<u>GVT – Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Godda (Jharkhand)</u>

Success Story Pigeonpea

Specific Technology:- Pigeonpea (IPA – 203) + Line sowing + Rhizobium + PSB+ Pesticides + Micro nutrient

Name of KVK	GVT – Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Godda (Jharkhand)			
Crop and variety	Pigeonpea var.: IPA - 203			
Name of farmer & address	Sri Betwa Hembram, Village – Mahuabathan, Block – Boarijore, Godda, Mob. No.: 7779995419			
Background information about farmer field	The field was sandy loam. Before sowing soil test was conducted to know the fertility status of the soil. The availability of NPK in the field was 236, 30 and 140 Kg/ha, respectively. The dose applied in the field was 25:50:25 and sulphur 20 Kg/ha.			
Details of technology demonstrated	The crop variety of Pigeonpea was used IPA – 203. At the time of field preparation liquid biofertilizer NPK – 1 (Azatobacter + PSB + KMB) was used with FYM. Sulphur @ 20 kg/ha was also used. Seed was treated with carbendazim and sown in line. Pesticides were also sprayed when the infestation of pod borers was noticed above the threshold level.			
Institutional involvement	Training, supply of the Pigeonpea seed (Var.: IPA – 203), biofertilizer NPK – 1 (Azatobacter + PSB + KMB) and time to time technical advice.			
Success point	Replacement of low yielding desi variety with the HYV IPA - 203 along with soil test based fertilizer application is the success point.			
Farmer feedback	This variety was found suitable under the agro climatic condition of Godda and incidence of fungal wilt was also below the threshold level.			
Outcome yield (q/ha)				
- Demonstration	17.8 q/ha			
- Potential yield of variety/technology	19.5 q/ha			
- District average (Previous year)	8.5 q/ha			
- State average (Previous year)	10.53 q/ha			

Performance of technology vis-à-vis Local check (Increase in productivity and returns)

Used Practice	Yield (q/ha)	Gross cost (Rs/ha)	Gross income (Rs/ha)	Net income (Rs/ha	B:C ratio
Farmer practices	12.09	33200	60450	27250	1.82:1
Demonstration	17.8	35700	89000	53300	2.5:1
% Increase	47.23				

Quality Photographs: in .jpeg format

