

Institutional Strengthening

Performance Assessment of 3rd Batch VSSs

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The Odisha Forestry Sector Development Project (OFSDP) has been implementing the forest development activities under Joint Forest Management (JFM) in 11 territorial and three Wildlife divisions of the State with the twin objectives of restoration of degraded forests and improvement of the livelihood of the communities. Vana Samrakshyana Samiti (VSS) plays important role in successful implementation of the JFM program. The Project has been giving strong emphasis on strengthening of institutionalization and capabilities of VSS as community based institution following a process based approach. Annual assessment of performance of the VSS has been an important step to gain insight in to the project processes, outputs and outcomes and also to provide feedback into project execution strategy. The performance evaluation has been carried out through development of a questionnaire with the assistance of the experts from the project's General Consultants.

First such performance assessment was undertaken in the 1st batch VSSs during February-March 2009, and the findings were published during January 2010. Second VSS performance was taken up in June-July 2010 with two sets of questionnaires for 1st and 2nd batch VSSs associated with the implementation of the Project. The third round of VSS performance assessment was undertaken in August-October 2011 with 3 sets of questionnaires covering the 1st, 2nd and the 3rd batch VSS. With the increase in years of association with the project, better institutionalization and capacity building of the VSS is expected. Accordingly different sets of questionnaires were applied for different batches of VSS to gauge their progressive empowerment. It may be mentioned that 1st batch of the VSS came into project mode in 2007-08 with plantations taken up in 2008-09. Subsequent batches of VSS were enrolled with project in consecutive years. This document contains the findings of the first time assessment of the 3rd batch VSS along with the progressive performance of the 1st batch, 2nd batch and 3rd batch VSS.

The findings from the above process can be used to conduct further analysis in the field to continue the efforts that have shown improving trend and to strengthen the efforts with respect to the themes where desired impacts are yet to be realized.

I also take this opportunity to thank my colleagues in the field who have been working untiringly in facilitating the Project activities, empowering the VSS and also for conducting the internal assessment of performance of the participating VSSs.

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1. Introduction

Preservation of the existing forest and restoration of the degraded forests is of utmost importance for maintaining ecological equilibrium and long term sustenance of mankind. Concepts of decentralized and people-oriented forestry with involvement of the local communities have been recognized world-wide for establishment of sustainable forest management. Government has formulated policies for sustainable forest management and biodiversity conservation by decentralizing authority and responsibility for forest resource management.

According to the *State Forest Report, 2009* published by Forest Survey of India, Dehradun, the actual forest coverage in the State constitutes 31.38% of State's geographical area. The growing demand for urbanization and industrialization is taking toll on the forests; on the other hand, increasing population with large dependence on forest for survival and livelihood is also exerting pressure on the existing forest resources. It is of primary importance to conserve the existing forest as well as to restore the degraded forest for improvement of the economic condition of the forest dependent population as well as to maintain balanced ecology.

OFSDP (Orissa Forestry Sector Development Project) was launched during 2006-07 with assistance from Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) with the twin objectives of Restoration of degraded forests, Improvement of livelihood of people living in the forest fringe villages through Joint Forest Management (JFM), community & tribal development with the overall aim of protection of environment and poverty alleviation. The project is being implemented in 11 Forest Divisions and 3 Wildlife Divisions in the state which have been specifically selected based on the criteria of extent of forest degradation, proportion of ST/SC population, and poverty.

The Vana Samrakshyana Samiti (VSS) is the primary village level unit responsible for implementation of the JFM program. Role of VSS is very crucial in view of the growing realization of involvement of local communities in forest resource management. Most of the VSSs selected under the project are located in remote areas and have a majority of tribal/ poor households. The project has put special emphasis on empowering the community along with enhancing their capacity. With a view to institutionalizing JFM and to ensure sustainability of various interventions initiated under the project, a process based approach is being followed under the project. Periodic monitoring of the VSS functioning is conducted to assess the institutionalization of VSS as well as to assess performance on different parameters. The results obtained

through the exercise shall assist the decision makers to take corrective action and to gather information on good practices for implementation in other VSSs.

2. Background

Performance assessment of the first batch VSSs involving 610 numbers of VSS, where interventions were started during 2007-08, was conducted during Feb-Mar 2009 based on 40 point questionnaire, and a detailed analytical report was published in January, 2010.

Assessment of second batch having 652 VSSs where project interventions were initiated during 2008-09, was conducted in the months of June-July 2010 and a detailed analytical report was published in December, 2010.

Assessment of third batch having 756 VSSs where project interventions were initiated during 2009-10, was conducted in the months of Aug-Oct 2011. The assessment reports for 749 VSSs were received at the project headquarter. Moreover, third round of assessment was also taken up in the 1st batch VSS and second round of assessment was taken up for 2nd batch VSS through specifically designed questionnaires. This report contains the analytical findings of these assessments.

3. Objectives

- Evaluation of performance status of VSSs in different functional aspects such as Institutional Sustainability, Gender and Equity, Efficiency, Transparency and Democratization, and Ecological Sustainability of 3rd batch VSS.
- Identification of gap areas in terms of capability enhancement, facilitation requirement, self sustenance of VSS and its relationship with forest department and formulation of appropriate action plan for effective implementation.
- Appreciation of achievements of successful VSSs and identification of good practices in VSS management.
- Imbibing healthy competitive spirit among the VSSs to achieve better results and awakening of the VSS about their roles and responsibilities.
- Comparison of performance assessment results of the 1st batch VSS, 2nd batch VSS and 3rd batch VSS to identify the status of performance improvement and identification of gap areas.

- Comparison of performance of 1st batch VSS in three successive assessments and 2nd batch VSS in two successive assessments on selected parameters to identify, if the progress is in right direction, and also to identify areas for more focused interventions.

4. Methodology

Performance of the VSSs was assessed through collection of VSS information on pre-designed questionnaires (**Annexure-I**; three sets of questionnaires based on years of association of VSS with the project) containing questions organized in multiple sections to focus on different functional aspects of the VSSs such as *Institutional Sustainability, Gender and Equity, Efficiency & Transparency, Democratization and Ecological Sustainability*. This questionnaires were designed by the General Consultant to the project and were finalized in consultation with PMU

5. Questionnaire

- Selection of the performance assessment questions were carried out through several rounds of focused meetings involving the concerned officials from PMU and GC taking into account feedbacks from field
- Each of the suggested questions was discussed in detail to finalise the relevant answer choices and their corresponding scores.
- A total of 40 (forty) questions were finally selected for preparation of the performance assessment questionnaire and were clubbed into different sections such as
 - **Section-A (Institutional Sustainability)**: involves questions related to project awareness, processes, institutionalization relevant to establishment of VSS.
 - **Section-B (Gender & Equity)**: involves questions related to participation of women/ tribal population in VSS functioning and decision making processes.
 - **Section-C (Efficiency, Transparency & Democratization)**: covers questions related organized VSS functions, EPA and IGA activities, practices and maintenance of VSS accounts.
 - **Section-D (Ecological Sustainability)**: covers questions related to the involvement of VSS in forest protection, forest recreation and conservation, harvesting practices of NTFP.
 - **Section-'E'** of the questionnaire was designed to record the VSS level overall assessment by the DMU chief. This section contained four sub sections such as *A-Institutional sustainability, B-Gender & equity, C-Transparency & democratization and D-Ecological sustainability*. The

subsections carried 10 marks each. The concerned DMU chiefs have assigned the score out of 10 in each of the sub sections for each VSS.

The performance assessment exercise was conducted by the following team and personnel facilitating the project works.

- Forest Range Officer-cum-Field Management Unit (FMU) chief
- Team leader from partner NGO of the concerned FMU (for first two assessments)
- Forest Extension Officer (FEO) (now Forest Extension Supervisor) nominated by the Division Management Unit (DMU) chief.
- Member Secretary of the concerned VSS as the co-opted member.

In addition to the above, an observer team was constituted by each of the DMU to monitor and guide the assessment process. The observer team comprised of the following members.

- Assistant DMU chief
- Field Level Expert (FLE) from 'General Consultants' to OFSDP

6. Assessment Process

- Orientation training on VSS assessment procedure was conducted to provide training to the concerned officials involved in the assessment process.
- Assessment of VSS involved active participation of Executive Committee (EC) members and Governing Body (GB) members.
- The concerned VSS member secretary and VSS animator provided the records and documents for inspection by the evaluation team
- Detailed interview/ discussions with the VSS officials were held during the visits by the assessment team to understand the VSS functionalities.
- The VSS information collected during the interview process was recorded in the questionnaire form.
- The filled-in questionnaire was counter signed by the concerned FES, Member Secretary and the VSS animator to ensure authenticity of the information.

7. Data Entry and Analysis

- The filled-in questionnaires were collected at the PMU and were subjected to data entry for creation of the VSS performance result database.
- Each question of the questionnaire was categorized into **Essential**, **Desirable** and **Outstanding** depending upon the nature/ importance of the questions.
- Weight was assigned to each category of the question (Essential: 1.0, Desirable: 0.7, Outstanding: 0.8) which was multiplied with the score obtained against each of the questions (on the basis of answers recorded on the questionnaire) to obtain the weighted score for each questions.
- The weighted percentage of scores was calculated for each of the VSS and was averaged with the scores obtained in *section 'E'* (VSS level score assigned by the DMU chief) of the questionnaire to obtain the final score.
- A simple gradation system was established to assign performance grades to the VSSs based on the total weighted average percentage of scores obtained by them.
 - Grade A+ (Excellent) $\geq 90\%$
 - Grade A (Very Good) $\geq 70\%$ and $< 90\%$
 - Grade B (Good) $\geq 50\%$ and $< 70\%$
 - Grade C (Average) $< 50\%$

8. Findings for 3rd Batch VSS

Out of a total of 756 VSS in the 11 DMUs, performance assessment reports of 749 VSSs were received at the PMU. Scoring and Gradation of the filled-in questionnaires obtained from each of VSS were conducted to obtain the results present in the following table.

SI	DMU Name	No. of FMU	No. of VSSs Assessed	No. of VSS in Grade 'C'	No. of VSS in Grade 'B'	No. of VSS in Grade 'A'	No. of VSS in Grade 'A+'
1	Angul	6	62	1	15	46	
2	Balliguda	7	58		7	51	
3	Bonai	5	38	2	13	22	1
4	Deogarh	5	77		16	61	
5	Jeypore	6	83		15	63	5
6	Keonjhar	5	73	2	26	45	
7	Koraput	6	133	1	14	118	
8	Paralakhemundi	7	52		6	41	5
9	Phulbani	7	61		3	35	23
10	Rayagada	7	79		5	68	6
11	Rourkela	6	33			33	
Total		67	749	6	120	583	40

As revealed from above, majority of the VSS are performing well and are grouped into Grade A (Very Good) & B (Good) categories. There are 40 numbers of VSS with remarkable performance and are grouped in Grade A+ (Excellent) category. In depth study of these VSS can be carried out to record the good practices which can be implemented on the other VSS to obtain better results. However, a few VSS are also present in Grade C (Average) performance level. A detailed study of these VSSs is also required to find out the reasons. Cross-learning and exposures can be organized among VSS with higher and lower score for exchanging ideas and enhancing performance.

8.1 DMU wise overall Grades

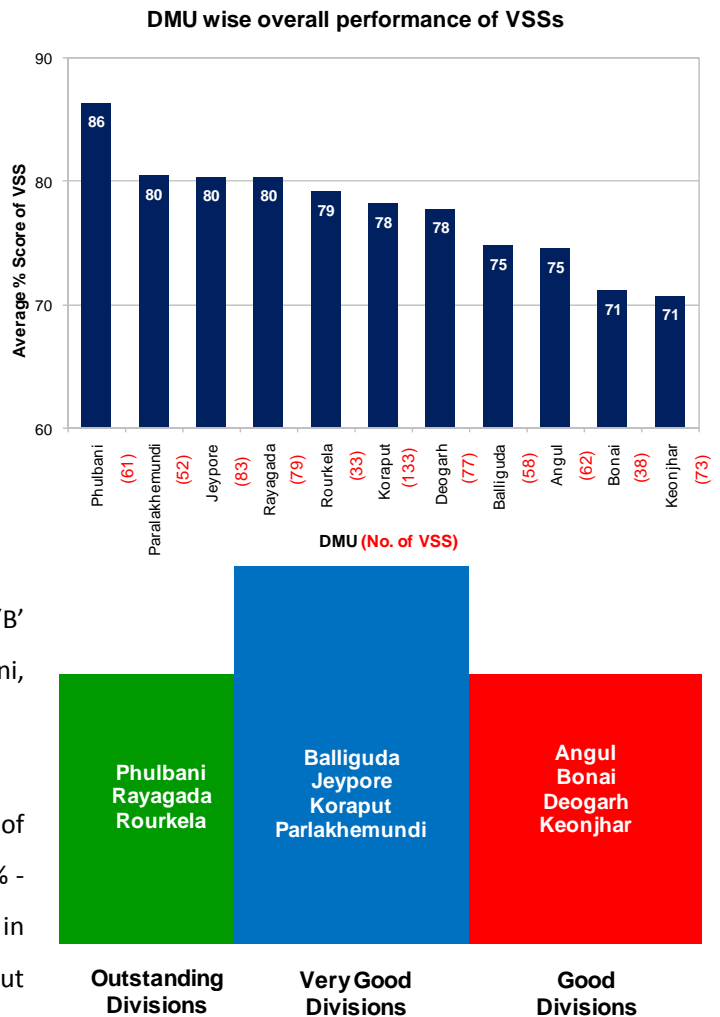
Number of VSSs in Batch 3 is highest (133) in the Koraput division in comparison to the other divisions. Rourkela has lowest (33) number of VSS in Batch 3.

VSS in Phulbani DMU has got highest average score (86%) where as average score is lowest (71%) in Keonjhar & Bonai DMU.

The performance analysis revealed that, there are 3 different types of distributions of grades among the DMUs.

a. Out Standing Divisions: Which have more than 90% of VSS in Grade 'A' and above and less than 10% of VSS in Grade 'B' and 'C'. Divisions in this category are Phulbani, Rayagada and Rourkela.

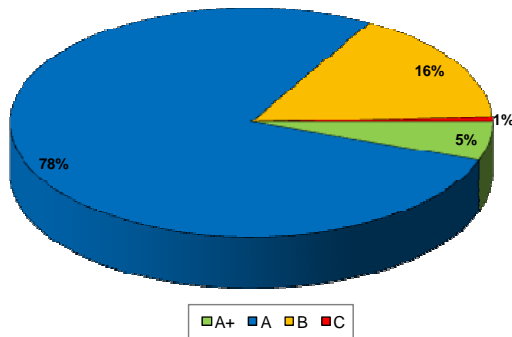
b. Very Good Divisions: Where 80% - 90% of VSSs are in Grade 'A' and 'A+' along with 10% - 20% of VSS with Grade 'B' and 'C'. Divisions in this category are Baliguda, Jeypore, Koraput and Parlakhemundi.



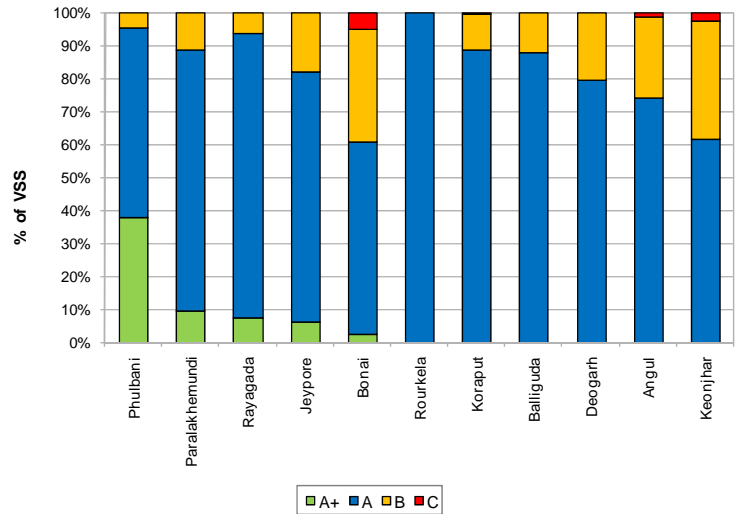
c. Good Divisions: Where 60% to 80% of VSSs are in 'A' and 'A+', along with less than 40% in 'B' and 'C' Grade. Divisions in this category are Angul, Bonai, Deogarh and Keonjhar.

