





**01**

List of Figures

**02**

Abbreviations

**03**

Acknowledgement

**04**

Ethical Consideration

**05**

Executive Summary

**06 - 07**

Assessing Impact

**08**

Major Geographical  
Outreach

**09**

SDGs Alignment

**10**

ESG Convergence

**11 - 14**

Methodology  
and Approach

**15**

Adherence to MCA  
Guidelines

**16 - 20**

Impact Overview -  
FY 23

**21**

Impact Overview -  
FY 24

**22**

SROI

**23 - 25**

Aspirational District  
Interventions

**26 - 63**

Impact Analysis  
FY 24

**64 - 66**

Conclusion

**67 - 68**

Media Coverage

**69**

About Third Planet  
Foundation

## List of Figures

FY 23

### Agriculture Development

Fig 1: Location Wise Farmer Impacted

### Solar Lights

Fig 2: Number of Solar Lights Installed

### Agriculture Development

Fig 3: Education of respondents

Fig 4: Occupation of respondents

Fig 5: Land Holding Size

Fig 6: Farming Area

Fig 7: Will Recommend to Fellow Farmers

Fig 8: Benefits of Attending Krishi Mela

Fig 9: Change in Annual Agriculture Income

### Women Empowerment

Fig 10: Education Profile

Fig 11: Age Profile

Fig 12: Improvement in the financial condition of the family

### Quality Education

Fig 13: Stakeholders consulted

Fig 14: Education profile of respondents

Fig 15: Toilets Designed for Disabled Students

Fig 16: Proper Maintenance of Toilets

Fig 17: Type of Support Extended

### Quality Healthcare

Fig 18: Gender Profile of respondents

Fig 19: Respondents affirmed infrastructure is in good condition

Fig 20: Health camps were effective

Fig 21: Support to be continued

Fig 22: Helped in strengthening healthcare infrastructure

FY 24

# Abbreviations

<b>MCA</b>	Ministry of Corporate Affairs
<b>FY</b>	Financial Year
<b>ANM</b>	Auxiliary Nurse and Mid Wife
<b>ASHA</b>	Accredited Social Health Activist
<b>BCML</b>	Balrampur Chini Mills Limited
<b>CSR</b>	Corporate Social Responsibility
<b>FGD</b>	Focused Group Discussion
<b>PHC</b>	Public Health Center
<b>SDG</b>	Sustainable Development Goals
<b>SIA</b>	Social Impact Assessment
<b>SROI</b>	Social Return on Investment
<b>MSL</b>	Mobile Science Lab



The Third Planet Foundation extends its sincere gratitude to Balrampur Chini Mills Limited (BCML) for entrusting us with this impact assessment study and for their support throughout the journey.

We also thank all survey participants for their valuable insights. We are especially grateful to the community members for their support and active participation throughout the study.

We appreciate the cooperation of the BCML team with the Third Planet Foundation's field team during the primary research and are truly thankful for BCML's intellectual guidance throughout the study.

**Third Planet Foundation**



# Ethical Consideration

## **Informed consent**

The interviews took place subsequent to the respondents granting their consent.

## **Confidentiality**

The information provided by participants has been kept private. At no point were their data or identities disclosed. The research findings have been quoted in a way that does not expose the respondents' identities.

## **Comfort**

The interviews were performed following the respondents' preferences. In addition, the interview time was chosen in consultation with them. At each level, respondents' convenience and comfort were considered.

## **Right to reject or withdraw**

Respondents were guaranteed safety and allowed to refuse to answer questions or withdraw during the study.



## Executive Summary

Balrampur Chini Mills Limited (BCML), one of the largest sugar manufacturing company in India, is dedicated to corporate social responsibility (CSR). Acknowledging its societal obligations, BCML aims to positively influence various sectors. The company focuses on enhancing community lives by promoting sustainable livelihoods, education, healthcare, sanitation, and rural infrastructure development.

Third Planet Foundation was assigned to conduct an impact assessment study on the interventions carried out during FY 2023-24 voluntarily and for FY 2022-23 as per MCA mandate. Utilising a systematic and evidence-based methodology, they aimed to measure, evaluate, and enhance the effectiveness of CSR projects. The study focused mainly on districts in Uttar Pradesh and Kolkata. The Third Planet Foundation team ensured all stakeholders' active participation in the various interventions.

BCML has significantly impacted over 1.1 million lives through its CSR initiatives. Extending their reach to 2,809 villages, BCML's interventions have focused on sustainable development and community enhancement. BCML continues to fulfil its commitment to societal welfare and development, fostering positive change and improving the quality of life for countless individuals across these regions.

BCML has made a significant impact by supporting farmers in 2,764 villages by providing farm equipment. This initiative primarily focuses on small and marginal farmers, who often have limited access to resources, technology, and markets. The high percentage of respondents with small land holdings indicates that BCML's support is strategically directed towards those who face greater challenges due to limited land resources.

BCML enhanced education through its comprehensive CSR interventions. By deploying mobile science labs and improving school infrastructure, including the construction of toilets and providing access to clean drinking water through RO systems, BCML has positively impacted over 16,000 students. These educational initiatives have extended their reach to 159 villages.

BCML supported the establishment of rehabilitation centres and supported Health Care Facilities. Additionally, it organised health camps to promote doorstep access to primary healthcare. 18 farm ponds were rejuvenated to support water conservation and sustainable agriculture. BCML also implemented Miyawaki plantation techniques to enhance green cover and biodiversity.



## Assessing Impact

Impact assessment is the systematic evaluation of the effects and outcomes of a company's CSR initiatives. The process involves measuring and analyzing the social, economic, and environmental impacts of CSR projects and programs. The goal is to determine how effectively these initiatives are achieving their objectives and contributing to the well-being of the community and the environment.

The Third Planet Foundation carried out an Impact Assessment Study to guarantee unbiased and transparent results. This study evaluated all of BCML's thematic areas of interventions in Uttar Pradesh and West Bengal.



# Objectives



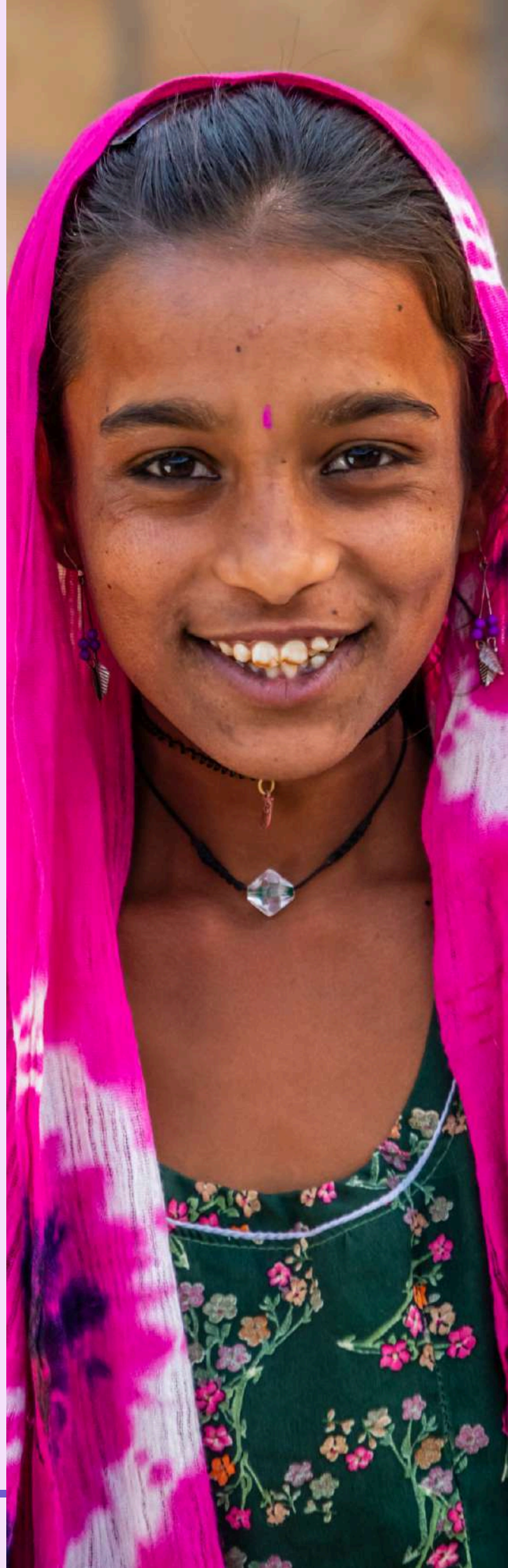
To identify and assess the potential benefits of CSR initiatives on individuals, communities and societies.



To ensure active involvement of diverse stakeholders in the decision-making process and integrate their viewpoints.



To foster accountability and transparency by offering a structured, evidence-based evaluation of a project's social impacts, thereby aiding informed decision-making.



## Major Geographical Outreach



- Akbarpur
- Babhnan
- Balrampur
- Gularia
- Haidergarh
- Kolkata
- Kumbhi
- Mirzapur
- Maizapur
- Mankapur
- Rauzagaon
- Tulsipur
- Varanasi



# SDGs Alignment



Balrampur Chini Mills Limited is dedicated to fostering equitable and sustainable economic, social, environmental, and cultural development for the underprivileged, focusing primarily on the areas surrounding their units and corporate office. Over the years, the company has worked to improve people's lives in these communities by creating sustainable livelihoods and promoting education, healthcare, and sanitation, among other repetition.



# ESG

## Convergence

### Business Responsibility and Sustainability Reporting

**Principle 8: Business should promote inclusive growth and equitable development**

#### Leadership Indicator Point 2

CSR Project Undertaken in Aspirational District Balrampur.

