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IRM Monthly Progress Report



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HIGHLIGHTS

USAID Pakistan Reading Project (PRP):

PRP - Baluchistan: Under component 1 (Improved Classroom Learning Environment for Reading), 62 QTIG Meetings were conducted with a total of 401 participants (239 men and 162 women). Under component 2 (improved policies and systems for reading), the HoO attended the “11th Local Education Group (LEG) Meeting” chaired by Secretary Education. The HoO also held a meeting with Director BoC & Dr. Tajmul (Consultant) regarding the finalization of the language curriculum review and development. A six days workshop was also held at BOC&EC Balochistan to build the capacity of Educational expert on Curriculum development. A total of 25 (18 men & 7 women) members participated in the workshop. Mr. Abdul Fateh Bangar, Secretary Secondary Education, inaugurated the event. Furthermore, the Assessment Manager also paid a visit to cohort-2 districts to build the capacity of district staff

on student assessments and administer the EGRA tool in field for better understanding. A total of 17 (10 men & 7 women) SSAs & DPMs were orientated.

PRP - FATA: During the month of November, major activities under the project included Training of 114 Mentors (32 in Mohmand Agency, 82 in Bajaur Agency) with 100% participation; Training of 568 teachers (194 in Mohmand Agency and 374 in Bajaur Agency); a 3-Days orientation of head Teachers (men only) completed in Bajaur Agency. A total number of 42 head teachers (out of 44) participated in session and a 1-Day orientation of TIG facilitators completed in Bajaur Agency with total number of 80 (52 male and 28 female) TIG facilitators (out of 84) participating in the session. The team also coordinated and collected accreditation forms from 4 GCETs of FATA.



UNICEF - Long Term Agreement (Year 3):

Long Term Agreement (Year 3): IRM is organizing and conducting training for the Communication Network (COMNet) field staff at district, union council and community levels under the **Long Term Arrangement (LTA)** awarded by UNICEF. During the Month of November, 40 events were conducted in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and FATA and a total of 892 participants were trained.



Gwadar Lasbela Livelihood Support Project (GLLSP):

During the month of November, a total of 82 participants graduated with 24 participants graduating in Motor bike repairing and 62 participants graduating in Hand Embroidery

training. The overall project aims to provide vocational trainings to 4,884 targeted beneficiaries of 26 UC (17 UC of Lasbela 70% and 09 UC of Gwadar 30%)



Punjab Youth Workforce Development Project (PYWDP):

IRM has recently signed an Agreement with Louis Burger for the Punjab Youth Workforce Development Project. The project aims to train and facilitate employment opportunities for men and women youth residing in the districts of Multan, Lodhran, Bahawalpur and Muzaffargarh in Punjab. It will also help enhance the technical and vocational education and training sector, mobilize target communities and improve the standard of living for youth in southern Punjab. During the month of November, 08 Detailed Gap Analysis of all Institutes was conducted while 30 individuals were placed for on-the-job apprenticeship

training with formal and informal sector. Other activities included the pre-testing of the Capacity Assessment tools during the visit of Vocational Training Institutes, preparation of Sector wise Institutional Mapping for CoP for all the PVTC and TEVTA Institutes existing in project districts, completion of Employers profiling for 07 Employers and receiving employment commitment letters for Placement. New liaisons were also established with the following employers; Nakash Graphics, Dharala Autos, Makkah Steel Almirah and MashaAllah Steel Almirah.

Ride in Pink Project:

A new venture with Plan International is also underway. The "Ride In Pink" project aims at giving young women/girls access to women friendly, quality, safe and economical transport services through overcoming mobility barriers and also give them the skills to manage a women friendly transportation service. During the month of

November, interviews were conducted for the selection of Ride in Pink Women Rickshaw drivers, Follow up of participants was undertaken to inform them on their selection, awareness sessions with parents/guardians of selected candidates were also conducted and the Quarterly report was submitted to Plan International.

VTEC Rawalpindi:

In the month of November, 04 participants graduated in the trade of Dress Designing. 03 participants were also trained in Computer Software while 04 participants were trained in Computer Graphics.



