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finding solution of the problems, as well as empowering and developing human resources as efforts that must be carried out based on the potential of the two hamlets in Dompyong. While the target of this Thematic KKN activities in the second year is community empowerment through dairy product businesses, and agricultural home industry businesses, especially those are made from cassava to improve the welfare of the community.

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INTRODUCTION

Trenggalek has a lot of natural potential that is expected to empower the local community and support family welfare. Dompyong is one of the villages in Trenggalek which actually has a lot of potential to be developed. Most of the people's livelihoods are dairy farmers and cassava, corn, ginger and vegetable farmers. Because of Human Resources (HR) quality is still low and causing various obstacles in optimizing the existing potentials that influence economic growth in Dompyong, especially in hamlet of Pakel and Garon. The difficulties in optimizing those potential are due to many inhibiting factors; social, economic, cultural, and topography which in the mountainous area. Geographically, Dompyong village is located at the foot of Mount Wilis which makes this location produce a lot of potential whether in agriculture and plantation products, as well as dairy product. However, because of the location is quite far from the city; Trenggalek, this issue makes Dompyong village is

one of the National Priority Villages that needs attention and synergy from all parties, start by government through related services, collaborations, and another supporting institutions through research and service to the community.

Recently, tourism has become an activity that gets attention in both of public and government. It is supported by international community that are more conscious to spend their time on tourist destinations. Nationally, Indonesian people have also begun to pin point the importance of tourism, whether those who directly involved or who are supporting elements in tourism. Likewise the government, almost all countries in the world are trying to find the best efforts to gain economic advantages from tourism sector.

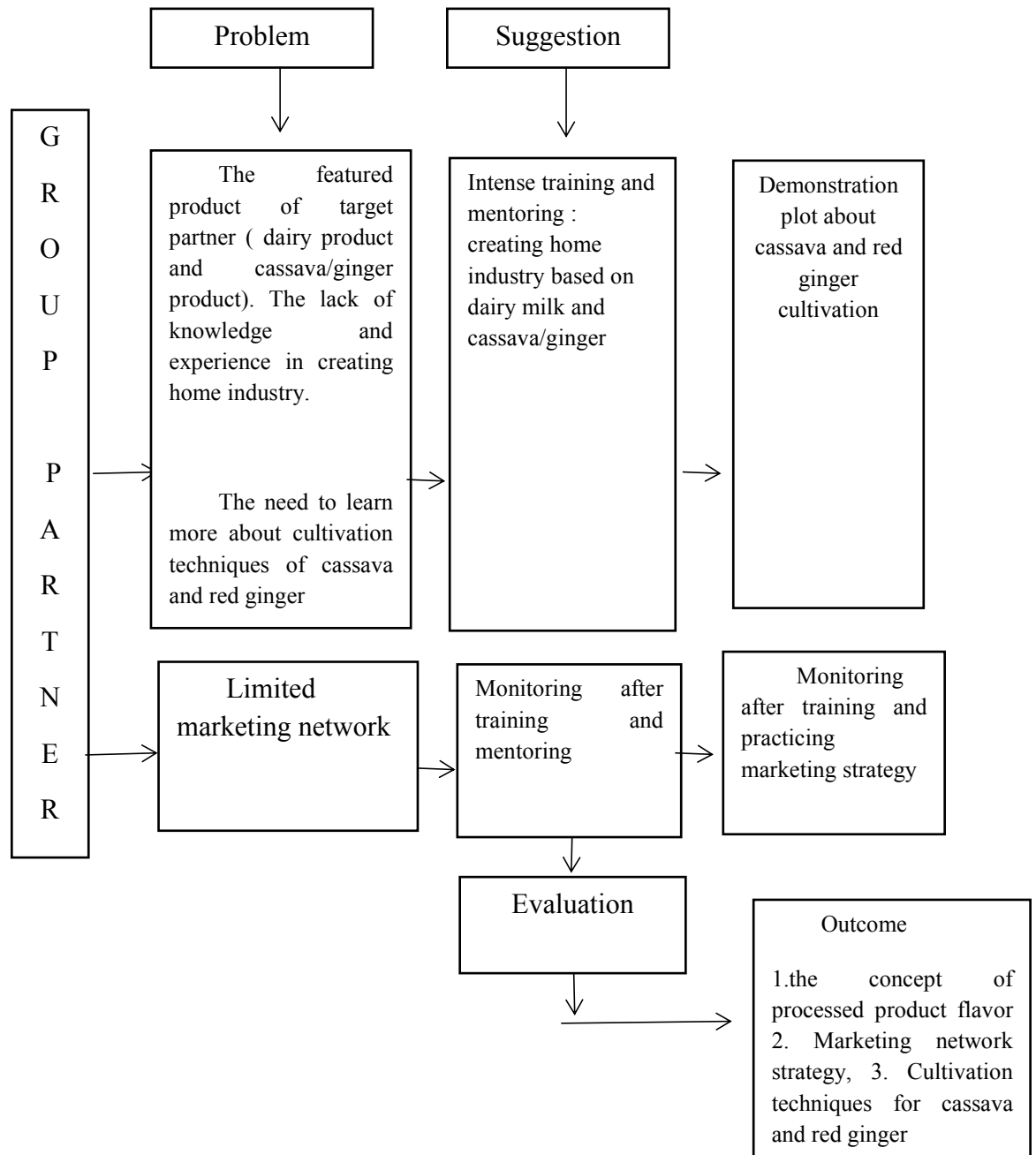
In Indonesia, tourism sector was initially developed after paying attention to the limited availability of oil, gas and other mining sources which are the main sector for Indonesia at the time. As we know that Indonesia is very rich with its various mining materials, prominently oil and gas. It makes tourism sector is a new item for Indonesia and begins to be taken seriously around the early eighties. Tourism is a very sensitive activity, because the object of tourism is close to the sense of human being or human feelings. In general, the ultimate goal of tourism is actually an effort to provide maximum service that focuses on satisfaction and satisfying customers. Besides, the existence of tourism is almost never separated from the importance of supporting sectors such as environment, demography, geography, banking, security, and followed by the role of information and communication technology of various mass media roles.

