



Overview of the 3rd National Agriculture Extension e-Symposium 2020 at The Climax and Closing Event on 30th July 2020



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UFAAS AND THE NATIONAL EXTENSION EVENTS

Since 2013, UFAAS in partnership with the MAAIF and other partners has been organizing National Agricultural Extension events that:

- Bring together different actors and stakeholders
- provide space for them to deliberate on AEAS issues critical to agricultural development
- Come up with communiques, deliberations, policy briefs that have had influence up to policy level



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Earlier National Conferences

- **2013** ➔ Towards an effective, efficient and innovative Agricultural Extension and Advisory Services (AEAS) system in Uganda”.
- **2014** ➔ Uganda’s Agriculture at Crossroads: Critical issues in the Extension and Advisory Services (AEAS) System-124 participants
 - Declaration
- **2016** ➔ Uganda’s new extension policy direction: Opportunities for stakeholder engagement.



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The Symposia

- Since 2018, UFAAS in partnership with the MAAIF and other partners has been annually organizing National Agricultural Extension Symposia
 - *1st-2018 ➔ Enhancing capacity and quality, promoting gender responsive, nutrition sensitive and professional AEAS in Uganda- 190 attended*
 - *2nd -2019 ➔ Making Extension and Advisory services a transformative force in Uganda's Agriculture: What are the bottlenecks and game changers?" - 214 (73F, 141 M)*



Symposium 2020

Note

- Given the current situation, of COVID-19 SOPs, this year's Symposium took a form of an e-Event held:
 - from 20th to 30th July 2020.
 - at different times and
 - around the country, at carefully selected and coordinated venues
 - Using different channels and platforms of communication: Zoom Facebook, twitter, WhatsApp, Website, e-mail,



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2020 Focus

Theme:

- “Positioning agricultural extension and advisory services for resilient agriculture and food systems”.

Objectives

- Find out how the disruption and shocks of the natural calamities have affected the agriculture and food systems in Uganda.
- Find out the different coping and thriving strategies adopted by the different AEAS actors and stakeholders to ensure that they perform.
- Identify the new opportunities manifesting out of the disruption and shocks of the natural calamities.
- Come up with recommendations for priority changes within the new normal.

Finally- Launch of the national e-Registration of the AEAS actors at different levels (Professionals, para-profesionals, practitioners)



Sub Themes

Climate Smart *AEAS* (Needs and Capacities)

Youth in agriculture (*as providers and clients*)

Sustainable Land Management Practices

Emerging Competitive e-extension Models

AEAS for Urban Agriculture

Other Topics

Others: Extension Education, Inputs Delivery and Farmers Perspectives



The Activities summary

- **20th July 2020: Opening the e-Symposium and launch of e-Registration of AEAS professionals in Uganda**
- **20th -28th July: A series of 7 webinars on the sub-themes and media discussions**
- **30th July 2020)-for 2 hours: e-Conference marking the Climax of the e-Symposium and closing .**
- **Post-Events: Presentation of the communique and UFAAS e-AGM (6th August 2020).**