All the VSS taken together, about 5% of VSSs are 'Outstanding', 78% are in 'Very Good' Category and about 16% are in 'Good' category.

Percentages of VSS in different Grades



Percentage of VSS in Different Grades in DMU Level

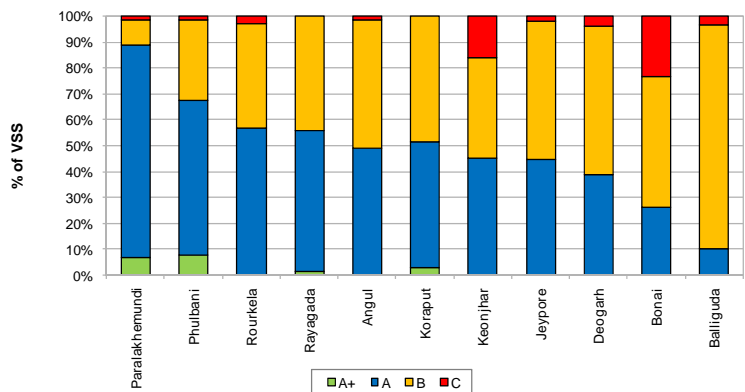


8.2 Institutional Sustainability

Evaluation of performance of VSS in the Institutional sustainability parameters reveals the following results.

a. Outstanding Divisions: Having about 10% of VSS in of Grade 'A+' and more than 50% of VSS in Grade 'A'. The Divisions in this category are Parlakhemundi and Phulbani.

Percentage of VSS in Different Grades in Institutional Sustainability Parameters



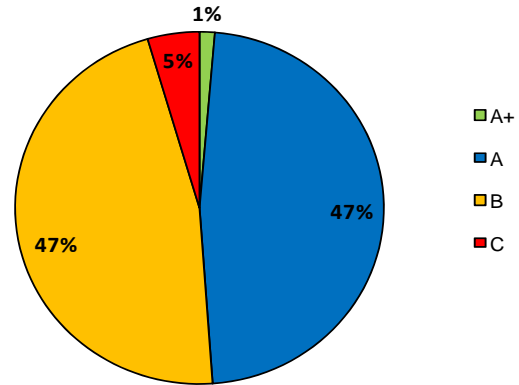
b. Very Good Divisions: Having more than 50% of VSS in Grade 'A' and 'A+' , and less than 50% of VSS in Grade 'B' and 'C'. Divisions in this category are Rourkela, Rayagada & Koraput.

c. Good Divisions: Having 40% - 50% of VSS in Grade 'A' and 'A+' and less than 60% in Grade 'B' and 'C'. Divisions under this category are Angul, Keonjhar & Jeypore.

d. Average Divisions: Having more than 60% of VSS in Grade 'B' & Grade 'C' and less than 40% of VSS in Grade 'A' & 'A+'. Division in this category is Deogarh, Bonai and Baliguda.

Overall assessment of performance in Institutional parameters reveals that about 47% of VSS are in 'Very Good' category where as about 47% of VSS are in 'Good' category.

Percentage of VSS in different Grades in Institutional Sustainability Parameters



8.3 Gender & Equity

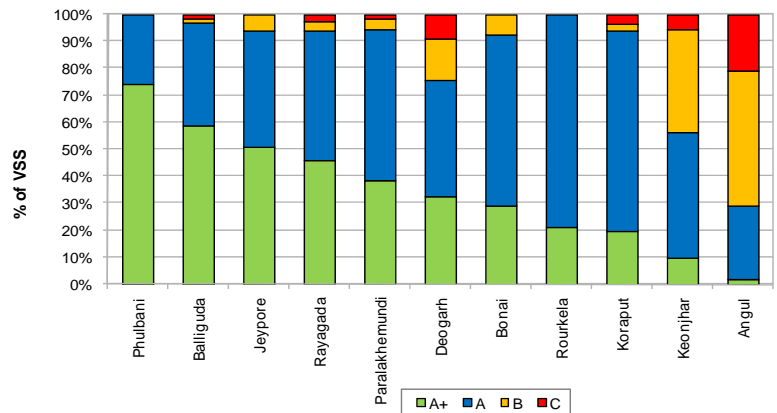
Evaluation of performance of VSS in the Gender & Equity parameters reveals the following results

a. Outstanding Divisions: Having more than 50% of VSS in of Grade 'A+', and more than 90% of VSS in Grade 'A+' and 'A'. Divisions in this category are Phulbani, Baliguda and Jeypore.

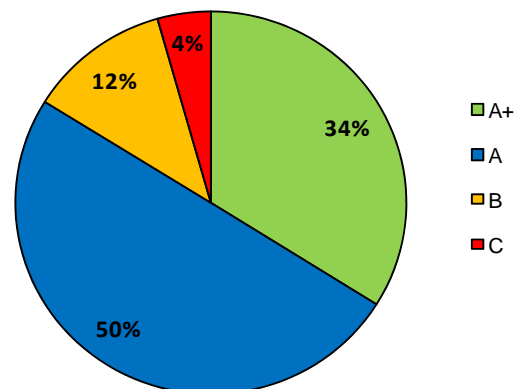
b. Very Good Divisions: Having more than 90% of VSS in Grade 'A' and 'A+'. Divisions in this category are Rayagada, Parlakhemundi, Bonai, Rourkela and Koraput.

c. Good Divisions: Having between 50-90% of VSS in Grade 'A' and 'A+'. The divisions in this category are Deogarh and Keonjhar.

Percentage of VSS in Different Grades in Gender & Equity Parameters



Percentage of VSS in different grades in Gender & Equity Parameters



d. Average Divisions: Having less than 50% of VSS in Grade ‘A+’ and ‘A’. The only division in this category is Angul.

Overall assessment of performance in Gender & equity parameters reveals that, about 34% of VSS are in ‘Excellent’ category where as 50% of VSS are in ‘Very Good’ category and 12% of VSS are in ‘Good’ category.

8.4 Efficiency, Transparency & Democratization

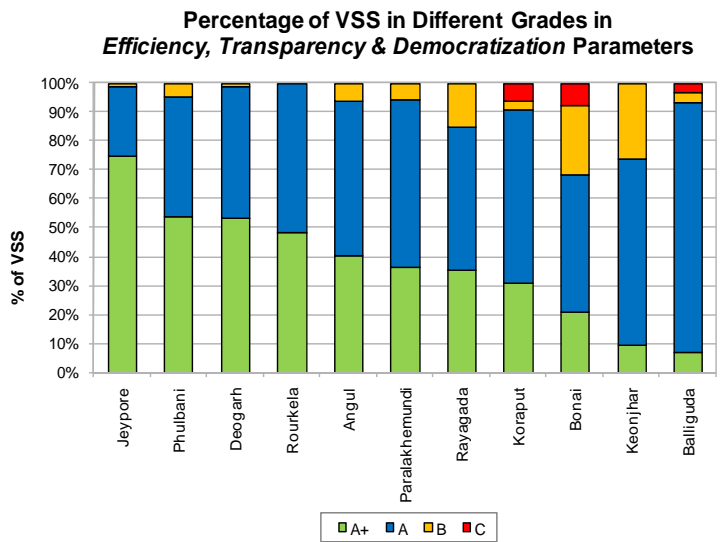
Evaluation of performance of VSS in efficiency, transparency and democratization parameters reveals the following results.

a. Outstanding Divisions: Having more than 50% of VSS in Grade ‘A+’, and more than 90% in Grade ‘A’ and ‘A+’. Divisions in this category are Jeypore, Phulbani and Deogarh.

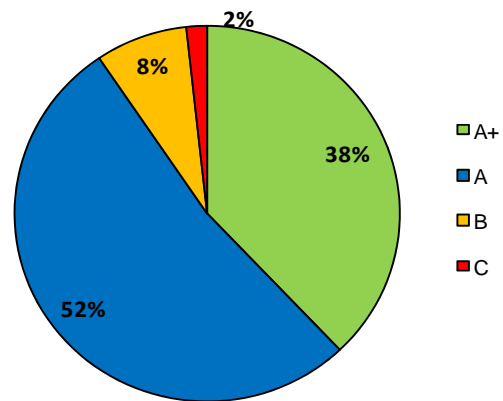
b. Very Good Divisions: Having more than 90% of VSS in Grade ‘A+’ & ‘A’. Divisions in this category are Rourkela, Angul, Parlakhemundi, Koraput and Baliguda.

c. Good Divisions: Between 50% to 90% of VSS in Grade ‘A’ and ‘A+’. Divisions in this category are Rayagada, Bonai and Keonjhar.

Overall assessment of performance of VSS in Forest Resource parameter reveals that about 38% of VSS are in ‘Excellent’ category, about 52% of VSS are in ‘Very Good’ and about 8% of VSS are in ‘Good’ category.



Percentage of VSS in different grades in Efficiency, Transparency & Democratization Parameters



8.5 Ecological Sustainability

Performance evaluation of VSS in Ecological Sustainability parameters reveals the following results.

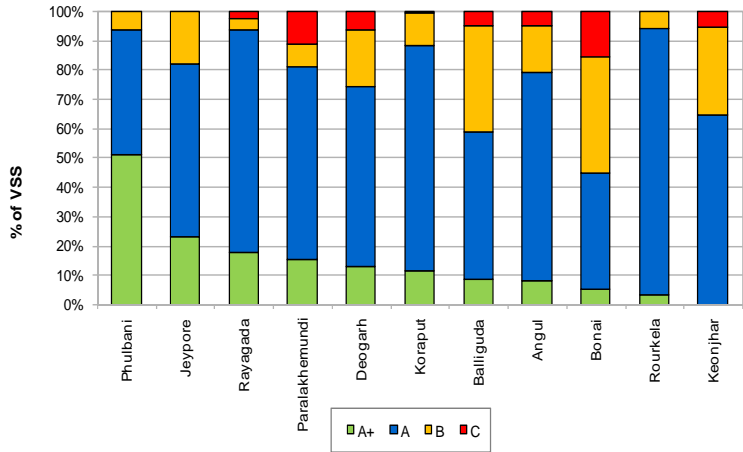
a. Outstanding Divisions: Having more than 50% of VSS in Grade ‘A+’, and more than 90% in Grade ‘A’ and ‘A+’. Phulbani Division is in this category.

b. Very Good Divisions: With more than 90% of VSS in Grade ‘A’ and ‘A+’. Divisions in this category are Rayagada & Rourkela

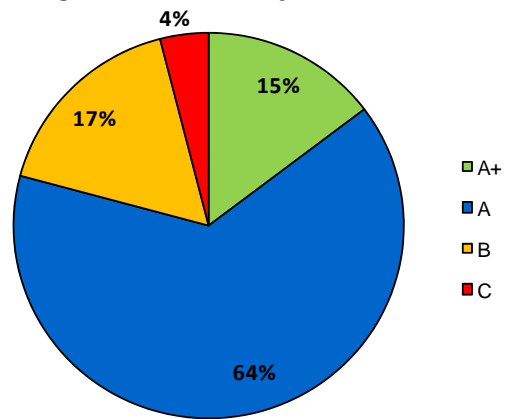
c. Good Divisions: Having 50% to 90% of VSS in Grade ‘A’ and ‘A+’. The Divisions in this category are Jeypore, Parlakhemundi, Deogarh, Koraput, Angul, Baliguda and Keonjhar.

d. Average Divisions: Having less than 50% VSS in Grade ‘A+’ and ‘A’. Bonai is in this category.

Percentage of VSS in Different Grades in Ecological Sustainability Parameters



Percentage of VSS in different grades in Ecological Sustainability Parameters



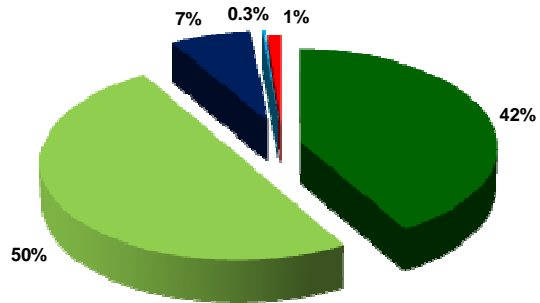
Overall assessment of performance among all VSS in Ecological Sustainability parameters reveals that, about 15% VSS are in ‘Excellent’ category, 64% of VSS are in ‘Very Good’ category and about 17% of VSS are in ‘Good’ category.

8.6 Awareness about Joint Forest Management

Awareness about concepts, objectives and goals of the Joint Forest Management are essential for long term sustainability of VSS. Assessment of performance on the ‘Awareness about Joint Forest Management’ yields the following results.

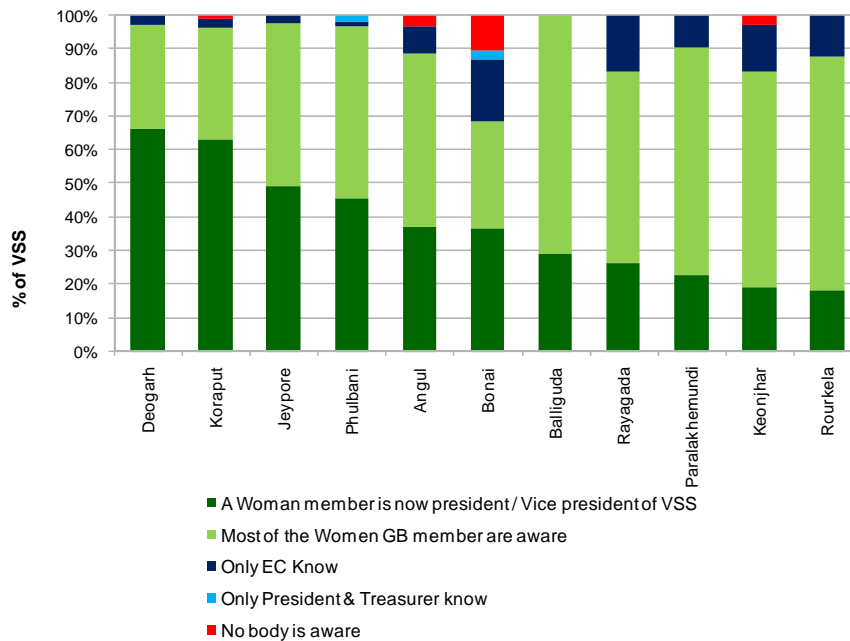
- 42% of the VSS have women member as President/Vice president
- In 50% of the VSS women GB members are aware about the JFM
- Deogarh, Koraput, Jeypore and Phulbani divisions have higher percentage (more than 50%) of VSS with Women president/ vice-president

Awareness about Joint Forest Management (Overall)



- A Woman member is now president/ Vice president of VSS
- Most of the Women GB member are aware
- Only EC Know
- Only President & Treasurer know
- No body is aware

Awareness about Joint Forest Management in DMU Level

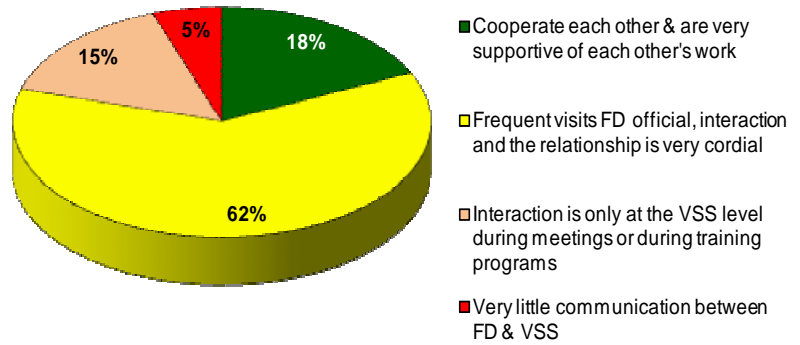


8.7 Stakeholder Participation & VSS

Well coordinated relationship among the stakeholders of the Joint Forest Management is very essential for proper functioning of the VSS. The performance assessment on related parameters yields the following results.

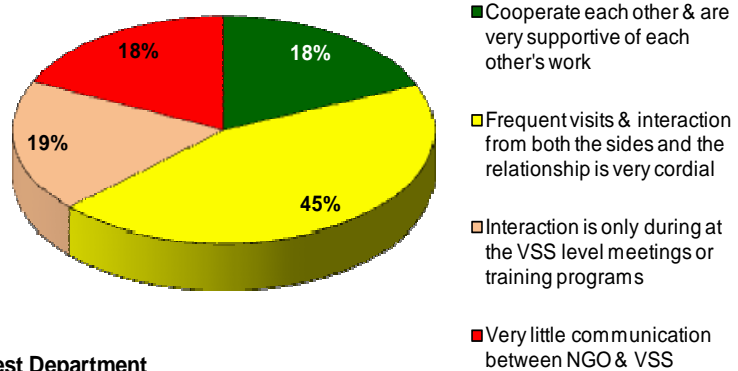
- 18% of VSS have maintained very supportive relationship with the forest department where as 62% of VSS have maintained very cordial relationship.

