

Participatory Planning

**Ideas and Processes in the Context of
Utilising PRA Techniques**

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Conventional Planning Process

- problem identification,
- definition of goals and objectives,
- collection of information on which to base decisions,
- analysis of information and identification of options,
- formulation of decisions and plans for implementing them,
- implementation,
- monitoring and evaluation.

Participatory Planning Process

The Same Process

Only Difference is

Participation of Stakeholders

Hence, Participatory Planning Begins with

- Identification of Stakeholders
- Analysis of their Expectations
- Rights and Responsibilities
- Power/Group Dynamics

The Logical Steps

- Identification of Problems, Issues, Needs
- Collection of information on which to base decisions
- Analysis
- Identification of Options
- Negotiation
- Agreement

The Important Issues

Participatory planning processes
are based on the transfer and sharing of
knowledge and information
between and among
stakeholders and management partners

Hence Effective Communication Skills

Conflict Management

In many respects, participatory processes
are **processes of negotiation**
that aim at resolving and managing
existing and potential conflicts

(between and among resource users, between resource uses, or
between resource management objectives and strategies).

The Importance

**A participatory process also offer an
opportunity to create
a shared vision of development
for all the communities in the area.**

Focus on Your Skills

Communication Skills

Behavioral Skills

Leadership Skills for facilitation purpose

Situational Management

Appropriate PRA Tools

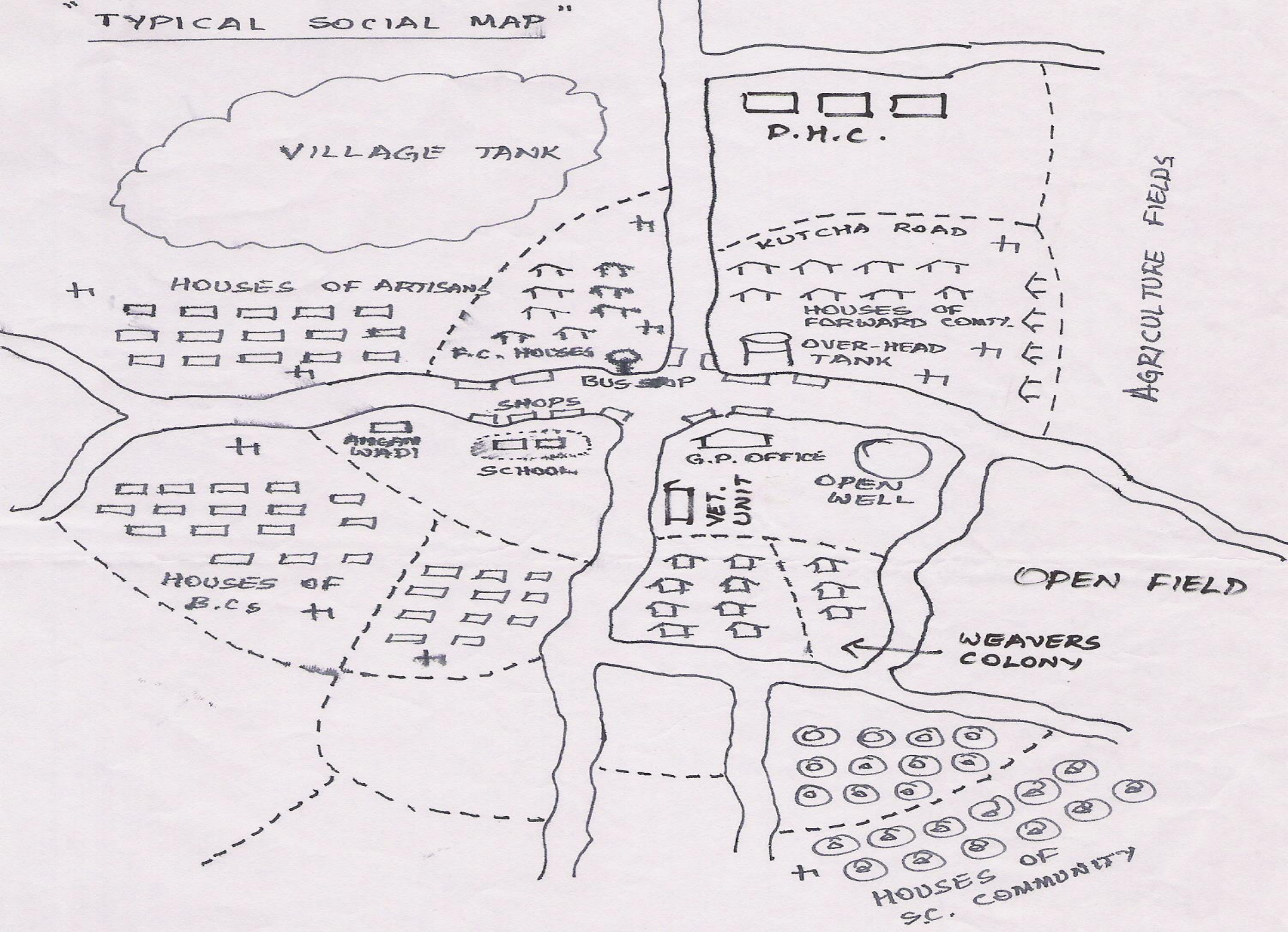
While Practicing PRA Tools

- Capture the Perception
- Focus on Creativity
- Ability to Grasp Indirectly
- Think Beyond
- Intensive Observation
- Be Comprehensive

The PRA Tools Consists of

- Maps
- Diagrams
- Matrix

"TYPICAL SOCIAL MAP"



RESOURCE MAP

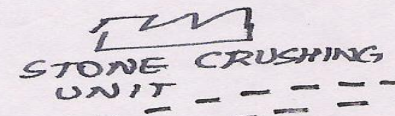
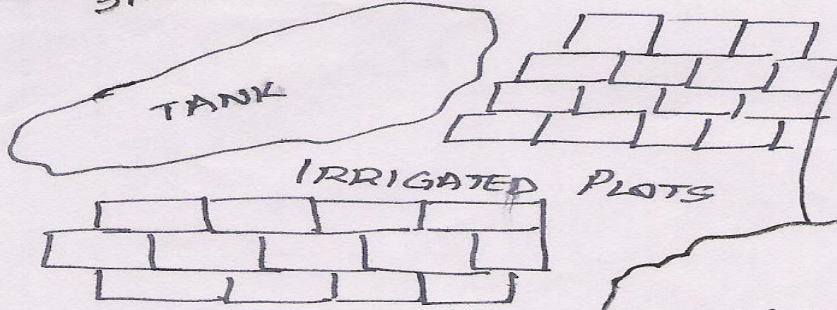
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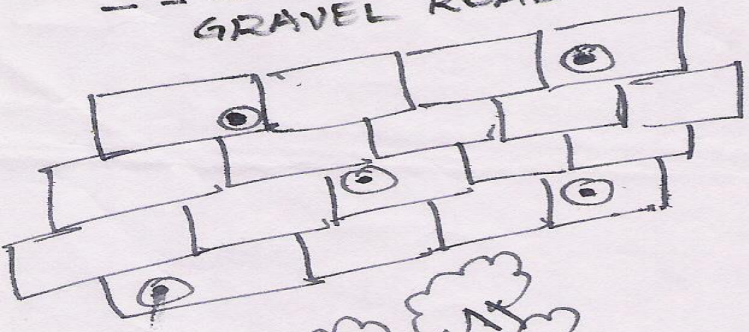
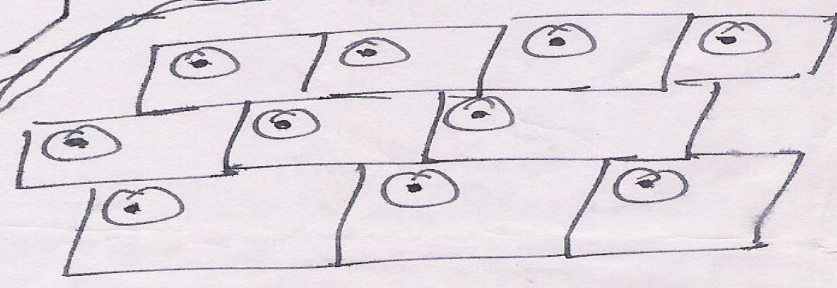
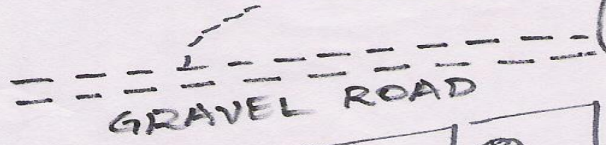
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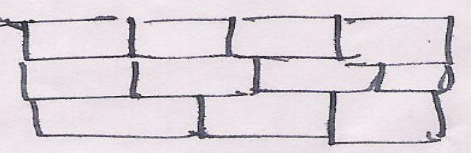
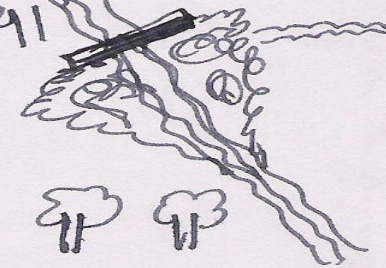
PUCCA ROAD



