

# Planning Workshop 2019 and PIC Meeting, 7-8 December 2018

Local Government Division



Strengthening Women's Ability  
for Productive New Opportunities  
(SWAPNO)

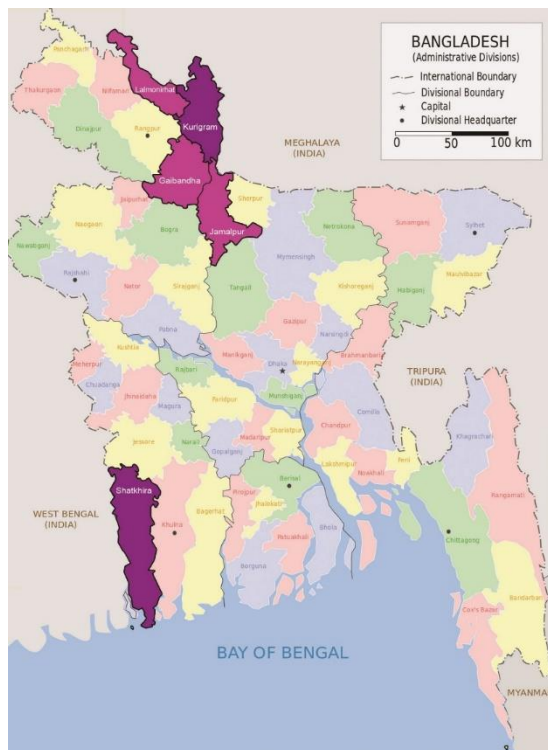
উৎপাদনশীল ও সম্ভাবনাময় কর্মের সুযোগ গ্রহণে নারীর  
সামর্থ্য উন্নয়ন (স্বপ্ন)



*Empowered lives.  
Resilient nations.*

## Overview of SWAPNO Project and Implementation

- Project Intervention Areas & Coverage



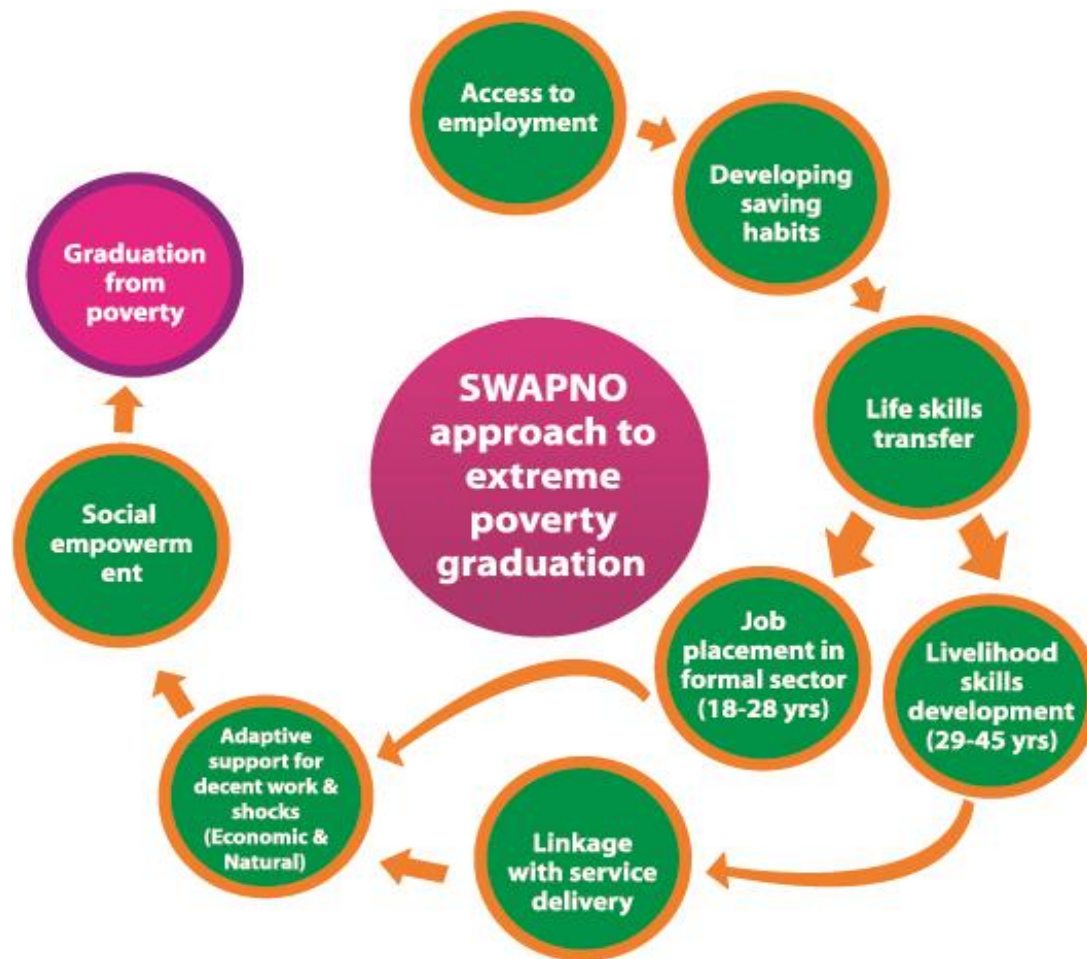
District	02
Upazilla	14
Union	124
Beneficiary	4,464
<b>Kurigram</b>	
Upazilla	09 (09)
Union	72 (All)
Beneficiary	2,592
<b>Satkhira</b>	
Upazilla	05 (07)
Union	52
Beneficiary	1,872

