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Dear Respondent,

I am Ashima Sharma, a Ph.D. student of the Department of Home Management, Faculty of Home Science, M.S. University of Baroda, Baroda. I am conducting a research study on the impact of technology on the rural homemakers. My main purpose is to ascertain in what ways technology has helped rural women especially the household, farm, health and communication technology and if it has not helped then what problems it has created for rural home makers. Overall, the purpose is to ascertain how technology has affected their quality of life.

In order to make this study a success I seek your help and co-operation. I hope you will provide me with the necessary and correct information. On my part I assure you that information provided by you will be kept confidential and used only for research purpose.

Thanking you in anticipation for your co-operation.

Yours sincerely,

(Ashima Sharma)

Research Guide: Prof. (Dr.) Kamala Srinivasan.

RURAL WOMEN AND TECHNOLOGY— A COST-BENEFIT ANALYSIS WITH FOCUS ON STATUS OF WOMEN AND FAMILY RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT

Interview Schedule

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Interview Schedule Nun	nber		
Type of Village			
 Agriculturally Back Agriculturally Adva 			
Work Status of the Hon	ıem	aker	
 Housewife Paid worker 		Unpaıd family worker Self employed	
Literacy Level of the Ho	ome	maker	
1. Illiterate	2	Literate	
Type of Farmers			
 Landless Medium Farmers Non-Farmers 		Small Farmers Large Farmers	
Name of the Homemaker			
Name of the Spouse			
Name of the Street/Local	ity		
House Number (if any)			
Any particular identific of the House of the Lane	atio	n	
		Signature of the Investigator	
		Date of filling the Schedule	

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			File	Α
Demographic and S	For Office Use			
Kindly inform me of y 1. Marned - 3. Sep 3. Widowed 4. Div				
Is your's nuclear or a 1. Nuclear 2. Joi	,			
Please tell me how m present and sharing	any people are living with you at food? Number of Males	 		
	Number of Females			
How old are you and (Record in actual yea	your spouse at present? rs) Homemaker's Age Spouse's Age			
How old were you an	d your spouse when you got married? Homemaker's age at marriage Spouse's age at marriage Married Life Span			
Would you please tell spouse are following? 1. Hinduism	l me which religion you and you Homemaker's Religion			
 2. Islam 3. Sikhism 4. Christianity 5. Any other (specify) 	Spouse's Religion			
To which caste do yo 1. Brahmin 2. Kshatriya	u and your spouse belong? Homemaker's Caste			
 Baniya Jat Yadav Gujjar Scheduled Caste 	Spouse's Caste			
8. Any other (specify)				

Joint Family consists of husband, wife, children and in-laws.

Nuclear Family consists of husband wife and their unmarried children only.

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8 P	lease tell me about your an	d your spouse's		
C	lucational qualification			
1	Illiterate	Homemaker's		
2	Literate/Primary	Educational Level		
3	Middle			
-1	Secondary '	Spouse's		
5	Below Graduate	Educational Level		
6	Graduate			
7	Post-Graduate			
8	Any other (specify)			
9	Would you please tell wh main activity?	at is your and your spouse's	, ,	
(Not	e:This information will be f homemaker and spouses		 	[]
1	Cultivator	Homemaker's		
2	Agricultural labourer	Main Activity		
3	Skilled worker			
-1	Craftsman/Artisan			
5	Casual labourer	Spouse's		
6	Government/Semi-Govt service(Class I & II)	Main Activity		
7	Government/Semi-Govt. service (Class III & IV)			
8	Professional and Technic	ians		
9	Unemployed			
11	Old and Disabled person			
12	Student			
13	Petty Business (Househo	ld)		
14	Business			
15	Housewife	<i>,</i>		
16	Domestic servant			
17	Any other (specify)			
	/ould you please inform me pouse's secondary activity?	e what is your and your ? (Code key is same as Sl. No. 9)		
		Homemaker's Secondary Activity		
	`	Spouse's Secondary Activity		

11. Household Family Structure

Kindly tell me about the composition of your family (Leaving aside information about yourself and your spouse).

r	ſ <u></u>
Monthly Income (in Rs.)	
Secondary Activity	
Main Activity	
Martial Status	
Educational Level	
Age (in years)	
Relation with the homemaker	
S. Name of the family No. member	
S. No.	

