Project Title:

Appropriate technological interventions for addressing human-wildlife conflict in Pir Panjal, Jammu and Kashmir (SEED/TIME/002/2014(G))

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Thrust Area	Balancing Forest Use and Conservation
Project Area	**Districts:** **Poonch** (Block Mandi- Chikhri ban, Plera villages; Block Suran Kote- Marhote village) **Rajouri** (Block Manja Kote- Gambhir Mughlan village; Block Budhai- Dharsakhri)
Total cost of Project	Rs. 31.60 lakhs
Date of Start	01 April 2017
Date of Completion	30 September 2020
Achievements (as per the report till August 2018)	**Demonstrate low-cost and appropriate technology use in human-wildlife conflict mitigative measures.** √ Technology has been installed in the targeted villages and its working is being monitored.
	Establishment of community based early warning systems through use of technology for human-wildlife conflict mitigation. √ Technology has been installed in the targeted villages and its working is being monitored with support from local community.
	Adoption of human-wildlife conflict mitigation measures and improved livestock management for livelihood augmentation. √ The Department of Animal and Sheep Husbandry and Krishi Vigyan Kendra (KVK) Rajouri have been roped-in for site-level meeting with the local community.

	Awareness generation and sensitization of local community for effective management of human-wildlife conflict.
	√ Training workshops conducted for the staff of Forest and Wildlife Departments and for local stakeholders.
	Building linkages to promote widespread adoption of successful pilots.
	√ Linkages built with the local university, line departments and KVKs with regard to implementation of the project.

Project Goal

To address human-wildlife conflict through piloting appropriate, low-cost and scalable technological interventions with potential for replication by the local communities in Poonch and Rajouri districts of J&K.

Approved Objectives	Objectively verifiable indicators
Demonstrate low-cost and appropriate technology use in human-wildlife conflict mitigative measures.	Identification of sites
	Details of the technology
	Cost and building efficiency of the technology
	List of awareness/demonstration workshops conducted
	List of trainings imparted
Establishment of community based early warning systems through use of technology for human-wildlife conflict mitigation.	Identification of sites
	No. of installations
	List of beneficiaries
	List of awareness workshops/meetings conducted
	List of trainings imparted
	List of participants
	No. of manuals/brochures distributed
	List of mitigation measures

Adoption of human-wildlife conflict mitigation measures and improved livestock management for livelihood augmentation	Steps for livestock management
	List of appropriate trainings imparted
	List of participants
	Improvement in livelihood
Awareness generation and sensitization of local community for effective management of human-wildlife conflict.	List of awareness and sensitization meetings and discussions
	Mobilization of school children, youth etc.
	No. of manuals/brochures distributed
	List of participants
Building linkages to promote widespread adoption of successful pilots.	Details of institutional linkages established

Outreach and Adoption	Indicators
	Technology adoption
	Replicability of technology
	Reduction in drudgery
	Skill upgradation of frontline wildlife and forest staff
	List of ecological benefits
	List of documentations