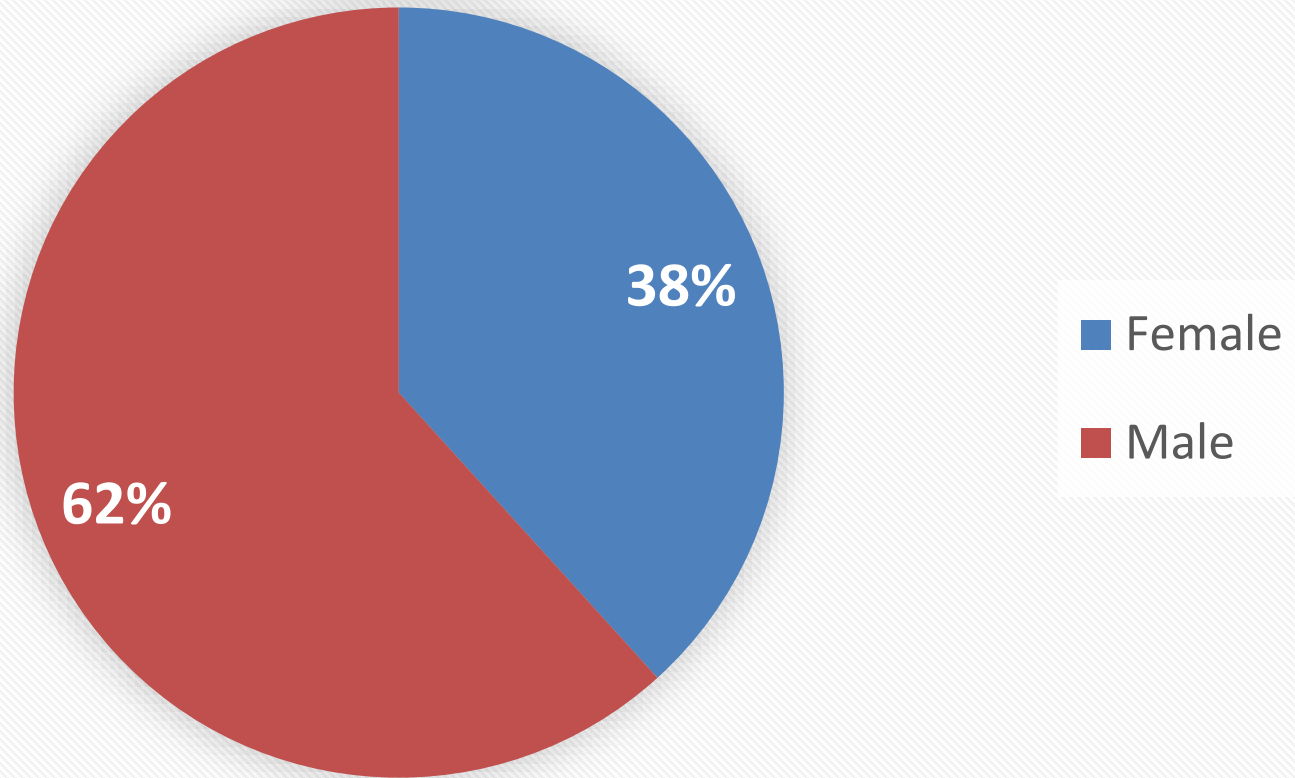
Launch of the AEAS e-Registration Portal



Statistics from the e-Registration database (as of 29/07/2020)

