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Presentation Summary

Strengthening Villagers/SHGs,/JLGs/FPOs through Proper Market Planning & Innovative Ideas to link market.

The lecture on the "Strengthening Villagers/SHGs,/JLGs/FPOs through Proper Market Planning & Innovative Ideas to link market" is focused to educate the audience (students) to make them understand the market planning process and Innovative ideas for better marketing opportunities. In the presentation, firstly, I will cover the basic aspects of market planning i.e. what is to be marketed in village level? i.e. farm activities and nonfarm activities, how to analyze the existing practices? what is the actual requirement at the end of market/consumer? Accordingly, a framework of identification of opportunity is proposed to be discussed during the session. Followed by addressing the question How to make market competitive? During the lecture, it is further proposed to discuss the institutional support for benefits to be drown from various public institutions. In the second part of the presentation, few innovative ideas to link villagers/SHGs/JLGs/FPOs to market are planned for discussion followed by a QnA session.