Relationships of VSS with Forest Department
(% of VSS)

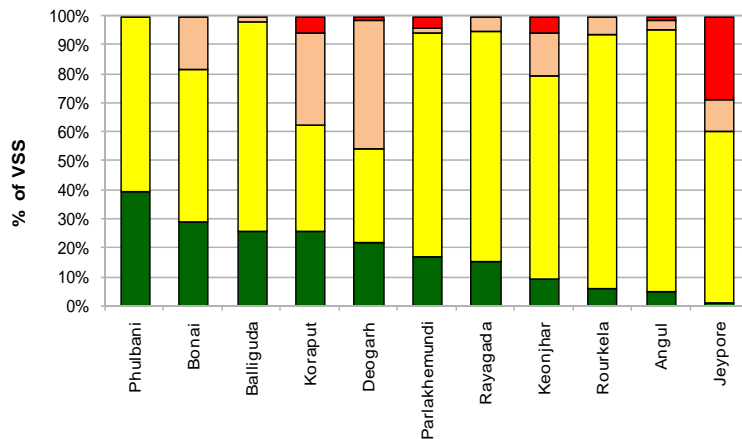


- 18% of VSS have maintained good relationship with the concerned NGOs where as 45% of VSS have maintained cordial relationship. NGO partnership of the 3rd batch VSS was only for about one year.

Relationships of VSS with NGO
(% of VSS)



Relationship of VSS with Forest Department



- Cooperate each other & are very supportive of each other's work
- Frequent visits FD official, interaction and the relationship is very cordial
- Interaction is only at the VSS level during meetings or during training programs
- Very little communication between FD & VSS

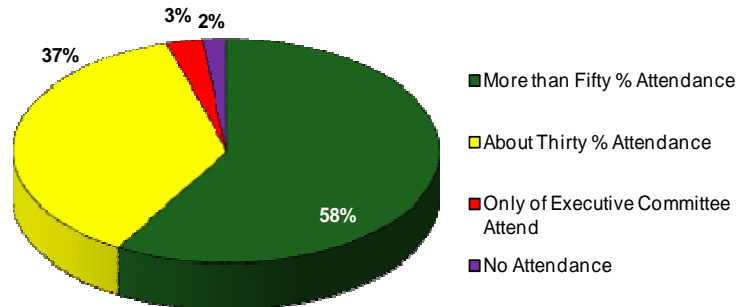
8.8 Gender Mainstreaming in VSS

Participation of women in the VSS activities is a positive indication of proper institutionalization. More and more Women members are actively participating in the VSS meetings to represent their opinions. Many of the women are also participating in VSS works and in the decision making processes.

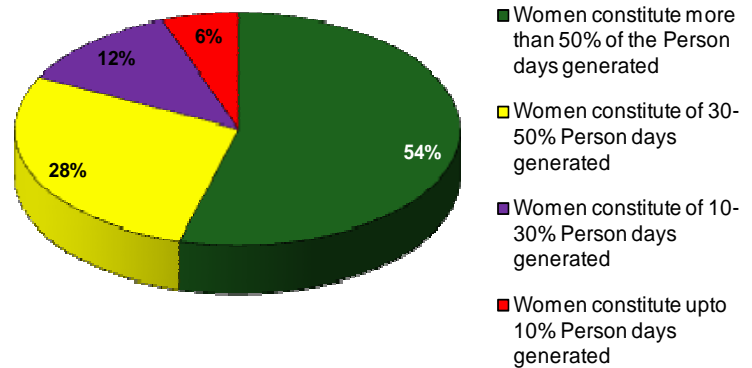
The results obtained in the assessment of performance of VSS in the gender equity parameters are as follows.

- In 58% VSS, women members have attended more than fifty percent of the meetings.
- 54% of the VSSs have generated more than fifty percent of the total man days for Women.
- Women have worked for 30 - 50% of the total person days generated in 28% of the VSS.

Women Attendance in Meetings
(%of VSS)



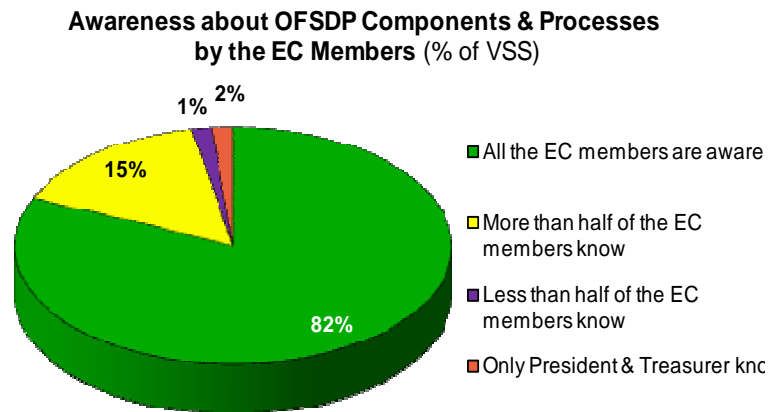
Involvement of Women in VSS Works
(% of VSS)



8.9 Awareness about OFSDP Components

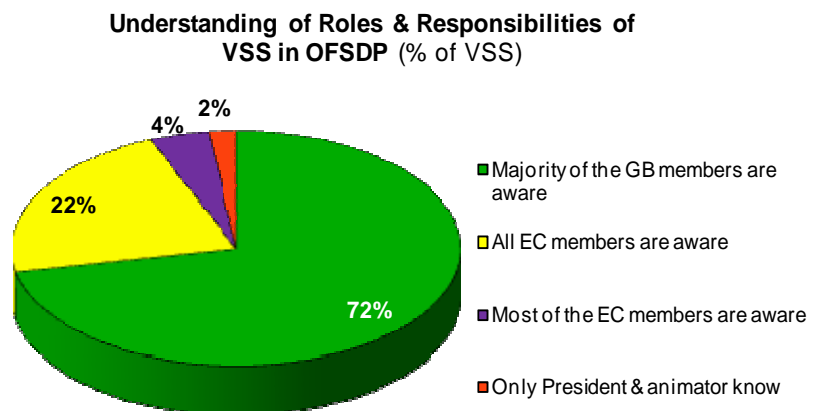
Understanding of the OFSDP components by the VSS members is essential for proper implementation of project activities and to move towards long term sustainability. The EC members should be aware of the OFSDP components and processes

- In 82% of the total VSS, all the EC members are aware about the OFSDP components and processes.
- In 15% of VSS, more than half of the EC members are aware about the OFSDP components and the relevant processes.



VSS Roles & Responsibilities

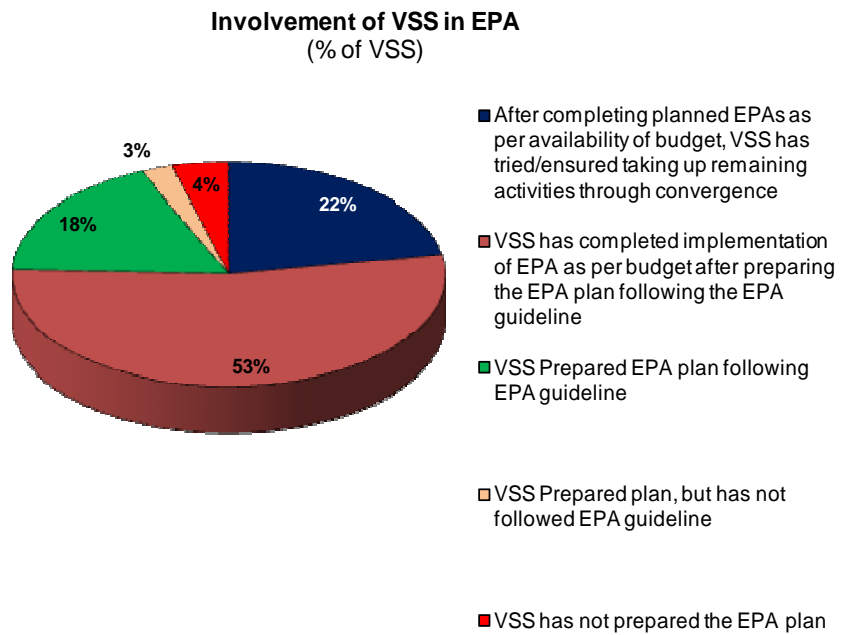
- In 72% of VSS, majority of GB members understand the roles & responsibilities of VSS in OFSDP



8.10 Involvement of VSS in EPA/ IGA

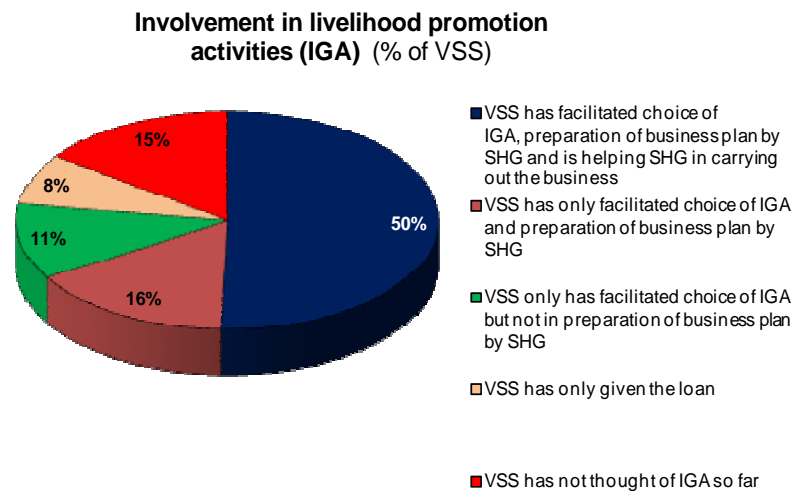
The performance assessment of VSS in the involvement in EPA and IGA, which are aimed at enhancing income levels of VSS members revealed the following results.

- In about 22% of the VSS, EPA is planned and implemented by VSS in time along with convergence with other organization/ departments
- In more than 53% of VSS, EPA has been completed within budget, in very few VSS (4%), there have been no implementation of EPA.



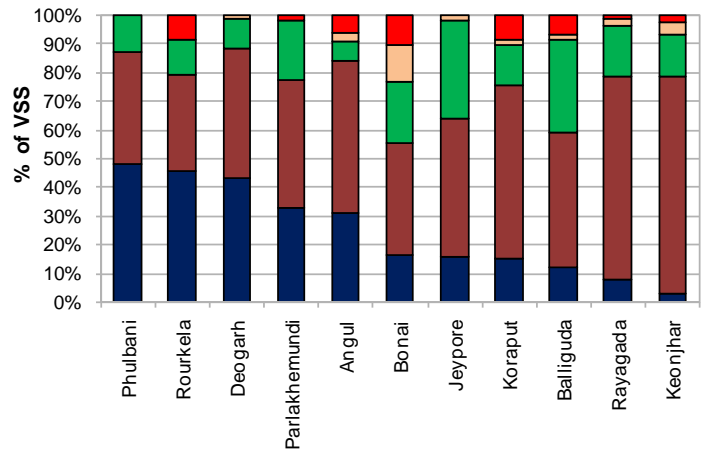
Involvement of VSS in livelihood promotion

- About 50% of VSS have facilitated IGA in helping SHG in carrying out the business.
- About 16% of the VSS have only facilitated choice of IGA and preparation of business plan by the SHG.



- More than 40% of VSSs in Phulbani, Rourkela and Deogarh divisions have completed EPA plan as per the available budget. These VSS also have ensured taking up remaining activities through convergence

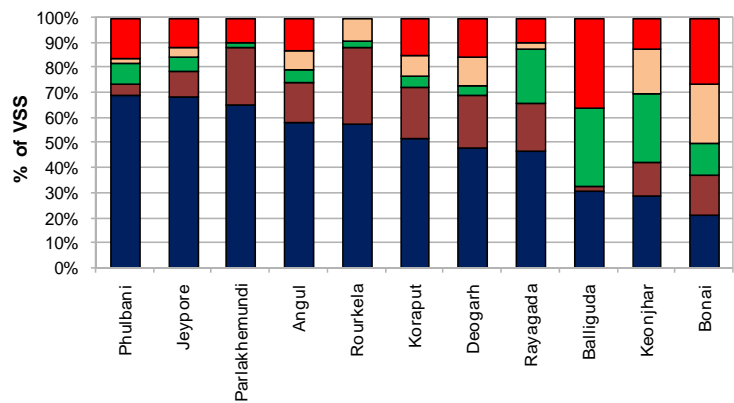
Percentage of VSS in EPA



- After completing planned EPAs as per availability of budget, VSS has tried/ensured taking up remaining activities through convergence
- VSS has prepared the EPA plan properly and has completed implementation of activities as per budget
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- VSS has not prepared the EPA plan

- More than 50% of VSSs in Phulbani, Jeypore, Parlakhemundi, Angul, Rourkela and Koraput divisions have prepared business plan by SHGs and are helping the SHGs in carrying out the business.

Percentage of VSS in IGA activities



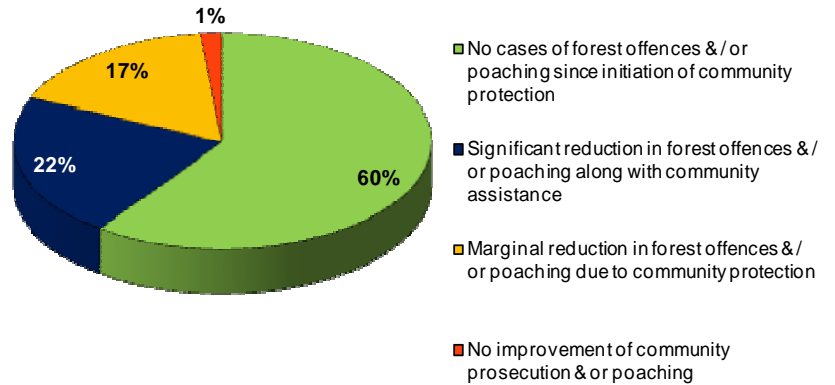
- VSS has facilitated choice of IGA, preparation of business plan by SHG and is helping SHG in carrying out the business
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- VSS has only given the loan
- VSS has not thought of IGA so far

8.11 Forest Protection

One of the key functions of the VSS is to protect the existing forest resources. The performance evaluation on this aspect has resulted in the following.

- There have been no fresh cases of forest offences/ poaching in 60% of VSS
- In 22% of VSS, there has been significant reduction in forest offences/ poaching.

Improvement in Forest Protection (% of VSS)



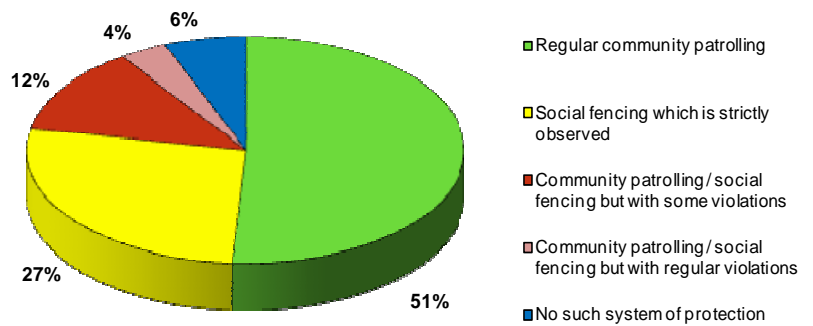
- 51% of VSS are practicing community patrolling and 27% of VSS have strict observation of social fencing

Involvement of VSS in Forest Management

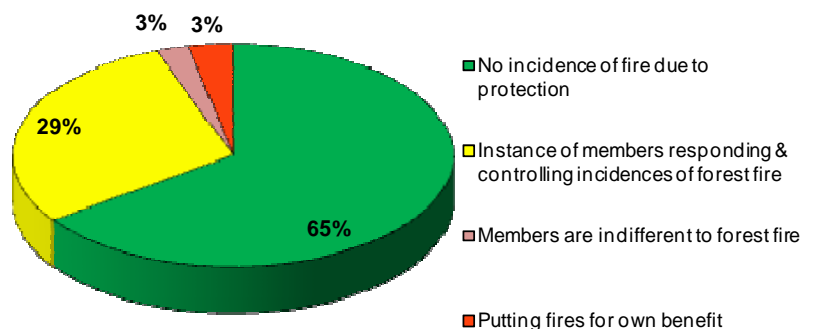
- There has been no incidence of fire due to protection measures in 65% of VSS

29% of VSS reported responding and controlling incidences of fire with quick response.