#### Leadership Indicator Point 6

Total Number of Beneficiary - 11,00,000+

### Global Reporting Initiative

**GRI 413 - Local Communities 2016**

#### Disclosure 413 - 1

BCML engages external evaluation agencies to conduct Impact Assessments and Social Audits, ensuring participation and representation from the local community to understand the impact created by its development program.

The programs are designed to consider local area needs based on in-depth needs assessment in the communities and ensure stakeholder management receives views and feedback.



# Methodology and Approach



BCML entrusted Third Planet Foundation to conduct an Impact Assessment study to evaluate the impact created by various thematic area's CSR interventions in Uttar Pradesh and Kolkata. The impact assessment study utilised mixed-method data collection techniques, including participatory assessment tools, to gather all necessary information for a thorough impact analysis. Third Planet Foundation approached the study intending to offer insights that would help BCML assess the project's overall impact, grasp stakeholder sentiments, and plan strategies for future implementation. The study incorporates both qualitative and quantitative data collection. The study was conducted in three phases, as highlighted below.

## **Phase I: Planning**

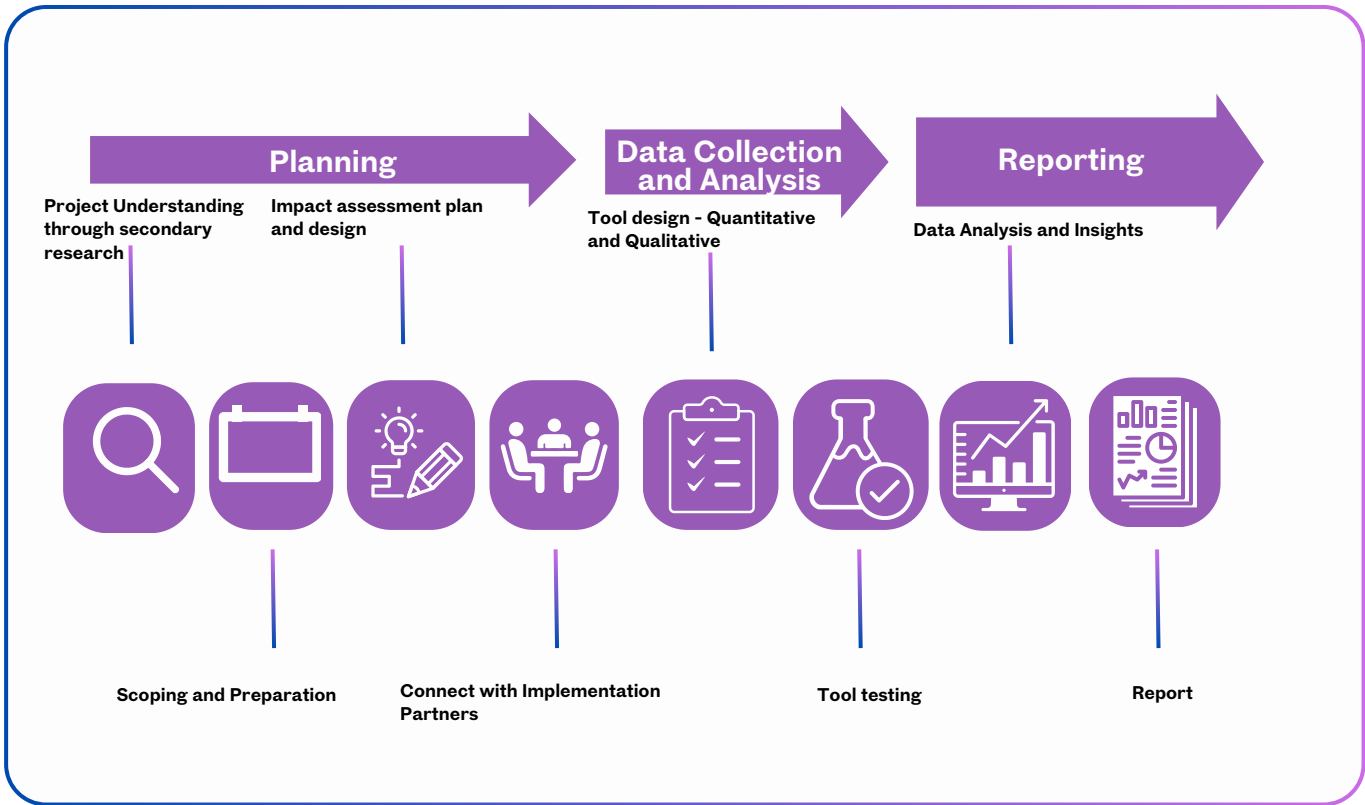
- The Third Planet Foundation team collaborated with the BCML team to thoroughly understand the project and its objectives. As part of the secondary research, a literature review was conducted. The team also evaluated monitoring sheets received from various 10 BCML units and other partner organisations. After discussions, the Third Planet Foundation created qualitative and quantitative tools for data collection. They trained and oriented field enumerators responsible for gathering data and, in collaboration with the BCML team, developed and finalised a detailed field plan.

## **Phase II: Data Collection and Analysis**

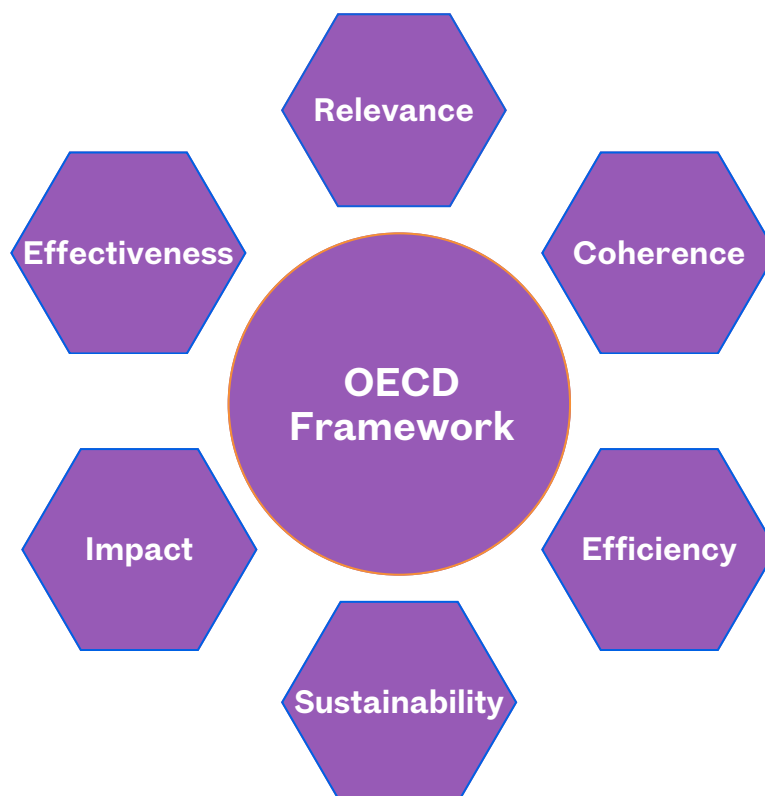
- Qualitative and quantitative data was collected and analysed to draft the findings and to assess the impact.

## **Phase III: Reporting**

- Drawing conclusions from the analysis and presenting findings, assessing the impact of the project and sharing evaluation with the stakeholders and large audience.



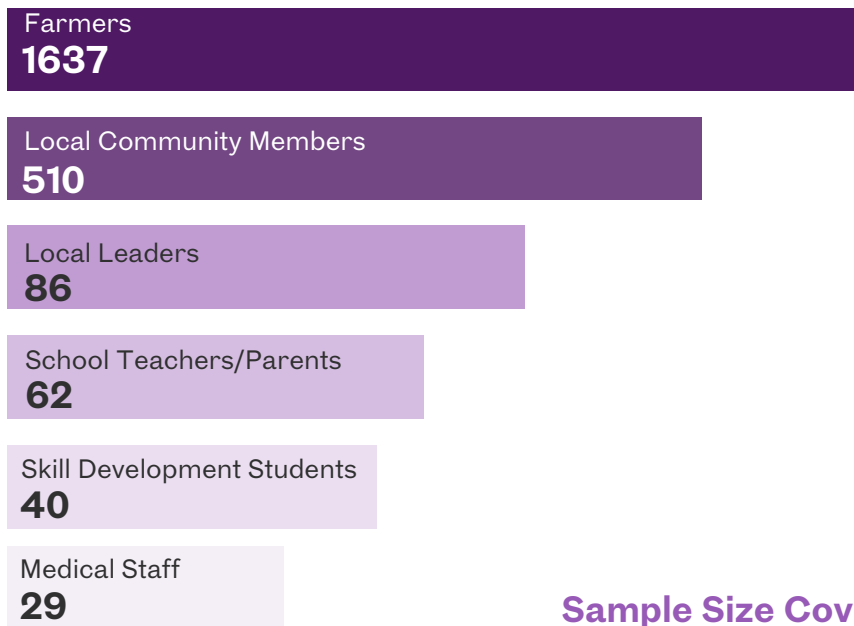
The Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) framework was used to evaluate the impact of CSR activities





## Sample Size

A statistical sampling method was selected to ensure equitable representation of each type of stakeholder.



Sample Size Covered | FY 2023-24 | CSR

## Data Analysis

The conclusions and findings in this report are derived from a combination of sources, such as qualitative interviews, publicly accessible data, existing research and others. Information gathered from structured interviews in the field underwent systematic coding, validation, tabulation and analysis.

To outline the fundamental characteristics of the data, this study employed descriptive statistics to offer straightforward summaries regarding the impact, along with graphical representations. This serves as the foundation for quantitatively analysing the data. Additionally, concise data summaries were created to effectively speculate on the impact of the intervention.