NOTE:

3.Mother-ın-law 7.Grandchild 2.Daughter 6.Brother-in-law 5.Dauther-m-law 1.Son (a) Relationship with : Homemaker

4.Father-ın-law 8.Any other (specify)

(b) Unmarried will be coded as 5.(c) For rest similar codes as of the homemaker will be used.(d) Main and Secondary activities will be filled as perceived by the respective members or adult person in the lamily

12 Are you aware of any organisation working for the welfare of the village?

> 1. No 2 Yes

13 If yes, then please state which of the following organisation exist in your village and of which organisation you are a member?

Organisation	Existence 1. No 2. Yes	Membership 1. No 2. Yes
Village Panchayat		
Religious Committee		
Co-operative Society		
Mahila Mandal		
Any other (specify)		

Economic Profile of the homemaker and the Household.

- 14 If you are a paid worker or self-employed kindly tell me what is your monthly income? (in Rs)
- 15 Please tell me the monthly income of the family from all sources? (in Rs.)
 - From Land
 - From Livestock
 - From Employment
 - From Business
 - Any other (specify)

Total monthly income of the Family

16 Who has got control over earnings?

- 1 Spouse 6. Other female member
- 2. Homemaker 7. 1 + 38. 1+5
- 3 Joint
- 10. 2 + 61 Children
- 5 Other male members 11. Any other (specify)
- 17. Do you save money for future?

1. No -2. Yes

- 18 If yes, where do you keep money?
 - 1 At home
 - 2 With friends and neighbours
 - 3. In post office
 - 4. In bank
 - 5 Any other (specify)

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9.	If you are ha office on who	<u> </u>		nk or Post		
2	. Spouse . Homemake . Joint	r 5. O	ther male m ther female ny other (sp	members		
20.	Do you inves	st the money	y saved?			
	1. No	2. Y	7es			
21.	If yes, then i 1. Liquid ass 2. Financial 3. Physical a	ets assets ssets	Ţ	ually inves	1?	187
	 4. Machinery 5. Real estate 6. Any other 	e (specify)				File B
	Information					
(No	•	s pertaining pondents wl cry occupat	no have agr	iculture as	their main	
22.	Please tell m type of owne (Record in A	rship do yo	-	ou posses	s and the	
l	Type of <u>land</u> Kind of Ownership	Irrigated	Non- Irrigated	Fallow	Pasture	
	Owned					
	Leased in					
	Leased out					
23.	Do you use f	fertilizers ar	nd pesticide	s in your fl	elds?	
	1 No		2. Yes			
24	lf yes, then j use, the qua you purchas	ntity used a			•	
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Type of Fertiliz Insecticide	es pe	antity Used er season g./Ltrs.)	Source from' where purchased		
Farm Yard M	anure				
Rabi					
Kharif					
Chemical Fer	tilizers				
Rabi					
Kharıf					
Pesticides/In	secticides				
Rabi					
Kharif					
• Source fro	om where purch	hased			
1. Local sh	-		ural University		
2. Shop in	the nearby city	y 5. Home n	nade		
÷	ural Agencies BHCO/IFFCO	6. Any oth	er (specify)		
during the	-	* * *	enerally produced is put for sale and		
Type of	Quantity	Quantity	Money value		
Crop	produced	Sold	of quantity		
,	per season (in quintal)	per seasor (in quintal			
Food Crops'	(in quintar)	(in quintai			
Rabi					
Kharif					
Cash Crops		Sec. 11	,		
Rabi					
Kharıf					
Others**					
Rabi					
Kharıf					
 Food Crops — Wheat, Rice, Bajra, Maize etc. Cash Crops — Sugarcane, Oilseeds etc. ** Others — Fodder Crops etc. 					

