Annual Progress Report format- 2022-23

DBT - Biotech- KISAN Hub Project

Title of the Project- Establishment of Biotech- KISAN Hub at ICAR- NIBSM, Raipur

- Institute/SAU- ICAR National Institute of Biotic Stress Management & Indira Gandhi Krishi Vishwavidyalaya - KVKs
- **Background information:** Biotech-Krishi Innovation Science Application Network (Biotech-KISAN) is a Department of Biotechnology, Ministry of Science and Technology initiative that empowers farmers, especially women farmers. It aims to understand the problems of water, soil, seed and market faced by the farmers and provide simple solutions to them.

The Scheme is for farmers, developed by and with farmers, it empowers women, impacts locally, connects globally, is Pan-India, has a hub-and spoke model and stimulates entrepreneurship and innovation in farmers.

Introduction: There is a need for direct linkage between science laboratories and farms it is now imperative that the Indian scientist understand the problems of the local farmer and provide solutions to those problems.

Likewise, it is necessary to expose farmers to the scientific solutions available by bringing him to the scientific environment/laboratory. This close interaction and need based research will allow innovative solutions and technologies to be developed and applied at farm level.

Objectives: To adopt and disseminate the biotech intervention to farmers under Biotech - KISAN project

| Sr. No. | Objective | Technology Intervened | | | |
|---------|---|---|--|--|--|
| 1. | Popularization of improved rice varieties such as drought tolerant, BHP resistant varieties, nutri-rich varieties (developed through biotechnological approaches). | Unitvation in rain-red shahow rands w | | | |
| 2. | Demonstration of low-cost protected cultivation if vegetable such as colored capsicum, cucumber and tomato. | To provided and demonstrated drip irrigation system with ventury and mulching film 30 micron to establish the high tech vegetable production. To provided and demonstrated the improved vegetables varieties, such as Tomato (var. Arka rakshak F₁ & Arka samrat), and Cucumber (var. Krish). | | | |
| 3. | Demonstration of scientific goat farming with the introduction of Sirohi, Jamunapari, Black Bengal and Barbari breeds. | Demonstration of scientific goat farming with the introduction of sirohi breeds. | | | |

Objective wise activities as per action plan

1. Inputs provided to farmers

| Sr.no. | Inputs details | Quantity/far mer | No. of farmers benefited | Village |
|--------|--|-----------------------|-----------------------------|---|
| 1. | Rice (MTU-1010) | 50 no. (30kg/bag) | 50 | Sonsaytola, Mangatola, Kodutola, Bhadsena Semharbandha |
| 3. | Pigeon pea seed (Rajiv Lochan) | 20 (8kg/bag) | 20 | Sonsaytola, Mangatola, Kodutola, Bhadsena Semharbandha |
| 3. | Weedicide (Bispyribac-sodium 10% SC (Pretilachlor 50% EC) | 50 | 50 | Sonsaytola, Mangatola, Kodutola, Bhadsena Semharbandha |
| 4. | Green gram (shikha) | 10 (4kg/bag) | 10 | Sonsaytola, Mangatola, Kodutola, Bhadsena Semharbandha |
| 5. | Black gram (urd) | 10 (4kg/bag) | 10 | Sonsaytola, Mangatola, Kodutola, Bhadsena Semharbandha |
| 6. | Chick pea (RVG-202) | 04 (30kg/bag) | 04 | Sonsaytola, |
| 7. | Onion (Bhima shakti) | 30 (1kg/bag) | 30 | Sonsaytola, Mangatola, Kodutola, Bhadsena Semharbandha |
| 8. | Sprayer | 40 no. | 40 | Sonsaytola, Mangatola, Kodutola, Bhadsena Semharbandha |
| 9. | Horticultural tools kit | 40 no. | 40 | Sonsaytola, Mangatola, Kodutola, Bhadsena Semharbandha |
| 10. | Goat (Sirohi breed) | 5+1 (Female+ Male) | 08 | Sonsaytola, Mangatola, Kodutola, Bhadsena Semharbandha |
| 11. | Drip System Installation | 01 | 01 | Sonsaytola, |
| 12. | Tomato (Arka rakshak F ₁ & samrat) seed | 30 gm. | 08 | Sonsaytola, Mangatola, Kodutola, Bhadsena Semharbandha |