### Quantitative

### Qualitative

Structured/Semi-Structured Survey

Focused Group Discussion (FGD)

Key Informant Interviews

Participant's Observations

Case Studies

In-depth Interviews





# Adherence to MCA Guidelines

The Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) Rule 8(3) of the Companies (CSR Policy) Rules, 2014 mandates the following class of companies to conduct impact assessment:

(i) companies with a minimum average CSR obligation of Rs. 10 crores or more in the immediately preceding three financial years; and

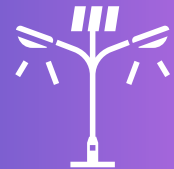
(ii) companies that have CSR projects with outlays of a minimum of Rs. 1 crore and have been completed no less than 1 year before undertaking impact assessment.

As per the guidelines, the following are the BCML's CSR projects for the FY 2022-23 that falls under the mandate of impact assessment and were covered during the study.



**Sustainable  
Livelihood**

**Project Value  
INR 1.78 Crores**



**Solar  
Lights**

**Project Value  
INR 2.67 Crores**



# Impact An Overview FY 23

Mandatory Impact Assessment  
as per CSR Policy Rules 2014  
(as amended)



**372**

Communities Touched



**2,05,425**

Direct Beneficiaries Impacted



**8,21,700**

Indirect Beneficiaries Impacted

# SUSTAINABLE LIVELIHOOD

FY 2022-23

Agriculture and farmers form the backbone of our nation. Therefore, BCML is dedicated to promoting sustainable livelihoods by focusing on productive farming techniques and technologies to enhance farmers' livelihoods.



**6,500+** Agriculture Equipments Distributed To Farmers

**52.5%** Average Increase in Annual Agriculture Income

# Analysis (FY 2022-23)

## Sustainable Livelihood

BCML's agriculture development initiative aims to promote sustainable farming practices, enhance agricultural productivity, and support the socio-economic development of farming communities.

The support has been extended to farmers who possess small and marginal land holding sizes. 94% of the respondents interviewed have less than 5 hectare of land. Approximately 36 percent of the farmers interviewed are illiterate. Majoring of the farmers are dependent on agriculture for sustaining livelihood. 92% of the respondents' annual average income is within the range of INR 25,000 – INR 50,000.

**6,549**

Farmers impacted across various locations

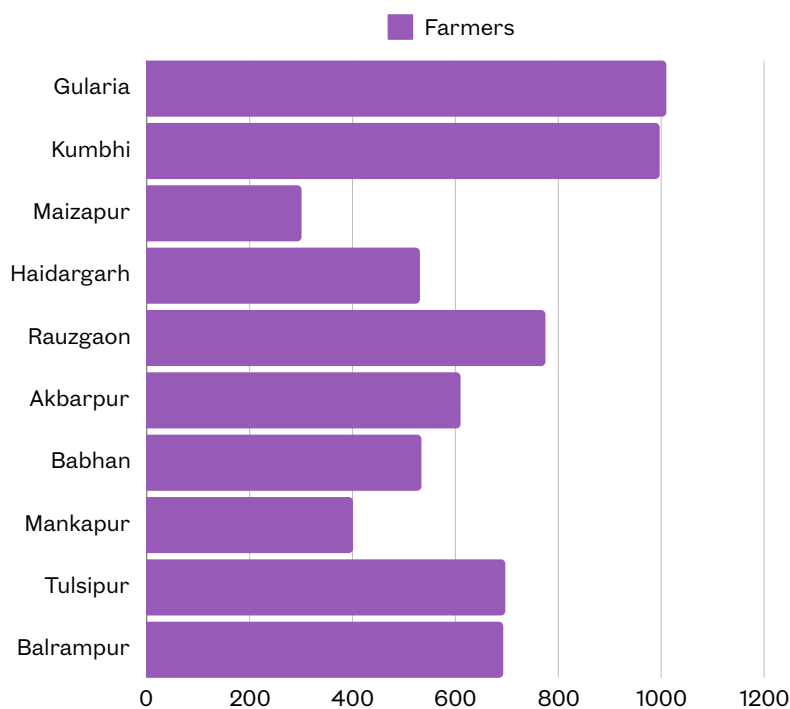


Fig 1: Location Wise Farmer Impacted

# SOLAR LIGHTS

BCML focuses on the holistic development of communities. Promoting renewable energy is very important and necessary with the climate and environmental situation we are living. Green energy will sustain the future of the world.



**750+** Solar Lights Installed



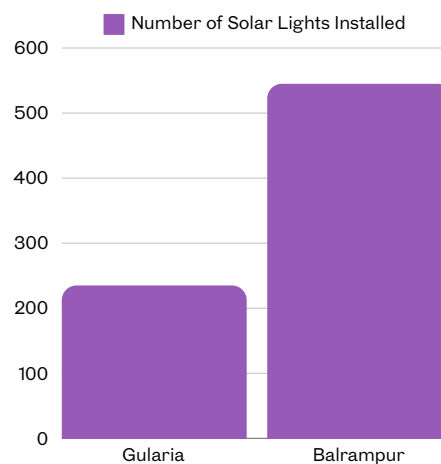
# Analysis (FY 2022-23)

## Solar Lights

### Access to Renewable Energy

The intervention aimed to provide solar-powered lighting solutions to communities or areas lacking reliable electricity access. By installing solar lights, solar high mast lights and solar plants, the intervention has helped improve the quality of life for individuals in underprivileged areas.

Solar lights installed in public areas reduce the risk of accidents and provide a safer environment for community members, especially women and children. 750+ solar lights have been installed in villages across two districts in Uttar Pradesh.



**Fig 2: Number of Solar Lights Installed**



# Impact An Overview FY 24



**2809**

Villages Served



**2,27,405**

Direct Beneficiaries Impacted



**9,00,000+**

Indirect Beneficiaries Impacted



# Social Return on Investment (SROI)

Social Return on Investment is a framework for measuring and accounting for the value created by an organisation, project, or initiative, considering both financial and non-financial outcomes. SROI goes beyond traditional financial ROI by considering the social, environmental and economic value created. It captures the broader impact of activities on stakeholders.

**SROI was calculated for two CSR interventions under sustainable livelihood supported by BCML using the formula below.**

**Social Return on Investment =  
Total Value Created (TVC) / Total Input Cost Per Beneficiary (TI)**



## Agriculture Development

**SROI = 1.85**

An SROI ratio of 1.85:1 indicates that for every rupee invested in the initiative, INR 1.85 of social value is generated. This suggests that the project is creating a positive impact in terms of social and economic benefits, exceeding the initial investment.



## Women Empowerment

**SROI = 1.69**

It can be inferred from the data that the benefits created by the investment in the Silai Training program are 1.69 times the amount of the investment itself.



# Aspirational District Interventions

The Aspirational Districts Programme is an initiative by the Government of India implemented by NITI Aayog with the help of various stakeholders to improve the living standards of people in aspirational districts. Launched by the Hon'ble PM in January 2018, the Aspirational Districts Programme (ADP) aims to quickly and effectively transform the 112 most under-developed districts across the country.



Country - India



State - Uttar Pradesh



District - Balrampur



# Aspirational District Interventions



Balrampur  
Chini Mills Limited

Targeted Aspirational District in Uttar Pradesh - Balrampur

Balrampur town is renowned for Balrampur Chini Mills, which is one of the largest sugar manufacturing company in the country. It stands as one of the 112 districts in India identified by NITI Aayog, under the aspirational district initiative, with the vision for development.

# Aspirational District Interventions at Balrampur

BCML plays a significant role in the welfare of the Balrampur district, which mainly focuses on the Balrampur and Tulsipur regions. As an aspirational district, these areas have become focal points for various development initiatives. BCML addresses multiple aspects of community life, including education, environmental sustainability, healthcare, sustainable livelihood and community development.

**1,82,525****Direct and Indirect  
Beneficiaries  
Impacted**

BCML's support for local agriculture has made a substantial impact, contributing significantly to the overall progress of these regions. BCML operates Mobile Science Labs in local rural schools along with Agastya International Foundation to enhance science education. Additionally, BCML manages its own schools in Balrampur and Tulsipur, furthering its commitment to education.

Efforts to beautify and rejuvenate the surroundings are another focus area. To improve security, CCTV cameras have been installed to reduce crime in localities. The company is committed to enhancing community life and has implemented CSR initiatives to ensure access to clean drinking water. This includes installing RO water coolers to provide safe and purified drinking water. BCML organises health camps to address healthcare needs, focusing on delivering quality healthcare services and facilities to the local population. Blankets have been provided to underprivileged rural communities to help them stay warm during the winter months.

Moreover, BCML has promoted renewable energy use by installing solar lights. Trees have been planted at various locations to support environmental conservation and improve the quality of life for residents. Ponds have been cleaned and maintained to enhance water balance and ensure the availability of safe water.

# Impact Analysis and Findings

FY 24  
Voluntary



Kisan Samridhi Mela

# Sustainable Livelihood

Agriculture Development

*Building Resilient Agri Communities through Sustainable Livelihood Initiatives: A Pathway to Lasting Impact*



FY 2023-24

# Analysis and Findings

## Sustainable Livelihood

### Agriculture Development

Agriculture and farmers form the backbone of our nation, driving not only the food supply but also contributing significantly to the economy and cultural heritage. Recognising this, BCML is dedicated to fostering sustainable livelihoods for farmers. The company's commitment revolves around empowering farmers through advanced farming techniques and technology, aiming to enhance their productivity and overall quality of life.

**11,818**

Agriculture Equipment  
Distributed

**2764**

Villages Covered

**27%**

Increase in Income

**110**

Women provided with  
livelihood opportunities

**02**

Krishi Mela organised  
for training

### Women in Farming



# Analysis and Findings

## Sustainable Livelihood

### Agriculture Development

BCML's agricultural development initiative is focused on encouraging sustainable farming techniques, improving agricultural output and fostering the socio-economic growth of rural farming communities. The initiative aims to introduce environmentally friendly, economically viable and socially beneficial practices for farmers. To assess the impact of these efforts, a comprehensive study was conducted across various locations in Uttar Pradesh, involving consultations with 488 beneficiaries.