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	form me about own, the quantity		•
Types of egetables nd fruits	Quantity produced per season (ın kg.)	Quantity sold per season (in kg.)	Money value of sold items (in Rs.)
egetables			
Rabi			
Kharıf			
oots and ubers			
Rabi			
Kharıf			
'ruits			
Summer	$\Box\Box\Box$		
Winter			

.7 Do you own livestock?

1. No 2. Yes

.8. If yes, please tell me about the type and number of animals owned.

Type of Animal Owned	Total Number Owned
Mılch Animals (Cows & Buffaloes)	
Draught Anımals (Bullocks, Camels etc.)	
Poultry (Chicken & Ducks)	
Other Animals (Goat, Sheep, Pig)	

29. If you own milch animals and poultry, would you please tell me the quantity of milk or eggs which you get in a week on an average, how much out of that do you sell and how much money do you receive for the quantity sold?

2.

Type of Animal	-	Quantity perAmount soldMoney value of amount sold (in Rs.)		1		it sold
	Eggs (No.)	Milk (Ml)	Eggs (No.)	Milk (Ml)	Eggs (No.)	Milk (Ml)
Milch	*		*		*	
Animal						
Chicken		*		*		*
Duck						

30. Please tell me whether you possess the following items, if yes, then what is the frequency of use of the items and who uses them most of the times/

Items	Possession	Frequency	Person
	1. No.	of	using
`	2. Yes	use'	it"
Bullock Cart			
Bicycle			
Radio/ Transistor			
Television			
VCR/VCP			
Vicky/Moped			
Scooter/			
Motorcycle			
Car/Jeep			
Telephone			

* Frequency of use: 1. Rarely 2. Occasionally 3. Often.

- Person using it most of the times:
 - 1. Males 2. Males and Children
 - 3. Homemaker 4. All 5. Any other (specify)

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. Interview-cum-Observ and kitchen conditior	vation sheet for recording housing as/facilities.	For Office Use
1. Nature of Occupar	ıcy	
1. Rented 2	2. Owned	
2. Type of House		
1. Hut 4	I. Pucca	and the second
2. Kucha 5	5. Pucca Big House	
3. Semi Pucca		
3. Type of Material u	used for Roof	
1. Thatched	4. Asbestos	
2. Tar Sheets	5. R.C.C.	
3. Corougated Tin	6. Any other (specify)	
4. Type of Material u	sed for Walls	
1. Mud	4 Cement	production of the second se
2. Clay	5. Bricks	
3. Mud & Cement	6. Any other (specify)	
5. Type of Material u	used for Floor	
1. Mud	4. Tiles	
2. Mud & Cement	5. Cement and Tiles	
3. Cement	6. Any other (specify)	
6. Number of Rooms		
(Record actual nun	nber)	
7. Type of Kitchen		
1. Corner of the re	oom	
2. Outdoor/shiftin	ng cooking area	
3. Separate kitche	en	
8. Area of the Kitche	n	
(record actual area	in square feet)	
9. Electricity in the	House	P-4
1. No 2	2. Yes	
0. Electricity in the	Kitchen/cooking area]
	2. Yes	
1. Water connection		
	2. Yes	
2. Toilet inside the l		
1. No 2	2. Yes	

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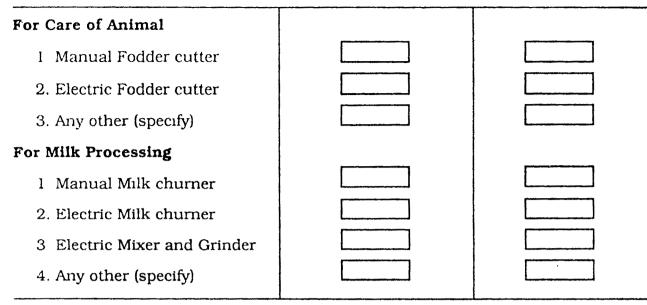
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13.	Separate cattle shed	
	1. No 2. Yes	L
14.	Ventilation inside the Kitchen	[
	1. No 2. Yes	
15.	Number of ventilators inside the Kitchen (Record the actual number)	
16	Smoke outlet inside the Kitchen	
10.	1. No 2. Yes	
17.	Door in the Kitchen	
	1. No 2. Yes	
18.	Number of Doors in the Kitchen	,
	(Record the actual number)	
19.	Storage space inside the Kitchen	
	1. No 2. Yes	
20.	Adequacy of storage space inside the Kitchen	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
	1. Inadeauate 2. Adequate	
21.	Cooking Centre	
	1. No 2. Yes	
22.	Sink Centre/Platform	
	1. No 2. Yes	
23.	Preparation Centre	
	1. No 2. Yes	
24.	Provision for Water Disposal in the Kitchen	[
	1. No 2. Yes	L
25.	Provision for Garbage Disposal in the Kitchen	
	1. No 2. Yes	I J