| Module | Intervention | Village s covere d | Area covered (ha)/ | Number of Househol ds covered |
|----------------------------------|---|-----------------------------|-----------------------|---|
| | We provided problem specific varieties such as drought tolerant, nutri- rich rice variety, insect and disease resistant varieties of rice to the farmers. | 05 | 20 ha. | 50 |
| Сгор | Transplanting and line sowing method of paddy | 05 | 20 ha. | 50 |
| based module | Conducted training on cultivation practices of pigeon pea (Rajiv Lochan) on rice bund condition | 05 | - | 50 |
| | Organized training programme on safe handling and spraying of weedicide Pretilachlor 50 EC 500 ml/acre pre- emergence herbicide for transplanted rice and for DSR Post Emergent, Bispyribac Sodium 10% SC. | 05 | 20 ha. | 50 |
| | To provide drip irrigation system with ventury and plastic mulching film 30 micron to establish the high tech vegetable production. | 01 | 0.04 ha. | 01 |
| Horticult ure based module | To provided and demonstrated the improved vegetables varieties, such as Tomato (var. Arka rakshak $F_{1\&}$ samrat) | 04 | 1.6 ha. | 08 |
| | Conducted demonstration and training on insect pest management. | 05 | 20 ha. | 50 |
| | Conducted demonstration and training on integrated weed management | 05 | 20 ha. | 50 |
| Livestock based | Conducted demonstration of scientific goat farming with the introduction of sirohi breeds. | 05 | 5+1 (female+male) | 08 |
| module | Proper vaccination schedule for goat raring | 05 | 5+1 (female+male) | 08 |

2. Farmer-Scientist Interface

2.1 Farmers Training

| Sl. No. | Training name | Subject | Date | Place | No. of farmers benefited |
|------------|---|------------------------|------------|---|--------------------------------|
| 1. | Training on Backyard poultry (Kadaknath & Vanraja) | Livestock module | 04.01.2022 | Sonsaytola | 50 |
| 2. | Training on installation of trichocards | Crop+NRM module | 06.01.2022 | Sonsaytola | 50 |
| 3. | Training on vaccination programme of chicks | Livestock module | 10.01.2022 | Semarbandha | 50 |
| 4. | Training on poultry shed management | Livestock module | 12.01.2022 | Bhadsena | 50 |
| 5. | Training on feed management of chicks | Livestock module | 17.01.2022 | Kodutola | 46 |
| 6. | Training on Soil solarisation & soil treatments with bio fertilizer | Horticulture module | 07.02.2022 | Lodutola | 50 |
| 7. | Training on seedling treatment of tomato with bio fertilizers | Crop+NRM module | 09.02.2022 | Bhadsena | 50 |
| 8. | Training on vaccination & health management of chicks | Livestock module | 25.02.2022 | Bhadsena | 50 |
| | Training on IPM on chickpea | Crop+NRM module | 28.02.2022 | Sonsaytola | 50 |
| 9. | Training on fertigation in vegetables crops | Horticulture module | 02.03.2022 | Kodutola | 50 |
| 10. | Training on caring of new born kids of goat | Livestock module | 04.03.2022 | Mangatola | 50 |
| 11. | Training on IPM on pea | Crop+NRM module | 05.03.2022 | Mangatola | 50 |
| 12. | Farmers Scientist interaction meet programme | - | 07.03.2022 | Kodutola, Magatola, Sonsaytola, Bhadsena, Semarbandha | 50 |
| 13. | Training on caring of poultry during hot summer | Livestock module | 10.03.2022 | Sonsaytola | 50 |
| 14. | Training on post harvest management of vegetables | Horticulture module | 11.03.2022 | Sonsaytola | 50 |
| 15. | Training on caring of goat during | Livestock module | 16.03.2022 | Mangatola | 50 |

| | hot summer | | | | |
|-----|---|------------------------|------------|--|----|
| 16. | Training on urd seed sowing with seed drill | Crop+NRM module | 16.03.2022 | Sonsaytola | 50 |
| 17 | Training on insect & disease management of rice | Crop+NRM module | 11.07.2022 | KVK Rajnandgaon | 30 |
| 18 | Training on weed management of Rice | Crop+NRM module | 12.07.2022 | KVK Rajnandgaon | 30 |
| 19 | Training on Drip irrigation managements | | | KVK Rajnandgaon | 30 |
| 20 | Training on Scientific vegetable cultivation | Horticulture module | 14.07.2022 | Chaudabag Vegetable Nursery Kumhari Raipur | 30 |
| 21 | Celebration of ICAR foundation Day | - | 16.07.2022 | Sonsaytola | 50 |
| 22 | Training on application of pesticides by Drone | Crop+NRM module | 07.09.22 | Sonsaytola | 50 |
| 23 | Training on improved Seed distribution of onion and chickpea | Crop+NRM module | 21.11.22 | Surgi | 12 |

2.2 Number of direct & indirect farmers beneficiaries

| Farmers beneficiaries | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|------|-------------|-------------------|----|----|----|-------|--|--|
| | Dire | ect (50 no) | Indirect (250 no) | | | | | | |
| SC | ST | W | Other | SC | ST | W | Other | | |
| 2 | 18 | 2 | 28 | 10 | 90 | 90 | 60 | | |