## Overall Project Objective

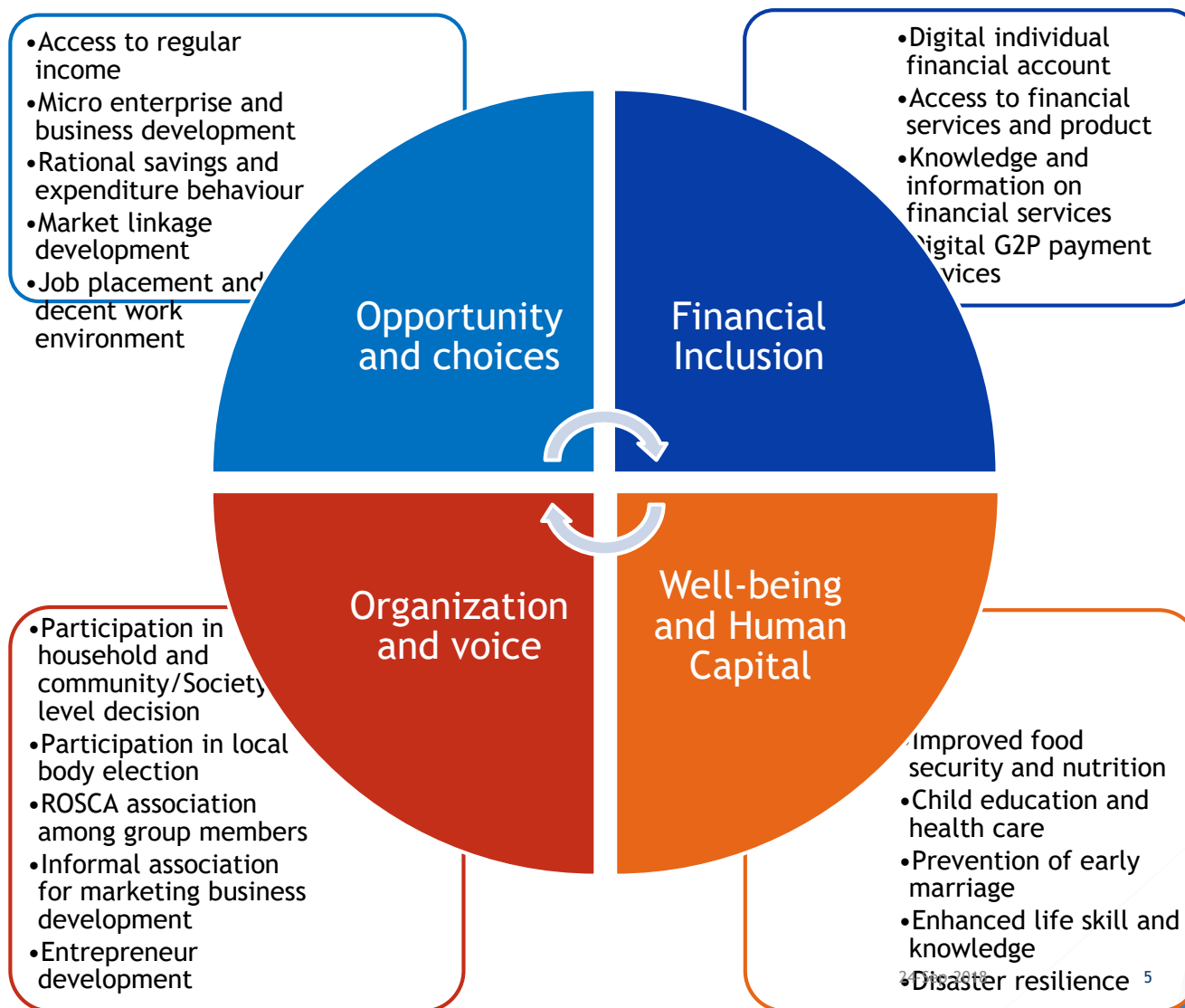


**Economic growth is achieved in a more inclusive manner, with economic opportunities reaching rural poor women, and vulnerable groups are protected against shocks**

সকলকে অধিকতরভাবে সম্পৃক্ত করে অর্থনৈতিক অগ্রগতি অর্জিত হবে যেখানে গ্রামীণ দরিদ্র নারীরা অর্থনৈতিক উন্নয়নের সুযোগ পাবে এবং বুকিপূর্ণ জনগোষ্ঠী বিভিন্ন বিপর্যয় থেকে নিরাপদ থাকবে



