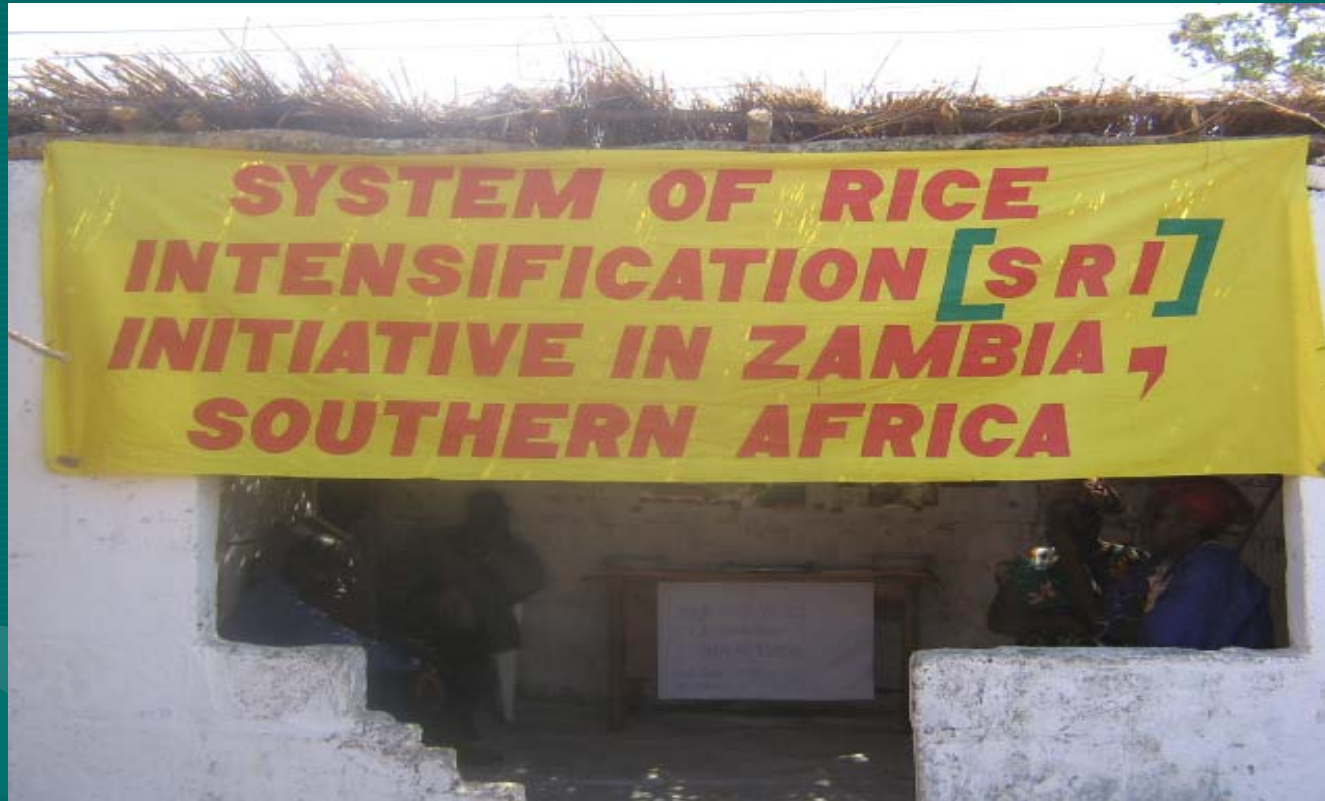


Highlights of the Agricultural Show hosted by the Ministry of Agriculture and Cooperatives of Zambia in Northwestern Province where the Esek Farmers' Cooperative Society participated and won 2nd position



The Esek Farmers' Co-operative Society stand with members seated in the background exhibiting their SRI products

Inspection of Esek Farmers' Co-operative Society stand at the show by the Permanent Secretary in the Office of the President



The Chairperson of Esek Farmers' Co-operative Society demonstrating good practice in transplanting rice seedlings from a nursery to a farm using the SRI growing instructions



SRI rice products exhibited at the Agriculture Show



Good quality rice from SRI production exhibited at the Agriculture Show



Women members seated next to a rotary weeder exhibited at the Agriculture Show



The chairperson receives an award for winning 2nd position at the Provincial Agriculture Show



Recognition of the value of SRI in Zambia by Zambian government -- a handshake between a Government official and the chairperson of the Society



Since the HIV/AIDS pandemic is so high on the Zambian agenda, the first award was scooped by an organization that exhibited products on HIV and AIDS response



Team members of the Society joyfully posing for a group photo with their award-winning certificate



Chairperson of Esek farmers' cooperative society

displaying the certificate won for promoting SRI in Zambia



Various crops exhibited at the show that competed together with SRI rice products



Packs of cereal produced in Zambia by small-scale farmers, displayed at the show



A lot of hard work, serious preparations, and crossing a lot of boundaries went into achieving this success. This shows what the Esek members did before winning the award at the show



**The secret in any winning scenario
requires commitment and dedication**



To compensate for the hard work and celebrate their achievement, members of the Esek Farmers' Co-operative Society had a nice moment feasting of their success

