

Project Profile

Project	:	Bamboo Furniture and Handicraft Industry for Sustainable Community Development and Environmental Protection
Objective	:	Aimed at improving the socio-economic condition of the ATPDAI and contribute to sustainable forest resources conservation
Implementing Agency	:	DENR-CENRO San Jose, Occidental Mindoro
Duration	:	July 2018- December 2019
Site	:	Brgy Ansiray, San Jose, Occidental Mindoro
Methodology	:	KII, FGD, Site Visit
Respondents	:	ATPDAI, CSWJ & CENRO San Jose, Occidental Mindoro

Major Outputs / Accomplishments	Proposed Questions
Capacity building/ Organizational training <ul style="list-style-type: none">Organizational developmentFinancial managementEntrepreneurshipBamboo plantation managementSkills development	How did the PO ATPDAI get involved in the project? What are the capacity building / training interventions conducted? How many members attended the training provided?
Product Development and Marketing <ul style="list-style-type: none">31 types of bamboo productsProduct trademark/ labelBusiness plan	What are the produced bamboo products? Are these sold? At what price/s? Do you have physical store? Who purchased the bamboo products? What is now the status of the bamboo product development? How much bamboo product is produced in a day (ave.)? What is the average annual net income from the start of operations? Does the PO have a benefit sharing scheme (BSS)? How are benefits being shared among PO members? Where is the source of the product trademark/ label? Did you adopt/ implement the project's business plan?
Operations Management <ul style="list-style-type: none">Protection of existing bamboo plantation - 152 ha under NGP (ATPDAI)Community baselining (DWCSJ)Updating of Community Resource Management Framework (CRMF) and 5-year work plan	How do you protect/ maintain the existing bamboo plantation? What are the challenges in protecting and maintaining the existing bamboo plantation? How did the community baselining help the project? How did the updating of CRMF help the project?
Support	Is there support from LGU in sustaining the project? Do you have other partners? What additional support do you need to sustain the project?
Challenges	What are the challenges in sustaining the project?

	What action/s is/are taken to address these challenges?
LGIS	What are the Lessons Learned, Good Practices, Innovations and Success Stories of the project? Are these documented?
Impact	<p>What are the changes/ impacts (social, economic, environmental) seen and felt with the interventions?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Social (increased awareness, participation, benefit-sharing, GAD-related etc.)○ Environmental (increased forest area cover, reduced CO2 emission and oil spills, etc.○ Economic (% increase in income comparing before & after/with or w/out project; increase in savings)
<p>Recommendations</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Strengthen ATPDAI to become the Center of Excellence for Bamboo Industry2. Strengthen PO capacity to document/ record data on harvesting, production and marketing (a) prevent overharvesting, b) list of materials with corresponding quantity and costs; number of hours to produce a certain type of product; and inventory of products made, sales, profit and buyers)3. Patronage system, certain percentage of the profit from the sales must be allocated for maintenance expenses, PO BSS	What are the actions taken regarding the recommendations of the project?