# SWAPNO Socio Economic Empowerment and Graduation Model



## Activities accomplished so far

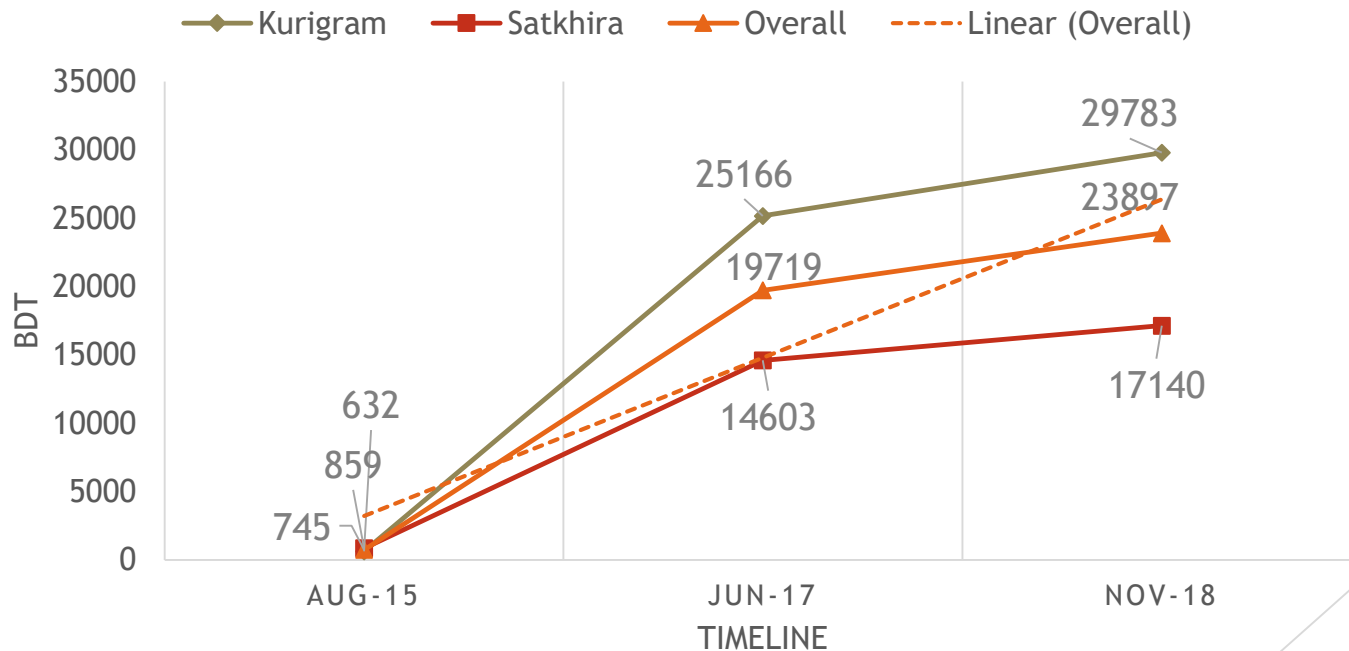
Key Activities	1 <sup>st</sup> Cycle	2 <sup>nd</sup> Cycle	Total Achieved
SWAPNO Beneficiaries	4464	4464	8928
Wage and Bonus (Tk. in crore)	39.55	27.58	67.13
Employment in Public Works (days in lakh)	19.78	11.52	31.29
Life Skill Training on 7 Topics	4464	4464	8928
Livelihood Skill Training on Different Trades	4464	3028	7492
Capacity Strengthening of UPs	124	124	124
Job Placement in Formal Sector (wage employment)	100	500*	600
Micro enterprise/small business (self- employment)	4301	3964	8265
* 500 planned for formal training, to be started in December 2018			



