

# Facilitating Social Learning through Farmer Research Networks

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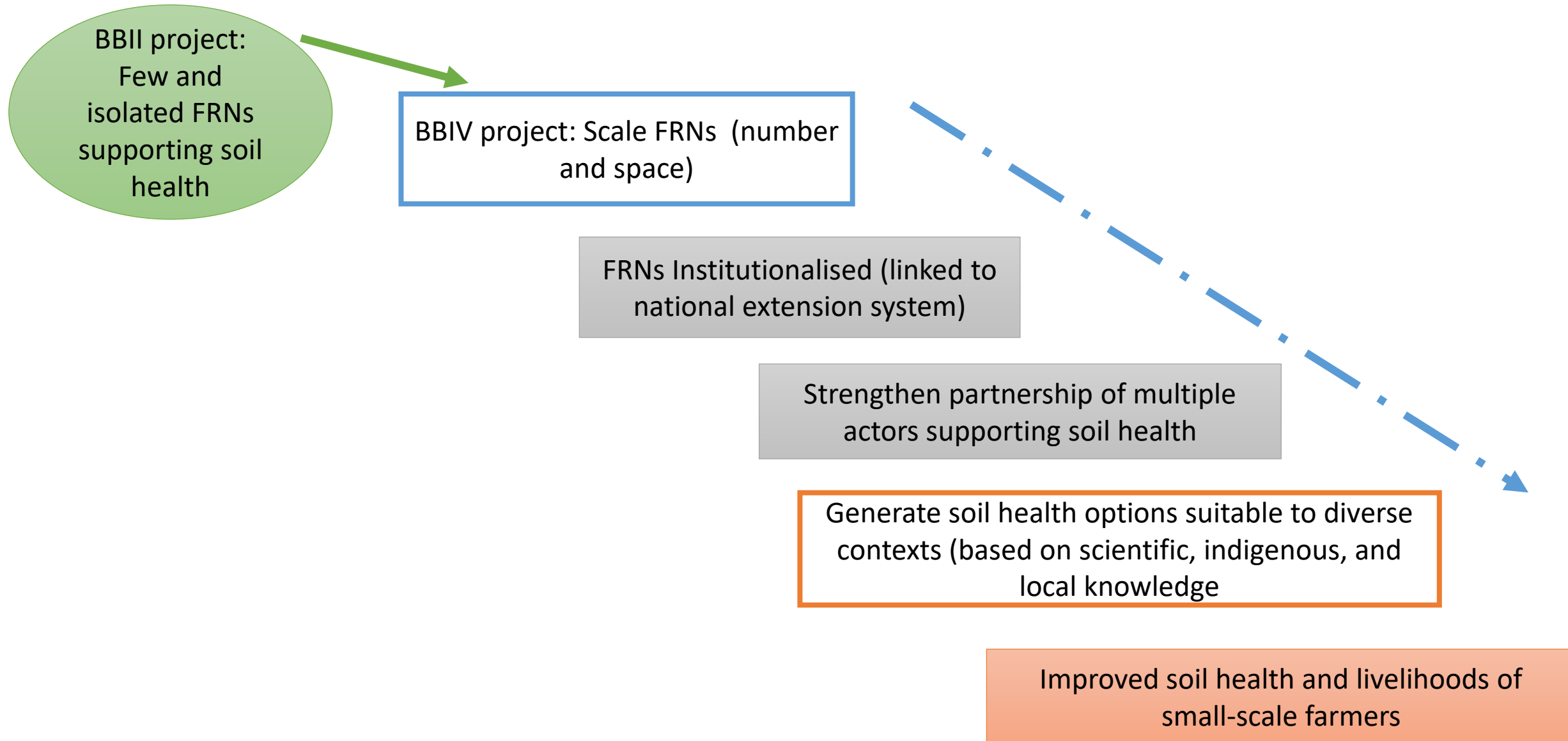


