

A STUDY ON “IMPROVEMENT IN RURAL LIVELIHOODS THROUGH DAIRY FARMING”

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Abbreviations used

AFC	Age at First Calving
AHD	Animal Husbandry Department
AI	Artificial Insemination
AL	Agricultural Labour
AMCU	Automatic Milk Collection Unit
APDDCF	Andhra Pradesh Dairy Development Cooperative Federation Limited
APMAC	Andhra Pradesh Mutually Aided Cooperative society Act
BAIF	Bharatiya Agro Industries Foundation
BF	Big Farmer
BMCU	Bulk Milk Cooling Unit
CBC	CrossBred Cow
DAHD	Department of Animal Husbandry & Dairying
DCS	Dairy Cooperative Society
DDP	Desert Development Programme
DPAP	Drought Prone Area Programme
DRDA	District Rural Development Agency
FMD	Foot and Mouth Disease
GB	Graded Buffalo
GDP	Gross Domestic product
GOI	Government of India
ICAR	Indian Council of Agricultural Research
ICMR	Indian Council of Medical Research
IKP	Indira Kranthi Patham
IMD	Indian Meteorological Department
LB	Local Buffalo
LLPD	Lakh litres Per Day
MF	Marginal Farmer
Med.F	Medium Farmer
MMS	Mandal Mahila Samakhya
NABARD	National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development
NB	Napier Bajra
NDDDB	National Dairy Development Board
NIRD	National Institute of Rural Development
NREGA	National Rural Employment Guarantee Act
NSSO	National Sample Survey Organisation
PLP	Potential Link Plans
RIDF	Rural Infrastructure Development Fund
RLU	Rural Live stock Unit
RRB	Regional Rural Bank
SERP	Society for Elimination of Rural Poverty
SF	Small Farmer
SGSY	SwarnJanyanti Gram Swarozgar Yojana
SHG	Self Help Group
SNF	Solids Not Fat
VAS	Veterinary Assistant Surgeon
VO	Village Organisation

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