Household Technology:

33. Please check from the following the type of technology available in your household, by whom it is being used and what is the frequency of use?

List of Household	Frequency of use	Person using it
Technology îtems	 Rarely Sometimes / Monthly Weekly Daily 	 Paid help Other male members Other female members Other female members Spouse Home maker Female Child Male Child
For Cooking		
 Wood Stove Wick Stove Pressure Stove Smokeless Chulah Biogas Chulah LPG Stove Solar Cooker Any other (specify) For Grain Grinding Manual grain grinder Electric grain den 		
 Electric grain grinder Any other (specify) 		
For fetching of Water		
 Community well Community handpump 		
3. Handpump inside the house		
4. Community water taps		
5. Tap connection inside the house		
6. Any other (specify)		



34. Rural Women's Work Pattern

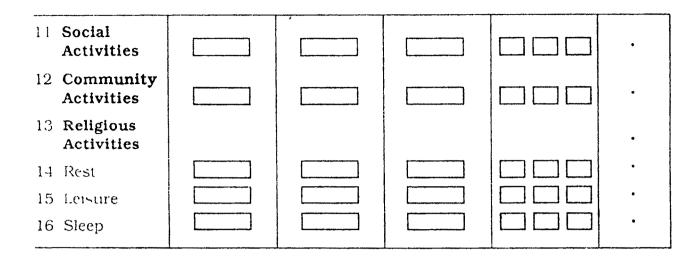
Activity and related Tasks	Person mainly responsible for the task	Frequency" of task perfor- mance	Person from whom help is received	Amount of time spent on a typical day (in minutes)	Distance from house to place of work
1. Personal Care	*	*	*		•
 Child Care Kitchen Activities 			LJ		*
(1) Grinding of grains					*
(iı) Cooking					•
(111) Dish Washing					*

Care of Clothes

			1	1	1	1
(1)	Washing					
(11)	Statching & Repairing					*
Ca	re of House					
(1)	Cleaning of House					*
(11)	Construction/Repair of House					*
	onomically Extended tivities					
(1)	Fetching of water					
(u)	Fetching of Fuelwood					
(111)	Collecting/Making cowdung cakes					
Liv	vestock Activities	1				
(1)	Care of Animals					*
(11)	Chaffing the Fodder					*
(111)	Milking the cattle					*
(11)	Processing the Milk					*
́Ма	rketing					
	counting and Budget eping					*
Jo	b outside the House					
(1)	Unpaid work					
(11)	Paid work					

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* Code Nos are same as Sl. No. 33.

35 Tell me through your practical experience what all problems have you faced while using modern household technological items and how of ten have you faced the problems?

	List of Problmes	Extent of Problem Faced
1	Increase in electricity bill.	
2	Frequent power cuts render electrical gadgets non-operational.	
3	Difficult to operate the gadget due to lack of proper knowledge of operation.	
4.	More time has to be spent in care and maintenance of electrical gadgets.	
5	Frequent breakdowns and high cost of repair.	
6.	Difficulty in getting the gas cylinder refilled.	
7.	Biogas becomes non-operational during winter as production of gas decreases.	
8.	All types of foods cannot be cooked in solar cooker.	
9.	Filling of water from community tap consumes more time because of the rush.	
10.	Difficult to operate milk churner for less quantity of milk.	

* Extent of Problem Faced: 1. Rarely 2. Sometimes 3. Often.