## Key results of 1<sup>st</sup> cycle

# Follow-up on 1<sup>st</sup> Cycle Women

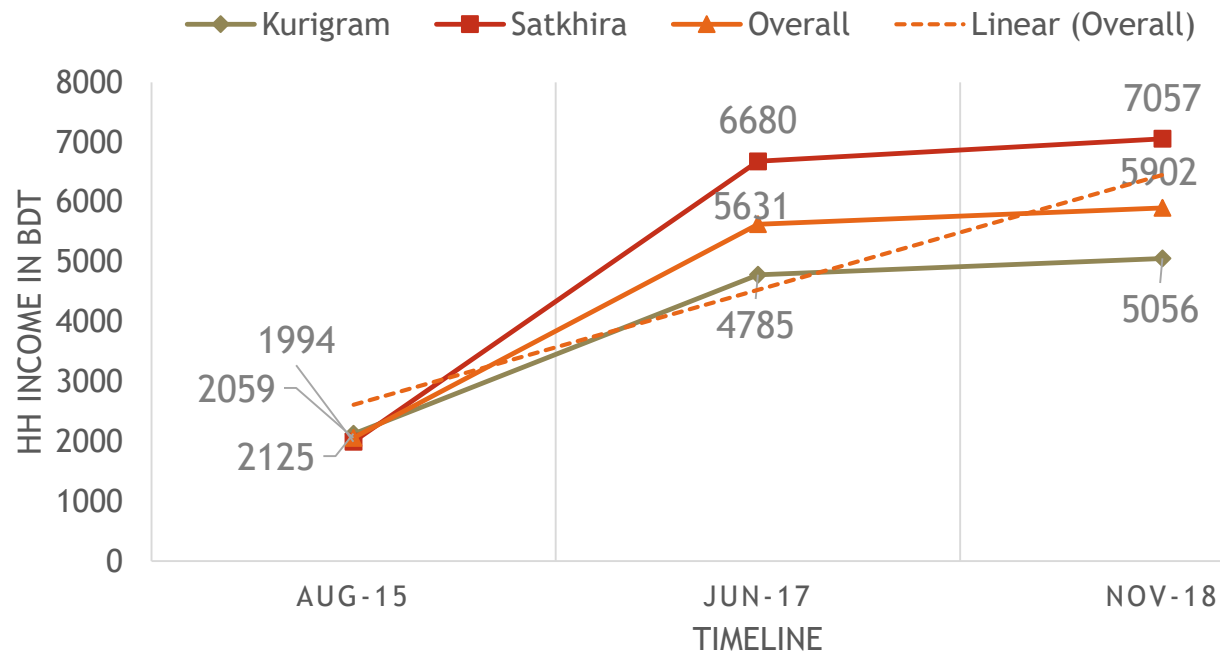
## AVG. IGA CAPITAL PER BENEFICIARIES OF 1ST CYCLE





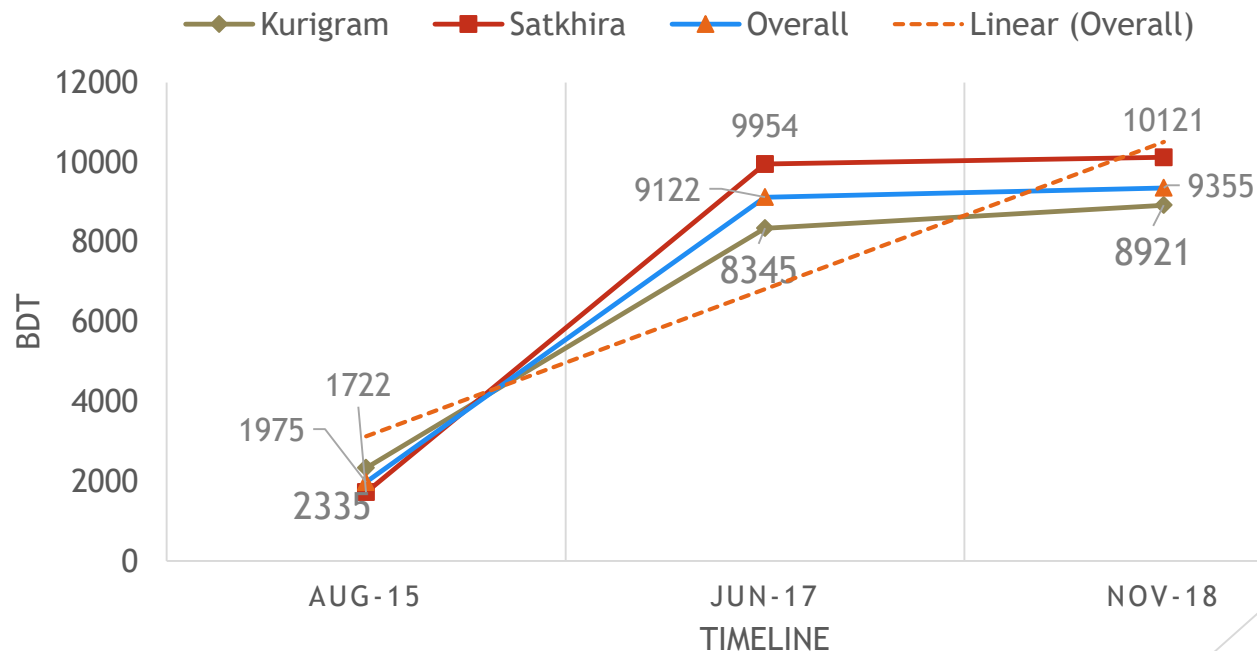
# Follow-up on 1<sup>st</sup> Cycle Women

## MONTHLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME OF 1<sup>ST</sup> CYCLE WOMEN

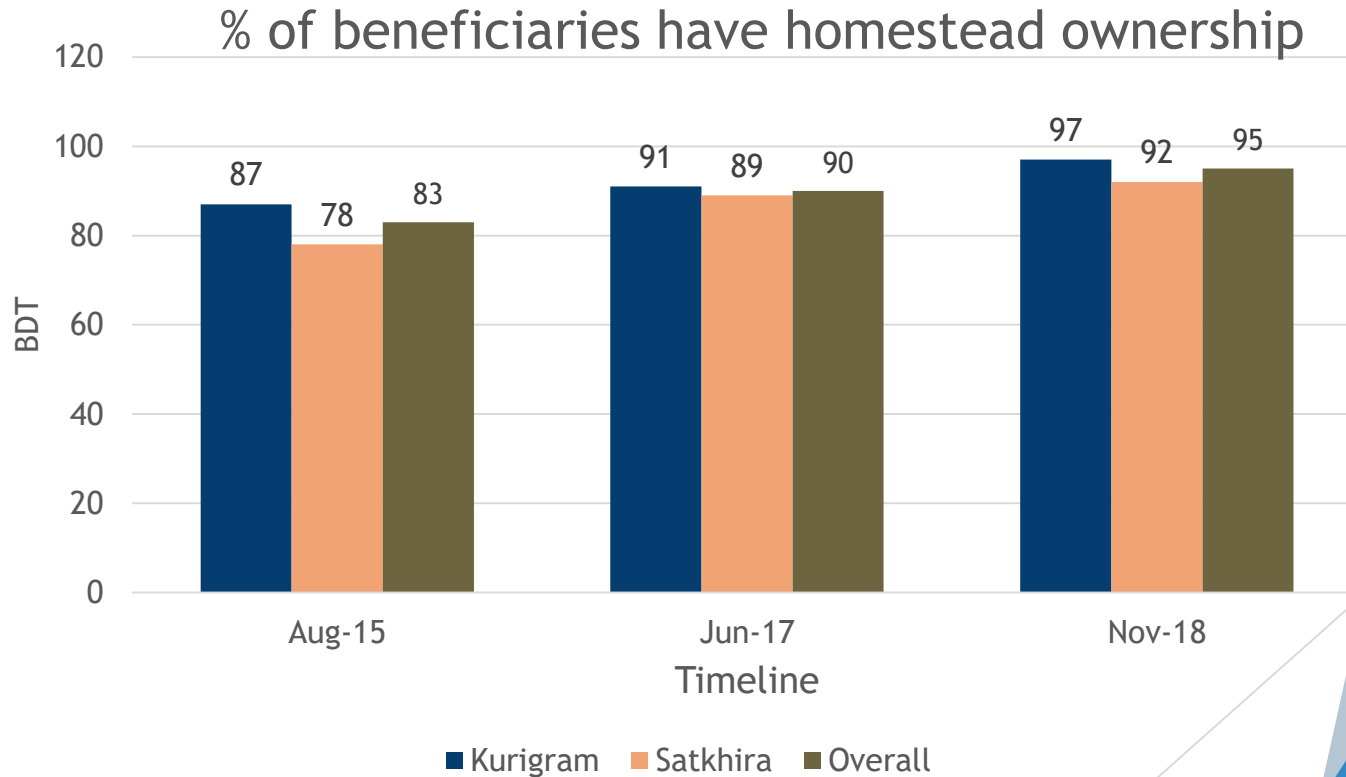


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## AVG. HOUSEHOLD ASSET VALUE OF 1ST CYCLE BENEFICIARY

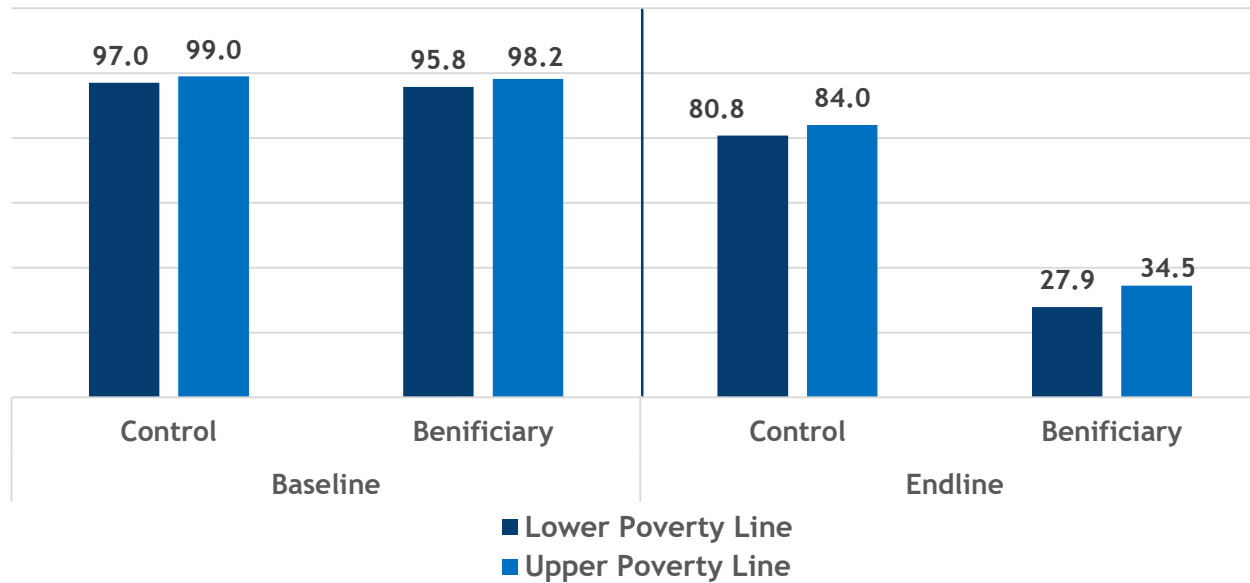


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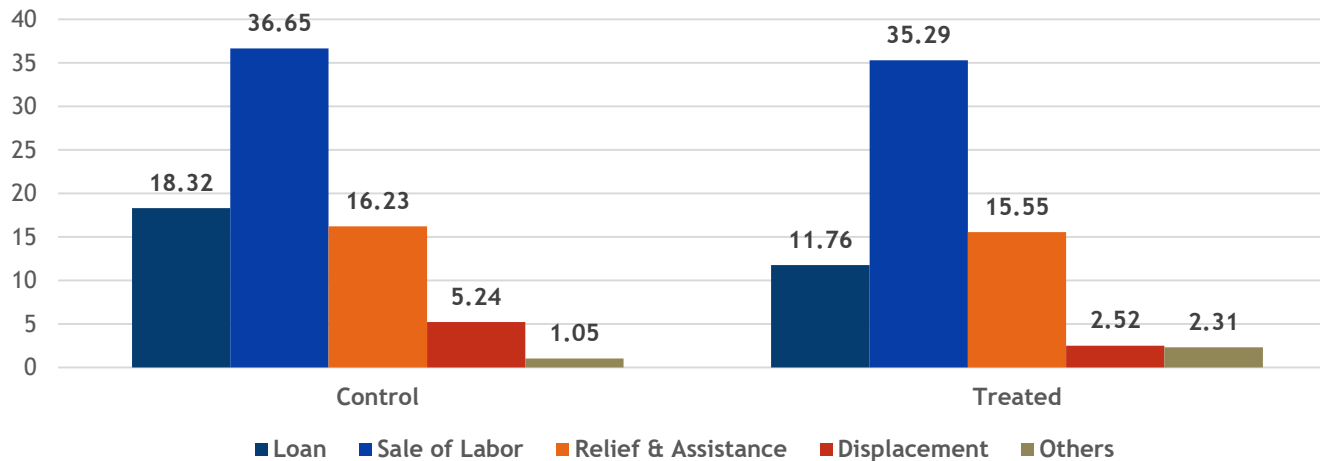
# Findings of End line Evaluation

## Impact on Incidence of Head Count Poverty



# Findings of End line Evaluation

## Results on coping with disaster



■ Beneficiaries rely more on own asset for coping than borrowing from others during shock

■ Incidence of displacement or migration is lower for the beneficiary group

# Findings of End line Evaluation

## Women Empowerment and Aspiration

Areas	Control	Treated	Diff
Control over personal income and asset			
I myself can decide to use my personal income	89.78	95.38	5.599
I myself can decide to use my own savings	89.28	95.25	5.973
I have full control over my immoveable/movable property	80.05	90.63	10.58
Control over household asset			
I have influence over the use of family income and savings	81.80	90.75	8.954
I have influence over family land	75.31	86.75	11.44
I have influence over family immovable/movable assets	75.31	87.25	11.94

The beneficiary women have higher control over personal and household assets than their non-participant counterpart

# Findings of End line Evaluation

## Key Success at a glance

- ▶ Successfully graduated 4464 beneficiaries in 1<sup>st</sup> cycle;
- ▶ Beneficiary income increased by 3.5 times at end-line in 1<sup>st</sup> cycle;
- ▶ Extreme poverty reduction of beneficiaries by 72% as against 19% in control group;
- ▶ Beneficiaries' school aged children school enrollments and attendance improve significantly;
- ▶ Multi-sector engagement creates very good enabling environment in the community for SWAPNO women;
- ▶ Formal sector employment created scope for inclusive economic development.

