

**Name and Address:** Sri Amal Sardar,  
Village-MV-9,  
Block-Malkangiri  
Dist-Malkangiri, Odisha

**Activities undertaken: Demonstration on Sweet Corn var. Sugar-75**

**Involvement of KVK**

Malkangiri village-9 is approx 14 km distance from KVK office Malkangiri. Amal Sardar, who is a progressive farmer, came to KVK for attained a training programme on organic farming and he saw sweet corn demonstration unit at KVK and so much impressed. He also communicated with our scientist regarding the cultivation practices of said crop. After that scientist of KVK visited their field and collected the soil sample and taken GPS reading and provided the sweet corn seed. The KVK team organized training and demonstration on sweet corn followed by regular follow up visits.

**Success made**

The area covered by sardar was 1.0 acr. He did sow the seed in the month of November. He also applied the soil test based fertilize. In January last week, harvesting started; yield was found 20547cobs/ acre. The net returned was Rs. 65488/- which was more than popular hybrid var.

**Future strategy**

Amal Sardar is spread the knowledge of cultivation of sweet corn hybrid variety among the other Bengali as well as near tribal community ie.MV-8, MV-12 and MV-48) and he communicated with KVK to provide some amount of seed to their relatives in future.

**Impact of other villagers**

Amal Sardar has motivated some of their village SHG members and other village farmers to use the hybrid variety as a profitable income of family.