

Women's farmers Onion Cultivation at a glance through APC project.

Farmer Name :Smt.Nirupama Mahanta
Village :Mukuna
G.P :Bauripada
Block :Sadar
District : Keonjhar



Smt.Nirupama Mahanta-Onion collection.

Production of Onion Collection in a place.

Kitchen garden farming is continuation Smt. Nirupam Mahanta, Secretary of Jay Hanuman PG,Mukuna at day to day life working for nutrition garden through APC project support organic agriculture need of daily use vegetables for better food practice.

When the sun rising, she is always go to the farm, and get the happiness. One young women farmer Smt.Nirupama Mahanta, Sadar block of Mukuna Village, Bauripada G.P , in a OBC middle family. She studied till class BA and after marriage then he started kitchen garden in her house for better organic vegetable food. This farming has changed her life style. Slowly his interest for farming made example as a successful farmer. Now she is of 41years. she is cultivating paddy along with Chilly, Cucumber ,Mushroom, Beans, Back Yard Poultry, Cowpea and onion. She is a part of training & exposure which is held by Horticulture department and learnt many things about farming doubling income through the Vegetable and Livestock through APC project.

Before without any knowledge and with traditional system, she is not able to get more to more profit, But she learnt through Training & Exposure through Agriculture Production Cluster project intervention the different types of vegetable farming th and livestock back yard poultry training Other farmers are learning many things about farming from Nirupama Mahanta.

Nirupama Mahanta growing vegetables earlier in their homestead land traditionally with few returns; thus motivated by the IDA(Ideal Development Agency) staff & Horticulture Deptt. AHO to take up a totally newer intervention in the area, i.e. 'Hybrid Onion vegetable cultivation a., Now the growers seem to be much experienced and interested in the growing onion. This is definitely a small but positive attribute in up gradation of their livelihoods & a permanent solution for cultivation the spices to earn more.

Nirupama says 50 dismil area cultivate the onion, total expenditure is Rs.4000/- with the seeds cost and get the 7 quintal Onion of Rs.9800/- selling and get the direct benefit in the first time Rs.5800/- for the period of 4 months and she is happy for the small intervention of APC project and thanks to the IDA.