#### Stakeholders Profile



Farmers across various locations of UP were interviewed

The majority of respondents (55%) have attained primary or secondary education, indicating a basic level of literacy and potentially a better understanding of agricultural practices and modern farming techniques compared to those who are illiterate. A significant portion of respondents (56%) have a full livelihood dependency on agriculture. This suggests that agriculture is not just a source of income but also a way of life for a majority of farmers, highlighting the importance of sustainable farming practices and interventions that support agricultural productivity.

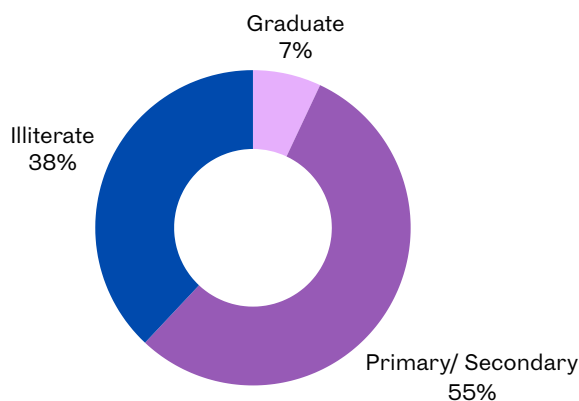


Fig 3: Education of respondents

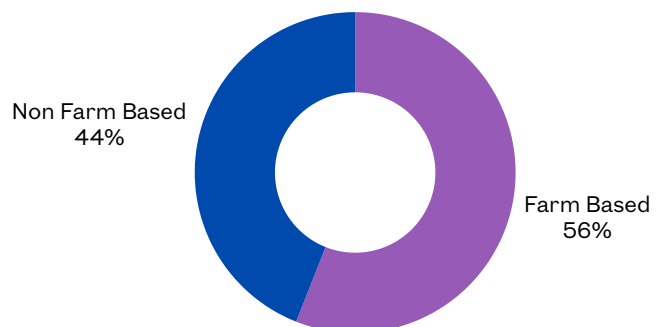


Fig 4: Occupation of respondents



# Analysis and Findings

## Sustainable Livelihood

### Agriculture Development

Most respondents (86%) have land holdings of less than 5 hectares. This indicates that the support extended by BCML is primarily targeted towards farmers with small and marginal land holdings. All of the farmers consulted grow multiple crops. The high percentage of respondents with small land holdings suggests that BCML's support is focused on assisting farmers who may face greater challenges due to limited land resources. Small and marginal farmers often have limited access to resources, technology and markets, making them more vulnerable to economic uncertainties and agricultural risks. By targeting support towards small and marginal farmers, BCML's initiatives aim to promote inclusive and equitable agricultural development, ensuring that even farmers with limited land can benefit from sustainable farming practices, productivity enhancements and socio-economic empowerment.

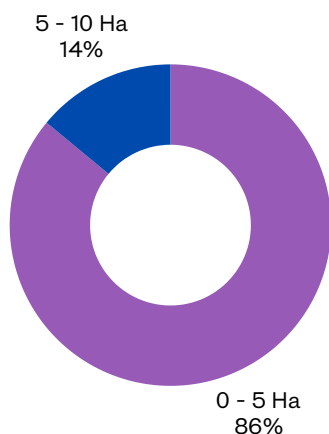


Fig 5: Land Holding Size

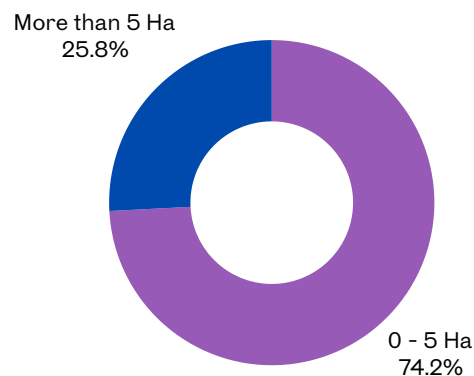


Fig 6: Farming Area

All farmers (100% of respondents) have received agriculture equipment support from BCML, including access to farm machinery like tractors, power tillers, harvesters and irrigation systems. Additionally, farmers have received training related to the use and maintenance of this equipment. The fact that all respondents have received equipment support and training from BCML indicates a comprehensive and effective approach towards enhancing agricultural practices and productivity.



# Analysis and Findings

## Sustainable Livelihood

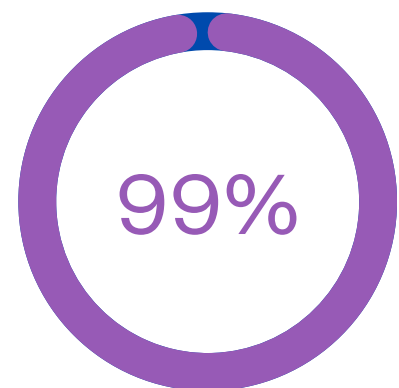
### Agriculture Development

**Knowledge of Operating Farm Equipment:** A large majority of respondents (94%) mentioned that they know how to operate farm equipment supported by BCML, such as tractors, power tillers, harvesters and irrigation systems. The high percentage of respondents who mentioned knowing how to operate farm equipment suggests that the training provided by BCML has been effective in equipping farmers with the necessary skills and knowledge. BCML's focus on providing both equipment support and training has contributed to empowering farmers with the skills and tools needed to improve their agricultural practices and overall livelihoods.

All respondents (100%) stated that the farm equipments supported by BCML are of good quality and expressed satisfaction with them. The unanimous satisfaction with the quality of farm equipment indicates that BCML has successfully provided high-standard machinery that meets the needs and expectations of the farmers. Satisfaction with the equipment quality also implies that farmers are experiencing tangible benefits from using the machinery such as reduced labour intensity, improved crop yields and better management of farming activities

### Willingness to Recommend Equipment Use:

Most of the farmers indicated that they would recommend fellow farmers to use farm equipment to improve farm productivity and reduce labour. The positive recommendations from farmers can serve as a powerful endorsement, potentially leading to a wider adoption of farm equipment among the farming community. This peer influence can help in spreading the benefits of modern agricultural practices more rapidly. Overall, the inference suggests that the positive experiences and benefits observed by farmers using BCML supported equipment are encouraging them to advocate for its use among their peers, thereby promoting greater productivity and efficiency in the farming community.



**Fig 7: Will Recommend to Fellow Farmers**



# Analysis and Findings

## Sustainable Livelihood

### Agriculture Development

#### Attendance and Knowledge Gained at Krishi Mela:

Respondents confirmed their attendance at Krishi Mela, with 12% stating they received advanced knowledge on pesticide and fertiliser usage, 79% gaining insights into better agricultural practices such as seed selection and cropping techniques, and 9% being exposed to new agricultural technologies. The fact that 79% of respondents gained knowledge on better agricultural practices suggests that Krishi Mela is highly effective in disseminating practical and immediately applicable farming techniques. This can lead to significant improvements in crop yields and farm management.

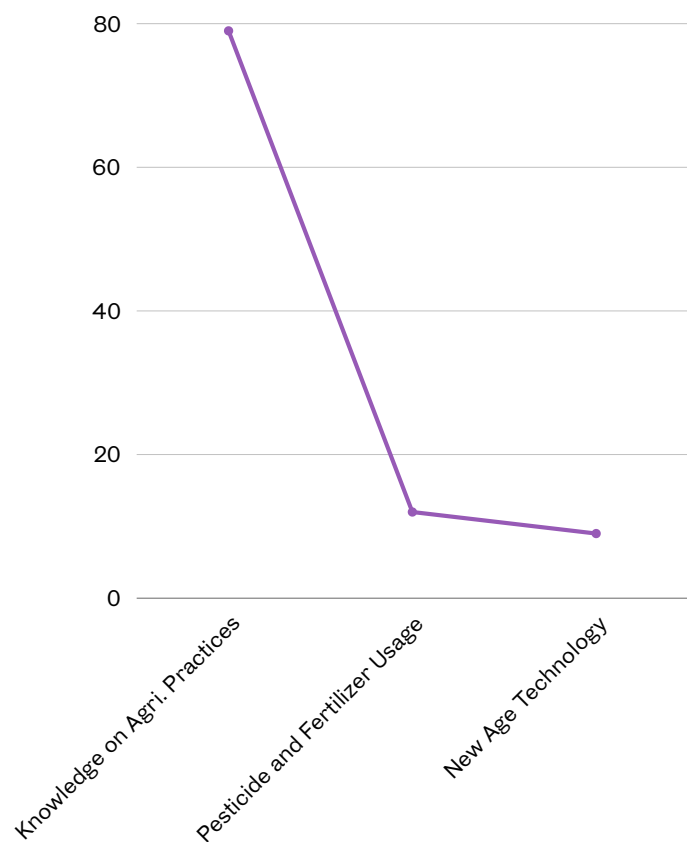


Fig 8: Benefits of Attending Krishi Mela

**Income Levels Before and After the Intervention:** The majority of farmers were earning less than 1 lakh per year before the intervention. Post-intervention, the percentage of farmers earning more than 1 lakh per year increased from 18% to 44%. Additionally, the proportion of farmers earning between 50k to 1 lakh per year rose from 44% to 49%. The significant increase in the percentage of farmers earning more than 1 lakh per year (from 18% to 44%) suggests that BCML's interventions have had a substantial positive impact on farmers' incomes. This indicates that the support provided, such as agricultural equipment, training and knowledge dissemination, has effectively boosted their productivity and profitability.

