducted a farmer field day in Mehterlam district of Laghman on November 10 in which thirty farmers participated. During the field day, they distributed leaflets containing information on leaf worms in cauliflower, vegetable cut worms, aphids and damping-off disease in vegetable nurseries. Bakhtar Afghan also discussed low-cost mitigation methods such as soap applications,



Bakhtar Afghan conducts field day in Mehterlam district of Laghman province; November 10, 2014

removal of infected fruits and leaves, and burning waste materials. They warned farmers against leaving waste near their fields or dumping in rivers and irrigation ditches, which can result in infestation of neighboring fields and re-infestation of their own fields.

During the month, Bakhtar Afghan sent seven text messages to 2,174 farmers in Nangarhar, Laghman and Kunar provinces, and to 157 retailers in Helmand, Kandahar, Balkh, Takhar, Nangarhar, Kunar and Laghman provinces. In response to these messages, 15 retailers and farmers called Bakhtar Afghan seeking more information about wheat herbicides. Three farmers and retailers made in-person visits to Bakhtar Afghan's office in Jalalabad.

In addition, Agricom, a formulator of liquid fertilizers and importer of Chinese and Indian pesticides, heard about Bakhtar Afghan sending agronomists to inspect farmers' fields and holding field days to promote its products. They also heard about Bakhtar Afghan's SMS marketing initiative to promote its products and increase its contact with farmers and retailers. After several meetings with Bakhtar Afghan in November, Agricom made Bakhtar Afghan its sole distributor in Afghanistan.



Now Bahar Salarzai's field day in Behsud district of Nangarhar province; November 20, 2014

Now Bahar Salarzai Agriculture Company: Now Bahar conducted two field days for 50 farmers in Kama district of Nangarhar province on November 4, and another for 38 farmers in Behsud of Nangarhar on November 22. The primary objectives of these field days were to provide technical information and raise farmers' awareness of Now Bahar's SMS marketing program. Now Bahar sent five messages to 2,100 farmers in Nangarhar, Kunar, Kabul and Laghman provinces, and to 300 retailers in Kunduz, Balkh, Takhar, Laghman, Nangarhar and Kunar provinces during the month. Using an SMS marketing system, Now Bahar introduced new tomato seed varieties and tested farmers' and retailers' demand for a wheat herbicide.

Wajid Zaman Agriculture Company: Wajid Zaman sent seven text messages to 2,235 farmers and 40 retailers in Behsud, Surkhrod, Sherzad and Batikot districts of Nangarhar, as well as Mehterlam, Qarghayee and Alingar districts of Laghman province. In response to these messages, 25 farmers called Wajid Zaman's retailers for information on fungicides, insecticides, herbicides and veterinary products, as well as application instructions. Wajid Zaman's Technical Agriculture and Marketing Officer inspected 10 fields in Surkhrod, Sherzad Batikot, Mehterlam, Qarghayee and Alingar districts to collect data and send relevant text messages. Wajid Zaman also conducted a field day on November 13 in Behsud district of Nangarhar, where 44 farmers, one retailer and a DAIL representative participated. The purpose of this field day was to raise awareness of its new SMS marketing system that helps farmers receive product and technical information on their mobile phones.

Hamisha Bahar Agriculture Company: Hamisha Bahar conducted a field day in Kunar province on November 20 in which thirty-eight Kunar nursery operators participated. The objective of this field day was to introduce its SMS marketing system to farmers, retailers, and nursery operators. During the field

day, Hamesha Bahar discussed modern agricultural practices and ways to control common nursery pests and diseases. Hamisha Bahar also sent eight text messages on hybrid seeds, agricultural tools and seedlings to 1,714 retailers in Nangarhar, Laghman, Kunar, Kabul Kapisa, Parwan, Baghlan and Kunduz provinces during the month. They received 12 replies from nursery operators who wanted to buy citrus seedlings.

Prosperity Group of Companies (PGC): During the reporting period, PGC hired key staff, including a Marketing Officer, a Database Officer, and a Managing Director. They also developed a database of 1000 contact numbers (their targeted farmers/retailers) which will be used to create groups for the sending of ag-alerts via SMS.

Hussain Zada Ltd: Hussain Zada conducted a field day on November 10 in Jalalabad city with 33 participants. The trainers for the field day covered topics including veterinary medicines and equipment demonstrations. They also shared information on pesticides, insecticides, herbicides, fungicides, the safe use of ag-chemicals, environmental issues, record keeping, recommended dosages, and an introduction to the SMS marketing program funded by IDEA-NEW.

A second field day with 24 participants was conducted by Hussain Zada on November 30 in the Mir Bacha Kot district of Kabul. The trainer covered the same topics as in the November 10 field day.

Additionally, on November 13, Hussain Zada signed a contract with Zilino market based in Kyrgyzstan for the export of fresh fruit and vegetables. This was followed by an export batch comprising cucumber, eggplant, garlic, lemon and a further two containers, one of pomegranate and one of tangerine on November 22. [REDACTED]

ACTIVITY 2: SUPPORTING FOOD PROCESSORS

Sub-Activity 2.1: Train food processing companies in basic food safety and hygiene

On September 14, IDEA-NEW signed a FOG grant agreement with RSSAO for training in ‘Basic Food Safety and Hygiene’ for 40 employees working with 40 food processing companies from IDEA-NEW targeted provinces.

RSSAO delivered this training to a total of 36 participants, including two staff from Kabul DAIL with the others from 15 production and processing companies. Training was delivered in two sessions in Kabul during the month of November.

The first training session took place November 26-27 with a total of 26 participants. The second session started on November 30 and will complete on December 10 for a total of 10 participants. The training covers the basics of food safety and hygiene.

The practical session of the training will take place in each of the 15 processing and production companies where the trainers will work with the participants to apply the lessons learned. The trainers will work with the participants to develop a basic HACCP plan for their companies and will work with them to develop Critical Control Plan (CCPs) and document them.

These plans will help identify hazards and reduce harmful effects, improving the quality of the finished products.

Sub-Activity 2.2: Train food processing companies in basic business accounting and marketing

Nine food processing companies participated in ‘Accounting and Marketing’ training provided by RSSAO in Jalalabad from November 23-27. During the accounting training, the participants learned to analyze the profitability of their individual products. During the marketing training, they began developing individual ‘Marketing Plans’ for each company. Training by RSSAO in ‘Marketing and Accounting’ will continue through December. See Sub-Activity 1.2 above for further information.

Sub-Activity 2.3: Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits

During the reporting period, IDEA-NEW signed one promotional grant and one matching grant for food processors as detailed below:

Zarin Shinwari Processed Food Wholesaler: Zarin Shinwari is an Afghan processed food wholesaler located in Jalalabad. The company distributes and promotes processed fruit and vegetable products to wholesalers and retailers, allowing processors to focus on increasing the efficiency of their procurement and processing systems. On November 11, IDEA-NEW signed a promotional grant agreement with Zarin Shinwari. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]. Under this grant, Zarin will design and print brochures, business cards, posters and bumper stickers. IDEA-NEW will provide calendars, signboards, caps, wall clocks, key chains and product racks. These promotional materials will help Zarin expand its line of Afghan processed fruit and vegetable products, distribute to more fruit and vegetable processors in eastern and central provinces, gain market share in its current provincial markets, and gradually expand to other provinces.