2.5 Media Coverage

| Sl. No. | News topic | Place | News paper name | Date | Photograph |
|------------|---|----------------|--------------------|------------|--|
| 1. | Nay Sal Me kisano ko diya PM kisan samman nidhi | Surgi | Dainik Bhaskar | 04.01.2022 | |
| 2. | Kisano ko sikhai gai prasanskaran evam paikeging taknik | Sonsayt ola | Nai Duniya | 18.01.2022 | |
| 3. | Model fasal sahit udyanini ka liya jayaja | Sonsayt ola | Dainik Bhaskar | 14.03.2022 | иниция на оказания изака изака заправля и протокования изака изака заправля и протокования изака изака и протокования изака изака изака и протокования изака и протокования и протоков |

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Exposur visit of DBT farmers at ICAR New Delhi under Pusa Mela 2022 on dated 17-18 Oct.2022



Visited activities of DBT Biotech Kisan Hub by Dr. M.J. Chandra Gouda, Mentor Biotech Kisan Hub Chhattishgarh on dated 03.03.2022



Visited activities of DBT Biotech Kisan Hub & Spraying of pesticide by drone at farmers field by Dr. S.R.K. Singh, Director ATARI Jabalpur on dated 07.09.2022



Celebration of ICAR foundation Day at Sonsaytola on dated 16.07.2022





Training on Insect & disease management under DBT 11-12 july 22



Training on scientific vegetable cultivation under DBT 13-14



Seed distribution programme of onion & chickpea under DBT- Biotech Kisan Hub on dated 21.11.22

Outcome: Explain the outcome with figures.

| | | No. of farmers | Area (ha.) | Average (yield q/h | Yield increase | |
|-------------|-------------------------|-------------------|------------|--|---|-------|
| Year | Crops/ Unit | s/ | | Demonstrations plot with improved cultivar | Farmer practice with Local cultivars | (%) |
| 2022- 23 | Paddy (MTU- 1010) | 50 | 20 | 50 | 30 | 66.66 |

Earlier they got 30 q /ha. production of rice due to adoption of traditional technologies such as use of traditional varieties, broad casting method of sowing, no application of weedicide and insecticides, but after introduction Biotech - KISAN Hub project they got more production 45-50 q per hectare as compare to local cultivars and 66.66 % change observed in production level of MTU-1010 in year 2022-23.

Impact of scientific interventions:

| SN. | Year | No. of adopte d farmer s | No. of far | mers adopted tec | hnology | % change in transpla nting method s of rice | Remark |
|-----|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------|--|------------------|---|--|
| | | | Transpla -nting | Direct Seeded Rice through seed drill | Broad casting | | |
| 1 | At the time of project start | 50 | 9 | 0 | 41 | - | After the start of this project, farmers were adopted line sowing and transplanting and |
| 2 | 2020-21 | 50 | 27 | 0 | 23 | 200 | getting more benefits in comparison with |

| | 3 | 2021-22 | 50 | 46 | 2 | 2 | 70.37 | earlier. Maximum |
|---|---|---------|----|----|---|---|-------|--------------------------|
| | _ | - | | - | | | | farmers were adopted |
| | | | | | | | | the traditional method |
| | | | | | | | | of sowing, but after the |
| | | | | | | | | implementation of this |
| | | | | | | | | project, the farmers |
| | | | | | | | | started line sowing and |
| Ī | 4 | 2022-23 | 50 | 47 | 2 | 1 | 2.173 | transplanting method. |
| | - | 2022-23 | 50 | Τ/ | 2 | 1 | 2.175 | In last three years of |
| | | | | | | | | experiment 200, 70.37 |
| | | | | | | | | and 2.173 percent |
| | | | | | | | | respectively in first, |
| | | | | | | | | second & third year |
| | | | | | | | | changes observed in the |
| | | | | | | | | way of sowing by the |
| | | | | | | | | farmers. |
| | | | | | | | | |

Outcome: Explain the outcome with figures.

| SI. | Crops/ | ops/ | | Ave (yield | Yield increase | |
|-----|------------------------------|--------|------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------|
| No | Unit | Number | Area (in ha.) | Demons- trations units | Local (Existing practice) | (%) |
| 1. | Tomato (Arka Rrakshak) | 08 | 1.6 | 556.67 | 169.34 | 228.72 |
| 2. | Cucumber (Krish) | 08 | 1.6 | 728.00 | 439.32 | 65.71 |

Before they got 169.34q /ha, 439.32 q/ha production of tomato and cucumber respectively with local varieties but after installation of drip system, plastic mulching and improved varieties (Arka Rakshak and Krish) they got 556.67q/ha,728.00q/ha production of tomato and cucumber and in case of tomato 228.72% and for cucumber 65.71% change in production level observed.

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