



KRISHI VIGYAN KENDRA, PALAMU

(BIRSA AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY, RANCHI-6, JHARKHAND)



Farmers' Name	Smt. Sushma Devi	
Age	41	
Farmers' address	Village: - Pahadi muhalla Block: Medininagar District: - Palamu	
Education	Metric	
Landholding (ha/acre)	Rainfed:	Irrigated:
Details about livestock (no.)	4	
Farming experience (Years)	11 year	



Social appreciation/ recognitions/Awards for his innovation: Awarded from district administration & BAU, Ranchi

Details of practice: Smt.Sushma Devi got training from KVK-Palamu and started mushroom cultivation and Mushroom spawn production in small space and earning approximately Rs. 238000/-annually. Sushma Devi has become a known person among the successful entrepreneurs. Newspapers, radio and Doordarshan highlighted her achievements which made a tremendous impact on other unemployed rural youth.

Impact factor	Quantity	Cost /Income (Rs.)
Mushroom yields (kg/bag) – 2.0 Kg	70 Kg per month (Av.)	168000
Expenses incurred (Rs/bag) Rs. 70/-	200 Kg	14000
Spawn production cost: Rs. 80/ Kg	600 Kg	48000
Spawn price (Per 500 gm.) Rs. 60/500 gm	132000	132000
Gross income)Rs.)		300000
Net returns (Rs/year)		238000
B:C ratio		4.8:1