Women Prophecy-able Cultural and Social Organization (WPCSO): The WPCSO is a woman-owned food processing company located in Kapisa province, which produces jams and tomato paste. IDEA-NEW signed a matching grant agreement with WPCSO on November 13. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]. The equipment provided by IDEA-NEW will include a freezer, power generator, grinder, mixer, plastic buckets and a gas stove. WPCSO will provide cookers, some basic kitchen tools, gas cylinders and tables and will hire 2 FTE positions as production staff.



President of WPCSO signs the promotional grant agreement at the IDEA-NEW office in Kabul

IDEA-NEW delivered the below promotional items to grantees during the month of November:

- Gift to Zest Food Production Company received 500 wall clocks on November 16. These promotional items will be distributed to retailers, wholesalers and distributors in Nangarhar, Laghman, Kunar and Kabul provinces to increase brand awareness and identify new potential markets. The company also completed its cost-share contribution required under its grant agreement with IDEA-NEW during the month by designing and printing posters, brochures, signboards, and wall calendars. These promotional items are being distributed among retailers,

wholesalers and customers to promote Gift to Zest products, increase market share and enter into new provinces.

- Khalid Laziz Non-alcoholic Beverages Company received promotional wall clocks on November 16 as part of their grant agreement with IDEA-NEW. Khalid Laziz will distribute these wall clocks for their brand recognition and marketing purposes to identify new customers for its products and enter into new regions.

The following agribusinesses continued their activities under their promotional and matching grant agreements with IDEA-NEW during the month of November:

Wahdat Afghan Non-Alcoholic Beverage Production Company: The company's promotional item designs were approved by the DOC office and sent to the printer for production, delivery will be completed in December.

Khalid Faizan Food Production Company: Under the grant agreement, the company requested production equipment to include a slicer machine, an automatic capping machine (for glass jars), a cooking dish and a carton packing machine. The vendor was selected during the month of November and the items will be delivered in early December.

Farah Farhat Faizi (3F): During the month of November, 3F created fulltime employment for a lab technician and two female trainers to deliver basket weaving training to the final group of 30 females.

With support from IDEA-NEW, this company has gained skills in food safety and hygiene, signed an agreement with Finest Supermarkets, delivered business skills training to 90 women, created two FTE jobs, applied for MoPH certification, delivered a presentation at the U.S. Embassy on women entrepreneur empowerment, and delivered food production training to the students of the agriculture institute at Badam Bagh in Kabul.



Final group of 30 women participate in the straw basket weaving training

Barna Group Chips Production: During the reporting period, all promotional materials were approved by USAID DOC and are being produced. The company also completed construction of a 300 m² warehouse and cold storage in a new building located in the Pul-e-Charkhi area.

Barna Group has produced three different TV ads as part of their contribution to the grant, which will increase exposure for their products in major cities of the country. The TV ads will be broadcast in early December. They are also in the final stage of negotiating a contract with Finest Supermarkets.

Mahan Ferdows Food Production Company: Promotional materials have been submitted to the printing vendor and will be delivered to the grantee by mid-December. Mahan Ferdows continued negotiations with Finest Supermarket for an open sales contract during the month and is also negotiating contracts with lemon producers from Nangarhar, Kunar and Laghman provinces to ensure a consistent supply during the winter months.

Faisal Kohistani Food Products Processing Company: As part of their matching grant, the following equipment was delivered to Faisal Kohistani during the month: one pulping machine, one chiller, three



President of Faisal Kohistani exhibits their finished stock storage and display area

refractometers, two filling containers, one electricity generator and three sealing machines. IDEA-NEW also facilitated a linkage with the financial institutions ACE/ADF and Financial Assistance for Investment in the Development of Afghanistan (FAIDA) for loan approval during the month. FAIDA visited the business to assist them in developing the necessary documentation required by ACE/ADF.

Faisal Kohistani is also one of IDEA-NEW's promotional material grantees. The designs of the promotional items were finalized and will be delivered in December. From November 4-6, as part of their cost-share, they trained 9 women in food processing. They also submitted the municipality authorization letter to IDEA-NEW, permitting installation of their billboards. The grantee commenced work on two rooms to facilitate business expansion and provide floor space for new machinery.

Haidar Rafat Ltd: During the month of November, IDEA-NEW delivered the final quantity of 1,500 plastic baskets, which will be utilized by the grantee for the safe collection of fresh fruits from its contract farmers and will reduce wastage of fresh fruits during the collection and transportation phases.



Afghan women sorting and grading dried apricot at the Haidar Rafat Company

Haidar Rafat's cost-share for the matching grant includes the purchase of 800MT of fresh apricots from its contract farmers and local markets. During the month, Haidar Rafat submitted the associated procurement bills to IDEA-NEW. To date, Haidar Rafat has created 41 FTE jobs for the duration of four months (39 of these jobs are for women). They have reported a large increase in their sales, [REDACTED]

Haidar Rafat also participated in the Pragati Midan dried fruits exhibition in Delhi from November 14-28. The potential contracts drafted at the exhibition will be discussed with IDEA-NEW in December.

Ali Bahar Sabz Fruit Process Company: Approximately 80% of the promotional material items have been submitted for DOC approval and the remaining materials are being designed.

Amini Sadri Ltd: As at the end of November, approximately 60% of Amini Sadri's promotional items were delivered and the remaining 40% are pending DOC approval.

Women Prophecy-able Cultural & Social Organization (WPCSO): Promotional items were submitted to DOC for approval. The items will be printed and delivered to the grantee as soon as approval is received.

ACTIVITY 3: SUPPORT DOMESTIC AGRIBUSINESSES' EFFORTS TO IMPORT KEY INPUTS AND FACILITATE MARKET ENTRY FOR REGIONAL AND/OR INTERNATIONAL AGRIBUSINESS RETAILERS

Sub-Activity 3.1: Identify key product needs of domestic food processors and input suppliers and match them with regional/international retailers

No updates to report this period.

Sub-Activity 3.2: Promote partnerships between domestic input suppliers, processors, distributors, retailers and financing bodies

During the reporting period, four B2Bs were held in Kabul and one in Jalalabad. Below are highlights from these meetings.

HCDP and Amini Sadri: On November 5, IDEA-NEW facilitated a B2B meeting between the French Agency for Development (AFD)-funded Horticulture Cooperative Development Program (HCDP) and Amini Sadri. The purpose of the meeting was to link fruit growers assisted through the HCDP with fruit and vegetable exporters.

Amini Sadri and Vegetable Producers: On November 13, IDEA-NEW facilitated a B2B meeting between 12 vegetables producers in Nangarhar, Kunar and Laghman provinces and Amini Sadri. During the meeting, they shared their respective ideas on the size, quantity, color, variety and even shape of the vegetables which were required by some of the niche export markets. Amini Sadri has linked with a number of producers and is discussing export potential with the Dubai and Bahrain markets. Following a first stage agreement, Amini Sadri will forward samples to the markets.

Najib Habib Charkhi Ltd and Ag-input Wholesalers: IDEA-NEW facilitated a B2B meeting between Ag-input wholesalers and a local agro-sprayer pump producer, Najib Habib Charkhi Ltd., in order to support the overall objective to develop the capacity and capability of players in the fruit, grape and vegetable supply chain, introduce Najib Habib Charkhi and their spray pump products to Ag-input wholesalers/dealers and to gauge Agri-input company interest in establishing sales/marketing contracts with Najib Habib Charkhi.

