

GENERATING A LIVING INCOME FROM FARMING?

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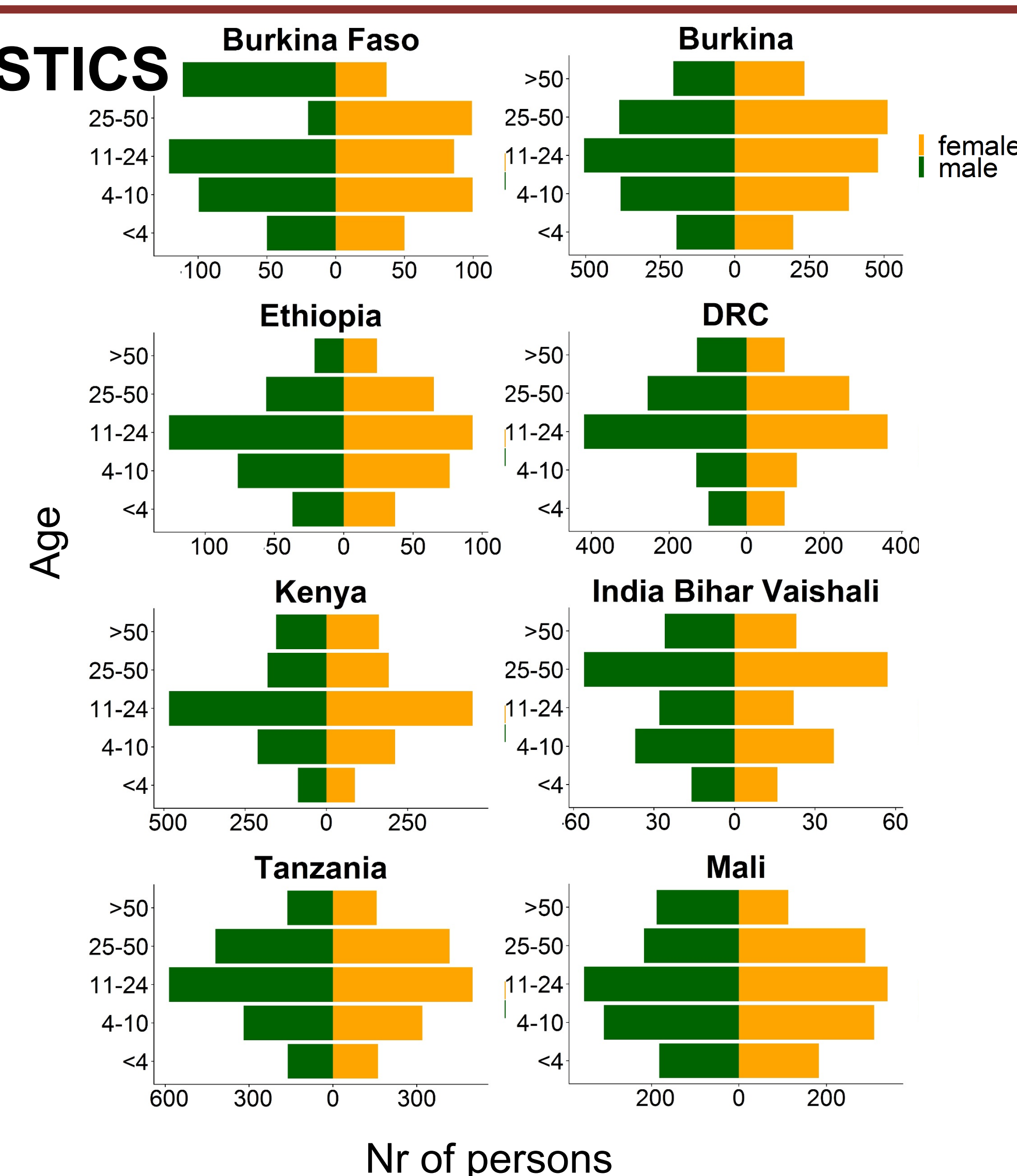
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LIVING INCOME

- **Poverty** alleviation is the primary Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) of the UN.
→ Zero people living of less than **\$1.90** per day in 2030
- Universal Declaration of **Human Rights** 25: “Everyone has the right to a standard of living adequate for the health and well-being of himself and of his family, including food, clothing, housing and medical care and necessary social services, [...].”
- **Living income** is the net income a household would need to earn to enable all members of the household to afford a decent standard of living (Anker & Anker, 2015).
- **Smallholder farmers** are major group of world’s poor
 - How does the smallholder farmer’s current income relate to a living income?
 - What farm size or production system can provide a living income?
 - What proportion of the current farming community could be sustained from agriculture through a living income?

CROSS-COUNTRY HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS

	Total farm land of HHs in survey (ha)	# HHs	Land area available per HH (ha)
Burkina	1354	39	4.5
DRC	533	267	2.0
Ethiopia (eth)	92	144	0.6
Ethiopia	314	94	3.3
India Bihar Vaishali	12	39	0.3
Kenya	451	340	1.3
Tanzania (tnz)	247	86	2.9
Vietnam	15	11	1.3



USING RHOMIS

- Sources of income
- Household composition and assets
- Important crops for cash and consumption
- Roll out analysis across multiple countries

