# Sonepur

## Integration in Farming leads to Prosperity and Sustainability

Name:- Mrs. Suprava Dani Age:- 46 years Village- Laturpet, Block-Birmaharajpur Pin- 767018,

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#### Background

**Suprava Dani**, an enthusiastic lady, aged about 46 years is having 3.5 acres of land and was cultivating mainly paddy in only 2 acres of land. She also had a small dairy unit with 5 cows in the backyard. With KVK intervention she had set up a mushroom production unit and spawn production unit in the adjoining area of her residence. Recently she has started value added products like mushroom pickle, soup powder, namkeen, cookies, dry mushroom powder, sauce, badi, etc from oyster mushroom.

#### **Intervention of KVK**

During her visit she participated in a 5 days vocational/skill training programme on "Scientific Mushroom cultivation and Spawn Production" at KVK. From the training she acquired scientific knowledge and skill about the improved mushroom production technology like selection of good quality spawn, straw management, bed preparation, diseases and their management in beds, spawn preparation, preparation of different value added product from oyster mushroom, which motivated her to start her journey in this direction.

### **Output**

From mushroom and spawn unit she earned a net income of Rs. 2.24 lakh from paddy straw and oyster mushroom and Rs.2.0 lakh from production of 50000 nos spawn annually. In addition from the dairy farming with 23 nos of cross bred cows, she earned an annual net income of Rs. 2.75 lakh. In total, she earned an annual net income of Rs. 6.99 lakhs. She becomes a source of motivation for other farm women