The B2B meeting was held on November 20 between 12 Ag-input wholesalers and Najib Habib Charkhi Ltd. This product is a potential import substitution and an export opportunity for Najib Habib Charkhi.

During the meeting, Najib Habib Charkhi outlined the product characteristics, design and manufacture, distribution and marketing plans. This product at its present retail price represents a significant cost savings for end users. Those input suppliers interested in a dealership were



B2B Meeting between Najib Habib Charki & Agri Input Suppliers; November 20, 2014

requested to join a separate discussion with Najib Habib Charkhi's owner. A total of three Ag-input dealers expressed interest in further discussion with the company on the distribution rights for a number of provinces, as follows:

1. **Sadat Ghafari Brothers Company:** Laghman, Nangarhar, Kunar and Nuristan provinces
2. **Akhter Mohammad Gardezi Ltd:** Khost and Pakiya provinces
3. **Parwan Bastan Improved Seeds Company:** Parwan and Kapisa provinces

A follow up B2B meeting took place on November 30, where Sadat Ghafari signed an agreement to represent Najib Habib Charkhi in Nangarhar, Laghman, Kunar and Nuristan. The deal agreement is a sole distributorship, in which Sadat Ghafari will be the distributor of Najib Habib Charkhi in these provinces for one year.

PBISC and Parwan Farmers: During the reporting period, DAIL staff requested a meeting between PBISC and contract farmers; IDEA-NEW organized the B2B with the President of PBISC and 5 lead farmers from Parwan province on November 30. As a result of the meeting, PBISC signed five new contracts with the farmers.



President of PBISC signs a contract agreement with farmers of Parwan

Zarin Shinwari and Baghlan Tomato Paste: During the Ag-Fair in September, Zarin Shinwari met with Mr. Sirajuddin, a wholesaler in Kabul and the sole distributor for Baghlan Tomato Paste Company. In November, both businesses visited each other and exchanged product

samples. Following this exchange, both parties entered into a contractual agreement. Zarin is now a distributor of Baghlan Tomato Paste Company in Nangarhar, and Sirajuddin is a distributor of Zarin's processed foods to wholesalers and retailers in Kabul and nearby provinces.

Access to Finance: Based on its experience with agribusinesses, IDEA-NEW understands that many agribusinesses in the fruit and vegetable value chains need to and are eager to apply for loans to grow their businesses. Unfortunately, they do not fully comprehend the terms and conditions of loans from financial institutions. Most IDEA-NEW grantees realize that future grants from donor organizations will be increasingly scarce, and that commercial loans are a viable option for expanding their businesses. During September-October, IDEA-NEW conducted meetings between local agribusinesses and potential loan providers including the Agriculture Development Fund (ADF), Assistance in Building Afghanistan by Developing Enterprises (ABADE), FAIDA, and Afghanistan Microfinance Association (AMA).

To date, these meetings have resulted in Bakhtar Afghan Azizi Agriculture Company and Wajid Zaman Agriculture Company applying to ADF for Sharia-compliant loans. FAIDA assisted both businesses in developing their loan applications during the month of November. Decisions on both applications are expected in early December.

In addition, Gul-e-Aftab Plastic Bottles and Lids Manufacturing Company, Bakhtar Afghan and Wajid Zaman Agriculture Companies contacted AMA for information about their Islamic loan products. Only one AMA member is currently providing Islamic loans to micro and small businesses in eastern provinces—the Islamic Investment and Financing Cooperative (IIFC). Other AMA members plan to offer Islamic loans in Eastern provinces in January 2015.

Sub-Activity 3.3: Assist regional/international agriculture suppliers to realize the potential of the Afghan market

Under this sub-activity, IDEA-NEW provides vital technical support to help regional and/or international firms enter the Afghan marketplace.

Aishwaria Seeds Production Company: On November 20, IDEA-NEW organized a focus group with a panel of input suppliers, farmers and government line staff to discuss the scope and feasibility of a future intervention by Aishwaria Seeds. The main objectives of the focus group were to 1) assess the level of interest of local input suppliers to represent Aishwaria Seeds in Afghanistan; 2) determine IDEA-NEW's future strategy to proceed with the samples; 3) elicit comments from end-users regarding seed and supply characteristics.

Input suppliers PBISC, Sadat Ghafori Ltd, Tamadon Seed Company, PGC, and Akhtar Mohammad Gardezi Ltd expressed interest and were selected. They will be provided with samples in order to perform research and experimentation to measure adaptation, germination percentage and other important traits.

ACTIVITY 4: CROSS CUTTING

Sub-Activity 4.1: Mentoring support to all beneficiaries

One of IDEA-NEW's roles under this sub-activity is to facilitate and coordinate interactions between buyers and sellers, GIRoA and agribusinesses. IDEA-NEW staff engage in the following activities to fulfill this role:

- Attending all farmer field days and ensuring coordination with and participation of MAIL/DAIL, which is sometimes overlooked by the input suppliers hosting field days;
- Working with grantees when organizing trainings and activities, and ensuring the participation of MAIL/DAIL;
- Providing GAALO and RSSAO trainers with information on the agribusiness trainees to increase the effectiveness of training programs and ensuring that curricula are tailored to the specific needs of the trainees;
- Attending Provincial Development Council (PDC), Technical Working Group (TWG) and other coordination-level meetings to share information and avoid duplication of efforts;
- Facilitating and organizing B2B linkages between input suppliers and processors;
- Providing technical assistance for all IDEA-NEW grantees (2014 and prior) on specific issues faced by grantees and inviting them to trade fairs and training programs sponsored by IDEA-NEW or other implementing partners;
- Providing information to other implementing partners to avoid duplication of efforts and ensuring that grantees are able to avail themselves of other services provided by the public and private sectors in Afghanistan.

Sub-Activity 4.2: Continued IDEA-NEW and GIROA Collaboration

IDEA-NEW regularly meets with local, district, provincial and national-level GIROA officials in each of its target provinces to ensure that all stakeholders are abreast of IDEA-NEW's plans and can contribute to activity development, implementation and, if necessary, problem-solving. During the month of November, IDEA-NEW staff attended five meetings in Laghman, Kabul, Kunar, and Nangarhar provinces. Notably, PDC meetings have not taken place over the past three months due to the elections, security restrictions and uncertainty surrounding the future of current Provincial Governors under the new government.

On November 05 IDEA-NEW participated in the Agriculture Strengthening Strategic Technical Working Group (ASTWG) meeting in Laghman province in which representatives of Roots of Peace, MoPH, SOFAR, MADERA, NHLP, DACAAR and Nangarhar provided regular monthly activity updates.

On November 5-6, IDEA-NEW participated in the "Practical Education Conference for Agriculture High Schools/Institutes" organized by "People In Need" (PIN) and the Czech Republic Development Cooperation (CDC) in coordination with the Deputy Ministry of Technical, Vocational Education and Training (TVET) and the Ministry of Education (MoE). Representatives from more than 80 agricultural high schools, agricultural and veterinary institutes and representatives from 15 private agricultural companies participated. The central theme was the requirement for practical education and the expansion of linkages between schools and companies.

On November 19, IDEA-NEW participated in another ASTWG meeting in Kunar province. Representatives from each of the national and international organizations in attendance provided their monthly activity updates.