# Outline

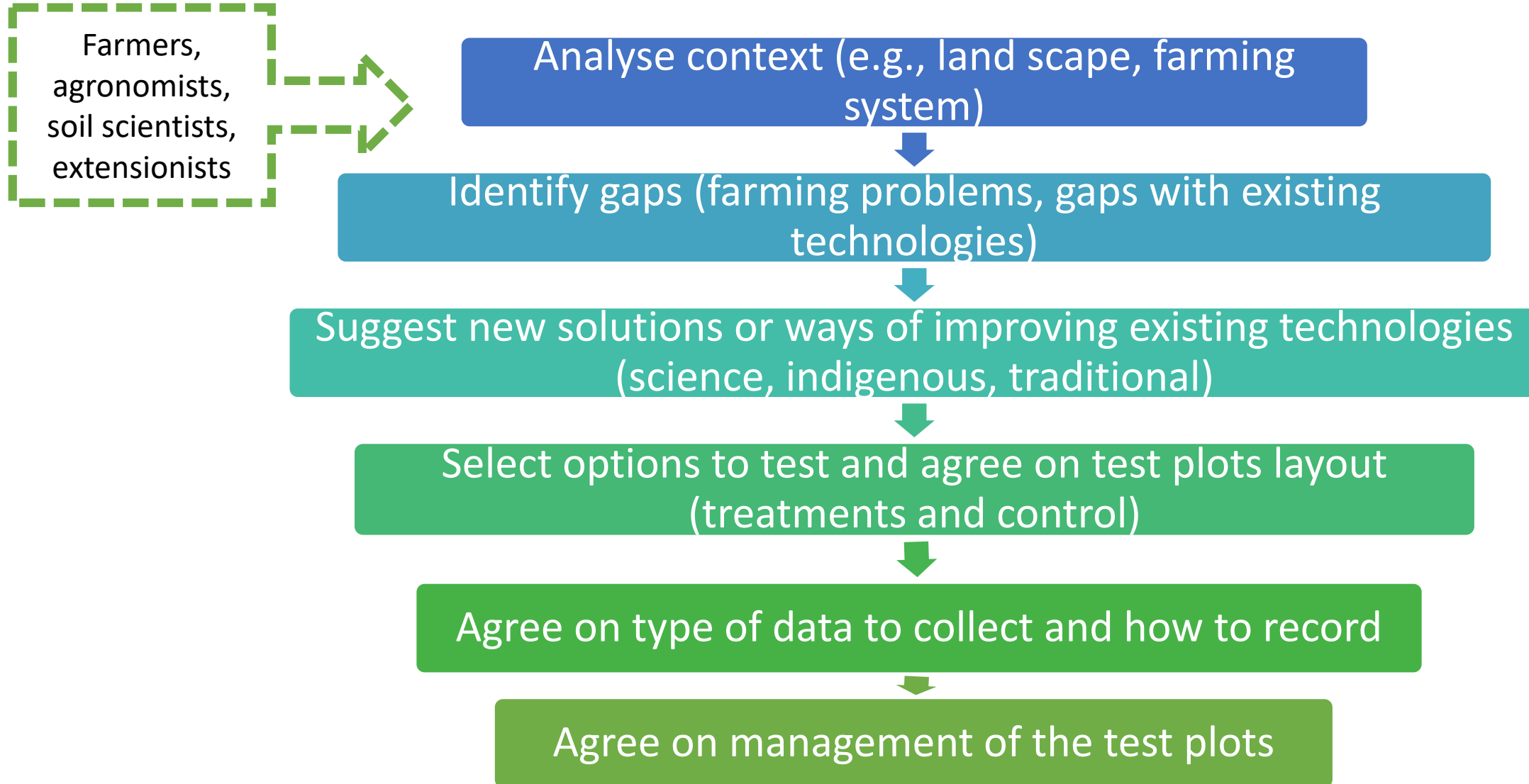
- FRNs in BBIII and BBIV projects
- Advancing actor participation in knowledge building
- Beyond traditional field days
- Filling in gaps in existing systems
- Then what?