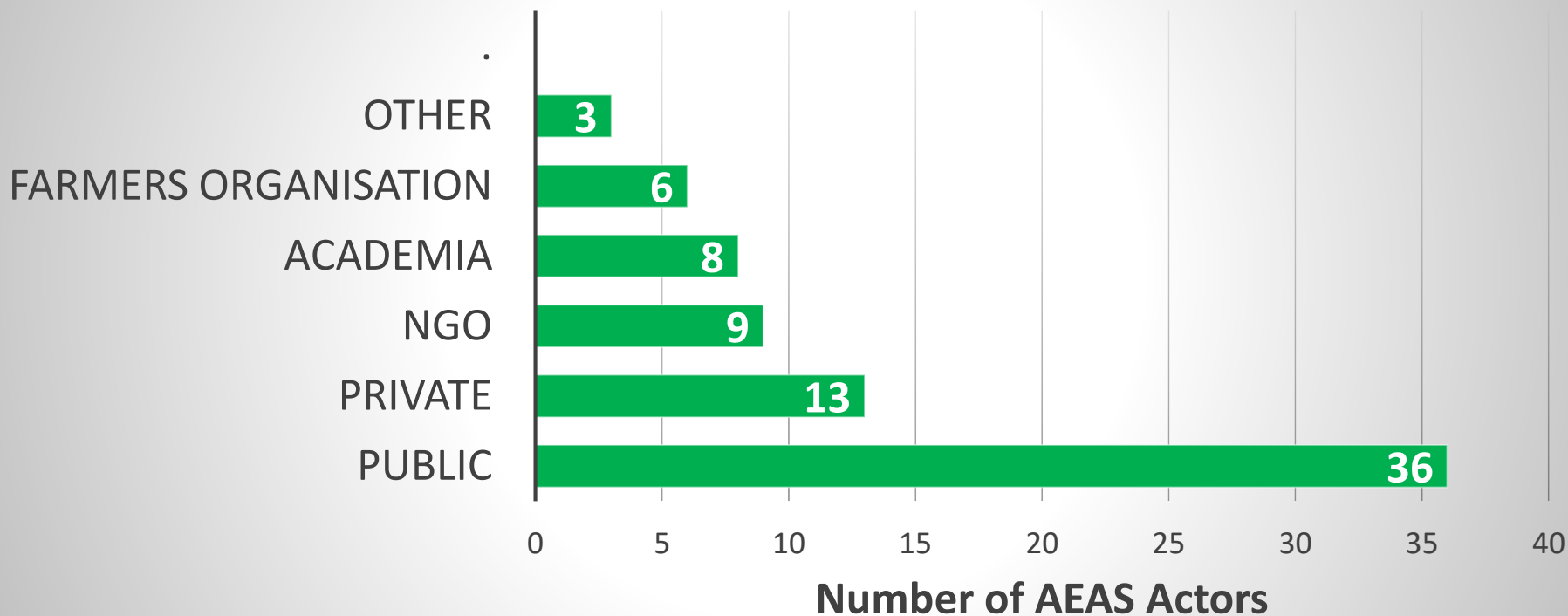


Registration by Gender



Statistics from the e-Registration database cont'd (as of 29/07/2020)