IRM Sindh:

IRM Sindh is implementing the “**YES I DO**” project funded by Plan International. The aim of this project is to provide vocational skills training to women of District Umar Kot and Sanghar. During the month of November, different activities were undertaken under the project which included the provision of Financial Support to 170 selected out of school adolescent girls (aged 17 to 19 years plus) belonging to the poorest families for Enrollment in TVET Institutes. IEC material was also developed for the project information & communication campaigns “Exploring Career Choice” to educate and mobilize adolescent /youth / families and communities.

IRM Sindh has also initiated a three month training programme in collaboration with **Research & Development Foundation (RDF)**. The aim of this programme is to provide Skill Development Training to youth and Market Driven Training to Women. 76 participants have graduated in Hand Embroidery Trade during the month of November.

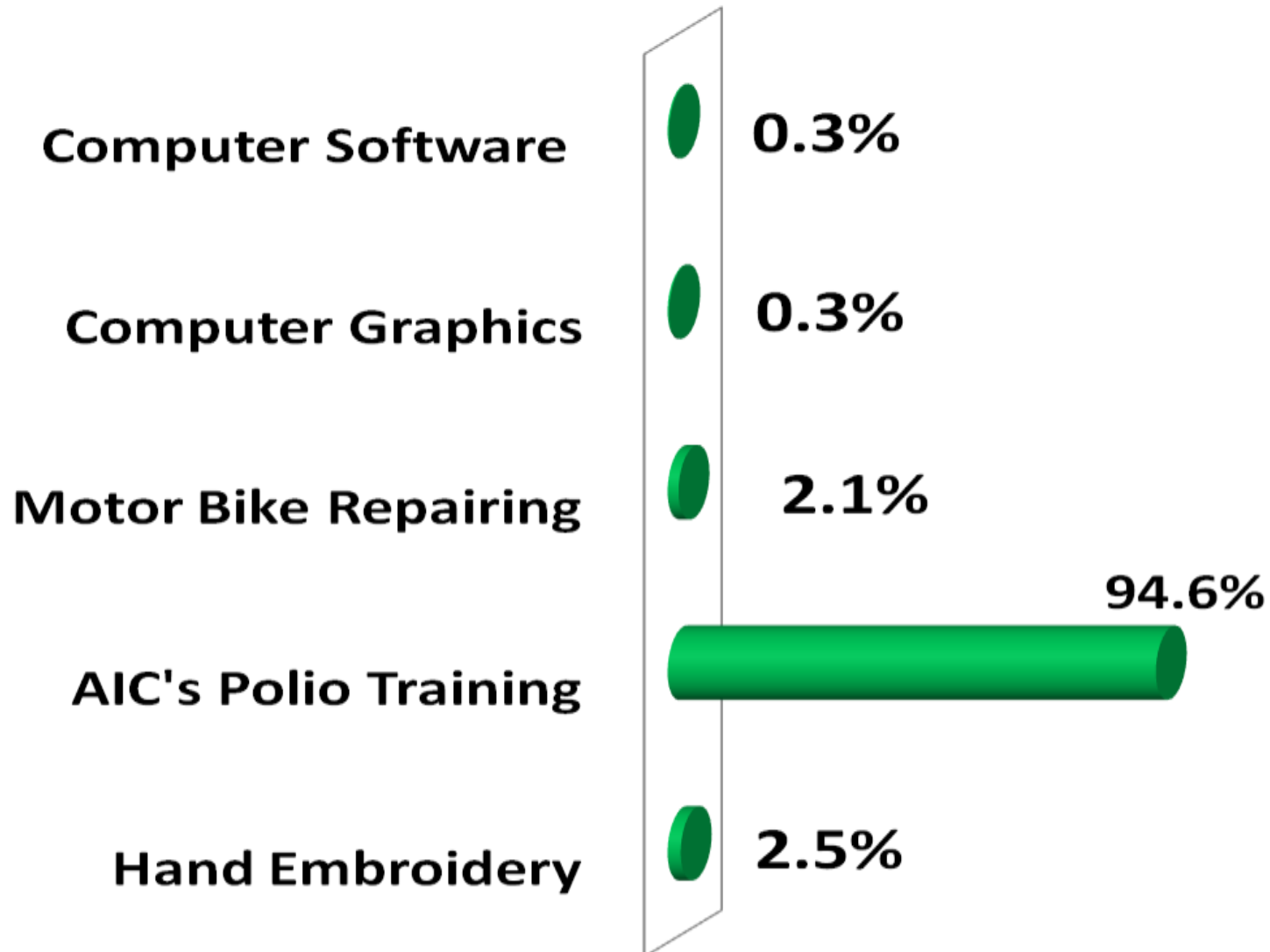
IRM Sindh has also initiated the activities under the SEF funded **Adolescent and Adult Learning and Training Program (AALTP)**. The AALTP aims to provide accelerated formal primary education for vulnerable adolescents and basic functional literacy for adults together with a certified Skill Development / Vocational Training course for each learner so as to enable their socio economic growth. IRM Sindh has currently enrolled 1,220 Learners at 6 centers comprising of 810 registered adolescents and 410 adults.