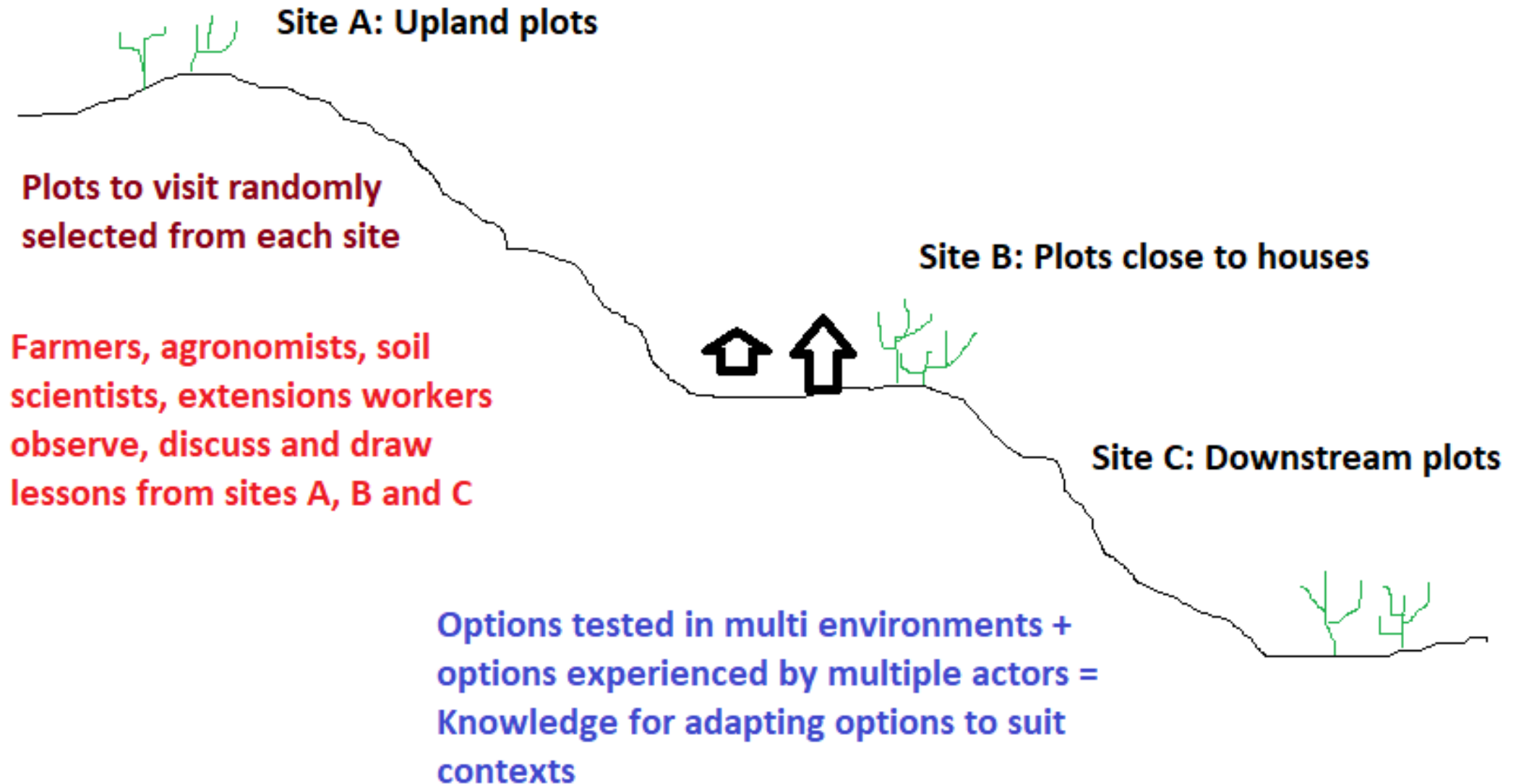
# From BBIII to BBIV project: Scaling FRNs