# Analysis and Findings

## Sustainable Livelihood

### Agriculture Development

The slight increase in the proportion of farmers earning between 50,000 to 1 lakh per year also indicates an overall upward shift in income levels among the farming community. This shows that not only are more farmers breaking the 1 lakh annual income barrier, but there is also an improvement in the earnings of those who previously had lower incomes. The data reflects a positive trend in the economic upliftment of farmers, suggesting that BCML's initiatives are contributing to improved financial stability and economic growth within the farming community. The shift in income levels indicates that the interventions have likely led to better farming practices, higher crop yields, and possibly diversification of income sources, all contributing to increased earnings.

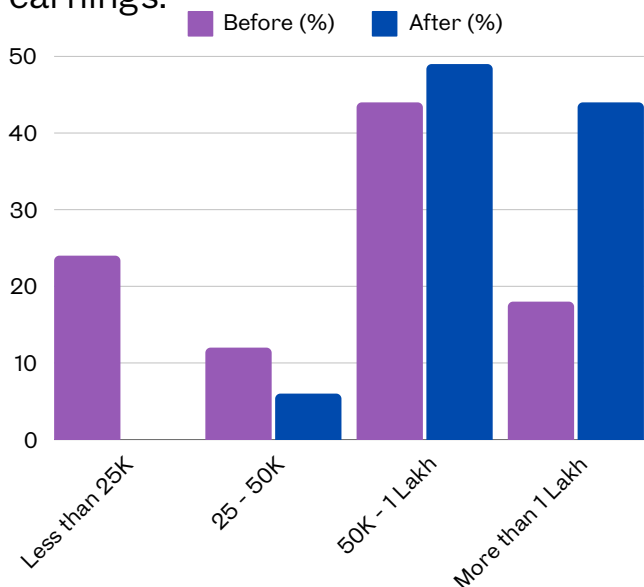


Fig 9: Change in Annual Agriculture Income



# Case Study

## Sustainable Livelihood

### Agriculture Development

#### Sudhir Tiwari's Agricultural Transformation with Submersible Pump Irrigation



Sudhir Tiwari, an engineer by profession, completed his studies at IP University in Delhi before returning to his ancestral village of Barawon to pursue farming.

Despite his technical background, Sudhir faced significant agriculture challenges, particularly irrigation. Traditionally, his farm relied on diesel pumps for irrigation, which became increasingly unsustainable due to rising diesel prices, which reached Rs. 100 per litre. This substantial cost burden made irrigation expensive and inefficient, threatening the profitability and sustainability of his farming operations. Sudhir's primary challenge was the high irrigation cost of using diesel pumps. Diesel prices had soared, making it economically unfeasible to continue using this method.

BCML introduced submersible pumps as a cost-effective and efficient irrigation alternative. These pumps were cheaper than diesel pumps, with a one-time installation cost of Rs. 750 per hectare. The submersible pumps used electricity instead of diesel, drastically reducing operational costs and providing a more sustainable irrigation method.

Implementing the submersible pump system profoundly impacted Sudhir's farming operations. The shift from diesel to electric submersible pumps significantly reduced Sudhir's irrigation costs. The new system, with its one-time cost of Rs. 750 per hectare, provided substantial savings compared to the recurring high costs of diesel. Sudhir was able to maintain optimal watering schedules, ensuring better growth and productivity of his crops. The use of electric submersible pumps reduced dependency on fossil fuels, making Sudhir's farming practices more environmentally friendly. This shift contributed to lower greenhouse gas emissions and promoted sustainable agriculture.

FY 2023-24

# Sustainable Livelihood

Women Empowerment

*Empowering Women,  
Strengthening the Nation*





# Analysis and Findings

## Sustainable Livelihood

### Women Empowerment

To conduct the impact assessment study, interviews were conducted with 50 women associated with BCML's women empowerment initiative to gather findings and observations. The Silai School Initiative by BCML has significantly enhanced the lives of women in the community by offering them sustainable livelihood opportunities.

#### Stakeholders Profile

A total of 50 women were interviewed from Maizapur to understand the impact of the initiative. The fact that all 50 women interviewed have either completed primary or secondary education highlights a relatively low level of education within this group. This indicates that higher education opportunities may be limited or less accessible to women in this community. Since all the women interviewed are under the age of 35, it implies that the initiative is primarily engaging younger women. This focus on younger participants aims to equip them with skills early in their lives to enhance their long-term economic prospects.

It is evident that the project focuses on bridging the gap between education and employment, empowering them to improve their socio-economic status.

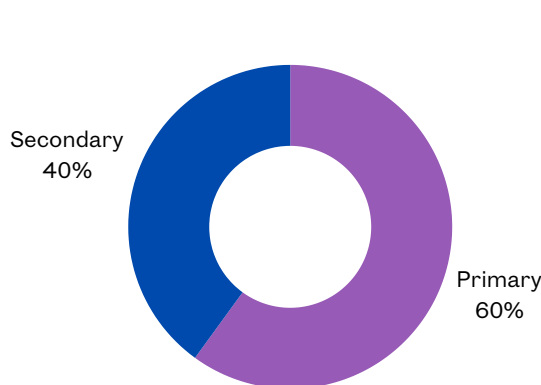


Fig 10: Education Profile

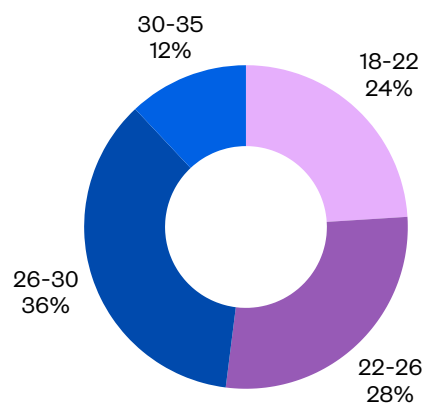


Fig 11: Age Profile

# Analysis and Findings

## Sustainable Livelihood

### Women Empowerment

Upon reflecting on the areas most impacted by this intervention, beneficiaries shared their personal experiences, which are summarised below.

**Economic Empowerment:** The training had a significant impact on economic empowerment with 20 respondents indicating that they can earn an income by creating and repairing garments. This suggests that the initiative has effectively provided practical skills that translate directly into income-generating opportunities.

**Skill Acquisition:** A substantial number of respondents reported gaining valuable skills in tailoring and stitching. This highlights the initiative's success in equipping participants with specific technical skills.

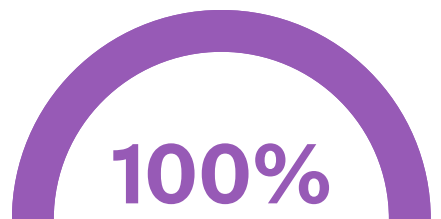
**Confidence and Self-Efficacy:** Many respondents mentioned feeling more confident in their abilities and potential. This indicates that the training not only imparted technical skills but also had a positive effect on the participants' self-confidence and sense of self-worth.

**Community and Family Impact:** A smaller number of respondents stated that they can now contribute positively to their community, support their family and feel more independent. This suggests that while these aspects are recognised, they may not be as immediately evident or widespread as the other benefits mentioned.

### Respondents Feedback



of the women participants affirmed receiving a training for 3 months



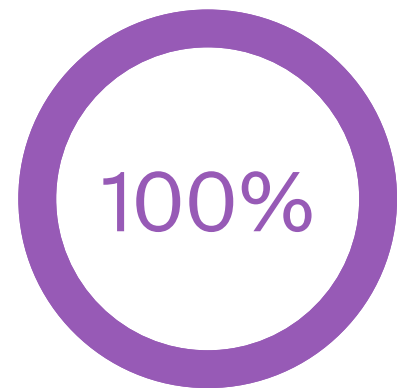
Respondents indicated that they acquired skills to create livelihood opportunities for themselves and their families.

# Analysis and Findings

## Sustainable Livelihood

### Women Empowerment

The unanimous response from the women beneficiaries indicates that the Silai program has been highly effective in improving their livelihoods and financial conditions. The additional income generated from the program is being utilized for better education, healthcare, social commitments and savings, reflecting a comprehensive positive impact on their lives. This highlights the program's success in not only enhancing economic stability but also contributing to the overall well-being and future opportunities for the participants and their families.



**Fig 12: Improvement in the financial condition of the family**





## Case Study

### Sustainable Livelihood

#### Women Empowerment



#### Tailor-made for success: Seema Kumari learns life- changing skills

Seema Kumari is an underprivileged woman living in a small village called Shamdariyan Purwa Gaon. When the Maizapur Unit started its initiative, “Skilling Women Through Tailoring,” Seema approached and completed her tailoring training.

She transformed her life through the Empowering Women Through Tailoring Skills Initiative by the Company’s Maizapur unit. Previously struggling due to her husband’s low income, Seema completed our free tailoring course (while similar courses charged up to INR 30,000). She received a free sewing machine and training, enabling her to sell suits, salwars and blouses. Now a skilled tailor, she works from home, supports her family, and encourages women’s education in her village.

Using this skill, she started making suits, salwars, gowns, tops, fall and pico, and blouses, earning a sufficient livelihood. After the training program, she felt independent and self-reliant, earning a decent amount of money and providing financial support to her family.

The initiative significantly impacts the lives of underprivileged rural women, enabling them to set up profitable ventures for themselves and become self-dependent. The sense of self-reliance and increased family income will raise living standards and make them capable of providing a good education for their children.

FY 2023-24



# Quality Education

*"Empowering Minds: The Path to Quality Education"*



# Analysis and Findings

## Quality Education

BCML focuses on enhancing the quality of education and improving learning outcomes in rural schools by providing essential infrastructure support. This includes constructing toilets, installing water units and providing sanitary dispensers and incinerators. BCML's commitment to improving educational infrastructure in rural areas not only enhances the learning experience for students but also fosters a healthier, more inclusive and equitable educational environment.

