

Day 1 – Common Themes

- The majority of losses are preventable
- Some problems of PHL start at production
- Measurement is important, but needs to be standardized
- Long-term, sustainable solutions should:
 - Engage government
 - Be market driven
 - Consider entire value chain
 - Be region specific
 - Involve multiple stakeholders
 - Consider the environmental impact
 - Consider the end goal (PHL reduction? Food Security? Improved livelihoods?)
- How can we overcome barriers of cultural practices?
- What were common themes you noticed? Bring them to the roadmap!

Day 2 - Overview



Day 2 – Common Themes

- Need to make **moisture meters** available for all smallholders
- **Storage** main cause for losses and main focus of interventions
- **Local** manufacturing & **low cost** technologies are needed
- **Cold chain** transport is critical for perishables
- Need to focus on **transferring existing technologies** to similar economies
- **Awareness**, education and training are critical for success
- PHL needs to be incorporated into **extension** programs
- Establishing a **Community of Practice**