Tourism destinations is very potential to be developed in Trenggalek. Trenggalek is a small district located on the southern tip of East Java and bordered by Tulungagung, Ponorogo, and Pacitan. Beforehand, Trenggalek was currently unpopular among tourist. What stands out from this district is beach tourism, but since it has been being led by regent Emil Dardak, Trenggalek began to rise. Tourist destinations are not only centered on the beach, but also villages. One of them is Dompok village, Bendungan sub-district, Trenggalek. This tourist spot is classified as young because it was officially opened in 2015. What interesting about the village of Dompok is the development of existing potential including the participation of the community, especially the Women Farmers Group in producing products based on local potential and by then it is possible to increase the community welfare as well as support tourism development in Dompok .

METHOD

The implementation of National Priority Village Community was begun by conducting surveys and interviews with local residents regarding the potential, problems, problem solving strategies, and the implementation of activity programs in Dompok. Based on the existing data, a program was then planned to solve the

problems of the local village community. The implementation of National Priority KKN programs is carried out by the National Priority Village Community Service Team of UPN "Veteran" East Java. As an evaluation, before and after this activity was carried out, interviews were conducted with the help of questionnaires as a benchmark of data validity for the success of the programs that have been and will be implemented. The implementation of the program implemented in the of Thematic KKN activities in the second year is described as follows:



RESULTS AND CONCLUSIONS

The results of the National Priority Village KKN in Pakel and Garon Hamlet, Dompyong Village, Bendungan Subdistrict, Trenggalek Regency in the second year was compiled in the first year's action plan, based on the Problem Priority Matrix and the five-year Action Plan:

1. Basic Concept of Action Plan

Plans will be made to empower the community, especially in Pakel and Garon Hamlet, Dompok Village, Bendungan Subdistrict, Trenggalek, to utilize the potential of the village, especially for farmers. They are hard working yet the lack of knowledge has restrained them to improve their standards by utilizing their hometown potential. Therefore, innovation and knowledge outside their village are necessary in form of training and mentoring in the post-production process; both sourced from agricultural and dairy product.