····	Benefits	1. No 2. Yes
1.	Reduction in drudgery of household work.	
2.	Saving of time and energy.	
3	Don't have to work a long distance in order to fetch water.	
4	Don't have to fetch fuelwood.	
5	Use of fuel efficient devices is economical.	
6	Don't have to cook in a smokeful environment.	
7	Income generating activities can be pursued in leisure time.	
8.	Job outside home is possible.	
9	Better quality of life	
10.	Any other (specify)	

37. Please tell me the sources of information through which you came to know about the household technology and also the extent of your contact with them.

	Sources of Information	Contact 1. No 1. Yes	Extent of Accessi- bility	Source/s Accessibility to whom?"
12	Friends and neighbours District Extension specialist			
_	Block Development officer			
4.	Agricultural Development Officer			
5.	Anganwadi worker			
6.	Advertisement on Radio & Television			
7	Training programme attended by you regarding household technology.			
8	Kisan mela			
9.	Any other (specify)			
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Extent of ContactAccessibility:

1. Rarely2. Sometimes1. Only Males2. Only Females

3. Often
 3. Both

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Agricultural Technology

(NOTE These questions will be asked of those respondents who have agriculture as their main or secondary activity. Code '0' for not applicable.)

38. Please check from the following the type of agricultural technology available to you and by whom it is being used. State the year of purchase of agricultural technology item also.

List of Agricultural Technology Items	Possession 1. No 2. Yes	Accessibility 1. Only males 2. Only females 3. Both	Year of Purchase
Pre-Harvest			
For Land Preparation			
l Wooden Plough			* .
2. Tractor			
3 Disc Harrow			
4. Cultivator			
5 Leveller			
6 Any other (specify)			*
For Sowing			
 Dropping of seed behind the plough 	Ĺ		*
2. Seed driller			
3 Any other (specify)			*
For Transplanting			
l Manual			*
2. Use of Trans- planter in rice			

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For Watering		
1. Manual		*
2 Tubewell		
3. Any other (specify)		*
For Weeding		
1. Use of Local handtools		*
2. Rotary weeder, wheel hoe for new crops.		*
3. Use of granu- lar herbicides		*
Harvesting		
 Use of local sickle in cereal crops 		*
2. Improved serrated sickle.		*
3. Mechanical harvestor for cereal crops.		*
(1) Tractor operated		*
(11) Combine harvestor.		

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Post Harvest Threshing						
1 Manual operation or trampling by animals] *			
2. Paddle [Thresher for paddy						
3. Mechanical thresher for most of the crops]					
Winnowing						
1 Manual] *			
2. Winnower						
Transportation						
1 Carrying load on head] *			
2 Bullock Cart] *			
3. Tractor trolley] *			
Storage of Grains						
1. Mud containers	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,] *			
2. Gunny bags] *			
3 Metal bins] *			
39 Please inform me for performing the following farm related activities how much time do you spend during the season and also the person mainly responsible for the task.						
Farm Activities & Related Tasks	Amount spent du season (minutes	ring the	Person mainly [•] responsible for the task			
A. Pre-Harvest	,					
1. Land Preparation						
2. Sowing/Plantatio	n [
3. Weeding						

* Person mainly responsible for the task.

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1 Paid help	2. Only male members	3. Only females	
4 1 + 2	5 1 + 3	6.2+3	7.1+2+3

40. Please tell me through your practical experience have you ever faced any of the following problems?

Problems	Frequency with which faced
 Non-availability of work in agriculture. Irregular job. Lack of technical knowhow to operate machines. Lack of access to training facilities in agricultural field. Women are hired to perform more time and energy paraming tasks on the form 	
consuming tasks on the farm.6. Women are the last one to be hired and first one to be fired.	
7. Less wages are given to females as compared to males for equal hours of work.	
8. Extension agencies neglect female cultivators.	
9. Lack of introduction of modern technology in female ' intensive areas like transplanting.	
10. Any other (specify)	

