Living Labs of VHL and experiences



Living Labs



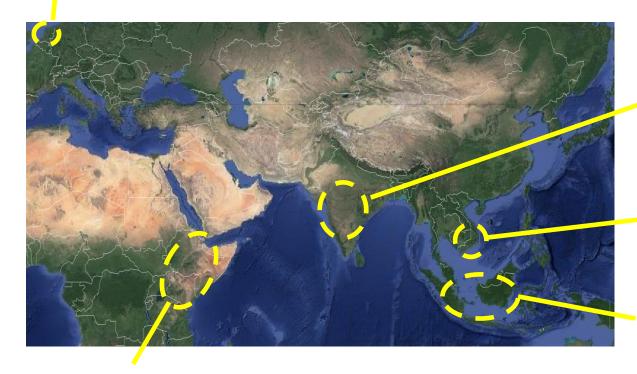






Living Labs

The Netherlands



Semi-arid plateau's of Kenya-Ethiopia

Semi-arid Highland plateau of Central India

Tropical Estuarine area of Vietnam

Tropical plateau's and estuarine areas of Indonesia



International



Living Lab Kalimantan: Rehabilitation of degraded peat areas

Vision: Degraded peatlands in Kalimantan are restored providing valuable ecosystem services for people, the economy and the environment through collaboration of stakeholders, embedded in just and responsible institutions

Knowledge Institute

ULM / VHL / IPB / WUR / ITPC / FOERDIA

Company / Organization

OP Companies / Mining Company / Small + medium enterprises (UMKM) / Tech. contractors / Agriprofocus / EMM / PT Sampit (jelutung) / BUMDES

Government / Public

Local government / BRG / MOEF / DINAS (incl. KPH) / Ministry of villages / Ministry of land / BPN / BAPPENAS / BAPPEDA / GGGI

NGO / Communities / Media

Villages & community organizations / WI / TBI Indon / Local and national media

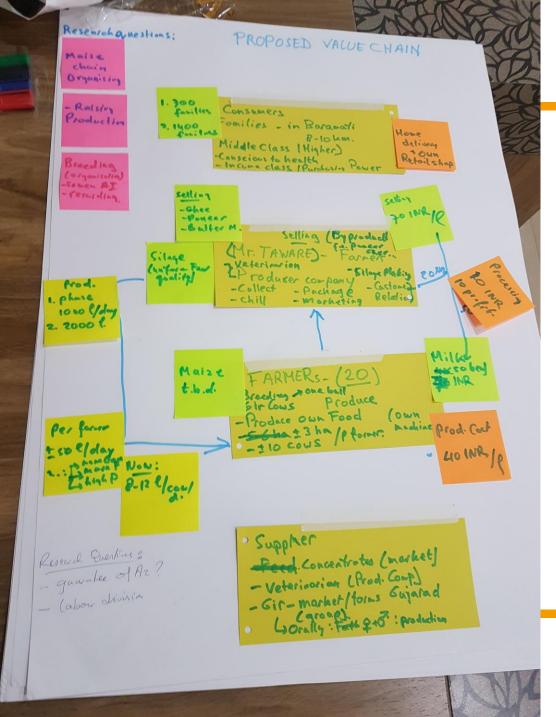




Living Lab Barmati- India













Living Labs Kenya/Ethiopia

CGIAR CCAFS
Business models
Climate
Smart Dairy



Circular Dairy: agroforestryfeed-manurecow









The Netherlands

Wadden Islands





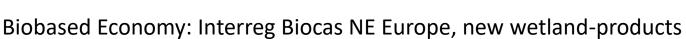
Projects Living Labs, the Netherlands

Proteines from Duckweed (NEXTGarden)



Nature inclusive agriculture, circular agriculture:
 'Food forests', meadow birds, valuable landscapes









Lessons from Living labs



Approach

(Strategic) Network



(Emergent)PROBLEM







PROJECT IDEA

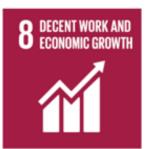


Challenges quadruple helix participation

- Cultural/social differences might hinder level playing field and including tacit knowledge of farmers
- Not always easy to include Government (federal-state-local): seen as outside player; bureaucracy and politics would disturb process and make the living lab unsafe
- Students should be prepared for working in other societies
- Develop competences for working in Living Labs
- Take time to prepare Living Lab processes and rules with participating partners

Farmers:





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Project (also):





Challenges: reflexivity

- Include monitoring and reflection
- Safe environment which does not always fit in culture of participants
- Facilitating reflection with trans-disciplinary groups requires certain competences..



Challenges interaction and trust

- Building and maintaining international relationships and trust takes years and are personal relationships
- Relationships sometimes undermined by organizational actions/procedures: our organizations not always based on intercultural skills and competences
- If one person leaves the whole process of relationship building has to start all over..
- Hierarchy and culture might hamper open relationships