On November 19, IDEA-NEW participated in the MAIL Women's Empowerment Working Group meeting. Mrs. Nazira Rahman, MAIL Home Economics Director, stated that the purpose of the meeting was to share MAIL's gender policy and to strengthen the bond between MAIL and its IP members concerning gender equality and empowerment of women in sectors such as agriculture and natural resource management. NHLP provided a presentation on the project's gender activities during the meeting.



MAIL's Home Economy Director addresses the MWEWG meeting participants at MAIL.

On November 24, the Afghanistan National Horticulture Development Organization (ANHDO) invited citrus promotion group meeting members and technical and professional personnel from related organizations in Nangarhar, Kabul, Laghman, Kunar and Samangan provinces for the citrus fruit exhibition. The exhibition started on Monday, November 24 at the Perennial Horticulture Development Program (PHDP) yard in Jalalabad. The exhibition consisted of 66 accessions of citrus, of which 20 are grown in Afghanistan and 46 are imported.

In addition to the above coordination meetings with GIRoA, IDEA-NEW strives to improve communications with other donor projects in order to share information and minimize duplication of efforts.

On November 05, IDEA-NEW invited ABADE, ADF, CHAMP and FAIDA to the regular monthly coordination meeting. Only ABADE was available to participate during the meeting on November 10. As a result of IDEA-NEW's facilitation, ABADE has signed agreements with four of IDEA-NEW's clients (agribusinesses) including Sail Food Production Company, Season Honey Processing Company, Selab Sohail Ag-equipment Manufacturing Company, and Waheedullah Kamawal Soap Factory.

On November 12, IDEA-NEW hosted a coordination meeting with a new project called Strengthening Afghan Governance and Alternative Livelihoods (SAGAL) funded by International Narcotics Law Enforcement (INL) and implemented by Mercy Corps. This USD 3.8 million project will cover seven provinces, including three provinces (Nangarhar, Laghman and Kunar) from the East, three provinces from the South (Zabul, Kandahar and Helmand) and Parwan province from the Central region. SAGAL will play a facilitation role in linking different downstream and upstream value chain actors.

ACTIVITY 5: MANSFIELD POPPY CULTIVATION STUDY

The purpose of the "Impact on Poppy Cultivation in Nangarhar Province Study" is to determine the extent to which IDEA-NEW's approach to alternative development helped contribute to poppy reduction in Nangarhar province. The first draft of the study was received by IDEA-NEW on November 9 for review. Once comments are incorporated, the report will be finalized by the end of December.

Additionally, Dr. Mansfield will hold a presentation to brief USAID on the findings of the study, with IDEA-NEW in attendance. This presentation is scheduled to take place on December 10 at the U.S. Embassy in Kabul.

Crosscutting Themes

Gender

Per the Activity Plan, IDEA-NEW strives for a minimum of 10% of program participants to be woman-owned and/or operated businesses. As at the end of November, nearly 12% of IDEA-NEW grantees are woman-owned and/or operated.

The below points summarize key activities accomplished with regard to gender by IDEA-NEW and woman-owned grantees during the month of November:

Faisal Kohistani provided training to nine women in food processing and packaging as their contribution to the IDEA-NEW promotional grant. These skills will enable the trainees to access jobs at food processing companies in Kapisa and in neighboring provinces. The training included demonstrations on correct washing of fruits/vegetables, peeling, slicing, cooking/baking and packing prior to distribution to different markets.

The owner of *Faisal Kohistani* was selected by the Directorate of Women Affairs (DoWA) to attend an exhibition in India on December 7. The company was recently introduced to FAIDA by IDEA-NEW for assistance with their loan application for the purchase of packaging materials.

5 female students from the *National Agriculture Education College (NAEC)* were invited by IDEA-NEW to participate in the food sensory testing in Kabul, conducted by Rahman Safi Impact (RSI) on November 12. They provided valuable feedback on the different methods of food testing associated with taste, texture, color, aroma, sealing and labeling of foods stuffs.

The President of 3F attended the women entrepreneurs’ empowerment meeting at the U.S. Embassy in Kabul on November 7. She also delivered a one day training on November 5 to the students of the Agriculture Institute in Kabul on food processing techniques. Female students among others have shown interest in future job opportunities and were greatly encouraged by the example of a woman-owned food processing company.

Sustainability and Capacity Building

The activities described in previous sections identify leverage points or transactions across the value chain where our interventions will strengthen linkages between farmers, input suppliers, processors, and the GIRoA that will continue once IDEA-NEW assistance ends.

The below activities were undertaken during the month of November as part of the project’s effort to increase the sustainability of current activities and build the capacity of grantees.



IDEA-NEW members taste the jam samples and score based on flavor, texture and appearance.

Food Taste Test: To evaluate the medium-term results of IDEA-NEW’s technical and business skills development assistance, RSI conducted a ‘Food Taste Test’ on November 12-13 in Kabul and November 24-25 in Jalalabad to measure changes in the quality, packaging, appearance and competitiveness of Afghan products compared to last year’s baseline results. The objectives of the 2014 test were to 1) compare Afghan products with imports; 2) identify needs for additional improvements; and 3) gauge consumer response to each product.

Overall, Afghan products—particularly jams and pickles—rated higher than imported products.

Some imported juices and pickle products rated higher than local products, but the Afghan products received higher marks than in 2013. The packaging, textures and flavors of Gift to Zest Food and Khalid Faizan Food, in particular, improved substantially since 2013 and ranked highest among the Afghan products tested. Regular visits and mentoring by IDEA-NEW’s technical team paid off in new production and marketing methods, new products and recipes. Equipment grants have increased production and promotional grants increased consumer awareness of their products.

Effective SMS Writing: IDEA-NEW observed that ag-input suppliers were not maximizing the effectiveness or minimizing the cost of SMS messages. Therefore, IDEA-NEW offered training in ‘Effective SMS Writing’ on November 12 in Jalalabad. Ag-input suppliers learned how to shorten text messages to reduce messaging costs, and send succinct, timely messages when farmers are making crop management decisions. During the training, IDEA-NEW conducted writing exercises

and encouraged debate between the input suppliers. The training will be duplicated in Kabul during the month of December for the two Kabul-based SMS grantees.

