Gaps in specific sectors

- Universities: Little use of research results as an input for policy changes and strategic planning with GAD approach with government and private institutions
- Government has poor understanding of GAD approach, which is still dominant
- There is a need to strengthen skills & practices in NGOs to promote the GAD approach
- The private sector needs to improve understanding of the GAD approach and how to apply it as part of CSR
- Research institutions carry out rural development research on gender issues with WD rather than GAD
- Also little use of research results as an input for policy changes and strategic planning with GAD approach

New activities that can fill gaps

- Increase interactions with government and private institutions to share research results
- Strengthen communication skills and strategies to reach and influence decision makers
- Training on GAD approach, institutionalizing GAD approach in rural development policies and programmes as a state (long-term) policy
- Training on GAD & integrate GAD in rural development projects and programmes
- Training on GAD and how to apply it through CSR
- Carry out rural development research on gender issues
- Promote massive use of research results on GAD approach as input for policy changes and strategic planning

Outcome Targets for Latin America

- Use of GAD approach in development, research and academic programmes and projects by the government, NGOs and private sector
- Balance in access to and control of resources and assets to improve adaptation to climate change

Gender Impacts for Latin America

- Needs and interests of rural women and men of different ages and ethnicities are met
- Active and equal participation of women and other disadvantaged groups in decision making processes leading to access to and control of resources, assets and income achieved at family, farm, community and market levels
- More research results are used to inform rural development and poverty reduction policies and programmes
- Active and equal participation of women and other disadvantaged groups in decision making processes leading to access to and control of resources, assets and income achieved at family, farm, community and market levels
- Media programmes reflect GAD
- Cultural change in social norms at family, community, state and market levels
- Technology providers and extension services popularize new technologies that meet the needs of rural households – focus on women and youth