2. Problem Priority Matrix and 5-Year Action Plan

2.1 Priority Matrix Problems.

<i>Prior issues based on surveys and FGD</i>	<i>participants</i>	<i>Indicator of success</i>	<i>Final results and explanation</i>
Improving and cleaning drainage canal, Road construction	Society: actively participating in every program Sub-district: giving support facility	High participation from society	Water availability in dry and rainy sesason
Compost production	Society: actively participating in every program Sub-district: giving support facility	Farmer association was able to make fertilizer or compost and applied	Compost is obtainable
Education about agricultural cultivation technology	Society: actively participating in every program Sub-district: giving support facility	Farmer understand the correct procrdure in agricultural cultivation	Application of agricultural cultivation technology in; cassava, corn, ginger and vegetable.
Fodder production	Society: actively participating in every program Sub-district: giving support facility	Farmers are capable to produce fodder	Fodder is available
Community empowerment in health and education	Society: actively participating in every program Sub-district: giving support facility	Awareness of the importance of health and education	society has been more aware about the importance of health and education

Production of dairy and agriculture product	Society: actively participating in every program Sub-district: giving support facility	Skills of women farmer association (PKK) and Karang Taruna/youth organization in village in the Production of dairy and agriculture product	Post-harvest and dairy product are available
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2.2 Action Plan for 1-5 Years.

N u m b e r	Action plan	Excecution				
		1st year	2nd year	3rd year	4th year	5th year
1	Improving and cleaning drainage canal and composting	Improving and cleaning drainage canal concept composting	Plan implementation and assistance	Plan implementation and assistance	Plan implementation and assistance	Plan implementation, evaluation and community independence
2	agricultural cultivation technology education	agricultural cultivation technology education concept	Plan implementation and assistance	Plan implementation and assistance	Plan implementation and assistance	Plan implementation, evaluation and community independence
3	Fodder production	Fodder production	Plan implementation and assistance	Plan implementation and assistance	Plan implementation and assistance	Plan implementation, evaluation and community independence
4	Community empowerment in health and education	Community empowerment in health and education concept	Plan implementation and assistance	Plan implementation and assistance	Plan implementation and assistance	Plan implementation, evaluation and community independence
5	Production of	Production	Plan implement	Plan implementa	Plan implemen	Plan impleme

	dairy and agriculture product	of dairy and agriculture product	ation and assistance	tion and assistance	tation and evaluation	ntation, evaluation and community independence
				Plan implementation and assistance		
				Plan implementation and assistance		
				Plan implementation, training and assistance (continuously)		

The results of KKN after 2 weeks activity, starts from 25 July - 8 August 2018, it turns out that all programs have been mentioned in the first year (2017) can be realized completely, only programs which related to processed products and counseling can be implemented during this period; training and mentoring activities, as well as counseling on the Cultivation Technique of Cassava, Corn and Ginger. After training and mentoring cassava chips and various flavours of dairy-drink production and counseling on Agricultural Cultivation Techniques. As a results, the following community empowerment that was obtained: (1) Intention and enthusiasm of the Women Farmers Group (KWT) in developing processed products based on local potential (2) KWT's ability to produce high quality products has improved, (3) farmers have understood the good and correct agricultural cultivation techniques. Therefore, it can be concluded that in this second year the low-class community, especially KWT in the hamlet of Pakel and Garon, has been enthusiast in improving family welfare, especially when there is a follow-up capital from the village for the mentioned hamlets.

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