19

Schools supported

02

ITIs supported

63

Schools with access to  
Mobile Science Lab

16,682+

Students impacted



# Analysis and Findings

## Quality Education

To summarize the impact assessment of education initiatives, the Third Planet Foundation's team engaged with 94 stakeholders from schools located in Balrampur, Gonda, Gularia, Kumbhi, Maizapur, Mankapur and Tulsipur in Uttar Pradesh. The stakeholder discussion included teachers, principals, students and parents.

### Stakeholders Profile



- 94 Stakeholders Surveyed
- 53% Male, 47% Female

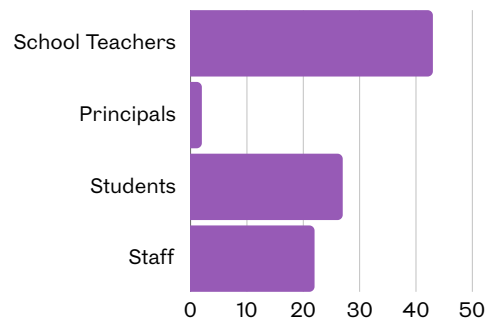


Fig 13: Stakeholders consulted



- Atal Awas Vidyalaya, Mankapur
- Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidyalaya, Maizapur
- ITI College, Kumbhi
- Panna Lal Saraogi Shishu School, Balrampur
- Bal Vidhya Mandir, Tulsipur
- Swatantra Bharat School, Tulsipur
- Composite School, Maizapur
- Primary School, Gularia
- Higher secondary school, Gularia
- Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidyalaya, Gularia
- Kasturba Awasik Vidyalaya, Gularia
- Satyabai Children Academy

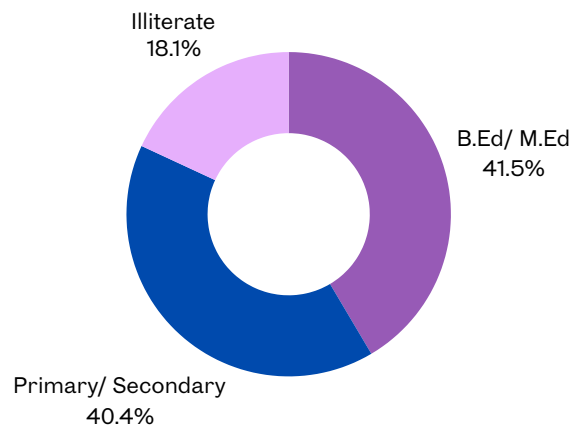


Fig 14: Education profile of respondents



# Analysis and Findings

## Quality Education

### School Sanitation

Under its education interventions, BCML has played a significant role in supporting local schools in constructing or renovating toilet facilities. This initiative extends to ensuring that the facilities are inclusive and accessible for individuals with disabilities, with special attention given to their specific requirements. By providing accessible toilets, the intervention has not only contributed to improving sanitation and hygiene standards in schools but also promotes inclusivity and equal access to education for all students, including those with disabilities.

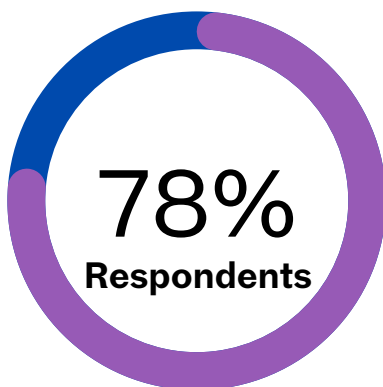


Fig 15: Toilets Designed for Disabled Students

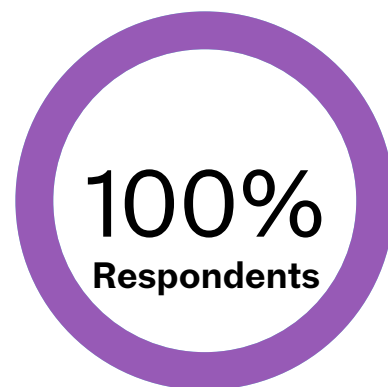


Fig 16: Proper Maintenance of Toilets

All interviewed stakeholders confirmed that the school authority ensures the proper maintenance of toilets. Additionally, over 78% of respondents noted that the school has more than three toilets to meet the needs of students. This indicates a positive trend towards addressing sanitation requirements within the school environment, highlighting the importance placed on hygiene and convenience for students by the school administration, supported by BCML. The provision of multiple toilets demonstrates a proactive approach in ensuring that students have access to clean and functional facilities, contributing significantly to their overall well-being and comfort during school hours.



# Analysis and Findings

## Quality Education

### Drinking Water Facility

To ensure access to clean drinking water, BCML has implemented the installation of seven RO water units in schools during the FY 2023-2024. According to all respondents, the RO units were installed by BCML in their respective schools and are operating efficiently. Furthermore, the school administration has taken responsibility for the regular maintenance of these units. This initiative reflects BCML's commitment to promoting health and hygiene among students by providing them with safe and reliable drinking water sources within the school premises. The successful functioning of the RO units underscores the effectiveness of collaborative efforts between BCML and the school administration in addressing essential infrastructure needs for the benefit of students' well-being.





# Analysis and Findings

## Quality Education



### Strengthening School Infrastructure

Improving infrastructure in government schools across India has been a persistent and substantial challenge. BCML directs its efforts towards addressing several of these infrastructure-related challenges, including the construction of toilet blocks, providing access to clean water through RO plants, ensuring adequate furniture and facilitating access to computers, among others.

The infrastructure issues in government schools have often hampered the overall learning environment and impacted the well-being of students. For instance, inadequate toilet facilities can lead to hygiene concerns, affecting the health and attendance of students. The installation of RO plants is crucial as it ensures that students have access to safe drinking water, promoting better health outcomes. Furthermore, providing sufficient furniture and computers creates a conducive learning environment, enhancing the educational experience for students and supporting their academic growth.



# Analysis and Findings

## Quality Education

BCML's focus on addressing these infrastructure challenges reflects its commitment to improving the quality of education and overall school experience for students in government schools. By tackling these issues, BCML contributes significantly towards creating a more conducive and holistic learning environment that fosters the well-being and development of students.

**16,000+**  
Students Impacted

**19 Schools and 2 ITIs**  
Supported with Infrastructure

BCML supported 19 government schools and 2 ITIs located close to their plant sites. The following outlines some of the infrastructure support BCML provided. Computers were supplied to Kasturba Awasik Vidyalaya, Maizapur school, and laptops with projectors were also provided to three other schools.

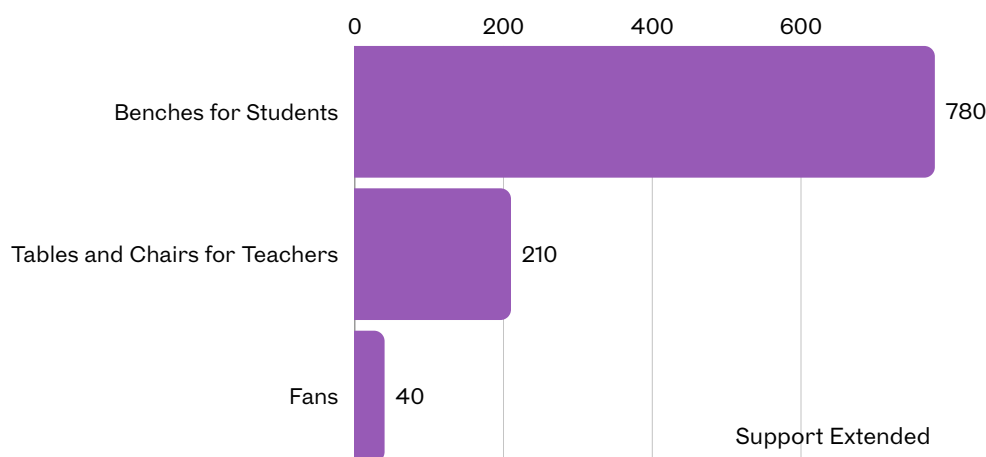


Fig 17: Type of Support Extended



# Analysis and Findings

## Quality Education

### Promoting Science Education through Mobile Science Lab

BCML in collaboration with Agastya International Foundation, has undertaken an initiative to enhance science education and hands-on learning in rural and remote regions with limited access to quality education and resources. This initiative involves the deployment of mobile labs equipped with a wide range of scientific instruments, experiments, models and educational materials. These resources are designed to actively engage students in interactive learning experiences, allowing them to explore scientific concepts through practical applications and experiments.

By bringing science education directly to these underserved areas, BCML and the Agastya International Foundation are working to bridge the gap in educational opportunities and empower students with valuable knowledge and skills. The mobile labs serve as a platform for fostering curiosity, critical thinking and innovation among students, ultimately contributing to their overall academic development and future prospects.

**63** Schools  
Outreached

**6,022** Students  
Benefitted





## Case Study Quality Education



### Improving Student Well-Being Through the Installation of Water Coolers and Geysers at Atal Awasiya Vidyalaya

To address the critical requirement for proper hydration and comfort under harsh weather conditions, the BCML - Mankapur Unit collaborated with Atal Awasiya Vidyalaya to offer essential facilities. This effort included installing two water coolers during the hot summer months, greatly benefiting the students and staff.

The primary objective of the collaboration was to ensure students' well-being by providing access to clean, cold water in summer and hot water for bathing during winter. Additionally, the initiative aimed to enhance the overall comfort and hygiene standards within the school premises. During the winter season, the BCML facilitated the installation of eight geysers across various sections of the school. This provision ensured that students could comfortably take warm baths even in the coldest weather, promoting personal hygiene and preventing discomfort associated with cold showers.