'Frequency with which faced.1. Rarely 2 Sometimes 3. Olten

41. Please inform me through your practical experience how agricultural technology has benefitted you?

	Benefits	1. No. 2. Yes
1	Production of crops has increased due to use of HYV.	
2	Increase in household earnings.	
3.	Better concumption level.	
4	Improved standard of living.	
5.	Workload of women on farms has decreased.	
6.	Drudgery of agricultural work has reduced.	
7.	Less labour has to be employed.	
8.	Crop is protected by use of pesticides and insectides.	
9.	Multiple cropping is possible.	
10.	Any other (specify)	

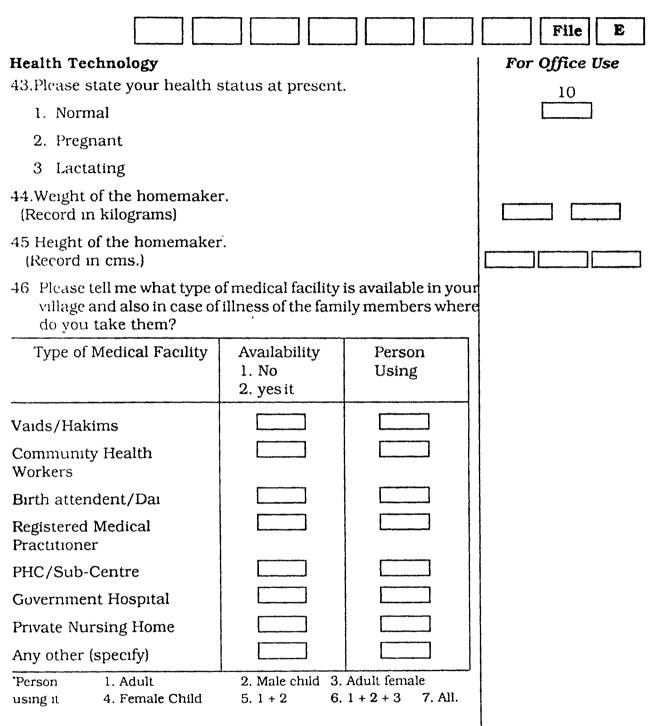
42. Please tell me the sources through which you got the information regarding agricultural technology the extent of contact and the person to whom the sources are accessible?

Sources of information	Contact 1. No 2. Yes	Extent of of Contact	Accessi- bility"
 Friends and Neighbour. Agricultural Extension worker. District Extension specialist. Agricultural Development Officers. Block Development officer. Programmes on Television like Krishi Darshan etc. 			
7. Programmes on Radio.			
8 Agencies like KRIBHCO/IFFCO etc.			
9. Any other (specify)			

*Extent of Contact: 1. Rarely *Accessibility: 1. Only m

- 1. Only male members
- 2. Sometimes
- 3. Often.
 3. Both.

2. Only female members



Family Planning

- 47. Nowadays couples adopt different methods to avoid pregnancy when they do not want to have cildren. This is called "family planning" "contraception" or "birth control". Have you ever heard of it?
 - 1. No 2. Yes

48 If yes, then please tell me what methods of family planning do you know about, how much you know about them, are you using it at present and if you have discontinued then state the reasons?

Methods of family planning	Have Heard 1 No 2 Yes	Knowledge 1.A httle 2.Somewhat 3.Fully	Use ol present 1.No 2.Yes	If dis- continued reasons 1.Side-effect 2.Not-effective 3.Went for permanent method
For Females				
Oral pill				
Coppter T /Loop		·		
Rhythm				
Jelly/Cream Foaming tablet				
Tubectomy				
For Males				
Condom				
Vasectomy				

49 If you have adopted any of the family planning methods did it had any undesirable effect upon you or your husband?

1. No 2. Yes

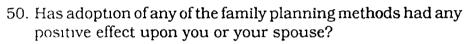
If yes, what effect did it have?

Effects	Person being affected 1. Homemaker 2. Spouse 3. Both
 Experienced Severe nausea/ Stomach problems Excessive bleeding 	

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4. Dizziness or Headache

- 5. Change in skin or hair
- 6. Unable to do heavy work
- 7. Decreased masculanity
- 8. Decreased feminity
- 9. Reduction in sexual urge
- 10. Other symptoms (specify)

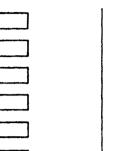


1. No 2. Yes

If yes, what effect did it had on you?