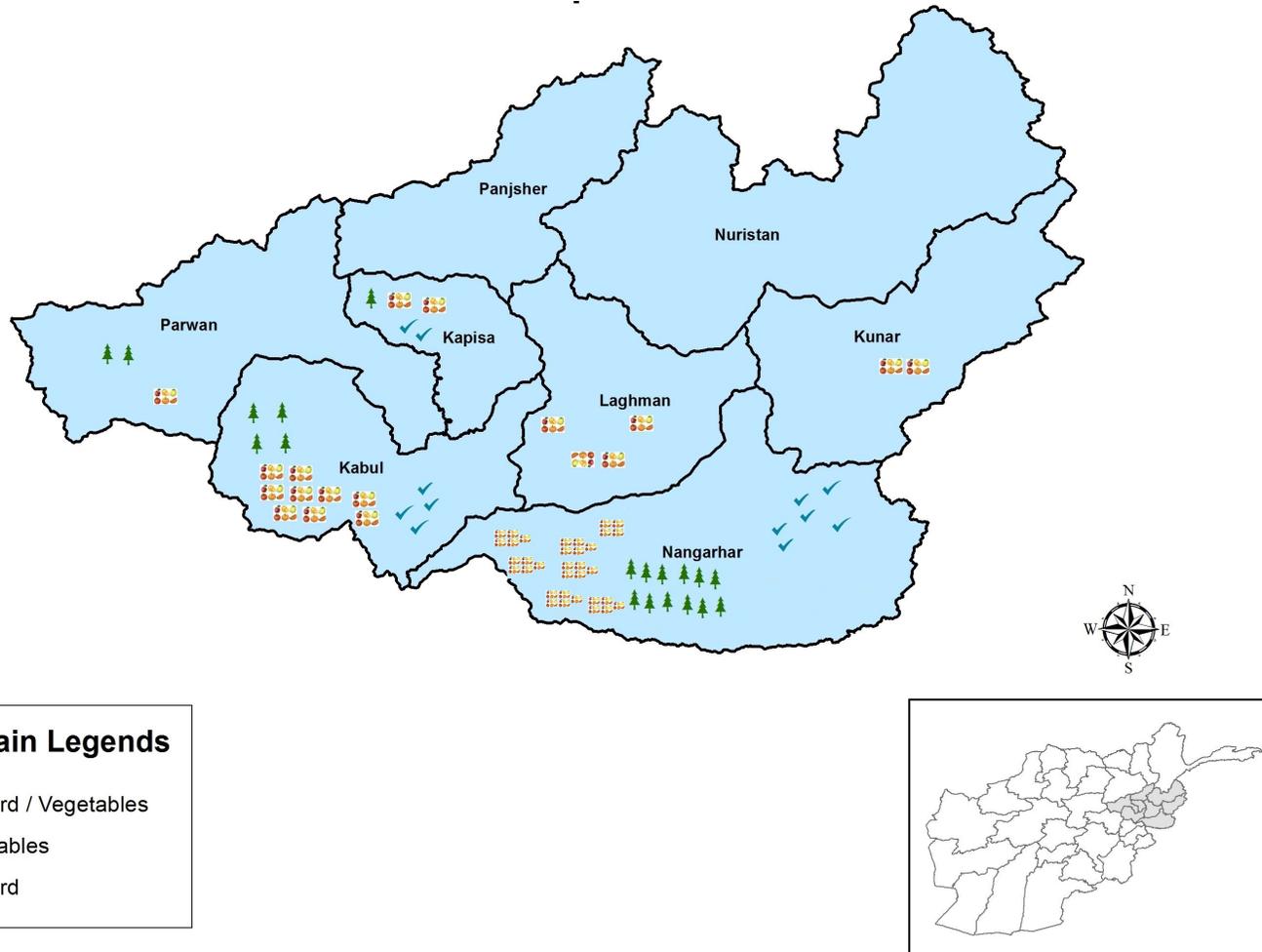
Food Testing Lab Training: Afghanistan has no legislation or formal policies related to processed foods. Nevertheless, MAIL, the Ministry of Commerce and Industries (MoCI), MoPH, MoF/Customs Department and provincial health departments are involved in food control activities. A memorandum of understanding (MoU) between MoPH and MAIL defines their respective responsibilities for food safety: unprocessed and raw food is the responsibility of MAIL while processed foods are the responsibility of MoPH. The MoPH's Environmental Health Department focuses on imported foods. Food imports from Pakistan have increased after the 2010 Afghanistan Pakistan Transit Trade Agreement (APTTA), when the Environmental Health Department's Food Testing Laboratory was established in Jalalabad.

IDEA-NEW's work with the Food Testing Laboratory arose from its efforts to increase the level of cooperation between the Peshawar and Nangarhar Chambers of Commerce (NCC), and particularly to streamline export clearance procedures. In 2012, IDEA-NEW provided an in-kind grant to the Nangarhar Chamber of Commerce for [REDACTED] food testing equipment imported from Pakistan and installed at the Nangarhar Department of Public Health (DoPH). The new lab was designed to provide test results within 24 hours. In 2014, IDEA-NEW provided a trainer from the University of Peshawar to teach the laboratory technicians how to operate the equipment. The on-the-job training in laboratory procedures continued throughout November on imported wheat, milk, juices, biscuits and cereal products. Seven laboratory technicians (six from DoPH and one from ACCI) participated in the training.

PROGRAM CHALLENGES AND CONCERNS

No updates to report this period.

ANNEX I: MAP OF IDEA-NEW VALUE CHAINS AS OF NOVEMBER 30, 2014



ANNEX II: PERFORMANCE INDICATOR TABLE

Please see the attached Excel document.

ANNEX III: KEY ACTIVITIES ACCOMPLISHED

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ANNEX IV: MONTHLY GRANTS REPORT

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Annex III - Key Activities Accomplished, November 2014

Activity Type	Activity Name	Activity Plan Sub-Activity	Activity Description	Province	Start Date	End Date	Activity Status	Status Comments
Matching Grant	Quest Logistic Services Co.	Sub-Activity # 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers	Kabul			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form
Promotional Grant	Sadat Ghafori Brothers Ltd	Sub-Activity # 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers	Kabul	09-Nov-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Promotional Grant	Sheen Zar Agricultural Trading Co LTD	Sub-Activity # 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers	Kabul	02-Nov-14	12-Oct-14	Active	
Matching Grant	WVTASO	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Parwan			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form
Matching Grant	Sheen Zar Agricultural Trading Co LTD	Sub-Activity # 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers	Kabul			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form
Matching Grant	Afghan Twesties Chips Production	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kabul			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form
Promotional Grant	Barna Group (Chips Production)	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kabul	28-Sep-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Matching Grant	Parwan Women Farm Service Center (PWFSC)	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Parwan			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form
Matching Grant	Farah Farhat Faizi (3F) Agriculture products processing company	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kabul	25-Jun-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Promotional Grant	Farah Farhat Faizi (3F) Agriculture products processing company	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kabul	28-Sep-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Matching Grant	Faisal Kohistani Food Products Processing Company	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kapisa	17-Sep-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Matching Grant	Prosperity Group of Companies (PGCs)	Sub-Activity # 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers	Kabul	25-Jun-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Matching Grant	Barna Group (Chips Production)	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kabul			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form

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Promotional Grant	Prosperity Group of Companies (PGCs)	Sub-Activity # 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers	Kabul	14-Oct-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Matching Grant	Dehqan Roz Food Products and Dairy	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kabul			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form
Promotional Grant	Royan Agriculture Services Company	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kabul	15-Jul-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Matching Grant	Bagram District Nursery Association	Sub-Activity # 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers	Parwan			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form
Matching Grant	Sadat Ghafori Brothers Ltd	Sub-Activity # 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers	Kabul			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form
Matching Grant	Said Khail Nursery Growers Association (SNGA)	Sub-Activity # 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers	Parwan	25-Jun-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Promotional Grant	Parwan Bastan Improved Seeds Company	Sub-Activity # 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers	Parwan	15-Jul-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Matching Grant	KFSC (Kapisa Farm Services Center) & Dehqan-e-Asr Seeds Production Company	Sub-Activity # 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers	Kapisa			On hold	
Promotional Grant	Amini Sadri Ltd	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kabul	15-Jul-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Matching Grant	Royan Agri Services Company	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kabul			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form
Promotional Grant	Faisal Kohistani Food Products Processing Company	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kapisa	15-Jul-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Matching Grant	Amini Sadri Ltd.	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kabul			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form