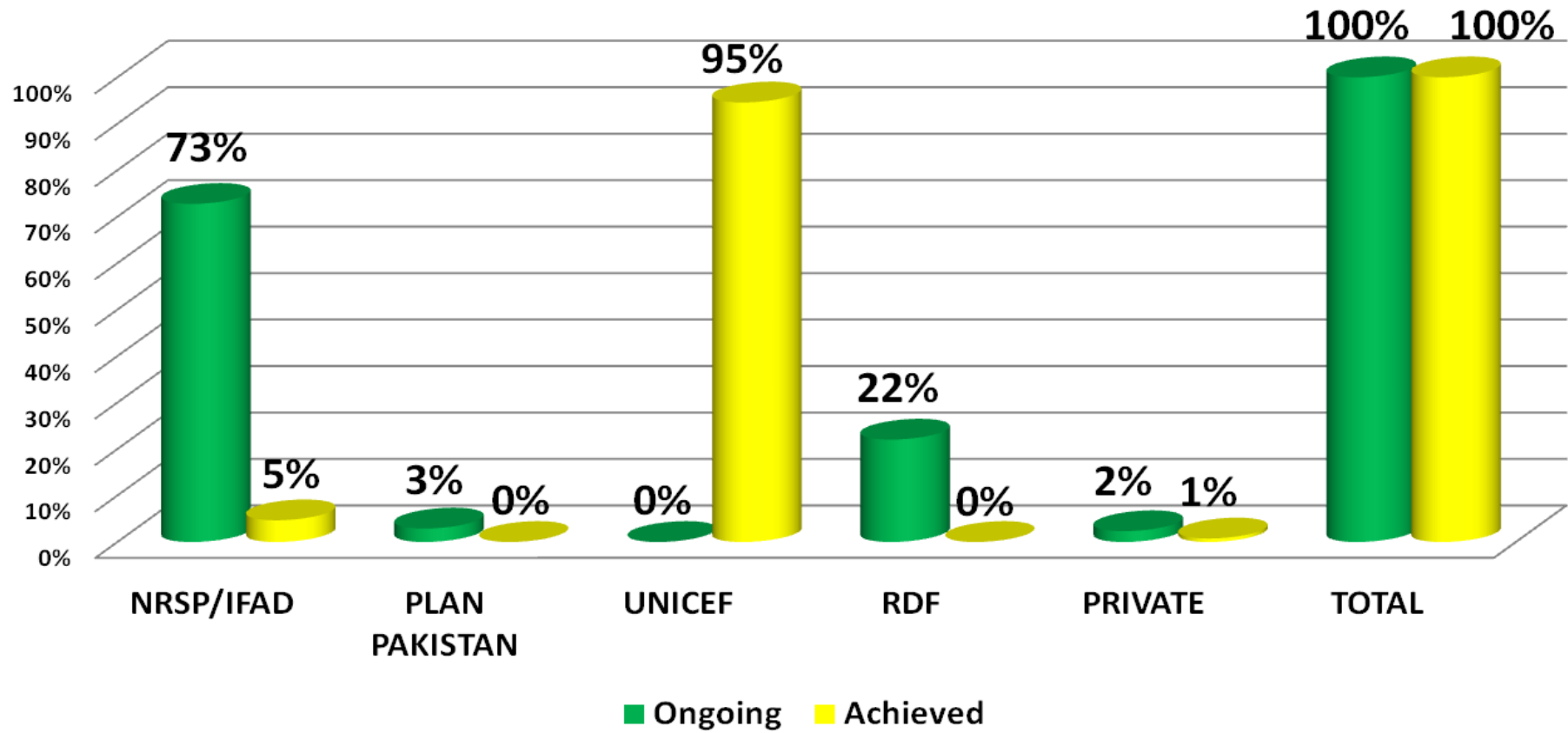
Project Summary

Sr. No.	Training	Project	Section	Duration		Target vs Achievement for Nov 2017			
				From	To	Target	Ongoing	Achieved	Achievement %
1	Training of Women Rickshaw Drivers	PLAN Pakistan	CTP	Dec-07	Feb-6	10	10	0	0%
Sub Total						10	10	0	0%
1	Hand Embroidery	NRSP/IFAD	PDP	Sep-22	Nov-11	143	119	24	3%
2	Tailoring Advance	NRSP/IFAD	PDP	Oct-16	Jan-25	132	132	0	0%
3	Motor Bike	NRSP/IFAD	PDP	10-08	Nov-15	20	0	20	2%
4	AIC's Polio Training	UNICEF	PDP	Nov-06	Nov-16	892	0	892	95%
Sub Total						1,187	251	936	99%
1	Hand Embroidery	RDF	IRM Sindh	Nov-21	Dec-06	76	76	0	0%
Sub Total						76	76	0	0%
1	Computer Software	Private Student	VTEC Rawalpindi	Oct-09	Nov-24	3	0	3	0%
2	Computer Graphics	Private Student	VTEC Rawalpindi	Oct-23	Nov-23	3	0	3	0%
3	Dress Designing	Private Student	VTEC Rawalpindi	Oct-05	Jan-10	3	2	1	0%
4	Fashion Designing	Private Student	VTEC Rawalpindi	Sep-20	Jan-03	4	4	0	0%
5	Basic Tailoring	Private Student	VTEC Rawalpindi	Nov-07	Dec-10	2	2	0	0%
Sub Total						15	8	7	1%
Grand Total						1,288	345	943	100%

