Growing Together
Empowering smallholders through new ways of collaboration
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Objectives

- Strengthen village foundations to ensure inclusive learning and decision making process
- Foster smallholders agronomy and business skills to empower them to increase their yields and quality and stay safe
- Improve the community’s links with local value chain actors to generate higher incomes

Key achievements in two years:

- 230 Farmer Groups with joint savings of USD181,250
- >30% female farmers participation
- 230 demo plots set up: 570 agro trainings held
- 10-50% less pesticides per kg crop harvested
- 60-70% less fertilizer per kg crop harvested
- Contract farming deals with 2/3rd of farmers
- >20% yield increase per acre
- Tripling net income farmers

Partnerships

Concept

- Market
- Social Franchise
- Community
- Farmer Center

- VSO
- RDRS
- The Good Growth Plan
- Bf
- Bank Asia

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Further information

Growing Together website with access to the Annual Report 2015-2016:
www.vsointernational.org/growing-together

Growing Together video:
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=F5zqDi7gJY0