Before the installation of the water cooler in the school, the students might not have had easy access to clean drinking water. They had to rely on water directly from the tank, which was hot during the summers and not always functional or hygienic.



FY 2023-24

# Quality Healthcare

*Bridging the Gap:  
Strengthening  
communities with  
accessible rural  
healthcare*





## Analysis and Findings Quality Healthcare

BCML under its quality healthcare intervention, has significantly strengthened government healthcare centers. This initiative is focused on enhancing the quality and accessibility of healthcare services for the community. By conducting health camps, BCML has provided crucial doorstep access to medical care, ensuring that even the most remote and underserved populations receive the attention they need. These efforts underscore BCML's commitment to improving public health infrastructure and delivering essential healthcare services to those who need them most.

**07**

Healthcare Centers  
and Rehabilitation Centers  
Supported

**03**

Health Camps

**195**

Villages Covered

**78,834+**

Beneficiaries impacted



# Analysis and Findings

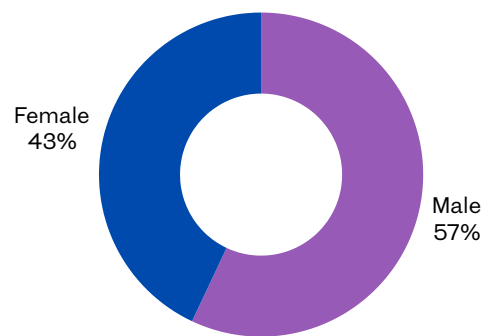
## Quality Healthcare

The Third Planet Foundation team assessed the effectiveness of healthcare initiatives by collaborating with 35 stakeholders associated with various healthcare facilities. These facilities encompassed Public Health Centers (PHCs) and Community Health Centers (CHCs), crucial in delivering healthcare services to communities. The engagement with stakeholders aimed to gather insights, feedback and data on the impact of healthcare interventions implemented by BCML. By involving stakeholders linked to different levels of healthcare provision, the assessment sought to comprehensively understand the reach, effectiveness, and challenges faced in delivering healthcare services.

### Stakeholders Profile



- Primary Health Center (PHC), Gularia
- Primary Health Center (PHC), Akbarpur
- Community Health Center (CHC), Mankapur
- Community Health Center (CHC), Maizapur
- Community Health Center (CHC), Kumbhi
- Community Health Center (CHC), Balrampur



**Fig 18: Gender Profile of Respondents**

To gain a comprehensive understanding of the intervention's impact, the team engaged with a range of personnel linked to healthcare facilities, including doctors, ANM workers, and both medical and non-medical staff. The doctors interviewed had MBBS degrees, while the staff members involved were graduates. ANM members have received education up to the secondary/senior secondary level.

# Analysis and Findings

## Quality Healthcare

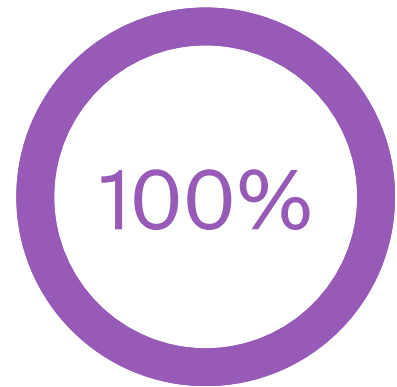
### Strengthened Government Healthcare Infrastructure and Medical Support

BCML contributed to the enhancement of government healthcare infrastructure by renovating facilities in Gularia, Babhnan and Maizapur. The renovation efforts aimed to improve the quality and accessibility of healthcare services in these areas. Feedback from all 11 respondents from these locations confirmed that they had indeed received support in terms of infrastructure upgrades. This support aims to ensure they meet modern standards and can effectively cater to the healthcare needs of the local community. This has played a crucial role in strengthening healthcare systems, particularly in rural or underserved areas and improving overall health outcomes for residents.

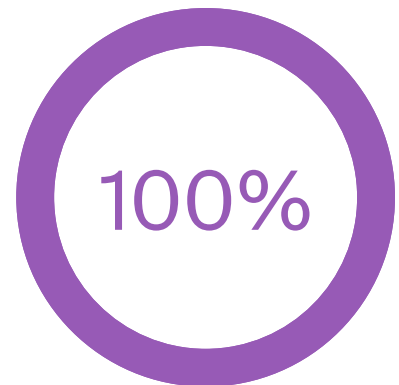
### Doorstep Access to Medical Care - Health Camps

All respondents from four out of the five surveyed locations, excluding Akbarpur, reported the organisation of health camps in their areas. All 29 respondents agreed that these health camps have proven effective in delivering healthcare services directly to communities, eliminating the need for people to travel to healthcare facilities for basic medical needs.

### Respondents Feedback



**Fig 19: Respondents affirmed infrastructure is in good condition**



**Fig 20: Health camps were effective**



## Analysis and Findings

### Quality Healthcare

Below are a few of the benefits of health camps as stated by respondents.

**Accessibility:** The organisation of health camps indicates a proactive approach to improving healthcare accessibility, especially for communities located in remote or underserved areas. Bringing healthcare services directly to people's doorsteps reduces barriers to access and ensures timely medical assistance.

**Community Engagement:** The effectiveness of these health camps suggests a high level of community engagement and participation. Respondents' finding the camps beneficial indicates that they perceive the healthcare services offered as valuable and essential to their well-being.

**Preventive Healthcare:** Health camps often focus on treatment and preventive healthcare measures such as health screenings, vaccinations, and health education. This proactive approach helps in the early detection of health issues and promotes overall well-being within the community.

The fact that all respondents acknowledged the positive impact of BCML's support indicates that the initiatives undertaken by BCML have effectively improved healthcare services. This implies that BCML's contributions, whether through infrastructure development, supply of medicines, or organising health camps, have been well-received and beneficial to the community. All of the respondents mentioned that the support should be continued. This implies that BCML's efforts are appreciated and deemed essential for sustaining and further improving healthcare services in the area. The unanimous support for continuing BCML's support reflects a high level of trust and satisfaction within the community regarding BCML's involvement in healthcare.

#### Respondents Feedback

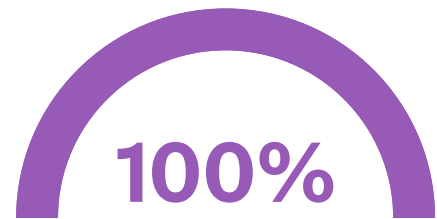


Fig 21: Support to be continued

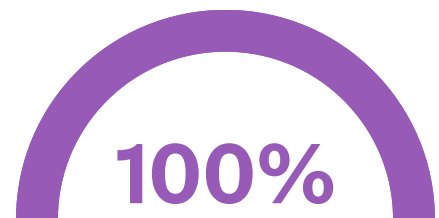


Fig 22: Helped in strengthening healthcare infrastructure

# Case Study

## Quality Healthcare



### Enhancing Healthcare Access in Naogaon: A Success Story of ANM Centre Improvement and Community Impact

Miss Kiran, a dedicated ANM at the ANM Center in Naogaon, Gularia, witnessed a remarkable transformation in the childbirth delivery services provided to her community.

The ANM Centre in Naogaon faced significant challenges in meeting the child delivery needs of the local population. Before the intervention, the ANM Centre was often overcrowded, and many villagers had to rely on private clinics, which were both expensive and less accessible.

The BCML support included substantial infrastructural improvements. These enhancements upgraded the facility and increased its capacity to serve the local population more effectively. The renovations included adding essential medical equipment, better sanitation facilities and improved patient care areas, making the ANM centre more efficient and welcoming.

One of the most significant impacts of these improvements was the increase in the number of women availing institutional child delivery. With enhanced facilities and services, the footfall at the ANM Centre grew substantially.

Miss Kiran noted a drastic improvement in patient outcomes and satisfaction. The upgraded infrastructure meant that patients could be treated in a cleaner, more comfortable environment, reducing the risk of infections and improving overall health standards. The success of this project highlights the critical role of continuous support and investment in public health facilities to ensure that healthcare is accessible, affordable, and effective for all.





# Environment Sustainability

*Preserving Today for Tomorrow: Embracing Environmental Sustainability*



# Analysis and Findings

## Environment Sustainability

BCML is dedicated to enhancing natural capital by conserving soil, water and natural habitats. Demonstrating corporate responsibility, BCML has actively engaged in afforestation and the conservation of natural resources. A notable initiative within their afforestation efforts is the promotion of Miyawaki forests. BCML involves local communities in their conservation efforts, providing education and resources to encourage sustainable practices.

**1,66,773**  
Trees Planted

**18**  
Ponds Rejuvenated/  
Renovated

**172**  
Solar Lights Installed

**40,910+**  
Beneficiaries Impacted



# Analysis and Findings

## Environment Sustainability

BCML's water conservation and afforestation initiative aims to promote sustainable environmental practices by focusing on preserving water resources and increasing green cover. The water conservation efforts are designed to ensure the efficient use and management of water, addressing the critical need for water sustainability. Concurrently, the afforestation component seeks to enhance biodiversity, improve air quality and contribute to the fight against climate change by planting trees and restoring forested areas. Together, these initiatives demonstrate BCML's commitment to fostering a healthier and more sustainable environment for future generations.



### Creating a Cleaner and Greener Future Through Afforestation

According to the details, BCML has undertaken extensive plantation activities. This includes implementing both Miyawaki plantation and traditional plantation methods across multiple villages.

The Miyawaki plantation method was implemented in seven villages, involving the planting of a significant number of saplings. This indicates a strong commitment to using innovative and dense planting techniques to enhance green cover and biodiversity in these areas.

Additionally, normal plantation activities were carried out in six villages. This suggests a comprehensive approach to afforestation and environmental conservation, covering a wide geographic area and involving substantial resources and efforts.