	Effects	Person being affected 1. Homemaker 2. Spouse 3. Both
1.	Control of Fertility	
2.	Better health status of self	
3.	Better standard of living as limited members are there.	
4.	Better education for children	
5.	Employment outside home is possible as there are fewer children to take care of	
6.	Availability of time for self development.	
7	Better health status of children	

52. Please tell me do you have contact with following sources? If yes, what is the extent of contact, how much you have learnt about family planning from these sources? How important were the following sources in stimulating you to have a favourable attitude towards family planning?



Learning about fainily planning	Stimulated about family planning''	For O

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	mormation	with the 1 No 2. Yes	about family planning*	about family planning''
1.	Home vist by community health workers			
2.	Advertisement on radio			
3.	Advertisement on television			
4.	Newspaper/ Magazines/ Booklets			
5	Signs and Posters			
6	Talking with husband			
7	Talking with friends, relatives and neighbours			
8	Talking with doctor at PHC			
9.	District Extension worker			
10	Any other (specify)			

Contact

Source of

* Learning about family planning:

- 1. A little
- 2. Some what
- 3. Complete/fully

" Stimulated about family planning?

- 1. A little
- 2. Some what
- 3. Fully

53 What was the strongest motivation for you to adopt family planning methods?

- 1. My sister underwent operation and had no problem.
- 2. Monetary incentive given by the government.
- 3 Ability to work outside in gainful employment.

- 4 Better standard of living of family.
- 5. Better health status of self.
- 6 Better health status of existing children.
- 7 Any other (specify)

Information Regarding Children

54. Would you please tell me how many children were born and out of the total children born how many are still alive?

Total number of children born

Number of males

Number of females

Total number of children alive

Number of males

Number of females

- 55. If there has been any incidence of under five mortality in your family would you please tell me what was the cause of mortality?
 - 1 Constant pregnancy.
 - 2 lack of frequent pregnancy check ups.
 - 3 Delivery by untrained dai
 - 4 Lack of post-natal care.
 - 5 Doctor's negligence.
 - 6 Lack of medical care. 🍈
 - 7 lack of immunization.
 - 8 Severe diarrhoca and dehydration.
 - 9 Any other (specify)

Immunization

56 Have you got your child/children immunised?

Order of birth	Sex of the Child: 1. Male 2. Female	Immunization 1. No 2. Yes
First Child		
Second Child		
Third Child		

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- 57. Are you aware against which disease your child has been immunized?
 - Not at all aware
 Slightly aware
- Partially aware
 Fully aware
- 58. If you have got them immunized, then state against what diseases have you got them immunized from where you got them information regarding immunization and also from which agency you got them immunised?

Diseases	Source of Information	Immunizing Agency"
1. Tubercolosis (BCG)		
2. Diptheria, Whooping cough, Tetanus (DPT)		
3. Poliomyelitis (oral drops)		
4 Measles		
*Source of Information:	4. Advertiseme	th workers. nsion Specialist. ent on Radio. nt on Television. pecify) spital tutioner

59. If you have not got your child immunized then please inform me why you did not get him/her immunised?

	Reason for Non-Immunization	1. No	2. Yes
1	No aware of immunization		
2.	Scared to give injection to small children		
3.	PHC is far from house		
4.	Immunization facility is not		
5.	available in the village. Elder members of the family are not in favour of immunization.		
6.	Any other (specify)		

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60. Consumption Expenditure Pattern of the Household.

Please tell me the average quantity of food items consumed and the amount spent by you on them per month and also on fuel.