GRAVEL ROAD

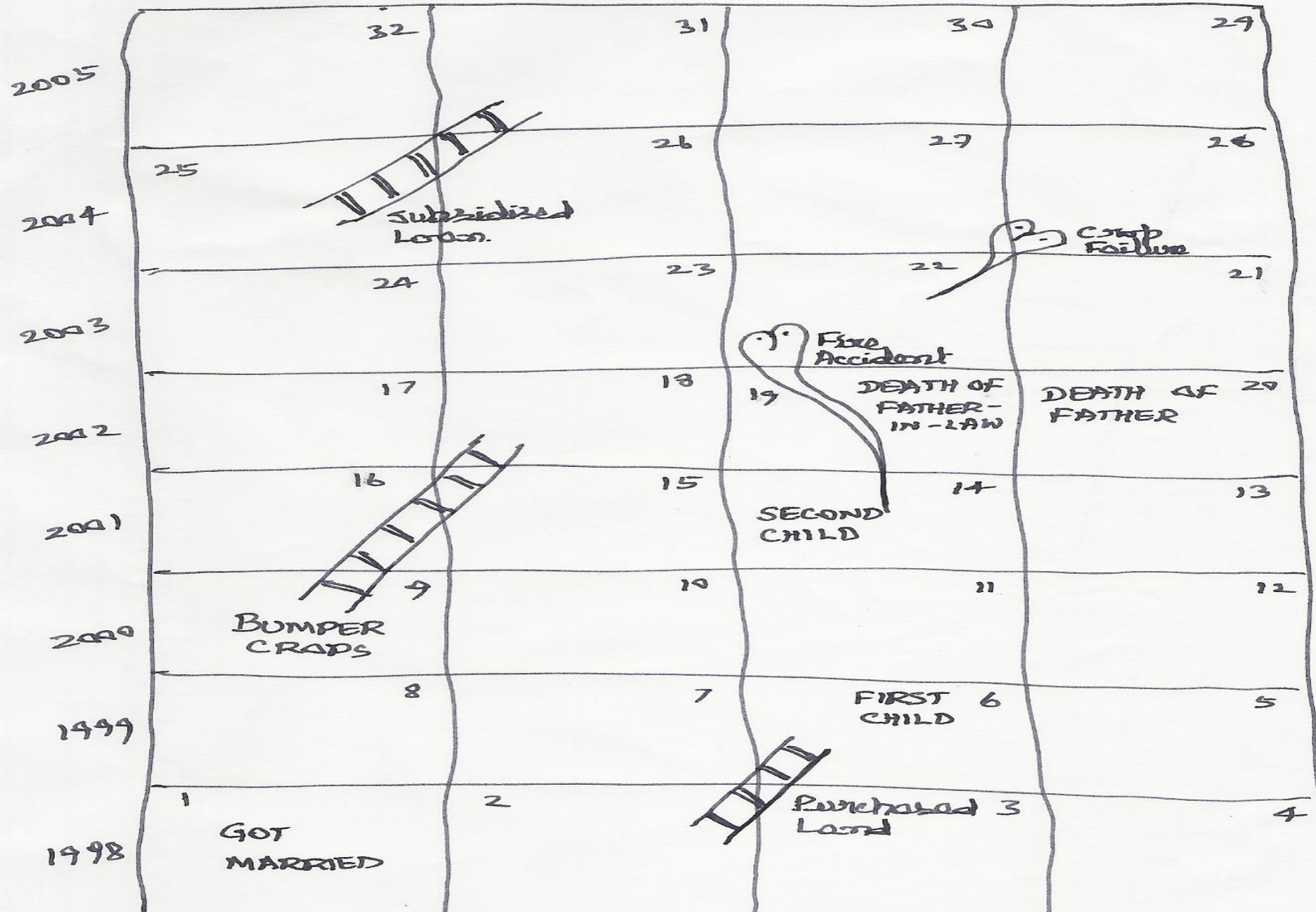


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