Registration by Sector

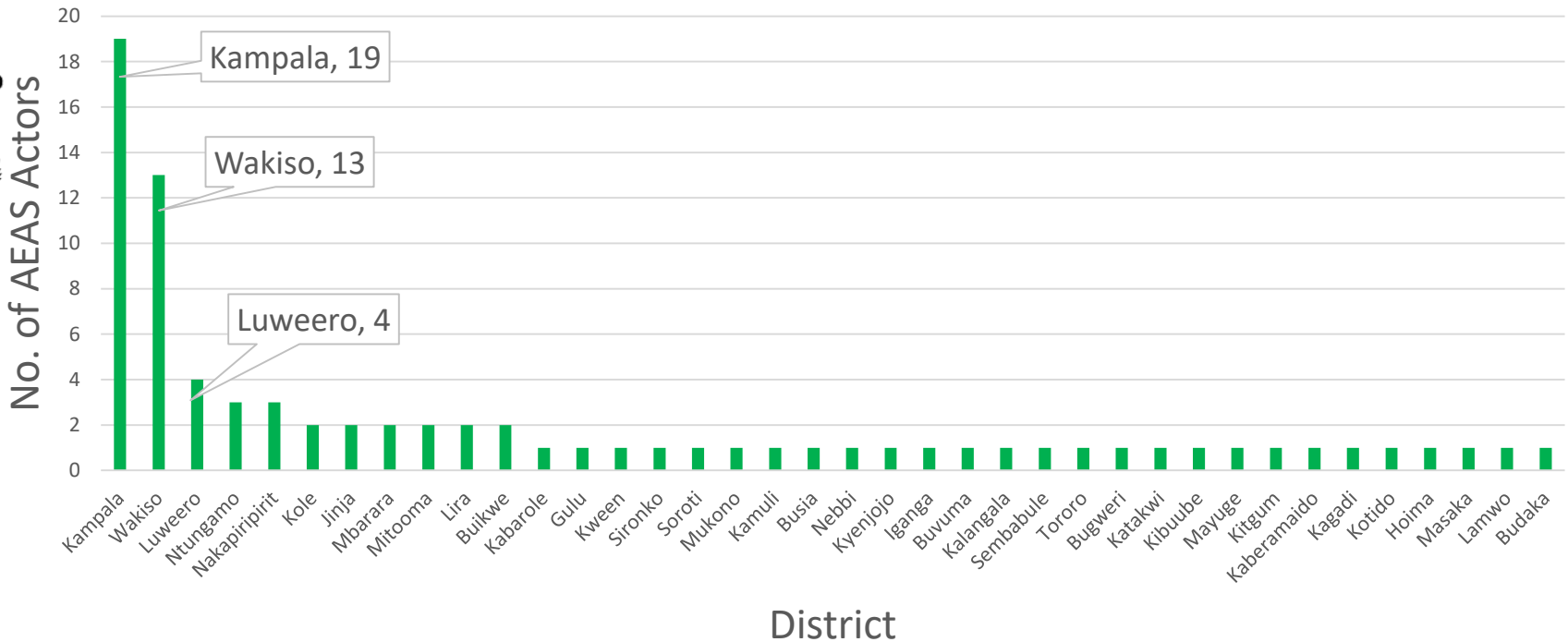


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Registration per District



Zoom webinar sessions Attendance



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Webinar #	Date	Unique Viewers	Sex	
			Female	Male
1.	21 July 2020	141	41	100
2.	22 July 2020	124	34	90
3.	23 July 2020	152	39	113
4.	24 July 2020	204	59	145
5.	27 July 2020	165	59	106
6.	28 July 2020	144	46	98

Average attendance by Gender (%)		30%	70%
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Zoom webinar sessions



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Participants: UFAAS UGANDA, DAN NINSIIMA, GRACE MUSIMA..., Silim Nahdy

Recording: [On]

MAAIF Ministry of Agriculture Animal Industry and Fisheries

AFAAS

Executive Director:

African Forum for Agricultural Advisory Services (AFAAS)

Participants (87): Panelists (14), Attendees (73)

Find a participant

- UU UFAAS UGANDA (Host, me)
- AM ADELINE MU... (Co-host)
- DN DAN NINSIIMA (Co-host)
- RN RICHARD NUWE... (Co-host)
- SE Stephen Ecaat (Co-host)
- UU UFAAS UGANDA (Co-host)
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- GS GEORGE SSERWADDA
- GM GRACE MUSIMAMI
- MS MUYINDA SAMUEL
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Zoom webinar sessions

Public Extension support to Urban Agriculture

Esau Galukande

At KCCA he oversees the implementation of programs in Urban Farming, Fisheries and Aquaculture.

Together with his team, they have pioneered the establishment of the Kyanja Agricultural Resource.

He is the Deputy Director Production and Marketing at Kampala Capital City Authority.

Livestream of zoom webinar on Facebook

Major Feed Resources at Kyakuwa Farm

1. Purchased feeds

- Green fodder; grass hay, maize silage, crop residues & agro-industrial by-products

2. Feeds produced at the farm

- Hydroponic green maize fodder; feed blocks processed from farm waste & maize stover & sugarcane bagasse

Webinar #5 on AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION and ADVISORY SERVICE...
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Poll results during zoom webinar



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Response	Count	Percentage
Yes	52/52	100%
No	0/52	0%