Activity Type	Activity Name	Activity Plan Sub-Activity	Activity Description	Province	Start Date	End Date	Activity Status	Status Comments
SMS Grant	Hussain Zada Ltd	Sub-Activity # 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers	Kabul	16-Jul-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Matching Grant	Najib Habib Charkhi Plastic Industry	Sub-Activity # 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers	Kabul			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form
SMS Grant	Prosperity Group of Companies (PGCs)	Sub-Activity # 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers	Kabul	12-Oct-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Matching Grant	Khan Denar Khail Production Company	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kabul			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form
Matching Grant	Elyas Abas Ltd	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kabul			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form
Matching Grant	Afghanistan Industrial Association	Sub-Activity # 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers	Kabul	29-Oct-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Matching Grant	Salihy Daikondiwal Brothers Agriculture Services	Sub-Activity # 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers	Kabul			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form
Matching Grant	Mahan Ferdows Food Production Company	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kabul	22-Oct-14	31-Dec-14	On hold	
Matching Grant	Haidar Rafat Ltd	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kabul	18-Aug-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Matching Grant	Nawi Safi Brothers	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kabul			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form
Matching Grant	Sherzad Sabawoon Safi Ltd	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kabul			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form
Matching Grant	Takdana	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kabul			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form

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Promotional Grant	Aslamzada Agriculture Services Provider	Sub-Activity # 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers	Kabul	29-Sep-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Promotional Grant	Said Khail Nursery Growers Association (SNGA)	Sub-Activity # 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers	Parwan	21-Oct-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Promotional Grant	(WPCSO) Women Prophecy able Cultural and Social Organization	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kapisa	13-Oct-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Promotional Grant	Kaiynat Sabz Animal & Agriculture Company	Sub-Activity # 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers	Kapisa			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form
Promotional Grant	Jawarkhel Vegetable Processing, Livestock and Agriculture Cooperative	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Parwan			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form
Promotional Grant	Ashraf Khel Vegetable Processing, Livestock & Agriculture Cooperative	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Parwan			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form
Promotional Grant	Afghan Agro Services	Sub-Activity # 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers	Kabul	03-Sep-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Promotional Grant	Khan Denar Khel Production Company	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kabul			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form
Promotional Grant	Elyas Abas Ltd	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kabul			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form
Promotional Grant	Afghanistan Industrial Association	Sub-Activity # 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers	Kabul	04-Sep-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Promotional Grant	Mahan Ferdows Food Production Company	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kabul	30-Sep-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Promotional Grant	Nawi Safi Brothers	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kabul			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form
Matching Grant	Sabz Cooperative	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Parwan			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form

Activity Type	Activity Name	Activity Plan Sub-Activity	Activity Description	Province	Start Date	End Date	Activity Status	Status Comments
Promotional Grant	Sabz Cooperative	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Parwan			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form
Promotional Grant	Ali Bahar Sabz Fruits Processing Company	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kabul	28-Oct-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Matching Grant	Bahar Biscuits Production Co	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kabul	22-Jul-14	28-Oct-14	Active	
Training Grants	GAALO	Sub-activity # 1.1	Train Input Suppliers (Pesticide Safety Training)	Kabul	13-Aug-14	30-Nov-14	Active	
Training Grants	RSSAO	Sub-activity # 2.2	Accounting and Marketing Trainings	Kabul	13-Sep-14	22-Jan-15	Active	
Training Grants	RSSAO	Sub-activity # 2.1	Basic Food Safety and Hygiene Training	Kabul	13-Sep-14	22-Jan-15	Active	
Promotional Grant	Kapisa Sadat Agro Association	Sub-Activity # 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers	Kapisa			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form
Promotional Grant	Tolo Jadid Food Prod.co	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kabul			Cancelled	For more information refer to its Clarification form
Matching Grant	(WPCSO) Women Prophecy able Cultural and Social Organization	Sub-activity # 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors	Kapisa	13-Nov-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Promotional Grant	Najib Habib Charkhi Plastic Industry	Sub-Activity # 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers	Kabul	11-Nov-14	31-Jan-14	Active	
Matching Grant	Abdul Wakil Agriculture Co	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Laghman	20-Jul-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Promotional Grant	Al-Roheed Agriculture Services Co	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	13-Jul-14	31-Dec-14	Active	

Activity Type	Activity Name	Activity Plan Sub-Activity	Activity Description	Province	Start Date	End Date	Activity Status	Status Comments
SMS Grant	Bakhtar Afghan Azizi Agro service Co.ltd	Sub-activity 1.4	Introduce pilot SMS marketing strategy for input wholesalers	Nangarhar	07-Jul-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Promotional Grant	Bakhtar Afghan Azizi Agro service Co.ltd	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	17-Sep-14	17-Dec-14	Active	
Promotional Grant	Falak Niaz Barakzai Ltd	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	17-Sep-14	17-Dec-14	Active	
Promotional Grant	Gift to Zest Food Processing Co	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	13-Jul-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Matching Grant	Gift to Zest Food Processing Company	Sub-activity 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	22-Sep-14	22-Sep-14	Cancelled	Gift to Zest requested machinery which took almost 60 days to be imported from China, so it was cancelled.
Matching Grant	Hamisha Bahar Agro Services Company	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	11-Jun-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
SMS Grant	Hamisha Bahar Agro Services Company	Sub-activity 1.4	Introduce pilot SMS marketing strategy for input wholesalers	Nangarhar	17-Aug-14	17-Feb-15	Active	

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Promotional Grant	Hamisha Bahar Agro Services Company	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	22-Sep-14	22-Sep-14	Cancelled	This grant was cancelled for the reason that the owner did not want to contribute to the grant, which was against IDEA-NEW grant policy
Promotional Grant	Hayatullah Nursery Farm	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	13-Jul-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Promotional Grant	Helal Hadawal Agri Services Company	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	17-Sep-14	17-Dec-14	Active	
Matching Grant	Javed Afghan Ag Machinery Manufacturing Co	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	13-Oct-14	13-Oct-14	Cancelled	The machinery requested by Javid Afghan takes more than 2 months, and the budget exceeded the IDEA-NEW grant limit, so it was cancelled
Promotional Grant	Javed Afghan Ag Machinery Manufacturing Co	Sub-activity 1.3	Assist regional/international agriculture suppliers to realize the potential of the Afghan market and (1.3) Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	16-Oct-14	15-Jan-15	Active	

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Promotional Grant	Kama Green Agriculture Dev Co	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	13-Jul-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Matching Grant	Khalid Faizan Food Processing Company	Sub-activity 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	28-Sep-14	29-Jan-15	Active	
Promotional Grant	Khalid Laziz Nonalcoholic beverage Company	Sub-activity 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	13-Jul-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Matching Grant	Khalid Laziz Nonalcoholic beverage Company	Sub-activity 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	17-Sep-14	17-Jan-15	Active	
Matching Grant	Khalil Raihan Food Processing Company	Sub-activity 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	22-Sep-14	22-Sep-14	Cancelled	Khalil Rehand requested machinery which took almost 60 days to be imported from China, so it was cancelled.
Promotional Grant	Kunar Fruit and Veg Wholesler Association	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Kunar	13-Jul-14	31-Dec-14	Active	