Involvement in Forest Protection (Overall) (% of VSS)



Prevention & Controlling of Forest Fire Occurrence (% of VSS)



Conclusion

It is revealed in the assessment that most of the VSS across the project divisions are aware about the concepts and principles of Joint Forest Management and understand the components, functionalities of the project. Majority of the VSS are performing well in Institutionalization/ transparency in VSS functions, gender equity in decision making process, forest conservation/ protection. Majority of the VSS have also shown good results in implementation of EPA/ IGA.

Findings of the performance assessment shall assist the project facilitators/ stakeholders to take informed decisions on strategic interventions to fulfill the gap areas and to replicate good practices and also to further strengthen the VSS for ensuring their long term sustainability.

Comparative Analysis of results of Performance Assessment of VSS in Batch-1 (Level-1), Batch-2 (Level-1) and Batch-3 (Level-1)

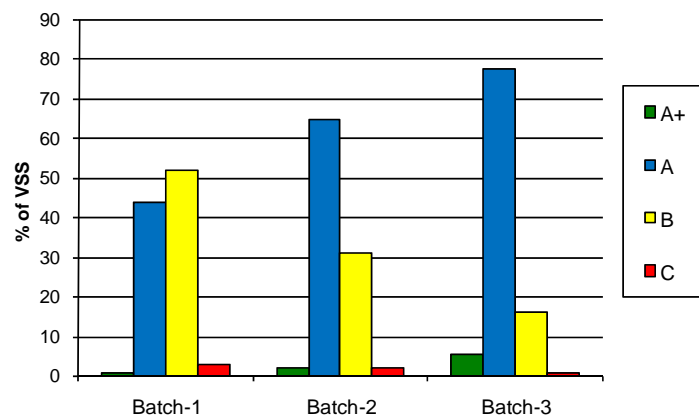
The results of the performance assessment of the of 3rd batch VSS was compared with the performance of the first batch as well as second batch VSS as per the assessment results obtained during the previous assessments to find out the efficacy of the processes adopted under the Project

The questionnaires used for the performance assessment of first batch VSS and second batch VSS were studied in detail to identify the comparable parameters. The scores obtained by the VSSs in the selected questions in both the batches were filtered to generate a dataset. Data analysis was conducted on the dataset which revealed the following:

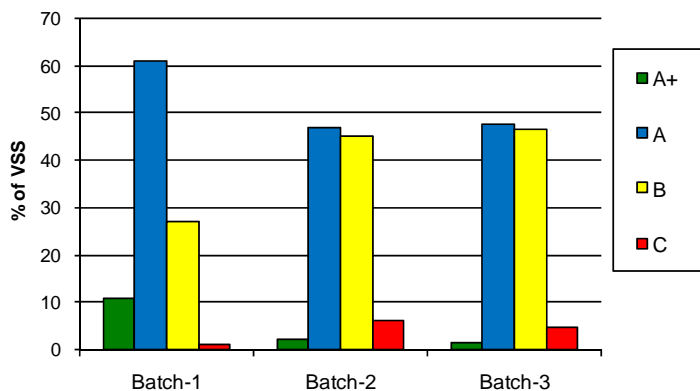
a. Gradation of VSS

The comparative analysis of the result of all three batches (about 1-2 years after enrollment with OFSDP) reveals that there has been improvement in the overall grades obtained by the 3rd batch VSSs at the project level. The percentage of VSS in 'Grade - A' (Very Good) has increased from about 45% in the 1st batch to 65% in the 2nd batch and 75% in the 3rd batch. Similarly there is a slight increase in the percentage of VSS in 'Grade - A+'.

Percentage of VSS in Different Grades



Distribution of Grades in Institutional Sustainability



b. Institutional Sustainability

Institutionalization of VSS involving proper implementation of policy, leadership, resources and quality is very important for long term sustainability. As per the results of performance assessment of VSS on "institutional sustainability" parameter, It

is found that the percentage of VSS in 'Grade-A' (Very Good) has decreased from about 62% in 1st batch to 46% in 2nd batch. There is a slight increase in percentage of VSS in 'Grade-A' in 3rd batch as compared to VSS in 2nd batch.

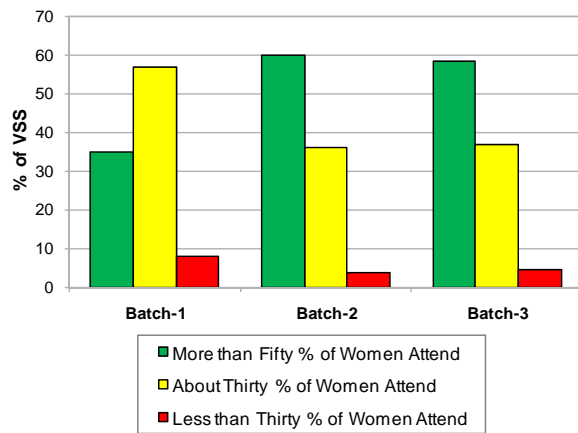
c. Gender Equity

Participation of women in various VSS related activities is a good indication of better institutionalization practiced in the VSS. There has been an increase in the number of VSS with remarkable women participation in 2nd batch and 3rd batch as compared to 1st batch. The comparison of performance analysis results of 1st, 2nd and 3rd batch depicts the following.

The percentage of VSS where 50% of the women members attend the VSS meetings have increased from about 35% in 1st batch to near about 60% in 2nd and 3rd batch.

The number of VSS where less than 30% of the Women attended VSS meetings (about 10% in first batch) has decreased to less than 5% in 2nd and 3rd batch.

Participation of Women in VSS Meetings

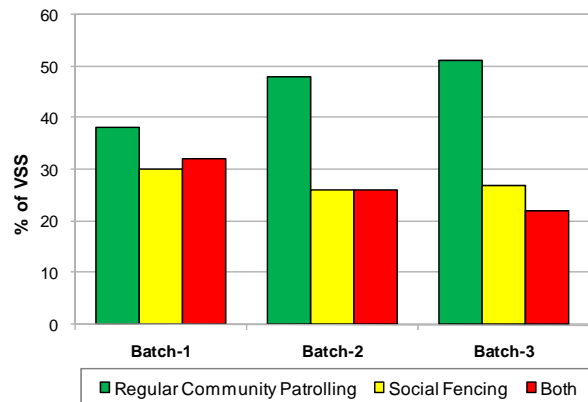


d. Forest Protection

Conservation and protection of forest resources is one of the key objectives of Joint Forest Management. The comparative analysis of the results of performance assessment of 1st batch with the results of 2nd batch and 3rd batch depicts the following result.

Higher proportion of 3rd batch VSS is found to practice regular community patrolling as compared to the 1st batch as well as 2nd batch VSS.

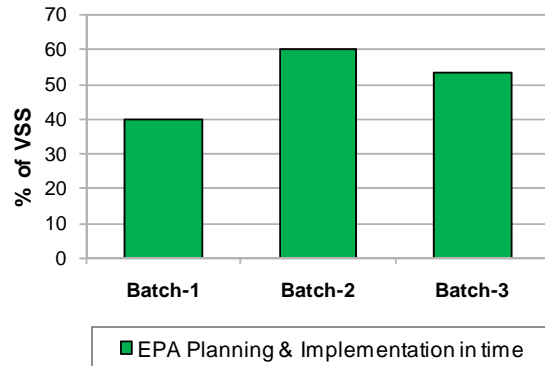
Percentage of VSS in Forest Protection



e. Involvement in EPA/ IGA

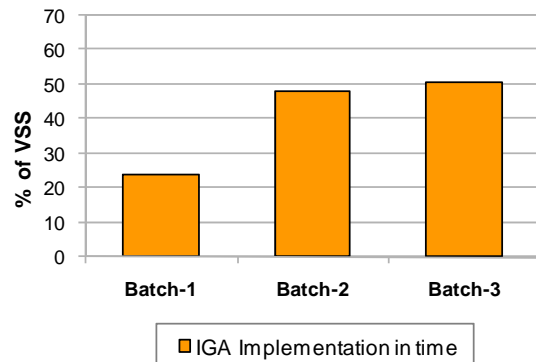
Improvement of livelihood is another important responsibility of VSS. The comparative analysis of the results of the performance analysis of 1st batch, 2nd batch along with the results of 3rd batch reveals that there has been remarkable increase in number of VSS involved in proper EPA planning and implementation activities in 2nd batch while there is decrease in the number of VSS in 3rd batch as compared with the 2nd batch. Whereas 40% of VSS had timely completed EPA planning and implementation in first batch, there are about 60% of VSS that have completed the EPA planning & implementation in time in second batch. There are about 53% of VSS which have completed the EPA planning & implementation in time in 3rd batch.

Involvement of VSS in EPA Planning & Implementation



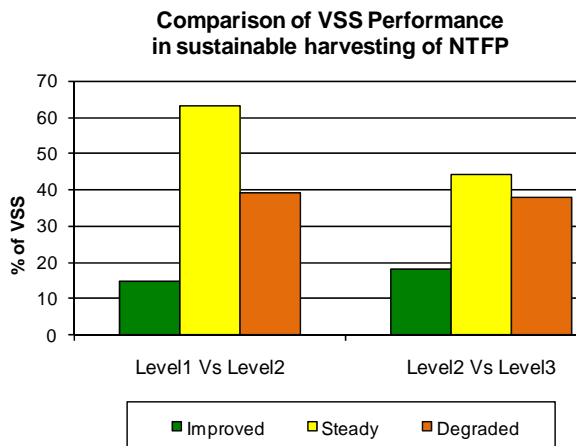
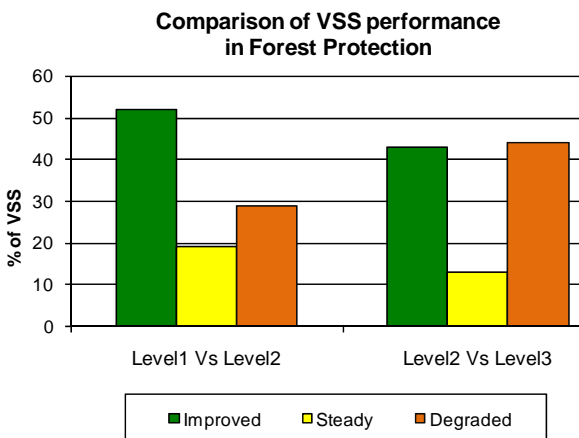
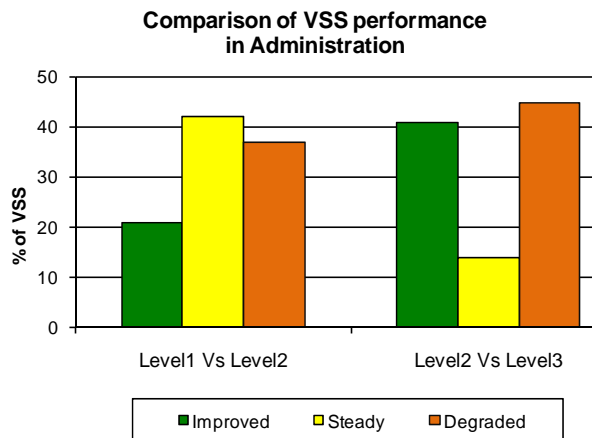
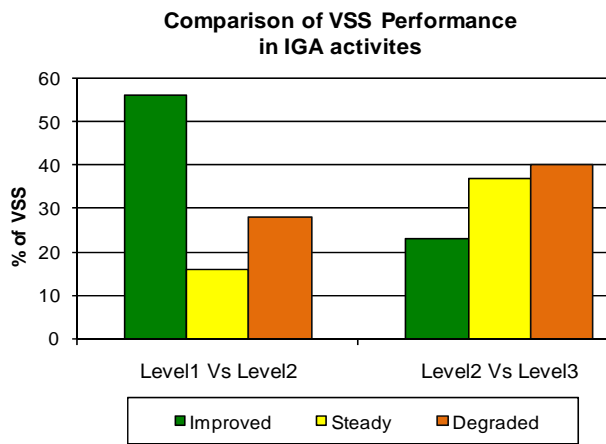
Participation of VSS in implementation of income generation activities (IGA) has also gone up resulting in about 50% of 2nd batch VSS completed IGA implementation in time in comparison to about 25% of VSS in 1st batch. There has been an increase of about 3% VSS with in time completion of IGA in 3rd batch, over 2nd batch.

Involvement of VSS in IGA Implementation



Comparison of the three successive assessments (Level-1, Level-2 and Level-3) of performance of the 1st batch VSSs

Interventions for the 1st batch VSSs were started during 2007-08. The first round of performance assessment was done during Feb-March 2009, after completion of plantation operations in the preceding planting season (July-August 2008). Apart from maintenance of these plantations and utilization of balance funds under EPA, major Initiation of pilot Income Generation Activities along community capacity building training programs were taken up for strengthening the VSS as an institution and also to move towards sustainability of project initiatives. The performance of the 1st batch VSSs in these 3 levels was compared to get an insight into progress in the important aspects as also to identify the future focus areas. The selected parameters along with the scores obtained against each parameter were organized into a dataset which was subjected to series of analytical procedures.



A few important findings are as below:

a. IGA Activities

- Comparison of Level-1 with Level-2: A substantial proportion of VSSs (56%) have shown improvement in IGA activities, 16% of VSS have maintained steady progress and another 28% of VSS have shown slowing down.
- Comparison of Level-2 with Level-3: 23% of VSSs have shown improvement in IGA activities, 40% of VSS have maintained steady progress and 37% of VSS have shown slowing down.

b. Forest Protection

- Comparison of Level-1 with Level-2: About 29% of VSS have shown improvement in Forest protection activities, 52% of VSS have maintained steady progress and another 19% of VSS have shown low performance.
- Comparison of Level-2 with Level-3: About 43% of VSS have shown improvement in Forest Protection activities, 13% of VSS have maintained steady progress and rest 44% have shown low performance.

c. Administrative Activities (Executive Committee meetings, Accounting & Audit practices)

- Comparison of Level-1 with Level-2: 21% of the VSS have shown improvement, another 42% of VSS have maintained steady progress. About 37% of VSS have degraded in core VSS administrative activities.
- Comparison of Level-2 with Level-3: About 41% of the VSS have shown improvement, 14% of VSS have maintained steady progress. About 45% of VSS have shown degraded in VSS administrative activities.

d. Sustainable harvesting of NTFP

- Comparison of Level-1 with Level-2: NTFP is a major source of livelihood in the many of the VSSs, about 15% of VSS have shown improvement and about 63% of VSS have maintained steady progress, 22% of VSS have shown low performance.
- Comparison of Level-2 with Level-3: 18% of VSS have shown improvement, 44% of VSS have shown steady progress and rest 37% VSS have shown low performance

The improvement in overall performance of the VSS (comparison of level-1 and level-2) was observed in 25% VSS, whereas the overall performance (comparison of level-2 and level-3) was found to be 23%.

Despite of all possible efforts made by the project for institutionalization and capability improvement of the VSS, some of the VSS have recorded slow progress which may be due to insufficient attention by the field staff and other facilitators who usually tends to focus primarily on the new VSS imbibed during the current year. This indicates the need for continuous support and periodic evaluation of the concerned VSS in consecutive years.

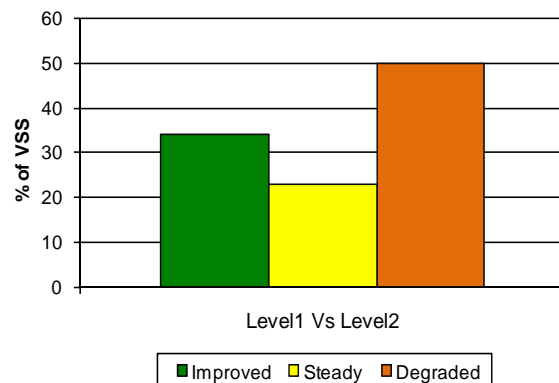
Comparison of the two successive assessments (Level-1, Level-2) of performance of the 2nd batch VSSs

The 2nd batch VSSs interventions were started during 2008-09. The first round of performance assessment was done during June-July 2010, after completion of plantation operations in the preceding planting season (July-August 2009). Apart from maintenance of these plantations and utilization of balance funds under EPA, major Initiation of pilot Income Generation Activities along community capacity building training programs were taken up for strengthening the VSS as institution and also to move towards sustainability of project initiatives. The performance of the 2nd batch VSSs in these 2 levels was compared to get an insight into progress in the important aspects as also to identify the future focus areas. The selected parameters along with the scores obtained against each parameter were organized into a dataset which was subjected to series of analytical procedures.