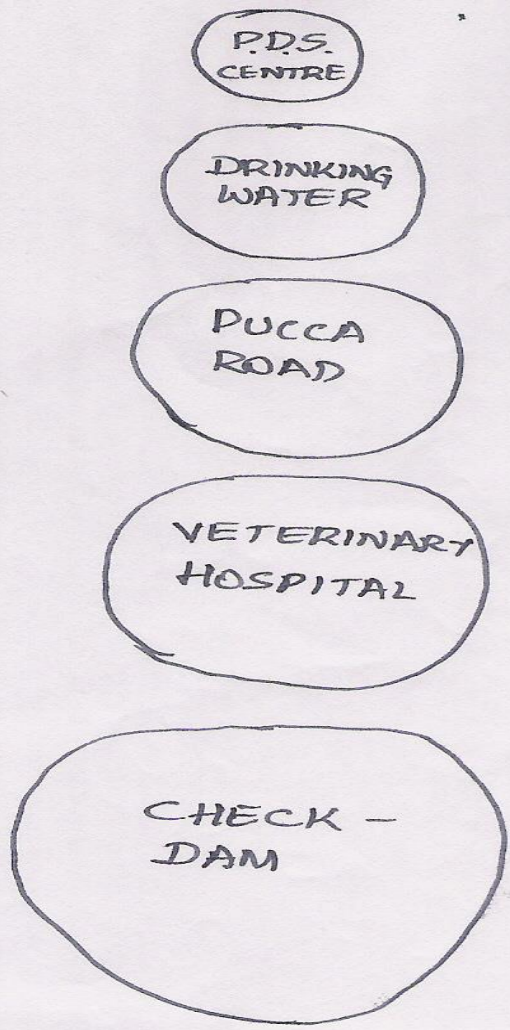


IRRIGATED LANDS

DEMOGRAPHIC MAP / FAMILY HISTORY MAP.

