

Name of the KVK: Mahayogi Gorakhnath Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Gorakhpur Name of the Unit: A Govt. job retired person farming with protective structure.

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Introduction: Dr. Ram Samujh, Block-Khorabar, District- Gorakhpur, size of land holding 4 Hectare. His aged 65 years old and retired from Govt. job. The Block Khorabar located in 10 km away from District Headquarter and 45 km from MGKVK Chaukmafi. Presently he is a role model for farmers to get additional income by protected cultivation. His income ranged from 3 -5 lakhs annually from Polyhouse and rice-wheat-cropping system. He got subsidy by Govt. department from District. He is also interest to take share in Farmers Producer Company.

Plan, implement, support and linkage with MGKVK: Dr. ram Samujh came in contact with the Horticulture Scientist of Mahayogi Gorakhnath Krishi Vigyan Kendra and showed his keen interest in flower & vegetables production in poly house. By taking the technical knowledge from KVK scientists. He started flower & vegetables production in poly house. Now he is earning up to Rs. 5 lakh/annum by selling flower & vegetables production in poly house.

Output: Total annual cost of production =Rs.3.05 lakh

Total annual income from flower & vegetable = 3.00 lakh

Total annual income from rice-wheat = 2.00 lakh

Outcome: After getting good return from seed and livestock, he added in farming system. In this way he got more profit and their socio-economic status are increasing among the farmers. These enterprises are not only the good source of good income but also generating the employment to the farmers.

Impact: Dr. Ram Samujh is one of the progressive and learned farmers to others with regards to popularization of flower production through poly-house. This technology helps him for livelihood, empowerment. Now this technology is adopted by farmers by seeing and believing in Gorakhpur district.