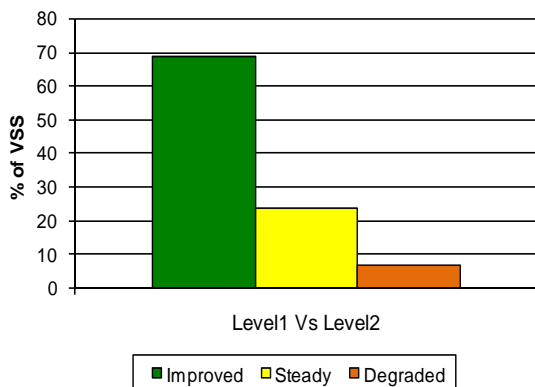
Comparison of VSS Performance in IGA



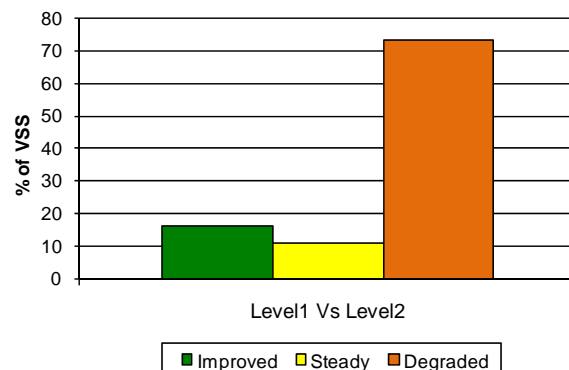
Comparison of VSS Performance in Forest Protection



Comparison of VSS Performance in Administration



Comparison of VSS Performance in sustainable harvesting of NTFP



A few important findings are as below:

a. IGA Activities

- A remarkable number of VSS (34%) have shown improvement in IGA activities, 39% of VSS have maintained steady progress and another 27% of VSS have shown slowing down.

b. Forest Protection

- About 34% of VSS have shown improvement in Forest protection activities, 23% of VSS have maintained steady progress and another 43% of VSS have shown low performance.

c. Administrative Activities (Executive Committee meetings, Accounting & Audit practices)

- 69% of the VSS have shown improvement, another 24% of VSS have maintained steady progress. About 7% of VSS have degraded in core VSS administrative activities.

d. Sustainable harvesting of NTFP

- NTFP is a major source of livelihood in the many of the VSSs, about 16% of VSS have shown improvement and about 10% of VSS have maintained steady progress, 73% of VSS have shown low performance.

Comparative study of level-1 and level-2 VSSs of 2nd Batch VSS reflects that overall performance in level-2 has improved in 47% of VSS.

Despite of all possible efforts made by the project for institutionalization and capability improvement of the VSS, some of the VSS have recorded slow progress which may be due to inadequate attention given by the field staff and other facilitators who usually tend to focus primarily on the new VSS imbibed during the current year. This indicates the need for continuous support and periodic evaluation of the concerned VSS in the subsequent years too.

Annexure-I

Questionnaire for Performance Assessment of VSS in OFSDP 3rd Batch (Level-1)

Name of the VSS:

FMU:

DMU:

Name of the Team Members:

*Section: A, B, C, D will be assessed by the Appraisal Team and Section: E by the DMU Chief
(Please describe in BRIEF the rationale behind the Scoring or the Status of VSS with respect to a particular question in the space provided below each question)*

(Put Tick '✓' mark against in the most appropriate choice)

Section A. Institutional Sustainability

1.	VSS Formation Process	Villagers themselves had approached the Forest Department (FD) for formation of VSS	
		Agency other than FD was involved in its formation and later got registered with FD	
		Staff of FD has persuaded the villagers to form the VSS	
		Defunct VSS has been revived by OFSDP	
2.	Purpose of VSS Formation	Forest Protection for ecological, economic and cultural needs	
		Forest Protection for ecological needs (water, climate etc.)	
		Forest Protection for economic needs (timber, fuel wood, NTFP, food etc.)	
		Forest Protection for cultural needs (festival, customs, rituals etc.)	
		Asked by FD to do so	
		To get fund for village development	
3.	Awareness about Joint Forest Management?	A woman member is now President / Vice president of VSS	
		Most of the women GB member are aware	
		Only Executive Committee know	
		Only President & Treasurer know	
		Nobody is aware	
4.	Conflict among VSS members	There have been no conflict	
		Conflicts were there, but have been resolved	
		Conflicts exist	
		VSS finding it difficult to operate because of conflict	

			Yes	No
5.	VSS members' Contribution	Shramadana by VSS members in forest/plantation activities		
		Spending from VSS's own fund (contribution, collection of penalty for violation of rules set by VSS etc.) for forest development		
		Shramadan by VSS members in other activities e.g. VSS Building, EPA etc.		
		Spending from VSS's own fund (contribution, collection of penalty for violation of rules set by VSSs etc.) for village development		
		Contribution collected but not utilized		
6.	Relationship of VSS with Forest Department	There has been very little communication between FD and VSS		
		Interaction is only at the VSS level during meetings or during training programs		
		There has been frequent visits of FD official, interaction and the relationship is very cordial		
		They cooperate each other and are very supportive of each other's work		
7.	Relationship of VSS with NGO	There has been very little communication between NGO and VSS		
		Interaction is only at the VSS level during meetings or during training programs		
		There has been frequent visits and interaction from both the sides and the relationship is very cordial		
		They cooperate with each other and are very supportive of each other's work		
8.	Relationship of VSS with other Village Level Institutions/ Committee		Yes	No
		Frequent Interaction with GP (Gram Panchayat)		
		Frequent interaction with GKS (Gaon Kalyan Samit)		
		Frequent interaction with Anganwadi Centre		
9.	Maintenance of EPA assets	EPA assets are maintained as per EPA plan and User fee being collected		
		There is no plan for maintenance of EPA assets but User fees are being collected		
		EPA assets are maintained but User fee is not being collected		
		No maintenance or user fee collection		

10.	Use of VSS building	VSS building is neatly maintained, President and Animator conduct their office in notified time, IEC materials are displayed adequately; VSS and SHG meetings are being conducted: VSS building is also used for at least TWO other purposes (viz. Night School / Meeting of other departments, temporary anganwadi / temporary storage etc.)	
		VSS building is neatly maintained, President and Animator conduct their office in notified time, IEC materials are displayed adequately; VSS and SHG meetings are being conducted; VSS building is also used for at least ONE other purpose (viz. Night School / Meeting of other departments, temporary anganwadi / temporary storage etc.)	
		VSS building is neatly maintained; President and Animator conduct their office in notified time, IEC materials are displayed adequately; VSS and SHG meetings are being conducted; VSS building is not used for any other purposes.	
		Cleanliness in VSS building not maintained, President and Animator are not conducting their office in notified time, IEC materials are not displayed adequately; VSS and SHG meetings are being conducted; VSS building not used for any other purposes.	
		Only VSS meetings conducted	

Section B. Gender and Equity

1.	President of the VSS	A Woman who is also a forest dependent, and BPL	
		A Tribal who is also forest dependent and BPL	
		A Traditional village leader or Panchayat Representative	
		Any other person	
2.	Treasurer and animator of the VSS	SC/ST, Forest dependent and BPL	
		SC/ST, Forest dependent but not BPL	
		One of them from SC/ST, Forest dependent Community and BPL	
3.	Representation of women, ST/SC, BPL and forest dependent households in VSS Executive Committee	All categories are well represented	
		Any one of the Category (Women /ST /SC / BPL/ forest dependent) ignored	
		Any two of the category (Women / ST/SC / BPL/ forest dependent) ignored	
4.	Attendance of women in meetings	More than 50% of women members attend GB	
		About 30% of women members attend GB	
		Only women members of executive committee attend GB	
		No woman attends	
5.	Participation in Training/Exposure Visits	Members of EC and SHG including women, forest dependent/ tribal/BPL have attended most of the training/visits	
		Only members of EC have participated	
		Only President, Animator and Treasurer have participated	
		No trainings so far	

6.	SC/ST/BPL/forest dependent engaged in VSS works	>90%	
		>70%	
		>50%	
		<50%	

7.	Women engaged in VSS works	>50% of Person days generated	
		30-50% person days generated	
		10-30% person days generated	
		0-10% person days generated	

8.	SHG selected/linked with revolving fund loan	ALL members of SHG belong to Forest dependent, tribal and Poor	
		MAJORITY belong to Forest dependent, tribal and Poor	
		Members are Forest dependent but not Poor	
		Members are tribal but not forest dependent and not Poor	
		Members are Poor but not forest dependent and not tribal	

Section C. Efficiency, Transparency & Democratization

1.	Awareness about OFSDP components and processes by the EC members	All EC member are aware	
		More than 50% of the EC member are aware	
		Less than 50% of the EC members know	
		Only President & Treasurer know	

2.	Understanding of roles and responsibilities of VSS in OFSDP	Most of the GB members are aware	
		All EC members are aware	
		Most of the EC members are aware	
		Only President and animator know	

3.	No of meetings of VSS Committee (EC) held during last year	> 12 meetings	
		8-12 meetings	
		5-8 meetings	
		< 5 meetings	

4.	Average attendance in meetings of VSS EC are held during last year	> 90%	
		71-90%	
		51-70%	
		< 50%	

5.	Bank account of the VSS	Opened and operated jointly by President & Secretary	
		Opened and mostly operated by the Secretary; President only signs.	
		Opened, but not operated	
		Not opened so far	

6.	Who is keeping the records? (VSS certificate, Resolution register, Cash/Bank books, store books etc.)	Records are kept in the VSS building in the joint custody of President and Secretary	
		Records are kept in the VSS building in the custody of President and Treasurer	
		Records are kept in the Village (other place than VSS building) in the custody of President/Treasurer/Animator	
		Records are kept with the Member Secretary	
7.	Status of records (Particularly resolution register and cash book)	Well maintained and up to date	
		Well maintained but not up to date	
		In poor shape and not up to date	
8.	Micro planning by the VSS	Most of the GB members were involved in the microplanning process carried out the VSS working group	
		VSS working group has prepared the plan on its own with some consultation with the GB/community	
		VSS EC along with Animator and/or NGO have prepared the plan without proper VSS working group	
		Only selected members of EC were involved in plan preparation along with NGO	
		Only Member Secretary and/or NGO have prepared the plan	
9.	Construction of VSS Building	VSS is fully involved in planning and construction and has contributed	
		VSS has been fully involved in planning and construction of the building.	
		VSS was not involved in construction of the building	
		VSS was not involved in planning of the building	
		VSS was not involved at all	
10.	Involvement in EPA	After completing planned EPAs as per availability of budget, VSS has tried/ensured taking up remaining activities through convergence	
		VSS has prepared the EPA plan properly and has completed implementation of activities as per budget	
		VSS has prepared EPA plan following EPA guideline	
		VSS has prepared plan, but has not followed EPA guideline	
		VSS has not prepared the EPA plan	
11.	Involvement in livelihood promotion (IGA)	VSS has facilitated choice of IGA, preparation of business plan by SHG and is helping SHG in carrying out the business	
		VSS has only facilitated choice of IGA and preparation of business plan by SHG	
		VSS only has facilitated choice of IGA but not in preparation of business plan by SHG	
		VSS has only given the loan	
		VSS has not thought of IGA so far	

Section D. Ecological Sustainability

1.	Status of Forest Area allotted to the VSS	Natural forest and plantation are good in condition	
		Plantation only good but no change in natural forest	
		Natural forest is good but plantations not maintained	
		Degraded forest and poor plantation.	
2.	Involvement in Forest Protection	There is system of regular community patrolling (e.g. thengapali)	
		There is system of social fencing which is strictly observed	
		There is system of community patrolling/social fencing but with limited violations	
		There is system of community patrolling/social fencing but with regular violations	
		No such system of protection	
3.	Improvement in Forest Protection/Status	No cases of forest offences and/or poaching since initiation of community protection	
		Significant reduction in forest offences and/or poaching along with instances of seizures by the community/ with community assistance	
		Marginal reduction in forest offences and/or poaching due to community protection	
		No reduction in forest offences and/or poaching due to community protection	
4.	Conflict over use of forest with neighboring villages	There is no dispute/All such disputes about rights over the protected forest with neighboring villages have been resolved amicably	
		There are some small disputes and negotiations are on to resolve them	
		There are some small disputes on which no attention is being given	
		There are lots of disputes with neighboring villages which are not resolved	
5.	Sustainable harvesting of NTFP	Planned and regulated extraction of NTFP	
		NTFP harvesting is not planned	
		Sometimes there is destructive harvesting	
6.	Forest Grazing Control/Regulation	Social fencing with cut and carry system	
		Social fencing with controlled grazing/rotational grazing	
		Grazing and fodder harvest fully banned	
		Open grazing continues	
7.	Forest Fire Occurrence, Prevention and Control (extinguishing measures)	No incidence of fire due to protection	
		Instances of Members responding and controlling incidences of forest fire	
		Members are indifferent to forest fire	
		Putting fires for self benefit	

8.	Planning Soil Moisture Conservation works	Planned with community participation and mostly indigenous technology used	
		Planned with trained soil conservationist and mainstream technology used	
		Planned and implemented by FD	
		Planned but not implemented	
		Not planned	

9.	Quality of Soil Moisture Conservation works	SMC including land treatment (CCT/ stone/earth bund/ hedge row) AND gully treatment (LBCD/Brushwood check dam/masonry check dam built on topo-sequence)are carried out following ridge-to-valley approach with GPS reading	
		SMC including land treatment (CCT/ stone/earth bund/ hedge row) AND gully treatment (LBCD/Brushwood check dam/masonry check dam built on topo-sequence)are carried out following ridge-to-valley approach without GPS reading	
		SMC including land treatment (CCT/ stone/earth bund/ hedge row) AND gully treatment (LBCD/Brushwood check dam/masonry check dam) are carried out without following ridge-to-valley approach	
		SMC either land treatment (CCT/ stone/earth bund/ hedge row) OR gully treatment (LBCD/Brushwood check dam/masonry check dam) are carried out	
		No SMC measures carried out	

10.	Choice of species	Species planted in the field or raised in the nursery are chosen by the VSS looking at the local flora and their livelihood needs	
		Species planted in the field or raised in the nursery are chosen by the VSS	
		Species planted in the field or raised in the nursery are chosen by the FD/NGO	
		VSS members are not happy about the species selection	

11.	Survival percentage of plantation	>80%	
		61-80%	
		41-60%	
		20-40%	
		<20%	

Section: E: Overall Assessment by DMU Chief		Marks given by DMU Chief
DMU Chief to please score out of 10 in each of the aspects below		
A	Institutional Sustainability (10 marks)	
B	Gender & Equity (10 marks)	
C	Transparent & Democratization (10 marks)	
D	Ecological Sustainability (10 marks)	

Questionnaire for Performance Assessment of VSS in OFSDP 2nd Batch (Level-2)

Name of the VSS:

FMU:

DMU:

Name of the Team Members:

Section A. Transparency/Democratized Governance

1. Transparency in VSS <i>(Please find the appropriate choice in each case)</i>	Y/N
VSS transparency board written in prescribed format	
All EC materials are available and displayed in VSS building	
All registers such as resolution register, cash book, bank pass book and audit statement are available with up to date entry in the VSS building	
VSS Micro plan, VSS management guideline and MoU, Registration certificate available in the VSS	
Treatment map of VSS area available in the VSS	

2. VSS EC meetings (12 meetings are to be conducted per year as per the VSS Management Manual)	
How many meetings were conducted during the year (2010-11)? <i>(Please mention the number)</i>	

