

SUCCESS STORY - 3

Name of Farmers - **Sri Ranjit Kumar Singh**
Address - Village – Karma Bhagwan, Block- Aurangabad,
District- Aurangabad
Contact No. - 9934171827
Details of the Farm - Total cultivable land - 2 ha
Irrigated land - 1 ha. (Fish culture & Backyard poultry)
Live stock – 4 Cow
Adapted agriculture mechanization
Small scale industry (Apiary)

Name of KVK utilized by the Farmers and the period - **Sri Ranjit Kumar Singh** Associated with Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Aurangabad, Bihar since 2009.

Technologies obtained (Apiary) with details –

Sri Ranjit Kumar Singh, Son of Sri Tej bahadur singh has completed his schooling from his own district Aurangabad. After completion his study he was eager to do something for his family. Keeping in view with the same intension initially he associated with the Krishi Vigyan Kendra in 2008 and adopted livestock, backyard poultry besides usual cultivation of rice and wheat which were already been adopted in his district but due to lack of sizable land to do something new he adopted another entrepreneurship like animal rearing, fishery and bee keeping. Slowly and slowly he observed that apiary is the best option for him because it does not need enough land. Then he expressed his keen interest towards bee keeping before the programme co-ordinator, Krishi Vigyan Kendra and another scientist for getting special training programme. Finally with the help of different district level training programme organized by district horticulture officer and Krishi Vigyan Kendra he find himself confident and initially started bee keeping with 20 boxes. Apart from this he developed a group of same entrepreneurship which were found quite helpful for all of them. Now he is having 400 boxes. Now he is earning 5.5 lakh per year alone with the help of bee keeping besides getting income from growing crops (50 thousand) and livestock (21 thousand). Presently he becomes an idle for the young generations of in surrounding and outskirt areas of the district.

Details result obtained due to the Adoption flower cultivation:

Crop/Livestock/Fish /Enterprise	Area (acre)/No.	Cost of production	Return	Net income
Honey bee	400 boxes	1,00,000.00	5,50,000.00	4,50,000.00

Marketing strategy - Now he supplied honey to the entire district with the help of forming groups.

Factor Contributing to Success –

- Technical knowhow and moral support provided by KVK, Aurangabad.
- Interest & Innovativeness of the Mr. **Ranjit kumar singh and family support**
- Policy of Govt. of Bihar.