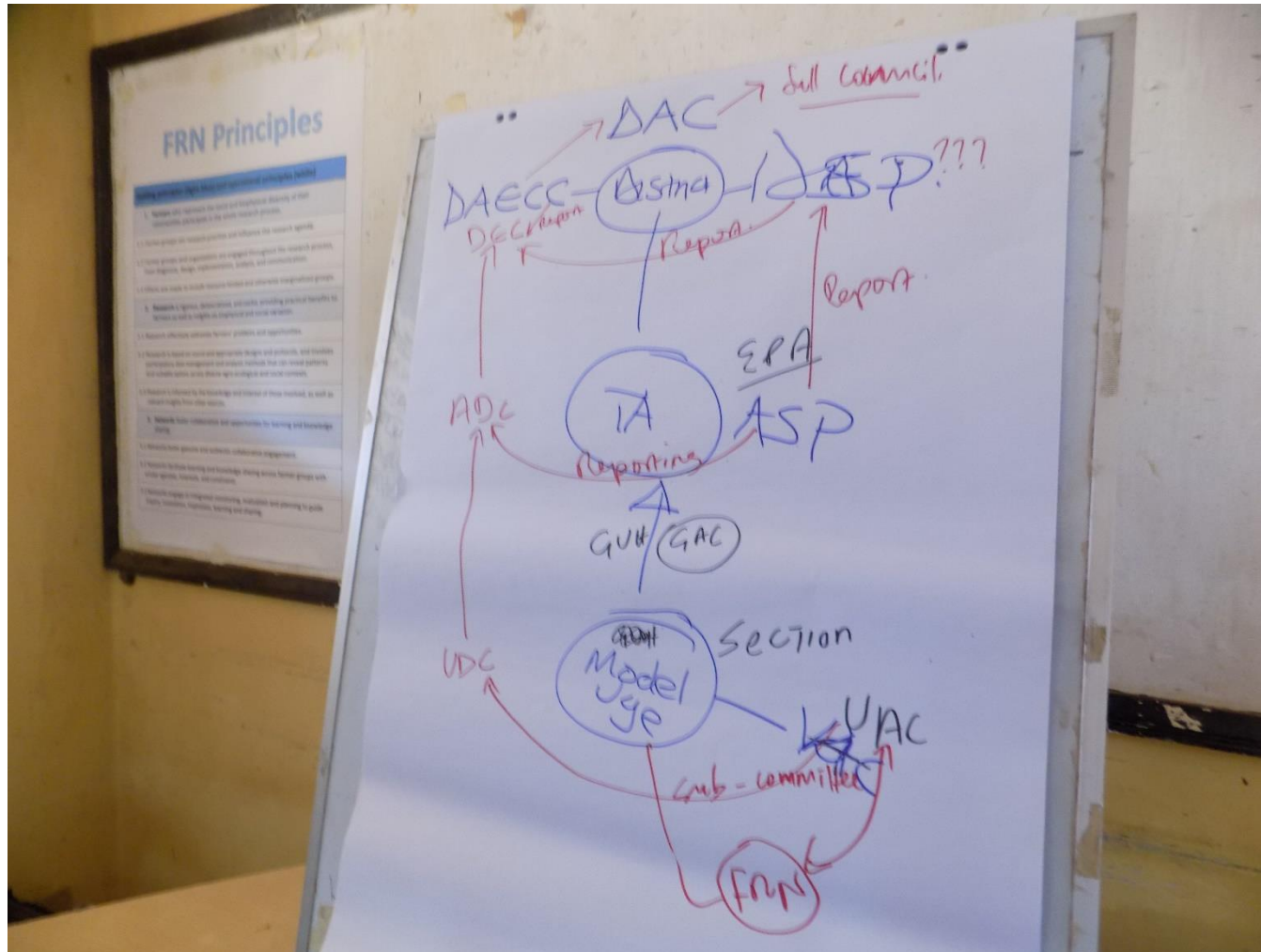
# Building Knowledge together: Designing farm level experimentation



# Multiple actors learning from multi-environments: Joint field interactions



# Institutionalising FRNs from grassroots: The District Agriculture Extension Services System



- FRN as a catalyst for local agriculture development
- Source of information for farmers in the community
- Provide evidence on performance of options to national organisations



# So what is next?

- Develop and improve on individual tools for facilitating FRNs
  - E.g., analysing data with farmers
- Gather evidence on the effectiveness of the FRNs on improving soil health
- Disseminate experiences and lessons from BBIII and IV projects