Overall, these plantation initiatives reflect a proactive stance towards ecological sustainability and community development, aiming to improve the environmental quality and livelihoods of the villages involved.

# Analysis and Findings

## Environment Sustainability

### Water Conservation

In FY 2023-2024, 18 ponds were rejuvenated in six villages. These efforts have led to the creation of a water harvesting capacity of 50,000 cubic meters. Around 22,500 people in these villages have benefited from these initiatives.

### Energy Access Through Renewable Sources

BCML's installation of 172 solar lights at various locations not only enhances infrastructure but also fosters community development. These lights improve public safety by illuminating streets, reducing accidents and enhancing security. Additionally, their use of solar power aligns with sustainable practices, reducing environmental impact and long-term electricity costs. This initiative demonstrates BCML's commitment to holistic development, promoting safety, sustainability and economic benefits for the communities they serve.





# Case Study

## Environment Sustainability



### Ponds Rejuvenation: A Success Story in Janakpur

In the heart of Janakpur village, where challenges once loomed large over water scarcity and agricultural struggles, now stands a testament to community resilience and progress: the revitalised ponds.

Through collaborative efforts with the Balarampur Foundation and Balrampur Chini Mills Limited - Tulsipur Unit under their CSR initiatives for 2023-2024, Janakpur has seen a transformative journey.

#### **Pond Condition Before**

Before the intervention, the ponds in Janakpur were dire, affecting water availability and agricultural productivity. The water level was often insufficient, leaving farmers and villagers grappling with irrigation challenges.

#### **Community Benefits of Pond Rejuvenation**

The reconstruction of ponds brought a wave of benefits to the community. Firstly, it significantly improved water recharge levels, ensuring a more reliable water source for irrigation purposes. This in turn, has bolstered agricultural activities, providing farmers with the means to enhance their livelihoods. Additionally, the renewed ponds have become community hubs, fostering social interactions and providing a serene environment for villagers.

The journey of pond rejuvenation in Janakpur is not just a story of infrastructure development but a testament to community empowerment, sustainable practices, and resilience in the face of challenges. As these efforts continue to evolve, they serve as a beacon of hope and inspiration for other communities embarking on similar transformative journeys.



# Rural Development and Transformation

*Fostering Unity, Empowering  
Change: Building Strong  
Communities Together*

स्त्रीजन्य से  
बलरामपुर फाउंडेशन बल

FY 2023-24

# Analysis and Findings

## Rural Development (Swachh Bharat)

BCML is committed to community development, demonstrating this through a variety of impactful initiatives aimed at improving local infrastructure and enhancing safety. The company has installed hand pumps to provide reliable access to clean water, addressing a fundamental need in many communities. To promote hygiene and gender inclusivity, BCML has constructed "Pink Toilets," which are specially designed to cater to the needs of women and girls, ensuring their comfort and privacy. To support sustainable development, BCML has upgraded 3 "Shakti Rooms" to empower women by providing safe waiting halls for gatherings and decision-making. This initiative significantly enhances women's participation in community development and strengthens their collective voice.

# 134

Handpumps Installed

# 18

Street Lights and  
Highmast Lights Installed

# 04

Pink Toilets Constructed

# 70,902+

Beneficiaries Impacted





# Analysis and Findings

## Rural Development

According to the details, it can be inferred that BCML is deeply committed to community development across a wide area, as evidenced by its support of 117 villages. The initiatives cover a range of essential services and infrastructure, indicating a holistic approach to improving the quality of life in these communities.

Specifically, BCML's community development efforts include the installation of street lights. This suggests a focus on enhancing safety and visibility during nighttime hours, contributing to the overall well-being and security of the villages. The installation of handpumps indicates a commitment towards providing access to clean and safe drinking water, addressing a crucial need in rural areas. Similarly, deploying CCTV cameras reflects efforts towards enhancing security and surveillance infrastructure, promoting a safer environment for residents.

The provision of pink toilets, particularly in Gularia and Maizapur, underscores BCML's dedication towards promoting sanitation and hygiene practices, which are essential for public health and dignity. Furthermore, BCML's support extends to social infrastructure such as rest shades and community halls, indicating a focus on creating spaces for social gatherings, events and community activities, fostering social cohesion and interaction.

BCML supported the community by installing RO water purifiers in public spaces, such as police stations, nutrition rehabilitation centres, and tehsil offices. It has helped the community access safe drinking water, which leads to healthy living.

Finally, including an electric garbage van highlights BCML's commitment to environmental sustainability and waste management practices, addressing the critical issue of solid waste disposal in rural areas. BCML's comprehensive community development initiatives reflect a proactive and multi-faceted approach to improving the overall quality of life and well-being of the villages BCML supports.

### Community Safety and Security

BCML's installation of 17 CCTV cameras in public places represents a proactive step towards enhancing security and safety within the community.



# Analysis and Findings

## Rural Development

### Surrounding Area Development

#### Access to Water at the Community Level

BCML supported providing 134 handpumps for water access, which significantly contributes to addressing a crucial need in communities. Access to clean and safe drinking water is essential for health, hygiene, and overall well-being. These handpumps ensure that communities have a reliable and convenient water source, reducing the time and effort required to fetch water, especially for women and children who often bear the responsibility of water collection. This can lead to improved productivity and educational opportunities as time previously spent on water collection can now be utilised for other purposes.

#### Pink Toilets

BCML aided in establishing four pink toilets, aiming to meet gender-specific requirements and create a secure and comfortable environment for women accessing public restroom facilities.

#### Social Infrastructure and Beautification of the Community Spaces

BCML constructed three community halls and two rest shades during the financial year. Beautification of the community spaces was carried out in adjacent areas. An electric garbage collection was provided in Mankapur.



# Impact Assessment Conclusion





BCML's intervention around sustainable livelihood, encompassing skill training for women and providing farm mechanisation equipment for farmers, has been instrumental in ensuring a sustainable source of livelihood and income. These efforts empower women by enhancing their skills and economic opportunities and improving agricultural productivity and efficiency through advanced mechanisation. Collectively, these initiatives significantly contribute to several United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

BCML has helped reduce poverty in the communities it serves by providing stable income sources and enhancing economic opportunities. The organization has improved agricultural practices and productivity through mechanization, contributing to food security and nutrition. Skill training programs specifically targeted at women promote gender equality by empowering them with the tools and opportunities to fully participate in the economy. BCML supports inclusive and sustainable economic growth and decent work for all by creating sustainable livelihood opportunities. The introduction of modern farming equipment fosters innovation and infrastructure development in the agricultural sector. Empowering marginalized groups, such as women, and providing equitable opportunities contributes to reducing community inequalities.

Through these targeted interventions, BCML not only enhances the livelihoods of individuals but also fosters broader community development and resilience, aligning its efforts with global objectives for sustainable development. BCML has further demonstrated its commitment to community development and sustainability by supporting various essential infrastructure projects. Introducing pink toilets addresses the critical sanitation issue, especially for women, promoting hygiene and health. Solar lights and fencing enhance safety and security while promoting renewable energy use, reducing the community's carbon footprint.

By planting trees using traditional and Miyawaki methods, BCML actively contributes to Climate Action, as these efforts help sequester carbon dioxide and combat climate change. Additionally, tree planting supports Life on Land by promoting biodiversity and improving ecosystem health. The rejuvenation of community ponds aligns with Clean Water and Sanitation, ensuring access to clean water and supporting aquatic ecosystems. These initiatives collectively foster environmental stewardship, enhance community resilience, and contribute to the sustainable management of natural resources, aligning with multiple Sustainable Development Goals.

BCML has substantially contributed to community development by strengthening healthcare infrastructure and enhancing school facilities. By improving healthcare infrastructure, BCML addresses Good Health and Well-being, ensuring access to quality healthcare services, reducing disease, and promoting overall health in the community. Enhancing school infrastructure supports Quality Education by creating a conducive learning environment, improving educational outcomes, and providing equal opportunities for all students. These efforts not only uplift the immediate communities but also foster long-term sustainable development, aligning BCML's initiatives with the broader objectives of the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals.



# Media Coverage



# ABOUT THIRD PLANET FOUNDATION

Third Planet Foundation is a Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) implementation organisation registered as a Section 8 (not-for-profit) in 2012. We work on diverse thematic areas aligned to Schedule VII, Section 135 of the Companies Act 2013 guidelines.

We provide Table to Field customised CSR services that cover the complete lifecycle of CSR, including planning, execution, and reporting. Our services include CSR Policy Formulation, Advisory & Advocacy, Need Assessment / Baseline Study, In-house Project Implementation, Monitoring, Evaluation & CSR Reporting and Recommendation, Social Audit, and Social Impact Assessment.

Third Planet Foundation specialises in the field-level implementation of a wide range of socio-economic development Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) projects in the areas of Community & Rural Development, Poverty Alleviation, Quality Education, Skill & Livelihood Development, Quality Healthcare, Water, Sanitation & Hygiene (WASH), Women Empowerment, Agriculture Development, Disaster Relief & Rehabilitation and Environment Sustainability including Promotion of Renewable Energy.

Third Planet Foundation is empanelled with NITI Aayog - Darpan, GuideStar India, Nasscom Foundation BigTech, Government e-Marketplace, and Ministry of MSME, Government of India.



Third  
Planet  
Foundation

[www.3planet.org](http://www.3planet.org)



# Impact

**Assessment Report**  
CSR | Issued in May 2024



**CIN:** L15421WB1975PLC030118

**Registered Office**  
FMC Fortuna, 2nd Floor,  
234/3A, A.J.C. Bose Road, Kolkata 700020, West Bengal, India

**P:** +91 33 2287 4749; **F:** +91 33 2287 2887 **E:** bcml@bcml.in; **W:** www.chini.com