

## **Gender participation in rural resource management: Study of JFM villages in Jhabua district of MP.**

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The study aimed at analyzing the following objectives in the study area of Jhabua district of M.P.

- To identify the available resources in the study area and relating it with the population.
- To understand the social-cultural and institutional values in the study area and how they influence male and female contribution in optimum utilization of resources.
- To develop a methodological framework to assess the gender participation in rural resources management and standardize the same.
- To suggest an integrated extension strategy to reduce the gap in gender participation with specific reference to sustainable resource management.