



**PROPOSED
RE-VISIONING AND
PLANNING PROCESS**



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IMPROVE LANDSCAPES
CONNECT COMMUNITIES

FOR DISCUSSION
ABI AGM - 2 November 2020

WHY RE-VISION?

1. Need identified (2019) - focus groups (Rachel Fleener)
2. Donors need plan to show big picture, collaboration
3. Zoom meetings (Aug 2020): “How can ABI help you?”
 - An overarching role?

OR

- An implementer - enable us to do more together?

WHAT IS A THEORY OF CHANGE?

“A comprehensive description and illustration of how and why a desired change is expected to happen in a particular context” and the role you intend to play in bringing it about.

Main steps:

1. Specify problem
2. Analyse causes
3. Identify role players, stakeholders - their needs and concerns
4. Show conditions/outcomes to be in place to address the problem, how related to each other
5. Identify alternatives; choose viable ones
6. Write up logic model - strategy, track progress, explain it clearly

ASSUMING...

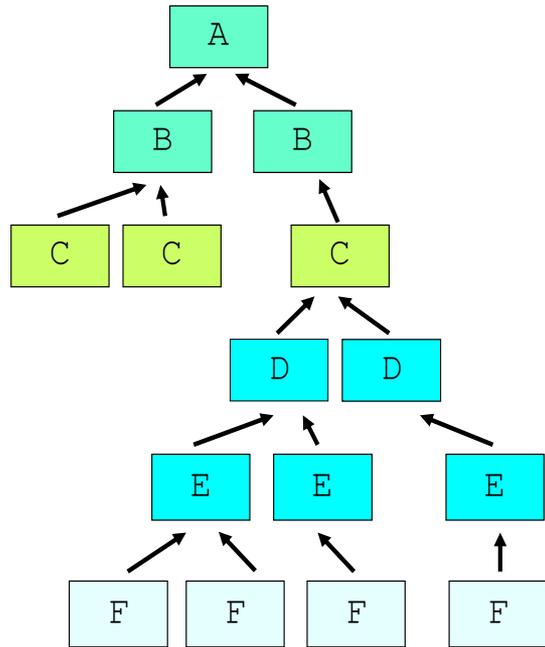
1. A key intervention of ABI in line with its 5 Cs role
2. Aligning energy, understanding, resources, thinking and plans
3. Sum of partner thinking and plans for landscape level impact
4. ABI partners commit to achieve, ABI is the partners and their plans, supported by Coordinating Unit
5. ToC and plan - adaptive management with best available knowledge, testable and measurable.
- 6. Participatory process necessary; demands time and attention**
7. Maximum 3 to 4 hours, mornings, not too often!

WHAT'S IN IT FOR MEMBERS/PARTNERS?

1. Consolidate, clarify
2. Maximise achievement, minimise blockages
3. Energy boost, refocus strategy and effort
4. Collation of information, ongoing learning
5. Funding for shared programmes, specific projects
6. Peer-to-peer relationships
7. Mutual accountability
8. Leverage to influence a wider set of role players and the creation of an enabling environment at policy level.

CONSOLIDATION: CHOICE OF ALTERNATIVES & CONSTRUCT A ROBUST ToC BASED ON EVIDENCE

Outcomes Tree

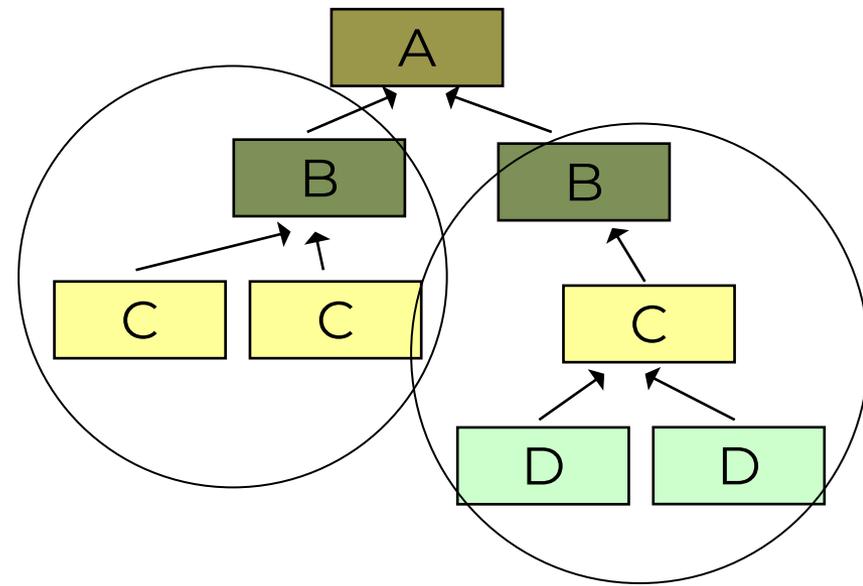


ENDS



MEANS

If...then...



Alternatives analysis

SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES

1. Adoption of process, initial stakeholder analysis (Committee)
2. Analysis: Partners' foundation workshop
3. Analysis: Cluster sessions (catchments/organisations)
4. Consolidation: Partners' workshop
5. Individual partner workshops – outputs, budget, indicators
6. Finalise – report, implementation plan



Questions?
Approval of process?
Next Steps?

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