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Promotional Grant	Laghman Agriculture and livestock Medicine Store	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	17-Sep-14	17-Dec-14	Active	
Promotional Grant	Laghman Fruit and Vegetable Wholesale Association	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Laghman	13-Aug-14	13-Nov-14	Cancelled	The owner of this company did not want to contribute to this grant
Matching Grant	Mamoor Agriculture Company	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	12-Jun-14	12-Oct-14	Cancelled	Mamoor applied for greenhouses which were not provided by IDEA NEW, as it was not approved by USAID
Promotional Grant	Mamoor Agriculture Company	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	12-Jun-14	12-Jun-14	Cancelled	Mamoor requested greenhouses which were cancelled, so the company cancelled promotional material as it was requested to promote the product of the new greenhouses, which was cancelled.
Promotional Grant	Manzoor Sahel Ltd	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	13-Aug-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Matching Grant	NATC (Nangarhar Agriculture Training Center)	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	12-Jun-14	31-Dec-14	Active	

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Promotional Grant	Now Bahar Salarzai-LTD	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	13-Jul-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Matching Grant	Now Bahar Salarzai-LTD	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	20-Jul-14	20-Oct-14	Cancelled	Naw Bahar Salarzai applied for greenhouses which was not provided by IDEA NEW, as it was not approved by USAID
SMS Grant	Now Bahar Salarzai-LTD	Sub-activity 1.4	Introduce pilot SMS marketing strategy for input wholesalers	Nangarhar	04-Sep-14	07-Mar-15	Active	
Promotional Grant	Omaid Irfan Nisar Ltd	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	28-Sep-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Matching Grant	Rodat Nursery farm	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	16-Sep-14	16-Sep-14	Cancelled	Rodat applied for greenhouses and water irrigation equipment which was not approved by IDEA NEW /USAID
Matching Grant	Samsoor Ban Agriculture Co	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Laghman	20-Jul-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Promotional Grant	Tasal Jawad Ltd	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	13-Aug-14	13-Nov-14	Active	

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Promotional Grant	Wahdat Afghan Non-alcoholic Beverages Co	Sub-activity 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	13-Aug-14	13-Nov-14	Active	
SMS Grant	Wajid Zaman Agriculture services Co	Sub-activity 1.4	Introduce pilot SMS marketing strategy for input wholesalers	Nangarhar	07-Jul-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Promotional Grant	Wajid Zaman Agriculture services Co	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	17-Sep-14	17-Dec-14	Active	
Promotional Grant	Wasiq Imran Ltd	Sub-activity 1.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist agriculture input dealers in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	13-Aug-14	31-Dec-14	Active	
Promotional Grant	Zarin Shinwari Processed Food Wholesaler	Sub-activity 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	16-Oct-14	15-Jan-15	Active	
Matching Grant	Zia Strong Non alcoholic Beverages Company	Sub-activity 2.3	Matching and promotional activity grants to assist food processors in improving their business image, extension capabilities and profits	Nangarhar	13-Oct-14	13-Oct-14	Cancelled	The machinery requested by Zia Strong takes more than two months to be delivered, and the budget exceeded the IDEA-NEW grant budget limit, so it was cancelled by the committee

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No.	Grant No.	Company Name	Activity /Sub Activity #	Product /Services	Grant Activity Type	Start Date	End Date	Current Status
1	G-KBL-015	Prosperity Group of Companies	Activity 1 # 1.3	Input Supplier	Matching Grant	29-Jun-14	31-Dec-14	Active
2	G-KBL-016	Farah Farhat Faizi Agriculture Products	Activity 1 # 1.3	Food Processor	Matching Grant	29-Jun-14	31-Dec-14	Active
3	G-KBL-017	Sayed Khail Nursery Grower Association SNGA	Activity 1 # 1.3	Input Supplier	Matching Grant	29-Jun-14	31-Dec-14	Active
4	G-KBL-018	Green Afghanistan Agriculture and Livestock	Activity 1 # 1.2	Pesticide Safety Training	FOG	13-Aug-14	31-Dec-14	Active
5	G-KBL-019	Prosperity Group of Companies	Activity 1 # 1.3	Input Supplier	Promotional Grant	14-Oct-14	31-Dec-14	Active
6	G-KBL-020	Prosperity Group of Companies	Activity 1 # 1.4	Input Supplier	SMS Grant	14-Oct-14	31-Dec-14	Active
7	G-KBL-021	Amini Sadri Ltd	Activity 1 # 1.3	Input Supplier	Promotional Grant	15-Jul-14	31-Dec-14	Active
8	G-KBL-022	Hussain Zada Ltd	Activity 1 # 1.4	Input Supplier	SMS Grant	22-Jul-14	31-Dec-14	Active
9	G-KBL-023	Farah Farhat Faizi Agriculture Products	Activity 2 # 1.2	Food Processor	Promotional Grant	28-Sep-14	31-Dec-14	Active
10	G-KBL-024	Faisal Kohistani Food Processing Company	Activity 2 # 1.2	Food Processor	Promotional Grant	15-Jul-14	16-Dec-14	Active
11	G-KBL-025	Parwan Bastan Improved Seed Company	Activity 1 # 1.3	Input Supplier	Promotional Grant	15-Jul-14	31-Dec-14	Active
12	G-KBL-026	Royan Agriculture Services Company	Activity 1 # 1.3	Input Supplier	Promotional Grant	15-Jul-14	31-Dec-14	Active
13	G-KBL-027	Bahar Biscuit Manufacturing Company	Activity 2 # 1.2	Food Processor	Matching Grant	22-Jul-14	28-Oct-14	Active
14	G-KBL-028	Haidar Rafat Ltd	Activity 2 # 1.2	Food Processor	Matching Grant	18-Aug-14	31-Dec-14	Active

15	G-KBL-029	Reconstruction & Social Services for Afghanistan	Activity 2 # 2.1	Basic Food Safety Training	FOG	13-Sep-14	22-Jan-15	Active
16	G-KBL-030	Reconstruction & Social Services for Afghanistan	Activity 1 # 1.2	Accounting & Marketing Training	FOG	13-Sep-14	22-Jan-15	Active
17	G-KBL-031	Faisal Kohistani Food Processing Company	Activity 2 # 1.2	Food Processor	Matching Grant	4-Sep-14	31-Dec-14	Active
18	G-KBL-032	Afghan Agro Services	Activity 1 # 1.3	Input Supplier	Promotional Grant	3-Sep-14	31-Dec-14	Active
19	G-KBL-033	Afghanistan Industrial Association	Activity 2 # 1.2	Food Processor	Promotional Grant	4-Sep-14	31-Dec-14	Active
20	G-KBL-034	Dehqan Roz Food Production & Dairy	Activity 2 # 1.2	Food Processor	Matching Grant			Cancelled
21	G-KBL-035	Mahan Ferdous Food Production Company	Activity 1 # 1.3	Food Processor	Promotional Grant	29-Sep-14	Dec-31-2014	Active
22	G-KBL-036	Barna Group Chips Production	Activity 1 # 1.3	Food Processor	Promotional Grant	28-Sep-14	Dec-29-2014	Active
23	G-KBL-037	Aslamzada Agriculture Services	Activity 1 # 1.3	Input Supplier	Promotional Grant	29-Sep-14	Dec-29-2014	Active
24	G-KBL-038	Women Prophecyable Cultural and Social	Activity 1 # 1.3	Food Processor	Promotional Grant	13-Oct-14	14-Jan-14	Active
25	G-KBL-039	Sayed Khail Nursery Grower Association SNGA	Activity 1 # 1.3	Input Supplier	Promotional Grant	21-Oct-14	31-Dec-14	Active
26	G-KBL-040	Afghanistan Industrial Association	Activity 2 # 1.2	Food Processor	Matching Grant	29-Oct-14	30-Jan-15	Active
27	G-KBL-041	Najib Habib Charkhi Plastic Industry	Activity 1 # 1.3	Input Supplier	Promotional Grant	9-Nov-14	31-Jan-15	Active
28	G-KBL-042	Ali Bahar Sabz Fruits Process Company	Activity 1 # 1.3	Food Processor	Promotional Grant	28-Oct-14	29-Jan-15	Active
29	G-KBL-043	Sheen Zar Agriculture Trading Company	Activity 1 # 1.3	Input Supplier	Promotional Grant	30-Oct-14	31-Jan-14	Active

