INTRODUCTION

- Formed in 2000 and Legalized in 2005 as Primary cooperative

- 24,000 members (3000 female farmer members)

- 18 big groups of farmer (4 female group leaders)

- Operates entire Timor Leste

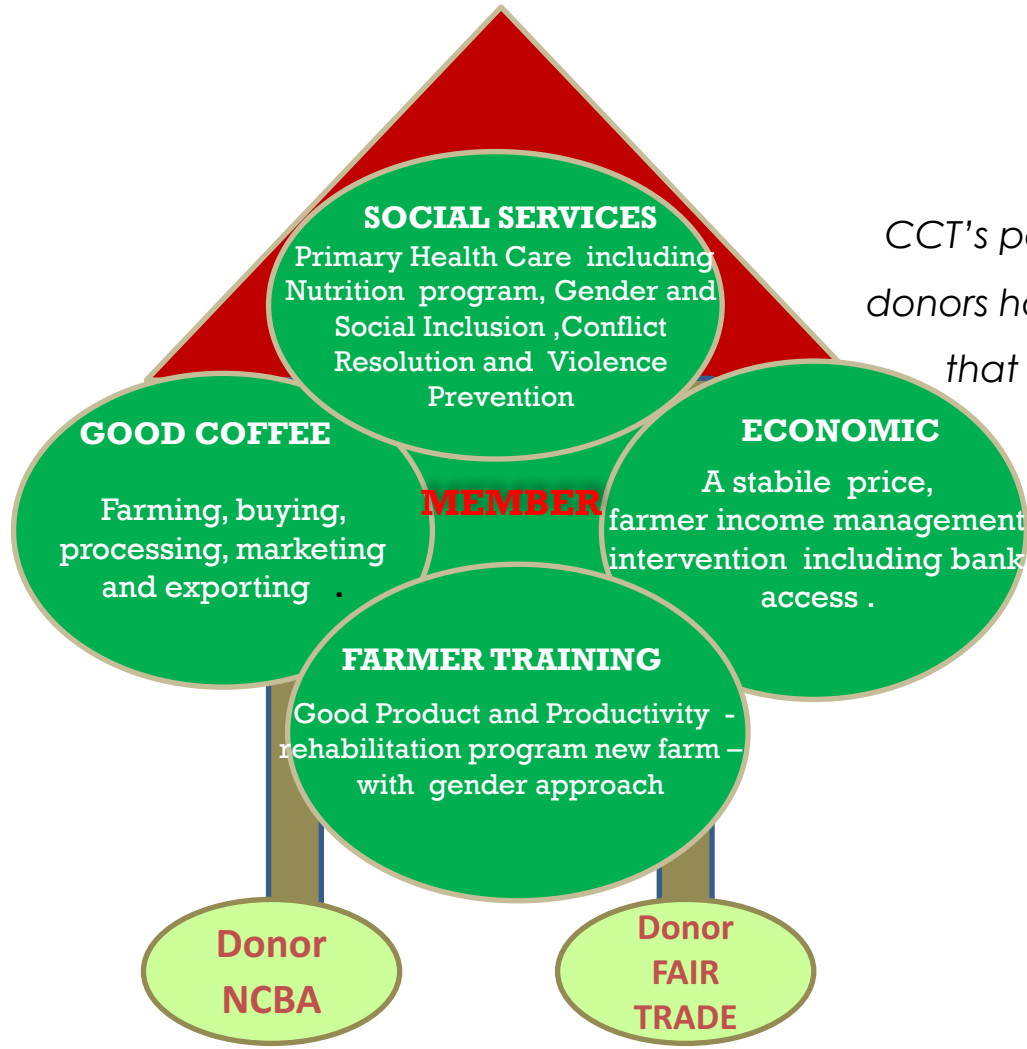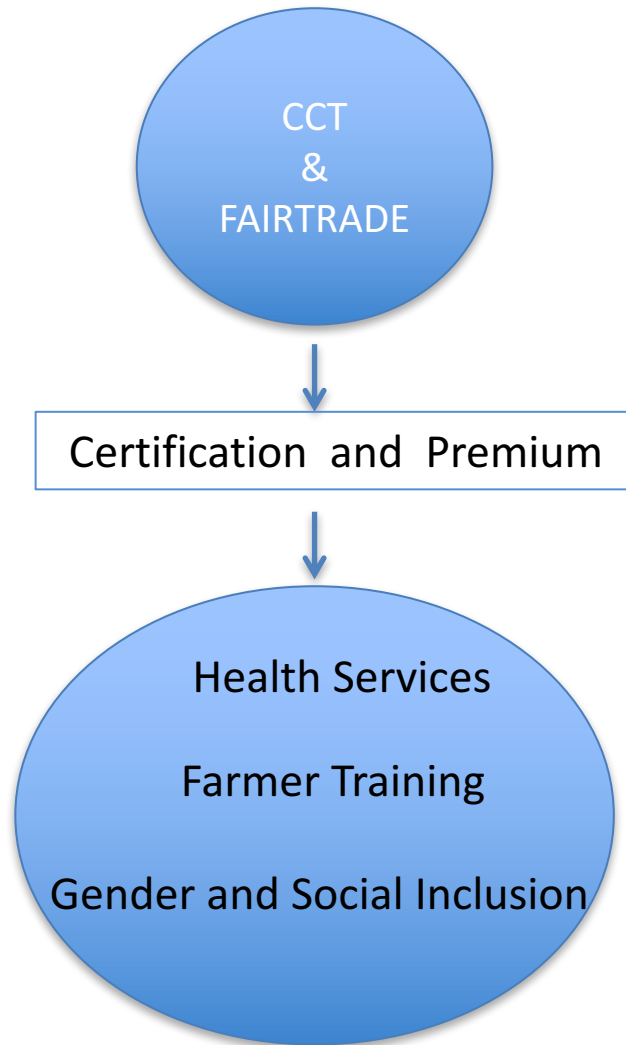- Employs 530 full time staff and up to   3000 seasonal staff

