

Wageningen Centre for Development Innovation

"...we strengthen local food systems and bring knowledge into action."

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Rationale to use RHOMIS at WCDI

- Collection, sharing and analysis of field data
- Supervision, calibration and correction of surveys in real time
- Need for a comprehensive tool across a number of projects, e.g. TIDE School feeding program
- Ability to collect data on:
 - Farmer income
 - Welfare indicators
 - Household production, assets
 - Nutrition, Dietary diversity, Food security
- Pre-programmed ways of cleaning/ analyzing/ reporting data

Challenges and questions

- How participatory can we make this tool?
 - Explaining tool in a simple manner to those not skilled in surveys
 - Quality control measures that may limit the flexibility both in content and process, e.g. use of enumerators, necessary skills to collect data
- How can we link with others to explore interrelationships in our datasets and get insights on the work of others?

Ideas to explore

- Mixed methods - qualitative tools to complement the quantitative approach
- Local partners information needs / interest and how could RHOMIS present results in user-friendly manner (specific modules and / or indices)?
- Involving local universities in design, analysis and reporting