30	G-KBL-044	Women Prophecyable Cultural and Social Organization	Activity 2 # 1.2	Food Processor	Matching Grant	9-Nov-14	31-Jan-15	Active
31	KBL-045	Sadaat Ghafoori Brothers LTD	Activity 1 # 1.3	Input Supplier	Promotional Grant	9-Nov-14	31-Jan-15	Active

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No.	Grant No.	Company Name	Activity /Sub Activity #	Product /Services	Grant Activity Type	Start Date	End Date	Current Status
1	G-JAA-187	Hamisha Bahar Agro Services Company	1:2 and 1:3	Ag input supplier	Matching Grant	6/12/2014	12/31/2014	Active
2	G-JAA-188	Nangarhar Afghan Agriculture Training Center / NATC	1:2 and 1:3	Ag input supplier	Matching Grant	6/12/2014	12/31/2014	Active
3	G-JAA-189	Mamoor Agriculture Company	1:2 and 1:3	Ag input supplier	Matching Grant	6/12/2014	10/12/2014	Canceled
4	G-JAA-190	Bakhtar Afghan Agro Services Company	1.2 and 1.3	Ag input supplier	SMS Grant	7/3/2014	12/3/2014	Active
5	G-JAA-191	Wajid Zaman Agriculture Co	1.2 and 1.3	Ag input supplier	SMS Grant	7/3/2014	12/3/2014	Active
6	G-JAA-192	Hamisha Bahar Agro Services Company	1.2 and 1.3	Ag input supplier	SMS Grant	8/17/2014	2/2/2015	Active
7	G-JAA-193	Al Roheed Agri Service Company	1:2 and 1:3	Ag input supplier	Promotional Grant	7/13/2014	12/31/2014	Active
8	G-JAA-194	Kama Green Agri Development Company	1:2 and 1:3	Ag input supplier	Promotional Grant	7/13/2014	12/31/2014	Active
9	G-JAA-195	Kunar Fruits & Vegetables Wholesaler Association	1:2 and 1:3	Ag input supplier	Promotional Grant	7/13/2014	12/31/2014	Active
10	G-JAA-196	Hayatullah Nursery Farm	1:2 and 1:3	Ag input supplier	Promotional Grant	7/13/2014	12/31/2014	Active
11	G-JAA-197	Khalid Laziz Nonalcoholic Beverages Production Company	2:1, 2:2 and 2:3	Food Processor	Promotional Grant	7/13/2014	12/31/2014	Active
12	G-JAA-198	Gift to Zest Food Processing Co	2:1, 2:2 and 2:3	Food Processor	Promotional Grant	7/13/2014	12/31/2014	Active
13	G-JAA-199	Now Bahar Salarzai LTD	1:2 and 1:3	Ag input supplier	Promotional Grant	7/13/2014	12/31/2014	Active

14	G-JAA-200	Dr Abdul Wakil Agriculture Company	1:2 and 1:3	Ag input supplier	Matching Grant	7/13/2014	12/31/2014	Active
15	G-JAA-201	Naw Bahar Salarzai LTD	1:2 and 1:3	Ag input supplier	Matching Grant			Canceled
16	G-JAA-202	Samsor Ban Agriculture Company	1:2 and 1:3	Ag input supplier	Matching Grant	7/13/2014	12/31/2014	Active
17	G-JAA-203	Laghman Fruit and Vegetable Wholesaler Association	1:2 and 1:3	Ag-Input Supplier	Promotional Grant	8/14/2014	11/15/2014	Canceled
18	G-JAA-204	Tasal Jawad Fruit and Vegetable Wholesaler	1:2 and 1:3	Ag input supplier	Promotional Grant	8/19/2014	11/18/2014	Active
19	G-JAA-205	Wasiq Imran Fruit and Vegetable Wholesaler	1:2 and 1:3	Ag input supplier	Promotional Grant	8/19/2014	12/31/2014	Active
20	G-JAA-206	Wahdat Afghan Non Alcoholic Beverage	2.1, 2.2 and 2.3	Food Processor	Promotional Grant	8/14/2014	11/13/2014	Active
21	G-JAA-207	Manzoor Sahil Fruit and Vegetable Wholesaler	1:2 and 1:3	Ag input supplier	Promotional Grant	8/19/2014	12/31/2014	Active
22	G-JAA-208	Naw Bahar Salarzai LTD	1:2 and 1:3	Ag input supplier	SMS Grant	9/7/2014	3/7/2015	Active
23	G-JAA-209	Laghman Medicine Store	1:2 and 1:3	Ag-Input Supplier	Promotional Grant	9/18/2014	17/12/14	Active
24	G-JAA-210	Wajid Zaman Agriculture Co	1:2 and 1:3	Ag-Input Supplier	Promotional Grant	9/18/2014	17/12/14	Active
25	G-JAA-211	Bakhtar Afghan Agro Services Company	1:2 and 1:3	Ag-Input Supplier	Promotional Grant	9/18/2014	17/12/14	Active
26	G-JAA-212	Helal Hadawal Agro Service Company	1:2 and 1:3	Ag-Input Supplier	Promotional Grant	9/18/2014	17/12/14	Active
27	G-JAA-213	Falak Niaz Barakzai Agriculture Company	1:2 and 1:3	Ag-Input Supplier	Promotional Grant	9/18/2014	17/12/14	Active
28	G-JAA-214	Khalid Laziz Nonalcoholic Beverages Production Company	2.1, 2.2 and 2.3	Food Processor	Matching Grant	9/18/2014	1/17/2015	Active
29	G-JAA-215	Khalid Faizan Food Production Company	2.1, 2.2 and 2.3	Food Processor	Matching Grant	9/28/2014	1/29/2015	Active
30	G-JAA-216	Omid Irfan Nisar LTD	1:2 and 1:3	Ag-Input Supplier	Promotional Grant	9/28/2014	12/31/2014	Active

31	G-JAA-217	Javid Afghan Agro Equipment Manufacturing Co	1:2 and 1:3	Ag-Input Supplier	Promotional Grant	10/16/2014	1/15/2015	Active
32	G-JAA-218	Zarin Shinwari Processed Food Wholesaler	2.1, 2.2 and 2.3	Food Processor	Promotional Grant	10/16/2014	1/15/2015	Active