Cooperativa Café Timor

"One of largest fair trade and organic
coffee producers in the world"

THE PARTNERSHIP

PARTNERSHIPS

CCT's partnerships with INGOs and international donors have resulted outcomes, like certifications, that have improved the lives of members

SOCIAL SERVICES
Primary Health Care including Nutrition program, Gender and Social Inclusion ,Conflict Resolution and Violence Prevention

GOOD COFFEE

Farming, buying, processing, marketing and exporting .

MEMBER

ECONOMIC
A stabile price, farmer income management intervention including bank access .

FARMER TRAINING
Good Product and Productivity - rehabilitation program new farm – with gender approach

Donor NCBA

Donor FAIR TRADE

THE IMPACT

CERTIFICATIONS

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- CCT Coffee is certified by USDA Organic, Fair Trade, CAFÉ Practices

- 24,000 Farmer members certified

- $1.90 per lb. vs $1.20 per lb. and CCT sells over 5 million lbs. of Arabica coffee annually

HEALTH SERVICES

- Largest private health provider in the country
  - Primary Health Care (7 fixed clinics,26 MC sites)
  - Community Extension and Men's Health Program
  - Cooperation MoU with Government.

- Over 2 million consultations since creation
  - 97 % Immunization for children under 5
  - 50 % Family Planning (for mother of children under 2)
  - 94 % ANC of Pregnant women

- 10,000 – 20,000 farmers access services every month

FARMER TRAINING

- Combine Individual Training and Group Training (90% farmer trained)

- Focus on the appropriate coffee planting and Coffee Rehabilitation

- Promote women involvement aggressively- based on CCT GSI Policy - 2016

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GENDER & SOCIAL INCLUSION

- 2000-2015 – Registered Female Farmer only 7 %
  - Nov 2015 - Gender Analysis – 29 %
  - 2016 - 46,2%

- CCT's GSI Policy – in 2020
  - 15 % to 50 % involvement of female active farmer in all coffee business activity (Training)
  - 0% to 50 % women on CCT Board
  - 11 % to 40% women in Management Team
  - 15 to 35 %   female staff
  - Actively engaged and provides possible assistance for   disability members .

LESSONS LEARNED

- How can co-operatives identify the right partner?
  - Should be a well known , capable, accountable and trusted organization
  - Has the same objective
  - Mutualism benefit

Continuation ….

- What is necessary for a partnership to be successful?
  - Clear task and responsibility
  - Mutualism cooperation
  - Transparency
  - Honesty & Trust each other
  - Monitoring and Evaluation
  - Audit inspection

What are the challenges and opportunities of working together?

Challenges

Some time CCT does not meet the requirement of the partner due to :

1. Communication at field level (members live spread out)

2. Maintaining a good data base

3. Low level of education

4. Traditional believe

Opportunities

Premium and the benefit.

Thank You!   Merci!   Gracias!   Obrigada!

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