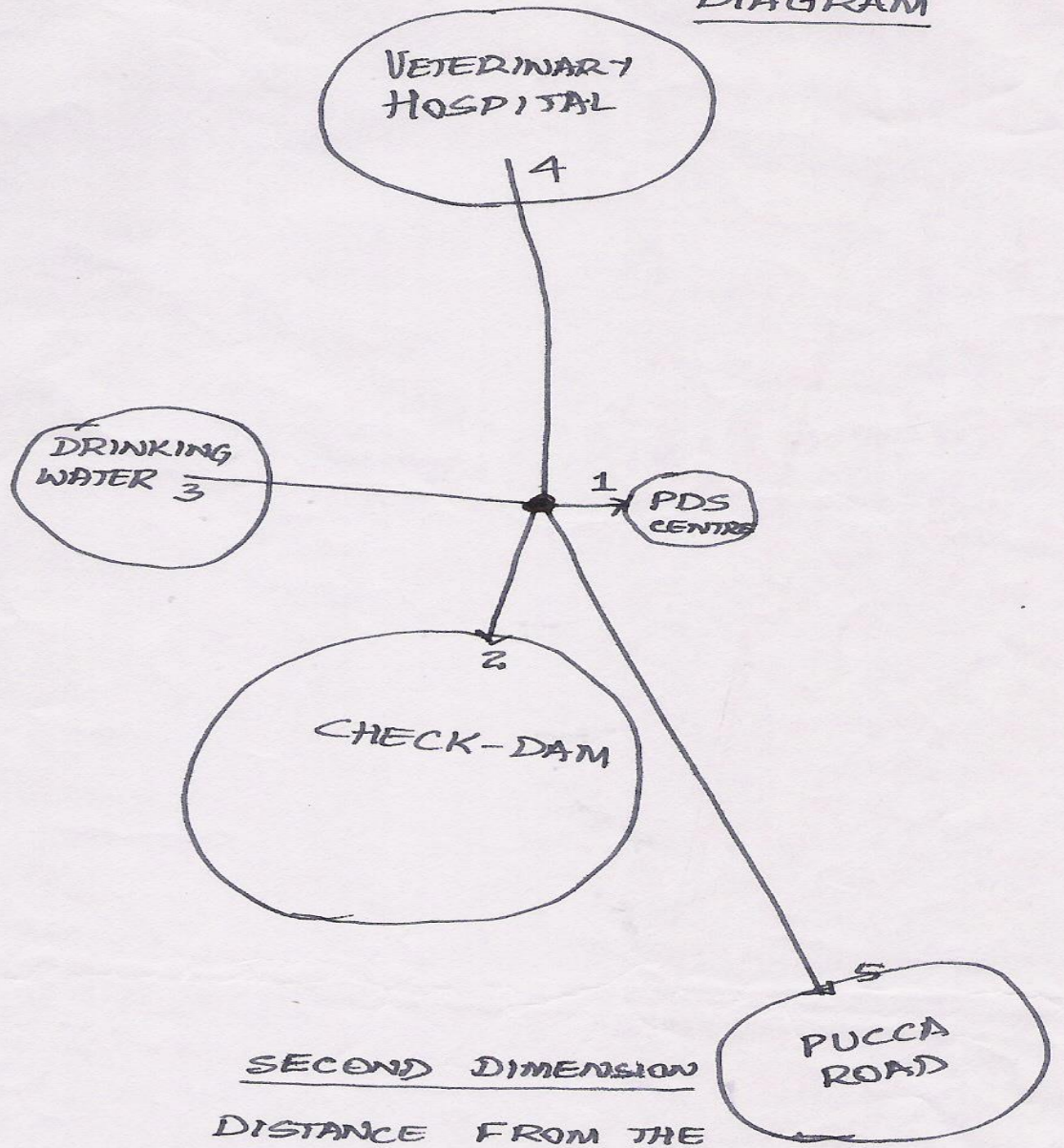


VENN OR CHAPATHI DIAGRAM



FIRST DIMENSION

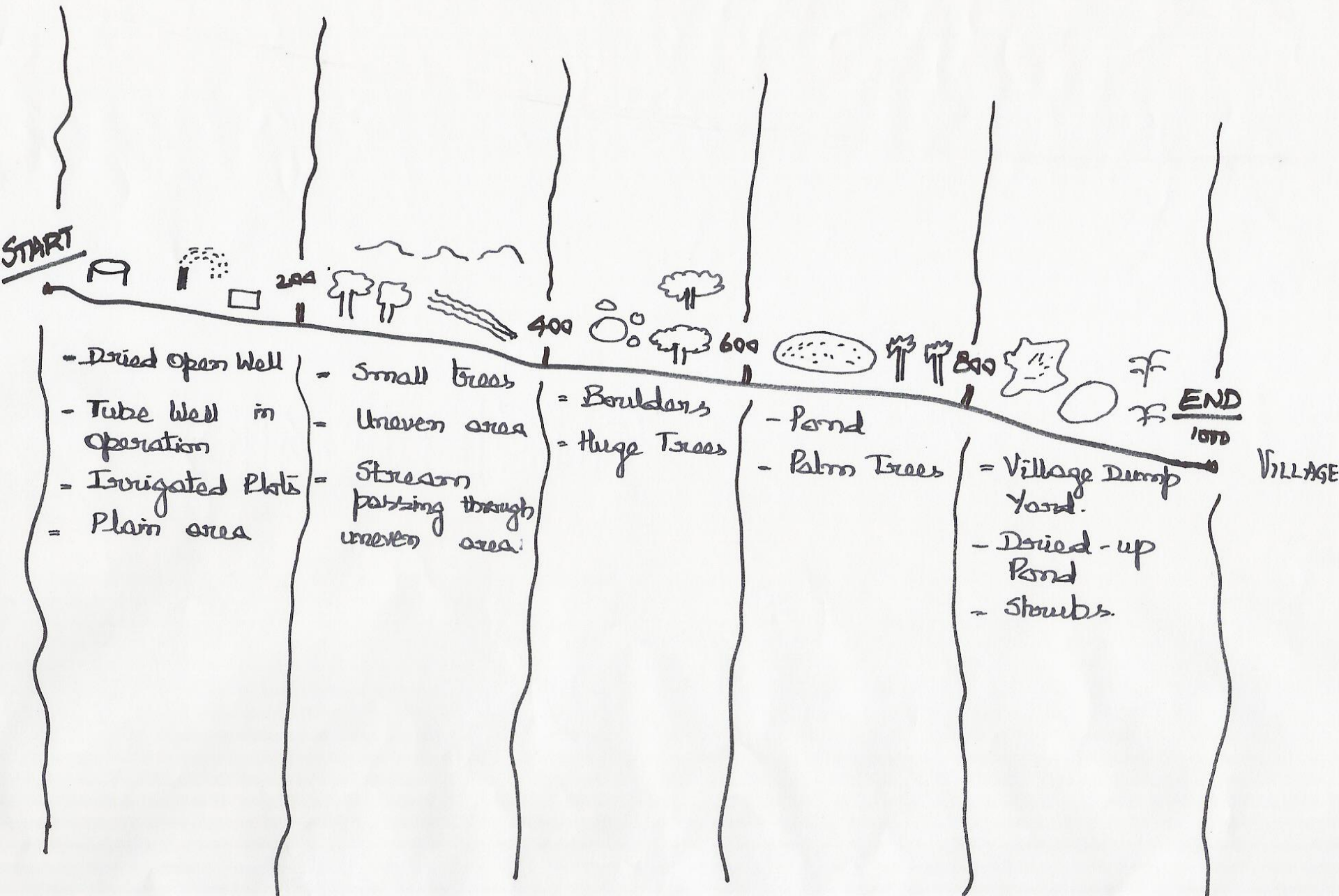
SIZE INDICATES IMPORTANCE OF THE ISSUE.



SECOND DIMENSION

DISTANCE FROM THE CENTRE INDICATE INTENSITY OF THE SPECIFIC UNIT OF ENQUIRY [EX: IMMEDIATE NECESSITY, COST, SCOPE FOR PEOPLES' PARTICIPATION ETC.]

TRNSECT WALK



TIME-LINE SERIES

TIME-SERIES
EXPRESSED THROUGH
MILE-STONE INCIDENTS]
→ RAZAKAR MOVEMENT

MAJOR INCIDENTS
[IN REFERENCE TO YOUR QUERY]
EX: PAC
Pucca Road

→ MILITARY ACTION

Post Office, Drinking Water, School.