3. Points being discussed in VSS EC meetings <i>(In more than 6 meetings out of last 12 meetings) Please find the appropriate choice in each case</i>	Y/N
Review of action taken on the minutes of last meeting	
Approval of financial (withdrawal and expenditure) transactions made since the previous meeting	
Proposal works and expenditure for coming month and the amount required to be withdrawn including discussion on how the works will taken up, contributions etc.	
Progress of IGA by SHG (loan sanction, work monitoring, loan repayment etc.)	
Scope of convergence / relationship with village level institutions and PRI	
Monitoring of small timber, firewood and NTFP harvesting	
Revenue/income generation of VSS including village forest development fund	

4. Auditing of VSS account <i>(Please find the appropriate choice in each case)</i>	Y/N
Audit carried out in the VSS building	
Annual audited statement of the VSS has been placed before the GB for approval	
Audited and approved abstract of annual statement has been communicated by the EC to FMU within 4 months of close of financial year	

5. Who is writing VSS resolution register? <i>(Please Put Tick '√' mark in the appropriate box)</i>	
EC members other than VSS office bearer	
President/ Treasurer	
Animator	
Member Secretary	

6. Who is maintaining the account of VSS? (Please Put Tick '√' mark in the appropriate box)	
Treasurer	
Animator	
Member Secretary	
President/ Other member	

7. The involvement of women in VSS decision making process in EC (Please Put Tick '√' mark in the appropriate box)	
Most women members participate in the decision making	
Most women members attend the meetings	
Women members do not attend meetings or attend very sparingly	

8. Planning and revision of plans (Please find the appropriate choice in each case)		Y/N
Annual plans (of micro plan) have been prepared and approved		
EPA plan has been prepared as per EPA guideline and is available in VSS		
Revised EPA plans have been suitably recorded in the micro plan and approved		
Revisit of the treatment area taken up and incorporated in the micro plan		

Section B. Sustainability

1. Use of VSS Building as village resource center (Please find the appropriate choice in each case)		Y/N
Forms related to different welfare schemes (e.g. Old Age Pension, Revenue etc.) are available		
Brochures, leaflets, posters related to different schemes like NRHM, NREGA etc. are available		
Drug distribution kit is available		
Used as night / informal school		
Used for meeting of other department/ VLI/ AWW		

2. Linkages for convergence (Please Put Tick '√' mark in the appropriate box)	
Community assets and other development activities have been taken up in the village in convergence With 4 or more number of department/ agency	
With 3 number of department/ agency	
With 2 number of department/ agency	
With 1 number of department/ agency	
No Convergence	

3. Village forest development fund (VFDF)(Please find the appropriate choice in each case)		Y/N
Membership Entry fee collected and deposited		
Annual membership fee is being collected and deposited		
Interest being collected from revolving fund loan to SHG and deposited		
Amount generated through auctioning of ANR Cleaning material deposited in VSS account		
User fee collected from assets/ equipments		
Token money collected from distribution of ANR cleaning materials /NTFP collected		

4. VSS Supervision and monitoring of IGA <i>(Please find the appropriate choice in each case)</i>	Y/N
VSS has screened the business plan submitted by SHG before approval	
VSS has finalized terms and conditions for loan approval in consultation with SHG	
The loan has been sanctioned using prescribed format	
VSS animator is assisting SHG in maintaining SHG records	

Section C. Resource Management

1. Preparing the treatment plan of the VSS area <i>(Please find the appropriate choice in each case)</i>	Y/N
VSS has helped in demarcation of area to be mapped	
VSS has conducted the transect walks across the forest area with the GIS map (Forest map)	
VSS has followed 'Grid-based approach' in carrying out the transect	
VSS has decided the types of treatment and area under treatment	
VSS has decided the choice of species for planting, seeding and retaining	
VSS has planned the type and location of SMC measures	

2. NTFP management <i>(Please find the appropriate choice in each case)</i>	Y/N
VSS has estimated the amount of NTFP available/being harvested by its members	
VSS has prepared a plan for sustainable harvesting of NTFP keeping in mind the IGA being planned	
VSS has decided to impose a cess (minimal fee) on NTFP collectors	

3. Forest protection <i>(Please find the appropriate choice in each case)</i>	Y/N
Fire control and grazing management have been discussed and decisions taken in VSS/ EDC GB meetings	
VSS has formed a fire control squad	
Grazing management (rotational/control) plan has been prepared by VSS	
There are at least one incidence of successful fire fighting by the VSS members	
Village livestock grazing is being taken up as per management plan	

Section D. Overall Assessment by DMU Chief

DMU Chief to please score out of 10 in each of the aspects below		Marks given by DMU Chief
A	Transparency/ Democratized Governance (10 Marks)	
B	Sustainability (10 Marks)	
C	Resource Management (10 Marks)	

Questionnaire for Performance Assessment of VSS in OFSDP 1st Batch (Level-3)

Name of the VSS:

FMU:

DMU:

Name of the Team Members:

Section A. Transparency/Democratized Governance

1. Transparency in VSS <i>(Please find the appropriate choice in each case)</i>	Y/N
VSS transparency board being updated regularly	
Updated cash book and bank books are available in VSS building	
Updated Resolution Register and VSS asset management register available in VSS building	
Revised/updated VSS Microplan available in the VSS	
Social Audit has taken place at least once in the VSS	

2. VSS EC meetings (12 meetings are to be conducted per year as per the VSS Management Manual)	
How many meetings were conducted during the year (2010-11)? <i>(Please mention the number)</i>	

3. VSS EC meetings during 2010-11 <i>(Please find the appropriate choice in each case)</i>	Y/N
Participation of PRI members (other than EC) at least in one meeting	
Participation of members from other village level institutions (other than EC) at least in one meeting	
Participation of any Govt. official from any other department	
At least one Joint Meeting of VSS with other VLI (Village Level Institution)	

4. VSS GB meetings (At least 2 meetings are to be conducted per year as per the VSS Management Manual)	
How many meetings were conducted during the year (2010-11)? <i>(Please mention the number of meetings)</i>	

5. Points being discussed in VSS EC Meetings <i>(In more than 6 meetings out of last 12 meetings) (Please find the appropriate choice in each case)</i>	Y/N
Review of action taken on the minutes of last meeting and/or plans for next month	
Approval of financial (withdrawal and expenditure) transactions made since the previous meeting	
Work done and performance of Animator during last month and/or action plan for coming month	
Progress of IGA by SHG (loan sanction, work monitoring, loan repayment etc.)	
Scope of Convergence / Relationship with Village level Institutions and PRI	
Monitoring of small timber, firewood and NTFP harvesting	
Asset Management Register of VSS including Village Forest Development Fund	

6. Auditing of VSS account <i>(Please find the appropriate choice in each case)</i>	Y/N
Audit carried out in the VSS building	
Annual Audited statement of the VSS has been placed before the GB for approval	
Audited and approved abstract of annual statement has been communicated by the EC to FMU within 4 months of close of financial year	
Audit report shared in GB	

7. Who is writing VSS resolution register? <i>(Please put '√' mark in the appropriate box)</i>	
EC member other than VSS office bearer	
President/ Treasurer	
Animator	
Member Secretary	

8. Who is maintaining the account of VSS? <i>(Please put '√' mark in the appropriate box)</i>	
Treasurer	
Animator	
Member Secretary	
President/Other member	

9. The involvement of women in VSS decision making process in EC <i>(Please put '√' mark in the appropriate box)</i>	
Most women members participate in the decision making	
Most women members attend the meetings	
Women members do not attend meetings or attend very sparingly	

10. Rotation/change in Leadership <i>(Please find the appropriate choice in each case)</i>	Y/N
Has there been any change in incumbents for the position of VSS President	
Has there been any change in incumbents for the position of VSS Treasurer	
Has there been any change in incumbents for the position of VSS Vic-President	

Section B. Sustainability

1. Use of VSS Building as village resource center <i>(Please find the appropriate choice in each case)</i>	Y/N
Forms related to different welfare schemes (e.g. Old Age Pension, Revenue etc.) are available	
Brochures, leaflets, posters related to different schemes like NRHM, NREGA etc. are available	
Drug distribution kit is available	
Used as night / informal school	
Used for meeting of other department/ VLI/ AWW	

2. Linkages for convergence (Please Put Tick ‘✓’ mark in the appropriate box)	
Community assets and other development activities have been taken up in the village in convergence With 4 or more number of department/ agency	
With 3 number of department/ agency	
With 2 number of department/ agency	
With 1 number of department/ agency	
No Convergence	

3. Village forest development fund (VFDF)(Please find the appropriate choice in each case)	
Annual membership fee is being collected and deposited	Y/N
Interest being collected from revolving fund loan to SHG and deposited	
User fee collected from assets/equipments	
Separate VFDF account opened	

4. VSS Supervision and monitoring of IGA (Please find the appropriate choice in each case)	
VSS has screened the business plan submitted by SHG before approval	Y/N
VSS has finalized terms and conditions for loan approval in consultation with SHG	
The loan has been sanctioned using prescribed format	
VSS animator is assisting SHG in maintaining SHG records	

5. Status of IGA (Please find the appropriate choice in each case)	
All SHG have been graded	Y/N
Records of at least 2 SHG are fully update	
VSS revolving fund loans have been availed by at least 2 SHG	
At least one loan has been revolved more than twice	
Net profit generated from VSS loan has been more than 20% (per annum)	

6. Role of VSS Animator (Please find the appropriate choice in each case)	
VSS Animator is engaged for at least 7 days fully in a month for VSS works	Y/N
Animator is assisting IGASA in maintaining records of SHG	
Animator is assisting VSS in maintaining VSS records	
Animator is assisting VSS in monitoring IGA by SHG	
Animator is assisting SHG in carrying out IGA	
Animator is helping VSS in organizing convergence	

7. Training/ Capacity Building of VSS (Please find the appropriate choice in each case)	
All meetings related to Training, Coaching and Dissemination has been carried out	Y/N
All meetings related to Microplanning has been carried out	
At least 3 members of VSS has attended all trainings as per the Year 1 Module	
At least 3 members of VSS has attended all trainings as per the IGASA modules	
VSS EC members have attended other meetings/trainings than those organized by OFSDP (but facilitated by them)	

Section C. Resource Management

1. Implementation of the treatment plan of the VSS area <i>(Please find the appropriate choice in each case)</i>	Y/N
VSS was involved in execution of treatment plan	
Species planted and retained in block and ANR are as per VSS decision	
The plantation models and area coverage are as per VSS decision	
VSS has decided the types of treatment and area under treatment	
The SMC measures are executed as per VSS decision	
Thinning has been carried out in case crop was congested	

2. NTFP management <i>(Please find the appropriate choice in each case)</i>	Y/N
NTFP Register is being maintained by the VSS	
NTFP are being harvested as per sustainable harvesting plan	
Taking of Plantation/Promoting NR of NTFP related to IGA that have been taken up	
VSS has collected cess (minimal fee) from NTFP collectors	

3. Forest protection <i>(Please find the appropriate choice in each case)</i>	Y/N
Case of no fire occurrence due to protection by the VSS	
Fire control squad has been formed and has at least once able to control/prevent forest fire	
Grazing management (rotational/control) is being practiced by VSS	

Section D. Overall Assessment by DMU Chief

DMU Chief to please score out of 10 in each of the aspects below		Marks given by DMU Chief
A	Transparency/ Democratized Governance (10 Marks)	
B	Sustainability (10 Marks)	
C	Resource Management (10 Marks)	

List of VSS in Different Grades (3rd Batch)

DMU Name	FMU Name	VSS Name	Grade
Angul	Chhendipada	Badaberena	A
Angul	Chhendipada	Durgapur	A
Angul	Chhendipada	Durgapur Tangirisahi	A
Angul	Chhendipada	Jaltap	A
Angul	Chhendipada	Kosala Jharsuguda	A
Angul	Chhendipada	Kosala Kansanali	A
Angul	Chhendipada	Odakapa	A
Angul	Chhendipada	Patrapada Pitabali	B
Angul	Chhendipada	Pidhasahi & Dehury sahi	A
Angul	Chhendipada	Sudarsanpur	A
Angul	Chhendipada	Takua	A
Angul	Durgapur	Antulia	A
Angul	Durgapur	Bhagatpur	A
Angul	Durgapur	Dhaurakhhol(Budhapidha)	A
Angul	Durgapur	Kandhakoili	B
Angul	Durgapur	Kumursinga	B
Angul	Durgapur	Laxmanpur	A
Angul	Durgapur	Machhakuta	B
Angul	Durgapur	Rodasinga	A
Angul	Durgapur	Tabeda	A
Angul	Kaniha	Badatribida	A
Angul	Kaniha	Barihapur	A
Angul	Kaniha	Gengutia	A
Angul	Kaniha	Harichandanpur	A

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DMU Name	FMU Name	VSS Name	Grade
Angul	Kaniha	Hingula Santribida	A
Angul	Kaniha	Jharabada	A
Angul	Kaniha	Jogeswar Kumunda	A
Angul	Kaniha	Kulabir	A
Angul	Kaniha	Kumunda (Maa Hingula)	A
Angul	Kaniha	Maradahariharpur	A
Angul	Kaniha	Mohanapada	B
Angul	Kaniha	Parampasi	A
Angul	Kaniha	Podagada Nuasahi	A
Angul	Kaniha	Podagada Purunasahi	A
Angul	Kaniha	Purunapani	A
Angul	Kaniha	Santrabandha	A
Angul	Kaniha	Santribida (Hingula)Mahasindhu	A
Angul	Kaniha	Santribida (Ramachandi)	B
Angul	Kaniha	Saradhapur	A
Angul	Purunagarh	Badajharan	B
Angul	Purunagarh	Bedasara	B
Angul	Purunagarh	Bethianali	B
Angul	Purunagarh	Bhaliapal	A
Angul	Purunagarh	Chandrabahal	A
Angul	Purunagarh	Kaunsitala	A
Angul	Purunagarh	Kumanda Alekhapatna	B
Angul	Purunagarh	Sabalbhanga	B
Angul	Purunagarh	Saharagoda	A

DMU Name	FMU Name	VSS Name	Grade
Angul	Purunagarh	Sardhapur	C
Angul	Purunagarh	Sasansahi	A
Angul	Purunagarh	Shyamsundarpur	B
Angul	Purunagarh	Tumuni	A
Angul	Raigoda	Matiasahi Kanja	A
Angul	Raigoda	Pokatunga	A
Angul	Talcher	Balangi - II	B
Angul	Talcher	Burkuna	A
Angul	Talcher	Kandhakhaman	B
Angul	Talcher	Karnapal	A
Angul	Talcher	Mahicharpur	A
Angul	Talcher	Naiknali	A
Angul	Talcher	Seepur	B
Angul	Talcher	Siaria	A
Balliguda	Balliguda	Balakia	A
Balliguda	Balliguda	Dungerikia	A
Balliguda	Balliguda	Ghodabali	A
Balliguda	Balliguda	Gochhapada	A
Balliguda	Balliguda	Kacharlai	A
Balliguda	Balliguda	Kalupusangia	A
Balliguda	Balliguda	Kanjatlagu	A
Balliguda	Balliguda	Khairabadi	A
Balliguda	Balliguda	Litedikia	A
Balliguda	Balliguda	Madinato	A

DMU Name	FMU Name	VSS Name	Grade
Balliguda	Balliguda	Malangi	A
Balliguda	Balliguda	Mundapada	B
Balliguda	Balliguda	Purinato	A
Balliguda	Balliguda	Pushangia	B
Balliguda	Balliguda	Salakia	A
Balliguda	Balliguda	Satamaska	A
Balliguda	Balliguda	Silki	A
Balliguda	Bamunigaon	Kinarigaon	A
Balliguda	Belghar	Burlubaru	A
Balliguda	Belghar	Chajangi	A
Balliguda	Belghar	Dhamanpanga	B
Balliguda	Belghar	Karlaghati	A
Balliguda	Belghar	Kusumunda	A
Balliguda	Belghar	Paikpada	A
Balliguda	Belghar	Pichalamunda	A
Balliguda	Belghar	Ulba	A
Balliguda	K.Nuagaon	Bandadi	B
Balliguda	K.Nuagaon	Bhummunda	A
Balliguda	K.Nuagaon	Burbi	A
Balliguda	K.Nuagaon	Dabulusuga	A
Balliguda	K.Nuagaon	Dadari	B
Balliguda	K.Nuagaon	Danderisahi	A
Balliguda	K.Nuagaon	Gunjigaon	A
Balliguda	K.Nuagaon	Kunderi	A

