

Template for Success Story

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1. Case Profile:

1	Name/s of the beneficiary (If group write details of all the members)	Shri Gudu Baitha (Group Leader) and 16 other members (Details Enclosed)
2	Mobile number of the beneficiary/s /Email ID	Mobile: 7646086847 Email:
3	Address (Village, Mandal, District, State)	Village: Maheshpur Mandal/Block: Angara District: Ranchi State: Jharkhand Pin: 835103
4	Educational Background	Graduate
5	Category (General/OBC/SC/ST)	S.C.
6	Status before initiating the activity	Student and Fish Catching
6.1	Profession	Fisherman (Fish Catching in Getalsud Dam)
6.2	Social Status	Low Profile
6.3	Monthly income	5 – 6 Thousand
6.4	Issues/challenges	Could hardly earn livelihood
7	Motivation to join fisheries activities	During Matsya Krishak Goshthi Programm Shri Gudu baitha got motivated about fisheries activities and there after he came into contact with field officers of fisheries department and showed his curiosity to do fisheries in technical and well managed manner. Getting technical and motivational support from there he started fisheries activities.

2. Project Development:

1	Details of Fisheries Activity/Project	Riverine/ Open Area Fish Farming – 2019-20
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2	Total project cost	36.00 Lakhs (Twelve units of 120 meter length forming an closed water area of 40 acre approx)
3	Investment by self	Approx 8.5 lakhs Rs. (Five thousand each beneficiary)
4	If Any Financial assistance received from Govt.	Yes /No – Yes
4.1	If Yes, write name of the scheme under which financial assistance/ Subsidy is received alongwith funding amount	Scheme: Riverine/ Open Area Fish Farming programm under Blue Revolution scheme 2019-20 alongwith funding amount Rs. 36,56,600/- Financial assistance received (Rs. In Lakhs): Rs. 36,56,600/-
5	Other Source of funding (Rs. In Lakhs)	Bank Loan: -KCC loan ranging from 36 – 40 thousand to 11 members of group was sanctioned in 2021-22. Borrowed from other sources: No Any other: Self
6	Annual Turnover (last 2 financial years)	2020-21 – 25.00 lakhs 2021-22 - 32.00 lakhs

3. Infrastructure Created:

Sl. No	Pond/ farm facility/ Infrastructure	Details of pond / farm facility/ Infrastructure Units established			
		Year of establishment	No. of units established	Total Extent (Ha)	Production capacity per unit (Tonnes)
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4. Description of the project Intervention/activities undertaken (Elaborate in detail with technical inputs the journey/story of the farmer/challenges faced -)

Beneficiaries of this Riverine Fish Farming (R.F.F.)/ Open Area Farming (O.A.F.) program under Centrally sponsored Blue Revolution scheme 2019-20 is group of fisherman of Village – Maheshpur, Block – Angara, District – Ranchi situated near by Getalsud Dam. All these members were facing unemployment and could hardly earn their livelihood by fish catching in Getalsud Dam randomly, which was

very much uncertain. After intervention of fisheries department through the present program under Blue Revolution scheme they started control fisheries in open area of Getalsud Dam which provided them a ready platform for controlled fish culture in Dam area having immense potential of fish production. They got all technical supports from fisheries department. Initially they faced some problem due to lack of technical knowhow and spirit of group activities. They also had some doubts about success of this scheme. But after getting motivated from fisheries department officials they applied for the present scheme and after being selected they started fish farming. The 1st year result of fish farming under the scheme was very good. And group members were very much enthusiastic. 2nd year result was more encouraging which fixed the mindset of the group members in the area of fish farming. Now a day's all the group members are doing very well in fish farming. Their lives have become more easy, economically stable, prosperous and more promising.

5. Economics of the Activity:

Year	Business Activity (Production/Service)	Production Related		Service Related	Total Expenditure (Rs.in Lakhs)	Returns (Rs.in Lakhs)	Net profit (Rs.in Lakhs)	No. of fishermen & fishermen benefited
		Annual Production (Lakh Tonnes)	Annual Quantity marketed (Lakh Tonnes)	Annual Value of Services provided (Rs.in lakhs)				
2020-21	Fish Production	0.0025	0.0025	0.5	8.40	30.00	21.60	17
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2021-22	Fish Production	0.0030	0.0030	0.5	9.00	36.00	27.00	17
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TOTAL		0.0055	0.0055	0.10	17.40	66.00	48.60	17

6. Photos of Fisheries Activities: (provide actionable photos)



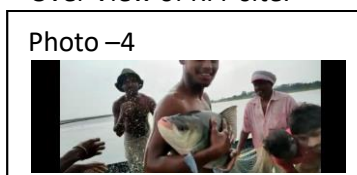
Over View of RFF site.



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Fish Harvesting



Displaying Fish catch.

7. Outcome of the intervention/activity undertaken

- a. Improvement in business practice:
 - i. The beneficiaries are focused, in fish culture. Their fish farming practices have improved. These practices are now fully based on technical and scientific mode.
- b. Details of the best practice adopted which helped with good results:
 - i. The group members followed regular and optimum supplementary application and its follow up in a very much disciplined manner resulting into optimum fish production result.
- c. Total Employment generated:
 - i. Male : 30
 - ii. Female : 20
- d. Anything specific: The essence of scheme is very good and result orienting. The best part of the scheme is that it can provide very good and productive water area amongst huge reservoirs in very much less cost in comparison to pond construction.

8. Impact on improvement of livelihood: Fish Production under this scheme has provided good opportunity of earning their livelihood easily and sufficiently. They have now surplus.

9. His/her Future plans – The group members are now planning to explore the maximum fish production potential from the water area. In future they are also planning for expansion on their own.