



○ DISSEMINATION AND DVM MONITORING

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Outline

- Introduction to recording vine dissemination data
- Introduction to DVM Monitoring
- Experiences from the field – DVM registration and monitoring



Objectives



- Record the names of the head of household and principal female caregiver in households receiving vines and sufficient information (village, cell phone) to enable that household to be located for follow-up verification of adoption of the sweetpotato varieties being disseminated.
- Have a record of the amounts and types of sweetpotato varieties being distributed within a given geographic area and whether the material was labeled to facilitate farmers learning the names of the different varieties and/or complying with the labeling requirement for quality declared seed.

- Enable the given project to know if it has met stipulated criteria regarding the type of recipient they should target. For example, noting the gender of the head of household and whether it is the head of household or the principal female caregiver (*if she is not the head*) most responsible for sweetpotato production in the household. Some projects require 75% of the recipients to be households with a child under five years of age. Dominant categories (types) of recipient households are listed.
- Record Number of vines provided by variety by vine source. If vines are commercialized, space to record the total amount of cash received.

Typical Diss. Situations



- 1) A set quantity of material of one to two varieties is provided to every household.
- 2) More than two varieties are provided to a household, and the amounts and type of variety may differ by household.

- 3) The distribution is done all at once (Mass distribution) with or without the farmers redeeming vouchers
- 4) The distribution is done at the site of a vine multiplier when vine recipients arrive to collect vines on different dates.

Demonstration of tools

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