

Constraints of Tribal Women in Performing Their Farm and Home Management Activities

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ABSTARCT

India is the traditional homeland for rich culture and heritage of tribal people, almost 90 percent of tribal people living in rural areas and 10 percent tribal people live in urban areas. They are unique in their language, culture, geographical situation and having independent mode of lifestyle and social stratification. The study was conducted to analyze the profile characteristics of tribal women and their extent of role of tribal women in farm and home management. This study also focused on identifying the relationship and contributing variables towards the extent of role of tribal women in farm and home management .The problems faced by tribal women while performing farm and home activities and suggestions given by them to overcome their problems were elicited. *Ex post-facto* research design was followed for the study. The study was conducted in the hilly areas of Visakhapatnam district of Andhra Pradesh during the year 2019-20. Three mandals Chintapalli, Gudem kotha veedi, Pedabayalu from the selected district was purposively selected for the study based on the highest percentage of tribal population in each mandal. From each mandal four villages had been selected, from each village 10 respondents selected randomly. From 12 villages total 120 tribal women were expressed their opinion on role in farm and home management. The data was collected with the help of a structured interview schedule through personal interview method and data obtained was analyzed.

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