→ VISIT OF NEHRU

Over Head Tank, Voluntary Unit,
First Tube Well

→ DEATH OF
NEHRU

Primary Health Centre, GP Office.
Add Room to school,

→ WAR WITH
PAKISTAN

Floods, spread of Diarrhea.

→ SKY LAB DEBRI

Water Scarcity, Severe Drought.

→ TELEVISION

Check-Dam, High School

→ WATERSHED VISIT
[FOREIGNERS]

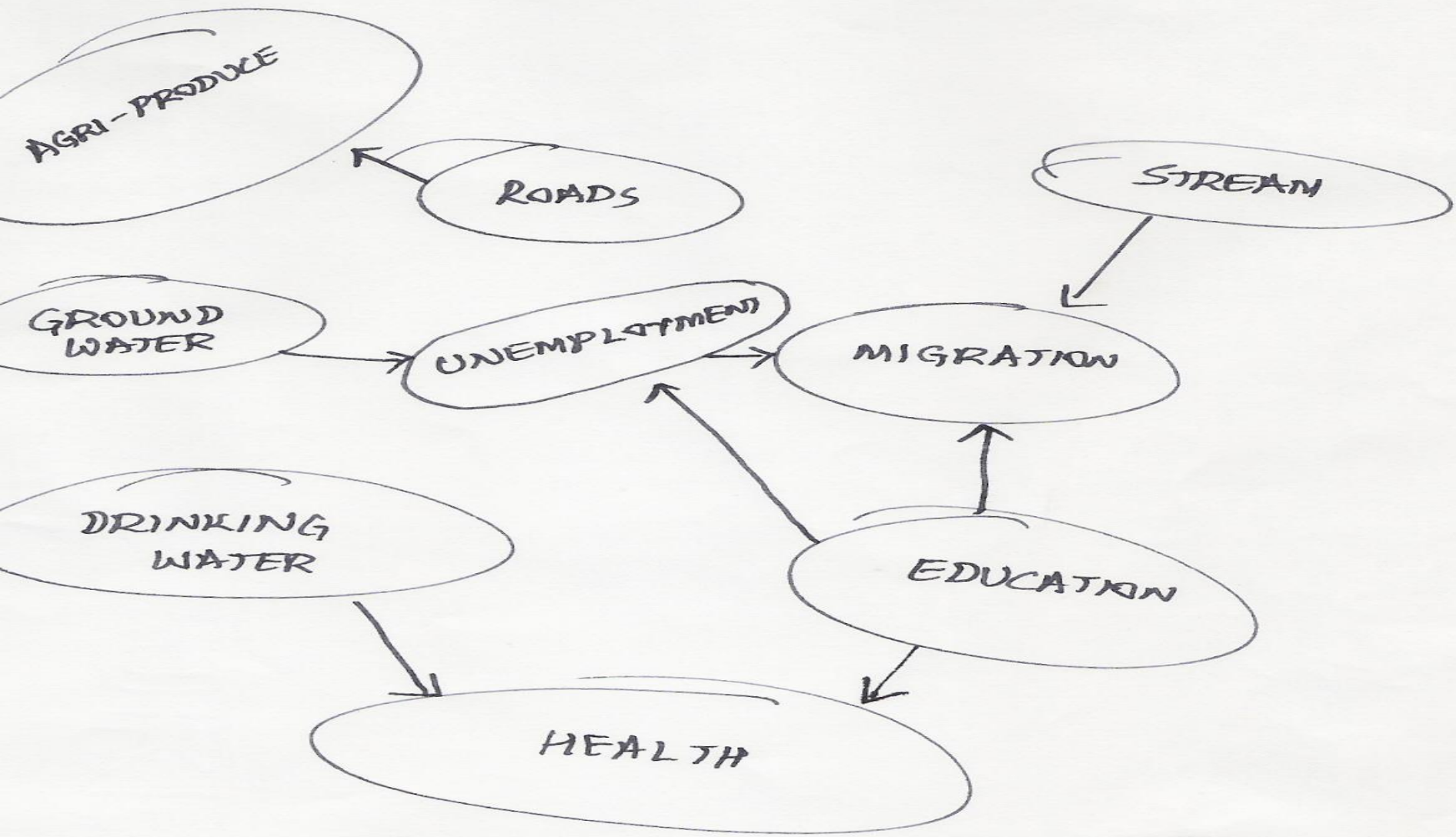
Community Hall, ~~★~~

→ NTR VISIT

Women Trg. Centre














→ ENCOUNTER

Rice Mill, Bus Shelter.



FLOW DIAGRAM

SEASONAL ANALYSIS

	HEALTH	DRINKING WATER	FODDER	EMPLOYMENT	MIGRATION
 [SUMMER]	oo			♀ ♂	♀♀♀♀ ♀♀♀♀♀ ♂♂♂♂
 [RAINY SEASON]	ooooo 			♀♀♀♀♀♀ ♂♂♂♂♂♂	♀ ♂
 [DIWALI]	ooo			♀♀♀ ♂♂♂♂♂ ♂♂♂♂♂ ♂♂♂♂	-
 [HARVEST]	oo			♀♀♀♀♀♀ ♀♀♀♀♀♀ ♂♂♂♂♂♂	♂♂♂♂♂♂
← TIME →	← VARIABLES FOR ENQUIRY →				→

PAIRWISE RANKING MATRIX

GUava ₁	BANana ₂	MAnGo ₃	PApaya ₄	ORange ₅	← PLANT ↓	SCORE	RANK
	BA	MA	PA	OR	1 GU	0	5
		BA	PA	BA	2 BA	3	2
			PA	OR	3 MA	1	4
				PA	4 PA	4	1
					5 OR	2	3

RANKING CRITERIA MATRIX

	FAVORABLE	UNFAVORABLE