Favourite Trade of the Month

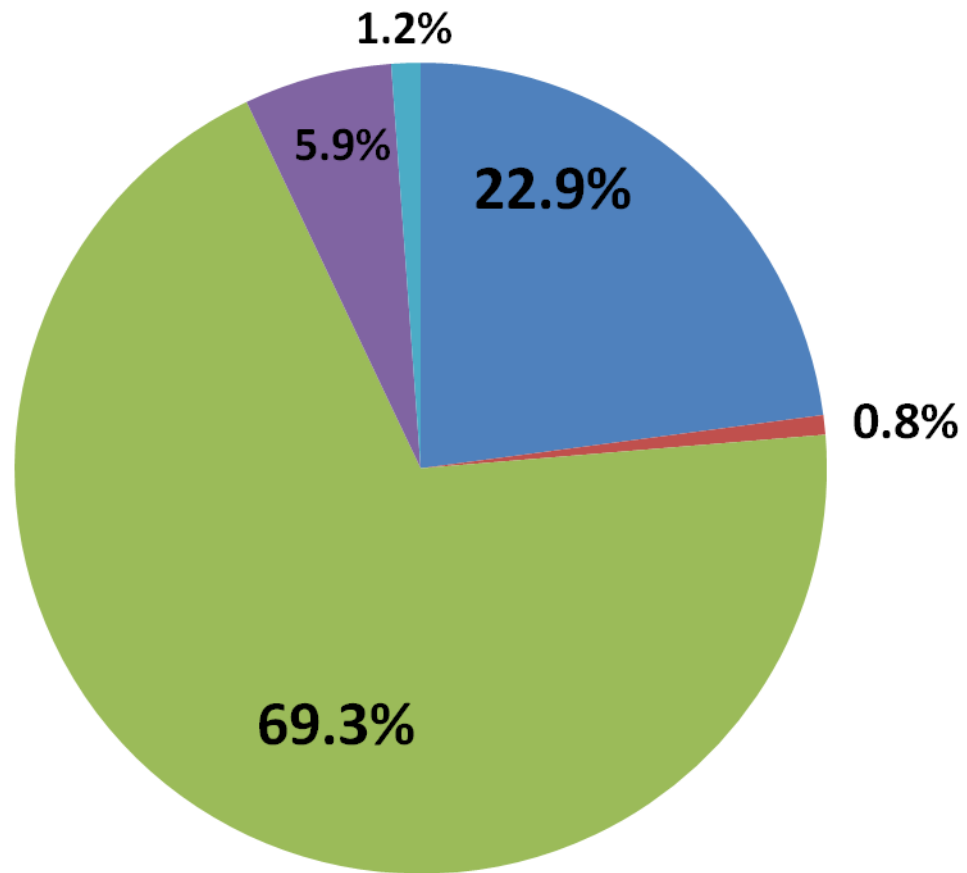


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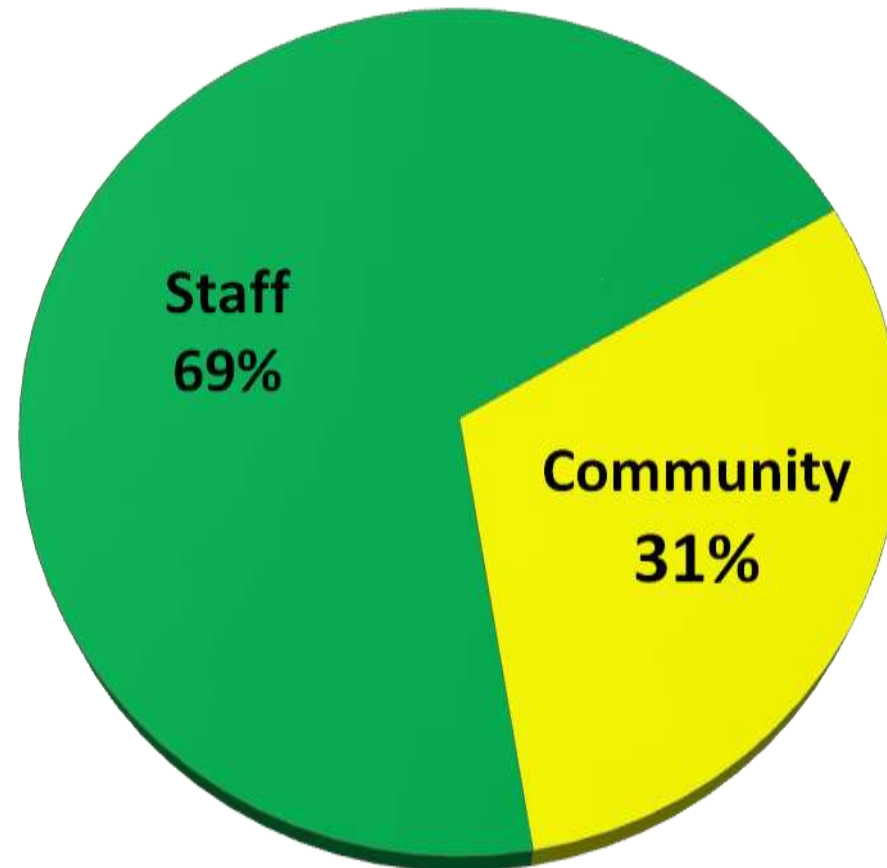
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