DMU Name	FMU Name	VSS Name	Grade
Bailiguda	K.Nuagaon	Medubadi	A
Bailiguda	K.Nuagaon	Mundaniju	A
Bailiguda	K.Nuagaon	Mundasahi	A
Bailiguda	K.Nuagaon	Padisahi	A
Bailiguda	K.Nuagaon	Pattangi	A
Bailiguda	K.Nuagaon	Pipalpanga	A
Bailiguda	K.Nuagaon	Purunasahi	A
Bailiguda	Kotagarh	Attali	A
Bailiguda	Kotagarh	Limudamaha	A
Bailiguda	Simanbadi	Badipadar	A
Bailiguda	Simanbadi	Basabadi	B
Bailiguda	Simanbadi	Padenketa	A
Bailiguda	Simanbadi	Petrabadi	A
Bailiguda	Simanbadi	Sadapanga	B
Bailiguda	Tumudibandha	Battabadi	A
Bailiguda	Tumudibandha	Dalabali	A
Bailiguda	Tumudibandha	Gutkapadar	A
Bailiguda	Tumudibandha	Nuamunda	A
Bailiguda	Tumudibandha	Rendabali	A
Bailiguda	Tumudibandha	Sakirpadar	A
Bailiguda	Tumudibandha	Sapeli	A
Bailiguda	Tumudibandha	Saperi	A
Bailiguda	Tumudibandha	Sindhpankhal	A
Bailiguda	Tumudibandha	Sitapadi	A

DMU Name	FMU Name	VSS Name	Grade
Bonai	Barsuan	Baukela	A
Bonai	Barsuan	Choradhara	A
Bonai	Barsuan	Kula	A
Bonai	Barsuan	Nuantantra	A
Bonai	Bonai	Barghat	B
Bonai	Bonai	Bolang	B
Bonai	Bonai	Chudakhai	A
Bonai	Bonai	Dahichore	B
Bonai	Bonai	Nuadihi	A+
Bonai	Bonai	San-Bandhabhuin	B
Bonai	Jarda	Jarda	C
Bonai	Jarda	Kainsibahal	B
Bonai	Jarda	Kusumnali	C
Bonai	Jarda	Niktimal	B
Bonai	Jarda	Regedabahal	B
Bonai	Kuliposh	Badgaon	A
Bonai	Kuliposh	Boneikela	B
Bonai	Kuliposh	Budhabhuin	B
Bonai	Kuliposh	Budhandihi (Sanjala)	A
Bonai	Kuliposh	Daleisara	A
Bonai	Kuliposh	Ghatital	A
Bonai	Kuliposh	Kuliposh	A
Bonai	Kuliposh	Lunga	A
Bonai	Kuliposh	Nagaria	A

DMU Name	FMU Name	VSS Name	Grade
Bonai	Kuliposh	Patharpunji	A
Bonai	Kuliposh	Phuljhar	A
Bonai	Kuliposh	Sihidihia	A
Bonai	Tamra	Badgaon	A
Bonai	Tamra	Badkudar	A
Bonai	Tamra	Balabhadraprasad	B
Bonai	Tamra	Chandiposh	B
Bonai	Tamra	Jadaloi	A
Bonai	Tamra	Madhupur	B
Bonai	Tamra	Raikelaposh	A
Bonai	Tamra	Rajabasa	A
Bonai	Tamra	San- Gurundia	B
Bonai	Tamra	San-Jodaloi	A
Bonai	Tamra	Sanbadgaon	A
Deogarh	Barkot	Adyapur	A
Deogarh	Barkot	Baisnabapali	A
Deogarh	Barkot	Betejharan	A
Deogarh	Barkot	Chakulia	A
Deogarh	Barkot	Chepbahal	A
Deogarh	Barkot	Damita	A
Deogarh	Barkot	Dangapal	A
Deogarh	Barkot	Dimiripasi	A
Deogarh	Barkot	Indranijharan	A
Deogarh	Barkot	Kanchhada	A

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Deogarh	Barkot	Kansar	A
Deogarh	Barkot	Mandashila(B)	A
Deogarh	Barkot	Pacheripani	B
Deogarh	Barkot	Ramachandrapur	A
Deogarh	Barkot	Rambhei	A
Deogarh	Barkot	Ratanpalli	A
Deogarh	Barkot	Rugudkudar	B
Deogarh	Barkot	Siriguda (Jharpara)	A
Deogarh	Barkot	Talkholi	A
Deogarh	Barkot	Tusula	A
Deogarh	Deogarh	Asurkhol	A
Deogarh	Deogarh	Badibahal	A
Deogarh	Deogarh	Bangalimunda	A
Deogarh	Deogarh	Belamara	B
Deogarh	Deogarh	Bhalukhol	A
Deogarh	Deogarh	Chilantikhoh	A
Deogarh	Deogarh	Dangakhoh	A
Deogarh	Deogarh	Desinkuli	A
Deogarh	Deogarh	Dharmachandrapur	A
Deogarh	Deogarh	Durijangal	A
Deogarh	Deogarh	Gailo	A
Deogarh	Deogarh	Kadamdarh Colony	B
Deogarh	Deogarh	Karadapal	A
Deogarh	Deogarh	Katangpani	A

DMU Name	FMU Name	VSS Name	Grade
Deogarh	Deogarh	Katei	B
Deogarh	Deogarh	Mandarnali	A
Deogarh	Deogarh	Palakudiar	A
Deogarh	Deogarh	Podapada	B
Deogarh	Deogarh	Rukuda	A
Deogarh	Deogarh	Sukhapadan	A
Deogarh	Deogarh	Tasarda	A
Deogarh	Deogarh	Tileimal	A
Deogarh	Khamar	Balabhadrapur	B
Deogarh	Khamar	Biralamunda	B
Deogarh	Khamar	Burbura	B
Deogarh	Khamar	Chakradharapur	B
Deogarh	Khamar	Madhupur	B
Deogarh	Khamar	Magarmuhan	A
Deogarh	Khamar	Malarbeda	A
Deogarh	Khamar	Pitta	A
Deogarh	Khamar	Sapajhara	B
Deogarh	Khamar	Sukadevpur	B
Deogarh	Khamar	Tandiberni	A
Deogarh	Pallahara	Bhandhabhuin	A
Deogarh	Pallahara	Bhimakand	A
Deogarh	Pallahara	Itti	A
Deogarh	Pallahara	Kadalibari	A
Deogarh	Pallahara	Kolipala	A

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Deogarh	Pallahara	Naikanipali	A
Deogarh	Pallahara	Nuguda	A
Deogarh	Pallahara	Pechamundi	B
Deogarh	Pallahara	Sambala	A
Deogarh	Pallahara	Timi	B
Deogarh	Reamal	Danardanpali	A
Deogarh	Reamal	Deojharan(Rengalbeda)	A
Deogarh	Reamal	Haladiakhoh (Khaliposi)	A
Deogarh	Reamal	Hrudapali	B
Deogarh	Reamal	Jambunali	A
Deogarh	Reamal	Jharjhari	A
Deogarh	Reamal	Jharpara	A
Deogarh	Reamal	Kainsar	A
Deogarh	Reamal	Khadiamunda	A
Deogarh	Reamal	Kurudkhol	A
Deogarh	Reamal	Maa Tarini VSS, Kuskulia	A
Deogarh	Reamal	Sankarpur	A
Deogarh	Reamal	Sindurkhol	A
Deogarh	Reamal	Telimunda	A
Jeypore	Boipariguda	Banaguda	A
Jeypore	Boipariguda	Banuaguda	A
Jeypore	Boipariguda	Bargaon	A
Jeypore	Boipariguda	Bhatiguda	A
Jeypore	Boipariguda	Cherka	A

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Jeypore	Boipariguda	Darliguda	A
Jeypore	Boipariguda	Gadabaguda	A
Jeypore	Boipariguda	Jhollaguda	A
Jeypore	Boipariguda	Kadupadar	A
Jeypore	Boipariguda	Kanduliguda	A
Jeypore	Boipariguda	Kharaguda	A
Jeypore	Boipariguda	Khatapada	A
Jeypore	Boipariguda	Madi	A
Jeypore	Boipariguda	Masigam	A
Jeypore	Boipariguda	Minarballi	A
Jeypore	Boipariguda	Patraguda	A
Jeypore	Boipariguda	Rampur	A
Jeypore	Boipariguda	Uldanput	A
Jeypore	Borigumma	Bhumiaguda	A
Jeypore	Borigumma	Birfulguma	A
Jeypore	Borigumma	Boriput	A
Jeypore	Borigumma	Chilamandi	A
Jeypore	Borigumma	Demguda	A
Jeypore	Borigumma	Durkaguda	A
Jeypore	Borigumma	Muran-Naranguda	A
Jeypore	Borigumma	Nuaguda	A
Jeypore	Borigumma	Siadimal	A
Jeypore	Gupteswar	Badapada	A+
Jeypore	Gupteswar	Badlibeda	B

DMU Name	FMU Name	VSS Name	Grade
Jeypore	Gupteswar	Bagiolla	B
Jeypore	Gupteswar	Haldikund	B
Jeypore	Gupteswar	Katnikund	B
Jeypore	Gupteswar	Kaudiaguda	B
Jeypore	Gupteswar	Kechala	B
Jeypore	Gupteswar	Keratal	B
Jeypore	Gupteswar	Majhiguda	B
Jeypore	Gupteswar	Malipadar	B
Jeypore	Gupteswar	Marichatal	A+
Jeypore	Gupteswar	Murdachua	B
Jeypore	Gupteswar	Nuagam	B
Jeypore	Gupteswar	Pukhi	A+
Jeypore	Gupteswar	Siribeda	B
Jeypore	Gupteswar	Tallur	B
Jeypore	Jeypore	Bairagimath	A
Jeypore	Jeypore	Batajagannathpur	A
Jeypore	Jeypore	Bodiguda	A
Jeypore	Jeypore	Dangarchinchi	A
Jeypore	Jeypore	Durgabhatta	A
Jeypore	Jeypore	Godiguda	A
Jeypore	Jeypore	Jirupadar	A
Jeypore	Jeypore	Kalaguda	A
Jeypore	Jeypore	Kotta (Kebidi)	A
Jeypore	Jeypore	Mundiguda	A

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Jeypore	Jeypore	Narapadar Bagra	A
Jeypore	Jeypore	Nuaput	A
Jeypore	Jeypore	Padampur	A
Jeypore	Jeypore	Panasput Bagra	A
Jeypore	Jeypore	Patraput	A
Jeypore	Jeypore	Putra	A
Jeypore	Jeypore	T.Sangnaguda	A
Jeypore	Kotpad	Amlabhatta	A
Jeypore	Kotpad	Bangaguda	A
Jeypore	Kotpad	Bastamba	A
Jeypore	Kotpad	Bhansuli	A
Jeypore	Kotpad	Birahandi	A
Jeypore	Kotpad	Chilliguda	A
Jeypore	Kotpad	Durmajodi	A
Jeypore	Kotpad	Kurmakote	A
Jeypore	Kotpad	Malchamal	A
Jeypore	Kotpad	Phupugaon	A
Jeypore	Kotpad	Sindhigam	A
Jeypore	Kundra	Bangtiguda	A
Jeypore	Kundra	Bhattapani	A
Jeypore	Kundra	Brahmandei	A+
Jeypore	Kundra	Duruguda	A
Jeypore	Kundra	Gheuriaguda	A
Jeypore	Kundra	Jabapatraput	B

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Jeypore	Kundra	Jollaguda	A
Jeypore	Kundra	Kadalimunda	A
Jeypore	Kundra	Kasiguda	A+
Jeypore	Kundra	Majurgola	B
Jeypore	Kundra	Nayakguda	A
Jeypore	Kundra	Phatkikumbhi	A
Keonjhar	Bjp	Baragada	A
Keonjhar	Bjp	Gopapur	A
Keonjhar	Bjp	Lunaghar (Dig Champie)	A
Keonjhar	Bjp	Podadihi	B
Keonjhar	Bjp	Sagapada	B
Keonjhar	Bjp	Tangarpada	B
Keonjhar	Bjp	Tarmakanta	B
Keonjhar	Bjp	Uperkaipur	B
Keonjhar	Bjp	Upersumatha	A
Keonjhar	Ghatgaon	Chotraypur	A
Keonjhar	Ghatgaon	Dehuripada	A
Keonjhar	Ghatgaon	Deobandh	A
Keonjhar	Ghatgaon	Dubulabeda	A
Keonjhar	Ghatgaon	Dudhianali (Kalimati)	A
Keonjhar	Ghatgaon	Gopinathpur	A
Keonjhar	Ghatgaon	Hatinuta tangatali	A
Keonjhar	Ghatgaon	Kalimati	A
Keonjhar	Ghatgaon	Kolimati	A

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Keonjhar	Ghatgaon	Patilo	B
Keonjhar	Ghatgaon	Pauchia	A
Keonjhar	Ghatgaon	Pojjamula	A
Keonjhar	Ghatgaon	Sagadapata	A
Keonjhar	Ghatgaon	Sanajiuli	A
Keonjhar	Ghatgaon	Santarapur	A
Keonjhar	Ghatgaon	Uperdiha	A
Keonjhar	Keonjhar	Baiganpasi (Ranluasahi)	A
Keonjhar	Keonjhar	Baliposi	B
Keonjhar	Keonjhar	Basantpur	A
Keonjhar	Keonjhar	Belaposi	A
Keonjhar	Keonjhar	Bhagabandh	A
Keonjhar	Keonjhar	Champadihi	A
Keonjhar	Keonjhar	Dhagotha	A
Keonjhar	Keonjhar	Kamargoda	B
Keonjhar	Keonjhar	Kandarkala	B
Keonjhar	Keonjhar	Kasira Patna	A
Keonjhar	Keonjhar	Khantamara	B
Keonjhar	Keonjhar	Panasia	C
Keonjhar	Keonjhar	Talanadam	B
Keonjhar	Patna	Bharandia	A
Keonjhar	Patna	Billa	B
Keonjhar	Patna	Brundabanpur	A
Keonjhar	Patna	Dumuria	A

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Keonjhar	Patna	Ghatbalijodi	B
Keonjhar	Patna	Ghuntibeda	B
Keonjhar	Patna	Ghunjthar	B
Keonjhar	Patna	Gobarabeda	A
Keonjhar	Patna	Jhatipada	A
Keonjhar	Patna	Khireitangiri	A
Keonjhar	Patna	Kucheibeda	B
Keonjhar	Patna	Madhapur	A
Keonjhar	Patna	Nishintapur	A
Keonjhar	Patna	Paitamaja	B
Keonjhar	Patna	Ramchandrapur	B
Keonjhar	Patna	Rohiniduma	B
Keonjhar	Patna	Saharpada	C
Keonjhar	Patna	Tando	A
Keonjhar	Telkoi	Balabhadrapur	B
Keonjhar	Telkoi	Bena	A
Keonjhar	Telkoi	Budhamaba	A
Keonjhar	Telkoi	Damodaragouni	A
Keonjhar	Telkoi	Dimirimunda	A
Keonjhar	Telkoi	Golagodiha	A
Keonjhar	Telkoi	Kalima	B
Keonjhar	Telkoi	Khuntapada (A)	A
Keonjhar	Telkoi	Koijisuta	A
Keonjhar	Telkoi	Kudbil	A

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Keonjhar	Telkoi	Kundheihota	B
Keonjhar	Telkoi	Pitanali	B
Keonjhar	Telkoi	Raisuan	B
Keonjhar	Telkoi	Ranibeda	B
Keonjhar	Telkoi	Samakud	A
Keonjhar	Telkoi	Sathebhanja	A
Keonjhar	Telkoi	Sridharpur	B
Koraput	Balda	Ambapada	A
Koraput	Balda	Amlaguda	B
Koraput	Balda	Antabari	B
Koraput	Balda	Budungi	A
Koraput	Balda	Debatiguda	B
Koraput	Balda	Gumiguda	A
Koraput	Balda	Hatibari	B
Koraput	Balda	Jogibari	A
Koraput	Balda	Kokada	A
Koraput	Balda	Luluburu	A
Koraput	Balda	Mandipadar	A
Koraput	Balda	Musapar	A
Koraput	Balda	Pujaripur	A
Koraput	Balda	Sadaram	A
Koraput	Balda	Sondaru	A
Koraput	Balda	Tansingh	B
Koraput	Koraput	Bariguda	A

