THE CSISA NEPAL RESPONSE AND RESILIENCE ACTIVITY

The Cereal Systems Initiative for South Asia (CSISA) works to increase the adoption of resource-conserving and climate-resilient technologies and improve farmers’ access to market information and enterprise development. CSISA supports women farmers by improving their access and exposure to modern and improved technological innovations, knowledge, and entrepreneurial skills.

OBJECTIVES
- Enhance capacity of agrovets
- Build resilience of post harvest enterprises
- Digital agricultural services
- Expand the use of scale-appropriate farm machinery

APPROACHES
- Support returnee migrant workers-entrepreneurship development
- Nepal government
- Linking business with financial institutions
- Efficient farm machinery
- Gender and social inclusion responsive activities

OUTCOMES
- 95 agrovets become entrepreneurs
- 85 post harvest enterprises dealing with perishable agri-commodities
- 370 agri-input dealers become kisan card vendors
- 200 mechanary service providers and mobile mechanics

ACHIEVEMENTS
- 95 agrovets have expanded their business
- 81 post harvest enterprises have expanded their businesses
- Assisted 271 kisan credit card business to operate more efficiently
- 202 mechanics better equipped to assist farm machinery owners to avoid and overcome breakdowns

Note: The version of the infographic poster is updated to August 15.