# INTREGATED WATER & ENERGY SOLUTIONS IN BANGLADESH

An Intervention Through "Peer-to-Peer" Solar Energy Trading

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## **OUR** HOMEGROWN SOLUTION



### PEER-TO-PEER SOLAR MICROGRIDS

### **PRODUCT**



SOLbox 3.1



SOLbox NG (Q1 2021)

A platform where solar home system users and non-users can exchange electricity seamlessly





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- 524 SOLboxes across 22 P2P microgrids under the UNDESA "Solar PV Program for Rural Areas"

- Access to 2000+ beneficiaries









## **UN DESA** ENERGY ACCESS SCALING



Map of Bangladesh showing all **23** locations of **UNDESA**'s microgrids



Map of Bangladesh showing all **77** potential location for **UNDESA**'s future microgrids



## THE **IMPACT**



1 NO POVERTY



**84%** of end-users live on less than **USD 5 per day** 600+ **households**, including >**1,000 women** access **75 MWh** of additional energy, valued at **USD 75k** 

Selling excess energy of over **24 MWh** customers earned additional income worth approximately **USD 16,177** 





Serving over **4,000 beneficiaries** with access to clean energy



40% of our beneficiaries are women and children who benefit most of the access to electricity

13 CLIMATE ACTION

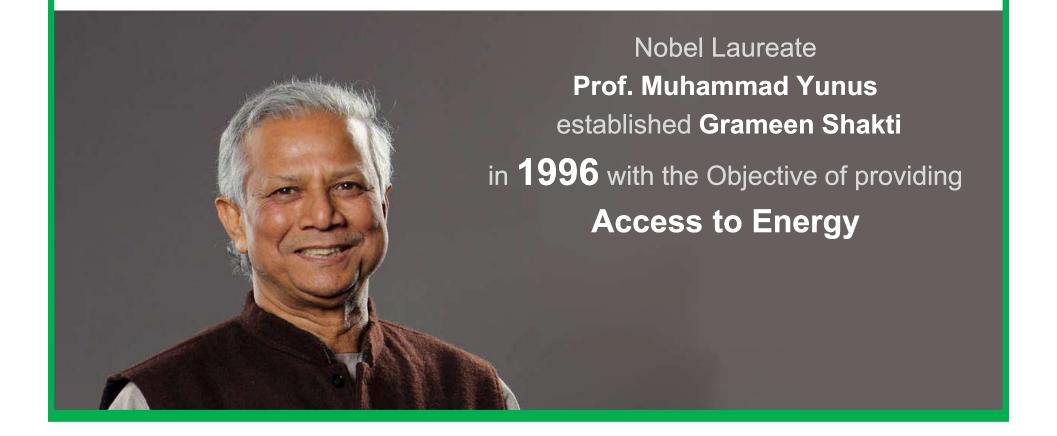


Reduced over **50,000 kgC0e**<sub>2</sub> against clean energy consumed over grid energy



## **Grameen Shakti**







## **Productive Use Appliance**



Surplus energy of SHS are utilized to run different productive use appliances (PUAs) for various income generating activities.

Through UN DESA project we are introducing different PUAs

- 1) Solar Water Pump
- 2) Egg Incubators
- 3) Rice Huller
- 4) DC fridge
- 5) Sewing machine



DC Sewing machine



DC Water Pump



DC Rice Huller



DC Egg Incubator



DC Fridge



## **Energy & Water**



#### **Water Purification**

#### **Impact**

- Reduced water borne disease
- Better Health

(In Bangladesh, 60% of the population has to endure unsafe drinking water -source: WHO)





#### **Drip Irrigation**

#### **Impact**

- Income generation
- Livelihood improvement

(Currently, 1.34 diesel pumps in Bangladesh consumes 1.2 billion USD of diesel & causes 1,250,000 tCO2 emission/annum)



#### **Impact**

- · Reduced pressure on utility grid
- Proper Hygiene & sanitation

(Daily 15,000 MWh of electricity is consumed by the households to get access to water)



## **GS** in Solar Irrigation



400 Solar Water Pump with 16MW solar array

7 AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY

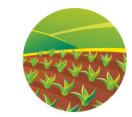












**22,000** acre land coverage





**54 mil kg** paddy production

## **COVID Reponses**

### **Relief Distribution**

3,000 Beneficiaries





35,000 mask distributed

**Mask Distribution** 

## **Energy Entrepreneur**

Creating entrepreneurs to recover from COVID effect



## **Thank You!**





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