Items of Expenditure	overage Quantity Consumed (in kg.)	Average Amount Spent (in Rs.)
A. Food Items		
1. Cereals		
2. Pulses		
3. Vegetables		
4 Milk & Milk products		
B Fuel		
1. Wood		
2. Cowdung cakes		
3. Coal		
4 Kerosene		
5 Gas		
6. Petrol/Diesel		

61. Please tell me the average amount spent by you on non-food items per month or year.

Non-Food Items		 e Amount S onth or year	•
1.	Education of the Children		
	(a) Fees		
	(b) Stationery		
2	Health		
3	Leisure Time Activities		
4.	Domestic Electricity		
5.	Maintenance of house (per year)		
6.	Rent of the house		
7	Clothing (per year)		
То	tal household expenditure per month (in Rs)		

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62. Decision Making Process

Usually in households certain issues like education of the children, purchase of farm implements, taking up employment outside home are done after careful thinking.

Important Issues 🤇 Requinng Decision Making	, Person*, Initiating the Problem	Consultation" with Home- maker	Extent of " Incorpor- ation of Homemaker's suggestions	Satisfaction of Of Homemaker after reaching the decision
Household Related				
of Children	[]	[]		
2 Purchase of electrical gadgets.			L	LJ
Annual purchase of food grains.				
4. Purchase of house.				
5. Purchase of household items like T.V., Radio, Vehicle etc.				
Farm Related				
1. Purchase of land				
2. Purchase of cattle				
3. Purchase of tractor				
4. Purchase of improved farm implements.				
 Participation in availment of co-operative and credit facilities. 				
Work Related				
 Decision to work for wages 				·

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	Important Issues Requiring Decision Making	Person [•] Initiating the Problem	Consultation" with Home- maker	Extent of " Incorpor- ation of Homemaker's suggestions	Satisfaction of Homemaker after reaching the decision
2.	Decision regarding expenditure of money.				
3.	Decision regarding savings and investments.				
lealt	th Related				
1	Adoption of family planning methods				
2.	Decision to get sterilised				
3.	Immunization of children				

'erson initiating the Problem

- 0. Not Applicable
- 1. Other male members
- 2. Other female members
- 3. Children
- 4. Spouse
- 5. Homemaker
- 6. Joint

"Extent to which Homemaker's suggestions are incorporated

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- 0 Not Applicable
- 1. Not at all
- 2. Partially
- 3. Mostly

"Consultation with Homemaker

- 0. Not Applicable
- 1. No
- 2. Yes

"Satisfaction achieved by Homemaker

- 0. Not Applicable
- 1. Dissatisfied
- 2. Partially satisfied
- 4. Highly Satisfied

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63. Attitude of Rural Women Toward Technology.

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The following are some aspects of attitude of homemakers regarding different type of technologies. Please respond to what extent each statement corresponds with your own attitude i.e. whether you:,1. Strongly Disagree 2. Disagree 3. Undecided 4. Agree or 5. Strongly agree with it.

	Statements	Response
1	Mechanisation of farming has thrown women out of their traditional employment.	·
2	Use of modern household technologies releases women from drudgery of household tasks	
3	Birth control methods improve the status of women as it gives them control over fertility.	
4.	Use of high yielding varieties has not increased the earnings of the family.	
5.	As modern health technologies are costly hence they are beyond the reach of rural masses.	
6	Improved farm implements save much of the time and labour of the farmers.	
7	Immunization gives the child lifelong protection against certain diseases.	
8.	Extension services are geared towards welfare of the rural women.	
9.	There exists a knowledge gap between the promoters of technology and the beneficiaries.	
10.	Science and technology is capacble of solving problems of rural women.	
11.	Even after immunization children develop diseases.	-
12.	Maintenance cost is higher for electrical gadgets.	
13	Technologies upgrades the traditional skills and open new vistas of jobs for rural women.	

Statéments	Response
14 Use of fuel efficient devices improves environmental and living conditions of rural areas and reduce health problems.	
15. Green revolution has improved the level of living of rural population.	
16. One should not take oral pill as it has harmful side effects.	
17. Tide of technological change has emancipated rural women from heavy feminine burden of toil.	,
18. Television programmes promotes the traditional 'housewife' image of the women.	
19. Leisure increases with the use of time and labour saving devices.	
20. Radio and television are an important means of maintaining contact with outside world.	
21. Modern household technologies increase the burden of homemaker as they require more care and maintenance.	
22. Very few programmes related to family planning and immunization are shown on the television.	

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