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CBS : Central Bureau of Statistics
FGD : Focus Group Discussion
GDI : Gender Development Index
GEM : Gender Empowerment Measure
HHs : Households
INGOS : International Non Governmental Organization
NGO : Non Governmental Organization
Now : National Organizational for Women
Res : Respondents
SLC : School Leaving Certificate
UNDP : United Nation Development Project
VDC : Village Development Committee