PA		
BANana		
MAnGo		
GUava		
ORange		

RANKING MATRIX

PLANT	WATER CONSUMPTION ₁	SOIL SUITABILITY ₂	GESTATION PERIOD ₃	MARKET AVAILABILITY ₄	WEATHER SUITABILITY ₅	SCORE	RANK.
GUA	00	00	00 0	00 00	00 00	13	<u>III</u>
MANGO	00 00	00	00 00	00 00	00	12	<u>IV</u>
PAPAYA	00 00	00 00	00 00 00	00 00	00	16	<u>II</u>
ORANGE	00 00	0	00 00	00	0	11	<u>V</u>
BANANA	00	00 00	00 00 00	00 00	00 00	19	<u>I</u>
CAUTION SYMPTOMS	15	12	18	14	12	71 [MAXIMUM 100]	

OPTIONS ASSESMENT CHART

BEST BET FOR INNOVATION	PRODUCTIVITY	STABILITY	SUSTAINABILITY	EQUITABILITY	TIME TO BENEFIT	COST	TECHNICAL SOCIAL FEASIBILITY	PRIORITY
BOREHOLES	?	0	-	0	3	3	3	3
ROOF CATCHMENT	+	+	++	+	1	1	1	2
NATURAL SPRINGS	+	+	+	++	1	2	2	2
REHABILITATE DAMS	++	+	++	++	1	2	2	2
SHALLOW WELLS	+	+	++	0	2	1	1	2
NEW SURFACE DAMS	++	+	++	++	1	2	2	2

KEY

?	UNKNOWN
-	NEGATIVE IMPACT
0	NO IMPACT
+	POSITIVE IMPACT
++	VERY POSITIVE IMPACT

	TIME	COST	FEASIBILITY
3	LONG	HIGH	LOW
2	MEDIUM	MEDIUM	MEDIUM
1	SHORT	LOW	HIGH