

Breakout Group Work

Enhancing Strategies with Communication Activities Focus: Policies and Access to Finance for Smallholder Farmers

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Instructions for Work

Each group will work on **ONE identified strategy**.

Objectives

Establish **key communication activities** to enhance the effectiveness of the strategy assigned.

Identify the **role and actions of the AE-TPP**, to support the specific activities established above.



Map of work

- 1. Strategy Being Enhanced
- 2. Desired Impact
- 3. Current Gaps or Challenges
- 4. Proposed Communication Activities (see the comms matrix)
- 5. Resources or Partners Needed
 - 1. Specific role for the TPP and linkages with other partners
- 6. Success Indicators
- 7. Notes or Follow-up Actions



Comms matrix

Activity	Purpose	Target Audience	Message / Content	Channel / Tool	Lead Actor(s)	Timeline	Success Indicators
Radio drama on loan access	Raise awareness of loan processes	Young smallholder farmers	"You can apply for a loan without collateral if you're part of a group"	Local radio in native language	NGO + community radio station	July–Sept 2025	30% increase in inquiries at rural loan offices

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An example!



Tips for your work!

- Keep the farmer at the center: Think about what they need to hear, understand, and trust.
- Co-design: Engage different stakeholders in your process.
- Be creative: Use local languages, traditional media, or peer learning.
- Think practical: Choose low-cost, scalable communication channels.
- Be specific: Define who leads, when it happens, and how success is measured