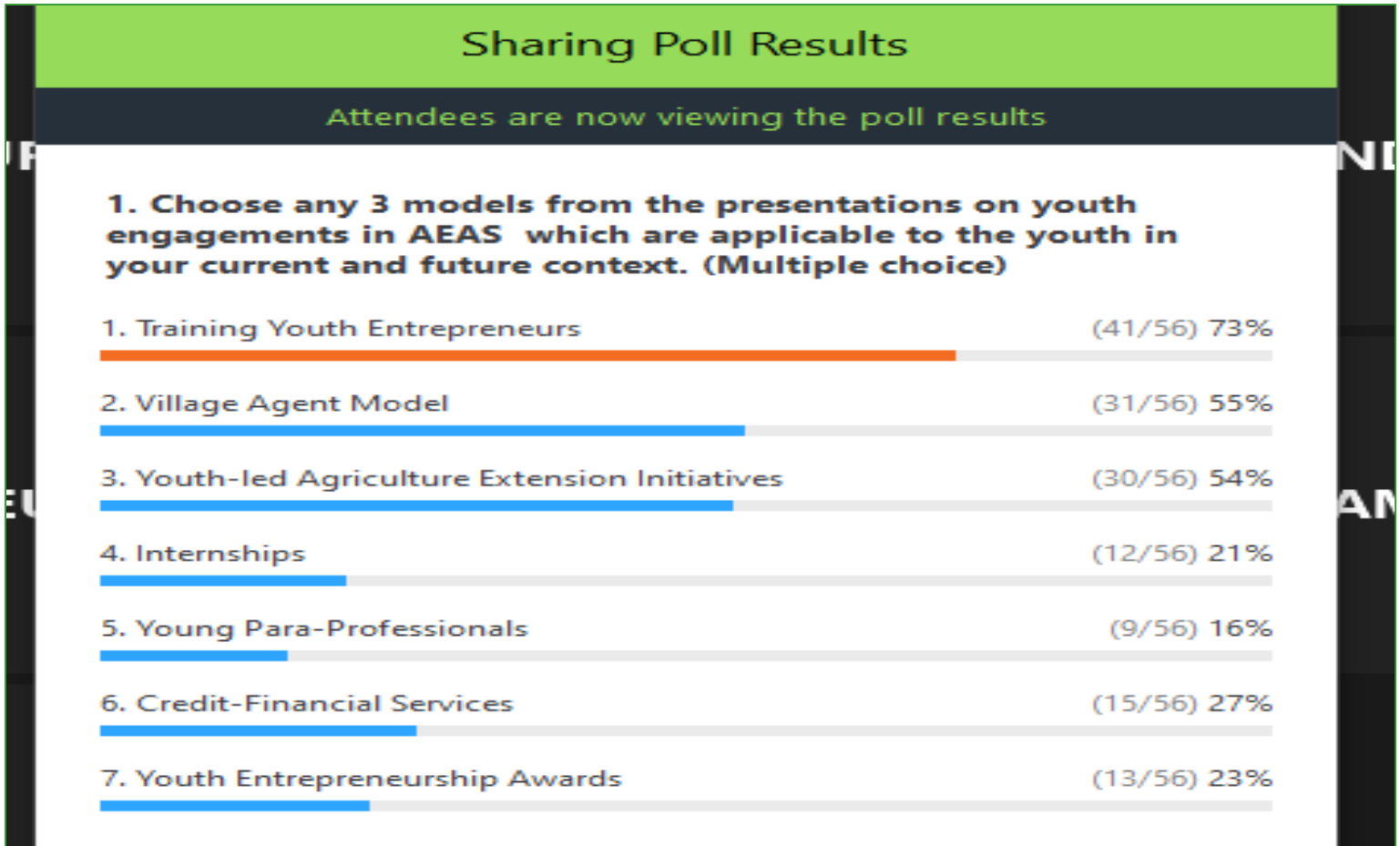
Participants (76)

Panelists (6) Attendees (70)

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- KE Kweyunga Emmanuel Mike
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- AA Adejumoke Ale
- AK Alfred Komakech

More Poll results during zoom webinar





Screenshot from Zoom webinar



The screenshot shows a Zoom webinar interface with the following elements:

- Top Bar:** Recording... LIVE on Facebook, Speaker View, Exit Full Screen.
- Participant Grid:**
 - Row 1: MAX OLUPOT (with a background banner for 'NATIONAL E-REGISTRATION OF AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION ACTORS SYMPOSIUM'), UFAAS UGANDA, UFAAS UGANDA, UFAAS UGANDA.
 - Row 2: PETER BEINE, BALIRANE HAKIM, RICHARD MIRO, GRACE KAZIGATI.
 - Row 3: MUYINDA SAM..., PEREZ KAWUMI, Kajura Chrles, HADIJJA NALULE.
 - Row 4: geoffrey kayongo, Hellen Ketty Ach..., Kakinga Dickson.
- Bottom Bar:** Unmute, Stop Video, 62 Participants, 34 Q&A, Polls, Chat, Share Screen, Pause/Stop Recording, Leave.





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