

Waste for Life

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Lesotho





About Lesotho

- British protectorate until 1966 – former Basutoland
- Large migrant labour force for the South African mines – considered a ‘labour reserve’
- Women mostly dependant on men for income.
- Many live off the remittances from the mines

Today..

- AIDs is killing the working population between ages 18-35, estimate of 30-40% HIV positive
- Large sums of money are poured into the country to maintain the labour reserve – but development projects have mostly failed

Failure of development

- Livestock management failed due to the ‘Bovine Mystique’ (Ferguson)
- ‘Lesotho’s rural development policy has not led to rural development...the twin forces dominating Lesotho’s political economy – dependency and foreign aid – worked in tandem with politics, the land tenure system, rural poverty and inadequate planning in undermining the policy’ (Makoa)

Needs analysis

1. Interviews with :

Cooperative college President

11 Coop representatives

15 Coop members

114 villagers in remote, city and town locations

60 farmers

2.6 workshops with different coops (10-15 members in each)

Community participation and appropriate technology



Making 'aloe' gel - wasting fibre



Extracting fibres - wasting juice





















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Needs and feasibility

- Project development
- Core values
- Documenting and critiquing
- Timing and location of student involvement
- International networks
- Direct contact – when and how?
- What preparation is needed?

Three tools

- Franklin plot
- Ideal Final result
- Rainbow plot

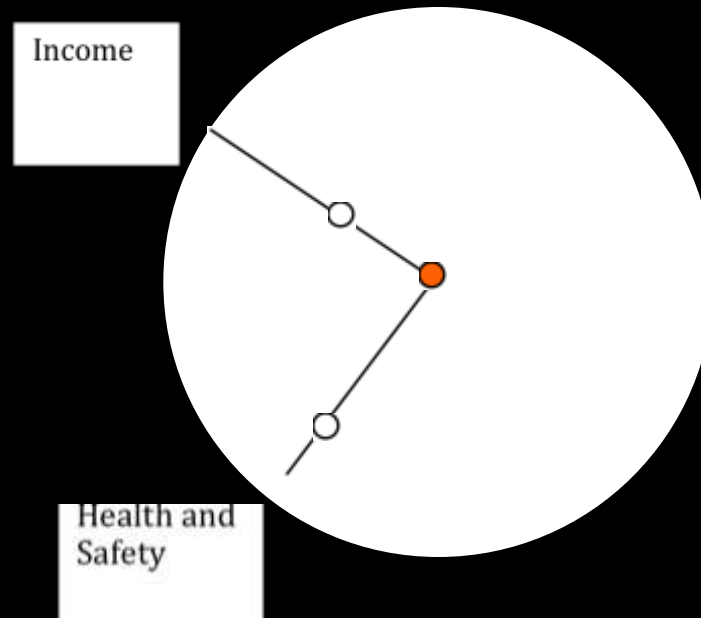
Whose benefits and whose costs (Franklin)?

	Social	Environmental	Economic
Who pays?			
Who benefits?			

Ideal Final Result

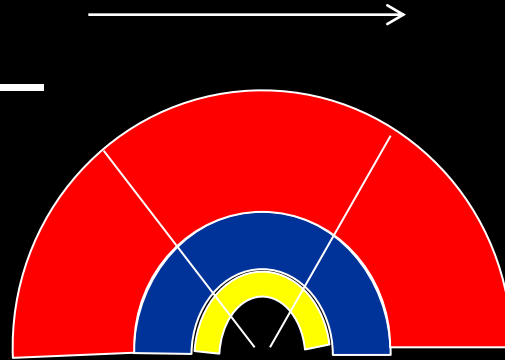
- EXERCISE
- An ideal Final Result
- Create an ideal final result plot (IFR) for each cooperative / organisation discussed above. IFR plots can be developed whereby the items on the outside represent the ideal scenario and the pointers mark the reality of the situation from zero at the centre, so you can see which need attention. Only those items desired by the co-op should be included. Usually this would be carried out by the co-op themselves rather than by you guessing – but it serves to demonstrate the differences between each group.
- An example plot follows (you can add many more items of course).

Example plot



Stakeholder analysis

- Rainbow plot
- Most influence –
- least influence



- Most affected –
- Least affected