# Progress of 2<sup>nd</sup> Cycle



## SWAPNO 2<sup>nd</sup> Cycle



## Wage Payment and ROSCA of 2<sup>nd</sup> Cycle

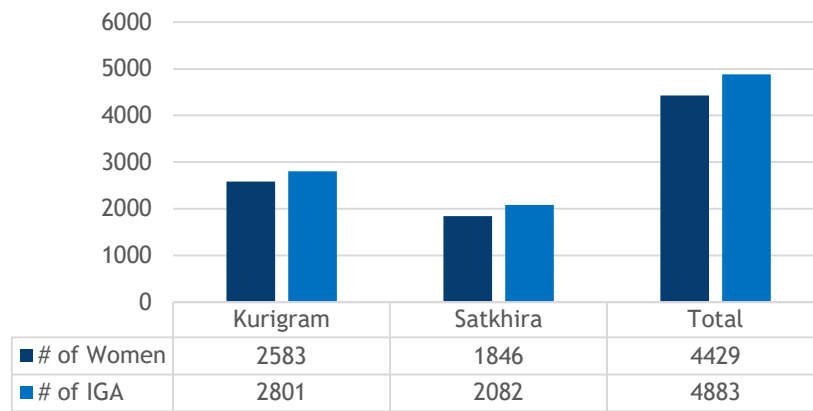
District	Wage Paid			ROSCA Savings Lottery
	Cash	Savings	Total	
Kurigram	120,139,200	40,046,400	160,185,600	1,86,62,400 (7,200/Benefi.)
Stakhira	86,767,200	28,922,400	115,689,600	2,24,64,000 (12,000/Benefi.)
Total	206,906,400	68,968,800	275,875,200	4,11,26,400

\*Wage paid up to 26 November 2018 for (84+114+54+57) 309 days;

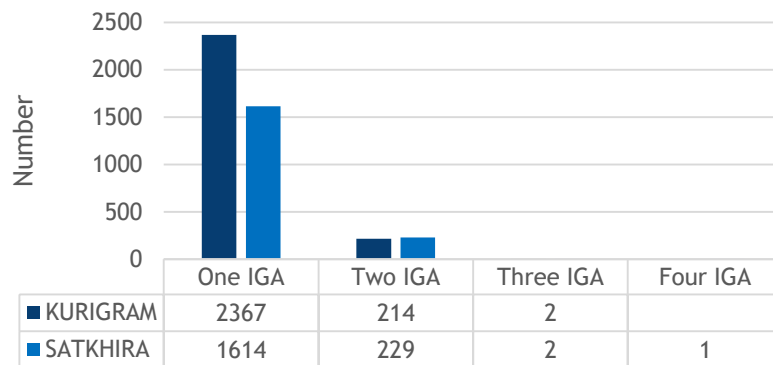
\*Cash wage received 46,350/ben., savings accumulated 15,450/ben.