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Koraput	Koraput	Billaput	A
Koraput	Koraput	Dumaguda	A
Koraput	Koraput	Gunthaguda	A
Koraput	Koraput	Gurumaiguda	A
Koraput	Koraput	Hatimunda	A
Koraput	Koraput	Jamadarguda	A
Koraput	Koraput	Janiguda	A
Koraput	Koraput	Khadaguda	A
Koraput	Koraput	Malichindri (Chindrimalguda)	A
Koraput	Koraput	Mandaguda	A
Koraput	Koraput	Mastiguda	A
Koraput	Koraput	Rana Gunthaguda	A
Koraput	Koraput	Sundhiguda	A
Koraput	Koraput	Tanginiguda	A
Koraput	Koraput	Upparimka	A
Koraput	Lamtaput	Atanda	C
Koraput	Lamtaput	Badaliput	A
Koraput	Lamtaput	Bairipada	A
Koraput	Lamtaput	Bandhapada	B
Koraput	Lamtaput	Bardel	A
Koraput	Lamtaput	Chalanput	B
Koraput	Lamtaput	Chandua	A
Koraput	Lamtaput	Dengasimili	A
Koraput	Lamtaput	Ganthiguda	A

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Koraput	Lamtaput	Godihanijar	B
Koraput	Lamtaput	Janiguda	A
Koraput	Lamtaput	Litiput	A
Koraput	Lamtaput	Maliguda	A
Koraput	Lamtaput	Marchingpada	A
Koraput	Lamtaput	Matikhala	A
Koraput	Lamtaput	Nakulpadar	A
Koraput	Lamtaput	Ranitota	A
Koraput	Lamtaput	Ridal	A
Koraput	Lamtaput	Unchaipada	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Bageipadar	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Balingi	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Bamankot	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Bariguda	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Bedapadar	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Bhitaragada	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Bhuinpatna	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Birjodi	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Bisampur	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Chanabada	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Chilisankha	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Depaguda	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Dharada	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Durkaguda	A

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Koraput	Laxmipur	Gambariguda	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Giril	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Girilguma	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Girilput	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Godri	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Guner	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Jholaguda	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	K.Dhandabad	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Kanjariguda	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Kantamaliguda	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Karli	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Kasiguda	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Kemili	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Kendriguda	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Kodipadar	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Kottarbha	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Kuchpar	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Lachhamani	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Lataput	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Ledriguda	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Mangaraguda	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Marchiguda	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Mundajhola	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Nalachua	A

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Koraput	Laxmipur	Narsi Kaipadar	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Nisar	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Nuaguda	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Sanakankadaput	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Solapguda	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Sundhi Alachi	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Sundhiputguda	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	T.Godala	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Talkaipadar	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Tandiput	A
Koraput	Laxmipur	Uskabhata	A
Koraput	Narayanpatna	B.Gursi	B
Koraput	Narayanpatna	B.Pilkur	A
Koraput	Narayanpatna	B.Turugudi	B
Koraput	Narayanpatna	Bhatrapalli	A
Koraput	Narayanpatna	Bjaghathi	A
Koraput	Narayanpatna	Dandjholi	A
Koraput	Narayanpatna	Dongapai	A
Koraput	Narayanpatna	Ichhapur	A
Koraput	Narayanpatna	Jarpa	B
Koraput	Narayanpatna	Jayakota	A
Koraput	Narayanpatna	Jodijam	A
Koraput	Narayanpatna	Kharkibeda	B
Koraput	Narayanpatna	Lundrukana	B

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Koraput	Narayanpatna	Lungu	A
Koraput	Narayanpatna	M.Turugudi	A
Koraput	Narayanpatna	Mundiguda	A
Koraput	Narayanpatna	Pipalpadar	A
Koraput	Narayanpatna	Putgaon	B
Koraput	Narayanpatna	Rebatiguda	A
Koraput	Narayanpatna	Utukepadu	A
Koraput	Semiiguda	Bankuduguda	A
Koraput	Semiiguda	Bariguda	A
Koraput	Semiiguda	Bilaiguda	A
Koraput	Semiiguda	Bilaput	A
Koraput	Semiiguda	Deo Pottangi	A
Koraput	Semiiguda	Dokripit	A
Koraput	Semiiguda	Gelaguda	A
Koraput	Semiiguda	Haldiguda	A
Koraput	Semiiguda	Majhmarua	A
Koraput	Semiiguda	Nuagaon	A
Koraput	Semiiguda	Patkhamra	A
Koraput	Semiiguda	Sakiaguda	A
Koraput	Semiiguda	Sankitbilaput	A
Parlakhemundi	Chandragiri	Bhaliagani	A
Parlakhemundi	Chandragiri	Daabada	A+
Parlakhemundi	Chandragiri	Damapur	A+
Parlakhemundi	Chandragiri	Dengama	B

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Parlakhemundi	Chandragiri	Dhepaguda	A+
Parlakhemundi	Chandragiri	Ghatibali	B
Parlakhemundi	Chandragiri	Guhariakhola	A
Parlakhemundi	Chandragiri	Gumma	A+
Parlakhemundi	Chandragiri	Kaliapata	A
Parlakhemundi	Chandragiri	Kalingi	A
Parlakhemundi	Chandragiri	Kantabaunsa	A
Parlakhemundi	Chandragiri	Kerakala	A
Parlakhemundi	Chandragiri	Labarsing	A
Parlakhemundi	Chandragiri	Patapadar	B
Parlakhemundi	Chandragiri	Satabari	A
Parlakhemundi	Chandragiri	Sikulipadar	B
Parlakhemundi	Chandragiri	Sulova	A
Parlakhemundi	Chandragiri	Uparagani	A
Parlakhemundi	Devagiri	Adiniguda	A
Parlakhemundi	Devagiri	Aniabara	A
Parlakhemundi	Devagiri	Chandanagiri	A
Parlakhemundi	Devagiri	Chandankhala	A
Parlakhemundi	Devagiri	Karadabana	A
Parlakhemundi	Devagiri	Kingdong	A
Parlakhemundi	Devagiri	Patikota	B
Parlakhemundi	Devagiri	Tidasingi	A
Parlakhemundi	Kasinagar	Chipiripalli	A
Parlakhemundi	Kasinagar	Gotipadu	A

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Parlakhemundi	Kasinagar	Janiguda	A
Parlakhemundi	Kasinagar	Religuda	A
Parlakhemundi	Mahendra	Bangada	A
Parlakhemundi	Mahendra	Ghattitala	A
Parlakhemundi	Mahendra	Manikapatna	B
Parlakhemundi	Mohona	B. Raisingi	A
Parlakhemundi	Mohona	Geregedi	A
Parlakhemundi	Mohona	Kamalguda	A
Parlakhemundi	Mohona	Keshara	A
Parlakhemundi	Mohona	Kharikua	A
Parlakhemundi	Mohona	Labarama	A
Parlakhemundi	Mohona	Rangaguda	A
Parlakhemundi	Mohona	Solaguda	A
Parlakhemundi	R.Udayagiri	Anukampa	A+
Parlakhemundi	R.Udayagiri	Bhaliaganda	A
Parlakhemundi	R.Udayagiri	Simiri	A
Parlakhemundi	Ramagiri	Boldaguma	A
Parlakhemundi	Ramagiri	Chadiapada	A
Parlakhemundi	Ramagiri	Chelagada	A
Parlakhemundi	Ramagiri	Jhula	A
Parlakhemundi	Ramagiri	Kadmasing	A
Parlakhemundi	Ramagiri	Laxmipur	A
Parlakhemundi	Ramagiri	Thamango	A
Parlakhemundi	Ramagiri	Tiligaon	A

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Phulbani	G.Udayagiri	Balumaha	B
Phulbani	G.Udayagiri	Banangia	B
Phulbani	G.Udayagiri	Bilabadi	A
Phulbani	G.Udayagiri	Damiguda	A
Phulbani	G.Udayagiri	Malerimaha	A
Phulbani	G.Udayagiri	Mukulingia	A
Phulbani	G.Udayagiri	Saka	A
Phulbani	G.Udayagiri	Tumusingia	A
Phulbani	Karada	Badadali	A
Phulbani	Karada	Gudarigaon	A
Phulbani	Karada	Pokasunga	A
Phulbani	Phiringia	Baghapadar	A
Phulbani	Phiringia	Bandamaha	A+
Phulbani	Phiringia	Chadhiapalli	A+
Phulbani	Phiringia	Gambheriguda	A+
Phulbani	Phiringia	Kadampanga	A
Phulbani	Phiringia	Kamankamba	A
Phulbani	Phiringia	Takeiriguda	A
Phulbani	Phulbani	Bhallapada	A
Phulbani	Phulbani	Bilabadi	A
Phulbani	Phulbani	Dagarsuga	A
Phulbani	Phulbani	Gaudapada	A
Phulbani	Phulbani	Khaligudri	A
Phulbani	Phulbani	Kurupadi	A

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Phulbani	Phulbani	Mularujiangi	A
Phulbani	Phulbani	Mundakurti	A+
Phulbani	Phulbani	Patherkanali	A+
Phulbani	Phulbani	Ragapadar	A
Phulbani	Phulbani	Sartaguda	A
Phulbani	Raikia	Brahabadi (sugababadi)	A+
Phulbani	Raikia	Katedikia	A+
Phulbani	Raikia	Kumbharkhadi	A
Phulbani	Raikia	Mlahupanga	A
Phulbani	Raikia	Podhamari	A
Phulbani	Raikia	Sunapali	A
Phulbani	Raikia	Totasahi	A+
Phulbani	Raikia	Trahupanga	A+
Phulbani	Sudrukumpa	Banaradei	A
Phulbani	Sudrukumpa	Bandhanpaju	A
Phulbani	Sudrukumpa	Duguda	A
Phulbani	Sudrukumpa	Getamunda	A
Phulbani	Sudrukumpa	Ghatitala	A
Phulbani	Sudrukumpa	Kutibari	A
Phulbani	Sudrukumpa	Madikula	A
Phulbani	Tikabali	(Tadipaju) Kadikadu	A+
Phulbani	Tikabali	Dalagaon	A
Phulbani	Tikabali	Gondamahul	A
Phulbani	Tikabali	Kandabada	A+

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Phulbani	Tikabali	Kemirikia	A+
Phulbani	Tikabali	Kuradinisa	A+
Phulbani	Tikabali	Lambarkhol	A+
Phulbani	Tikabali	Lengerakhol	A+
Phulbani	Tikabali	Majagada	A+
Phulbani	Tikabali	Mirigisuga	A+
Phulbani	Tikabali	Nepasaru	B
Phulbani	Tikabali	Paningia	A
Phulbani	Tikabali	Podapata	A+
Phulbani	Tikabali	Ragaguda	A+
Phulbani	Tikabali	Raikhol	A+
Phulbani	Tikabali	Tikabata	A+
Phulbani	Tikabali	Udidaba	A+
Rayagada	Gudari	Arijunaguda	A
Rayagada	Gudari	Badakudingi	A
Rayagada	Gudari	Dhenduguda	A
Rayagada	Gudari	Guluguda	A
Rayagada	Gudari	Musapadar	A
Rayagada	Gudari	Tajapanga	A
Rayagada	Gunupur	Chekaguda	A
Rayagada	Gunupur	Jhinjiribadi	A
Rayagada	Gunupur	Khambesi	A
Rayagada	Gunupur	Machhakhunti	A
Rayagada	Gunupur	Penkam	A

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Rayagada	Gunupur	Raj Vikrampur	A
Rayagada	Gunupur	Rangamati	A
Rayagada	Gunupur	Sanabangi	A
Rayagada	K.Singpur	Arganda	A
Rayagada	K.Singpur	Badakuango	A
Rayagada	K.Singpur	Chattapadar	A
Rayagada	K.Singpur	Dumuriipadar	A
Rayagada	K.Singpur	Gumapai	A
Rayagada	K.Singpur	Kansarikhala	A
Rayagada	K.Singpur	Kirielpadu	A
Rayagada	K.Singpur	Kotaguda	A
Rayagada	K.Singpur	Kuradi	A
Rayagada	K.Singpur	Podokucha	A+
Rayagada	K.Singpur	Poduchuan	A
Rayagada	K.Singpur	Tardali	A
Rayagada	Kashipur	Bahara Darba	A
Rayagada	Kashipur	Barangapass	A
Rayagada	Kashipur	Birabofla	A
Rayagada	Kashipur	Haliasahi (Mandibisi)	A
Rayagada	Kashipur	Kanjuguma	A
Rayagada	Kashipur	Katali	B
Rayagada	Kashipur	Kutigaon	A
Rayagada	Kashipur	Kutrajhiri	A
Rayagada	Kashipur	Manusgaon	A

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Rayagada	Kashipur	Otaghati	A
Rayagada	Kashipur	Podabandha	B
Rayagada	Kashipur	Pushaghathi	A
Rayagada	Kashipur	Sanamatru	A
Rayagada	Kashipur	Singari Khadika	B
Rayagada	Kashipur	Tujer	A
Rayagada	Kashipur	Ushabali	A
Rayagada	Muniguda	Baramahul	A
Rayagada	Muniguda	Dalmeridi	A
Rayagada	Muniguda	Dambakupa	A
Rayagada	Muniguda	Dambesi	A
Rayagada	Muniguda	Dhepaguda	A
Rayagada	Muniguda	Maligaon	A
Rayagada	Muniguda	Panjabali	A
Rayagada	Muniguda	Purunapani	A
Rayagada	Muniguda	Sunkupadi	A
Rayagada	Muniguda	Tulasipadar	A
Rayagada	Rayagada	Badakhali	A
Rayagada	Rayagada	Chintaliguda	A
Rayagada	Rayagada	Kandhakhillimi	A
Rayagada	Rayagada	Kodesu	A
Rayagada	Rayagada	Kumango	A+
Rayagada	Rayagada	Lingaguda	A
Rayagada	Rayagada	Mandalguda	A

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Rayagada	Rayagada	Nathama	A+
Rayagada	Rayagada	paiguda	A
Rayagada	Rayagada	Phulabadi	A+
Rayagada	Rayagada	Punjapai	A
Rayagada	Rayagada	Relbadigaon	A
Rayagada	Rayagada	Sanabaleswar	A+
Rayagada	Rayagada	Sanakutuli	A
Rayagada	Rayagada	Upperdharashi	A+
Rayagada	Tikiri	Anjali	A
Rayagada	Tikiri	Baliakhada	A
Rayagada	Tikiri	Champajodi	A
Rayagada	Tikiri	Chumi maribhata	A
Rayagada	Tikiri	Dadorjholla	A
Rayagada	Tikiri	Ekadli	A
Rayagada	Tikiri	Gaudaguda	A
Rayagada	Tikiri	Gobarghati	A
Rayagada	Tikiri	Iripiput	B
Rayagada	Tikiri	Kadnirpai	A
Rayagada	Tikiri	Kindripadar	A
Rayagada	Tikiri	Thutbara	B
Rourkela	Banki	Barghat	A
Rourkela	Banki	Chandiposh	A
Rourkela	Banki	Juniani-Sahajbahal	A
Rourkela	Banki	Kucheita	A

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Rourkela	Panposh	Bhudhikudar	A
Rourkela	Panposh	Dalakudar	A
Rourkela	Panposh	Ergada	A
Rourkela	Panposh	Kharuatioli	A
Rourkela	Panposh	Mundajore	A
Rourkela	Rajgangpur	Bagichapada	A
Rourkela	Rajgangpur	Baunspada	A
Rourkela	Rajgangpur	Bhagatpada	A
Rourkela	Rajgangpur	Dhengrupani	A
Rourkela	Rajgangpur	Dhopapada	A
Rourkela	Rajgangpur	Kendukudar	A
Rourkela	Rajgangpur	Khairdhi	A
Rourkela	Rajgangpur	Nuapada-Budham	A
Rourkela	Rajgangpur	Tungritoli	A

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Rourkela	Banki	Kudupani	A
Rourkela	Banki	Kusumtola	A
Rourkela	Biramitrapur	Anthugada	A
Rourkela	Biramitrapur	Baliaposh	A
Rourkela	Biramitrapur	BJD-Toli	A
Rourkela	Biramitrapur	Ghagari	A
Rourkela	Biramitrapur	Karkeitola	A
Rourkela	Biramitrapur	Potab	A
Rourkela	Bisra	Budeljor	A
Rourkela	Bisra	Dareikela	A
Rourkela	Bisra	Jamberna	A
Rourkela	Bisra	Khairtola	A
Rourkela	Kuarmunda	Chainpur	A
Rourkela	Kuarmunda	San Dalakudar	A
Rourkela	Kuarmunda	San Dalki	A