# IGA Status of 2<sup>nd</sup> Cycle Beneficiaries

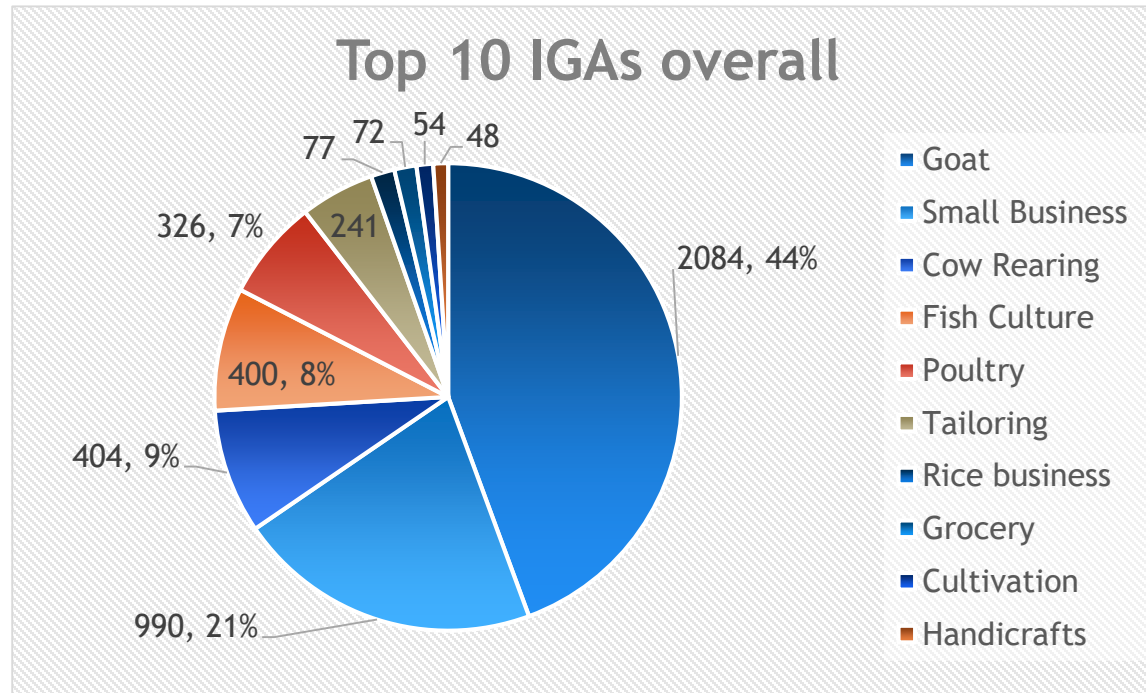
# of IGA and # of Women



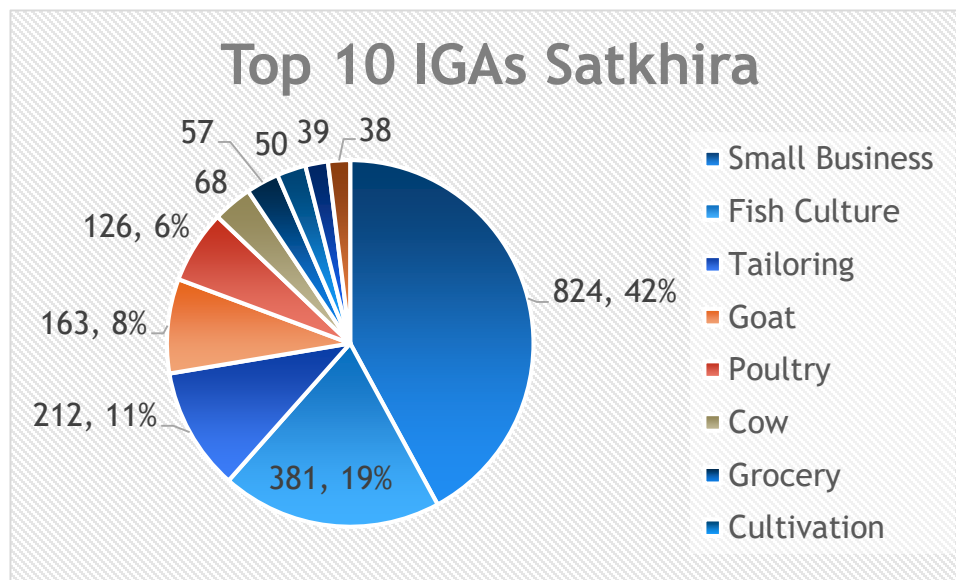
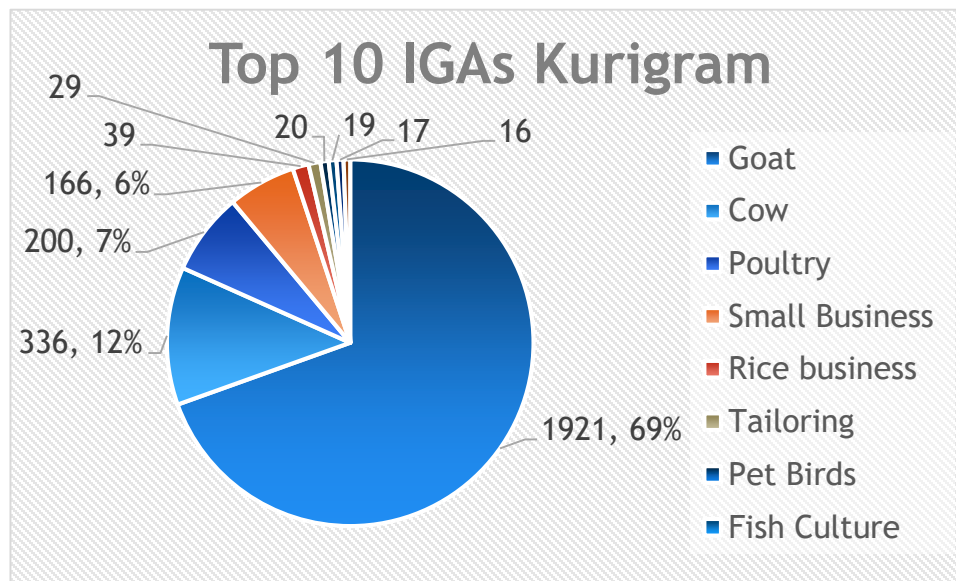
# of IGA operated per women by district



## Most frequently operated IGAs



## Most frequently operated IGAs by districts



## Capital of IGA

District	Average	Maximum	Minimum
Kurigram	7628	40000	400
Satkhira	10275	58000	600
Overall	8731	58000	400

## Livelihoods training

Trade	Duration	Kurigram	Satkhira	Total
Small Business Management	5 days	1295	637	1932
Livestock	5 days	221	226	447
Vegetable cultivation	5 days	32*	47	79
Fish culture & carb fattening	5 days	42*	152	194
Tailoring and dress making	2 months	40		40
Apprenticeship	3 months	87*	229*	316
RMG	2 months	0	20*	20
Total		1717	1311	3028

\* Ongoing training in December 2018

## Life skill and other training

4,464 SWAPNO beneficiaries have been trained on following contents:

- First part: On-job training on public assets maintenance;
- Second part: Life Skills composition of seven issues; and
- Third part: to create informed demand on livelihood options.

Training Course
1. Leadership Development
2. Gender and Development
3. Rights and Entitlement
4. Climate Change Adaptation & Disaster Risk Reduction
5. Self Learning - Easy Accounting
6. Health and Nutrition
7. Public Works Maintenance (on the job technical training)
8. Basic Principles of Small Business Management



## Job placement in formal sector

- Partnership established with Eco-fab Ltd, Fakir Apparels Ltd and SEIP for RMG
- Contact has been established with : Bangladesh Agro-Food Processors Association and Leather Sector
- MARICO,BSRM supports to livelihood activities



