

ANNUAL REPORT 2023-24



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MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY:



Dear Friends,

I am pleased to present the Annual Report for 2023–24. This year marked steady progress across our key thematic areas, including sustainable livelihoods, natural resource management, climate resilience, health, education, and community empowerment. Our interventions continued to benefit marginalized families through improved access to resources, enhanced skills, and strengthened local institutions.

We are grateful to our funding partners, government departments, and community stakeholders for their continued trust and collaboration. Their support has enabled us to implement programs that contribute to environmental sustainability, economic stability, and social well-being. I also acknowledge the dedication and professionalism of our field teams and staff, whose efforts have ensured quality implementation and meaningful impact at the grassroots level.

As we look ahead, we remain committed to deepening our work with communities, advancing inclusive development, and promoting long-term resilience. We will continue to uphold transparency, accountability, and partnership in all our initiatives.

Thank you for your valued support!


Secretary
GRAM - UTTHAN
Bhubaneswar

Govind Chandra Dash

A Glimpse into Gram-Utthan

Established in 1990, Gram-Utthan, a non-governmental, Non- religious and non-profit organization working in two states of India i.e. **Odisha and Chhattisgarh**. With over 34 years of **grassroots experience**, the organization has been instrumental in improving the lives of marginalized and vulnerable communities through participatory and inclusive approaches.

Inspired by a vision of inclusive growth and social equity, Mr. Govind Dash founded **Gram-Utthan** to address the socio-economic challenges faced by women and rural poor, fostering their integration into mainstream development. The organization is committed to building **self-reliant and resilient communities** through sustainable livelihood promotion and ecological conservation.

VISION: A just, equitable, and environmentally resilient society where every individual lives with dignity, self-reliance, and harmony with nature

MISSION: Empowering the poor and disadvantaged, catalysing qualitative changes in their lives through an empowerment process

LEGAL STATUS

Registration Type	Details
Society Registration	Registered under the Society's Registration Act XXI of 1860 with Initial Registration No. 19150/7 dated 9th April 1990 and Amended Registration No. 22736/326 dated 1st March 2008.
FCRA Registration	Registered under Section 6(1)(a) of the Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Act, 1976 bearing Registration No. 104870115, initially registered on 27th September 1995, renewed on 13th February 2025, and valid from 1st April 2025 to 31st March 2030.
12A & 80G	Registered under Income Tax Act Section 12A (Sub-clause (i) of clause (ac) of sub-section (1)) bearing Registration No. AAATU1223FE20214 dated 28th May 2021, and under Section 80G (Clause (i) of the first proviso to sub-section (5)) bearing Registration No. AAATU1223FF20214 dated 28th May 2021.
PAN	AAATU1223F
TAN	BBNG00758C
CSR Registration	CSR Regn. No.: CSR00000041
NGO DARPAN	Unique ID: OR/2009/0013905
GST Number	21AAATU1223F1Z6
MSME Udyam Registration	UDYAM-OD-17-0009967

Governance, Management & Administration

Gram-Utthan is guided by an 11-member Governing Body, headed by the President, which provides strategic direction and approves all major policy decisions. The Secretary oversees day-to-day management and is delegated operational authority, except for matters related to the induction of new Governing Body members or amendments to bylaws and regulations. The Governing Body, appointed for a three-year term, ensures effective oversight, accountability, and organizational compliance. To maintain transparency, fairness, and professional integrity, Gram-Utthan follows a structured personnel policy and established administrative systems.

Governing Body Members

Sl. No	Name	Position
1	Mr.Prabhakar Senapati	President
2	Mrs. Manasi Parhi	Vice President
3	Mr.Govind Dash	Secretary
4	Mr.Gobinda Chandra Nayak	Asst. Secretary
5	Mr.SantoshKumarMishra	Treasurer
6	Mr.SubratRanjanMohanty	Member
7	Mr.Nagendra Kumar Acharya	Member
8	Dr.Gopal Krishna Padhy	Member
9	Smt. Subhashri Das	Member
10	Mr. Nihar Ranjan Das Patnaik	Member
11	Mrs. Angurbala Mohanty	Member

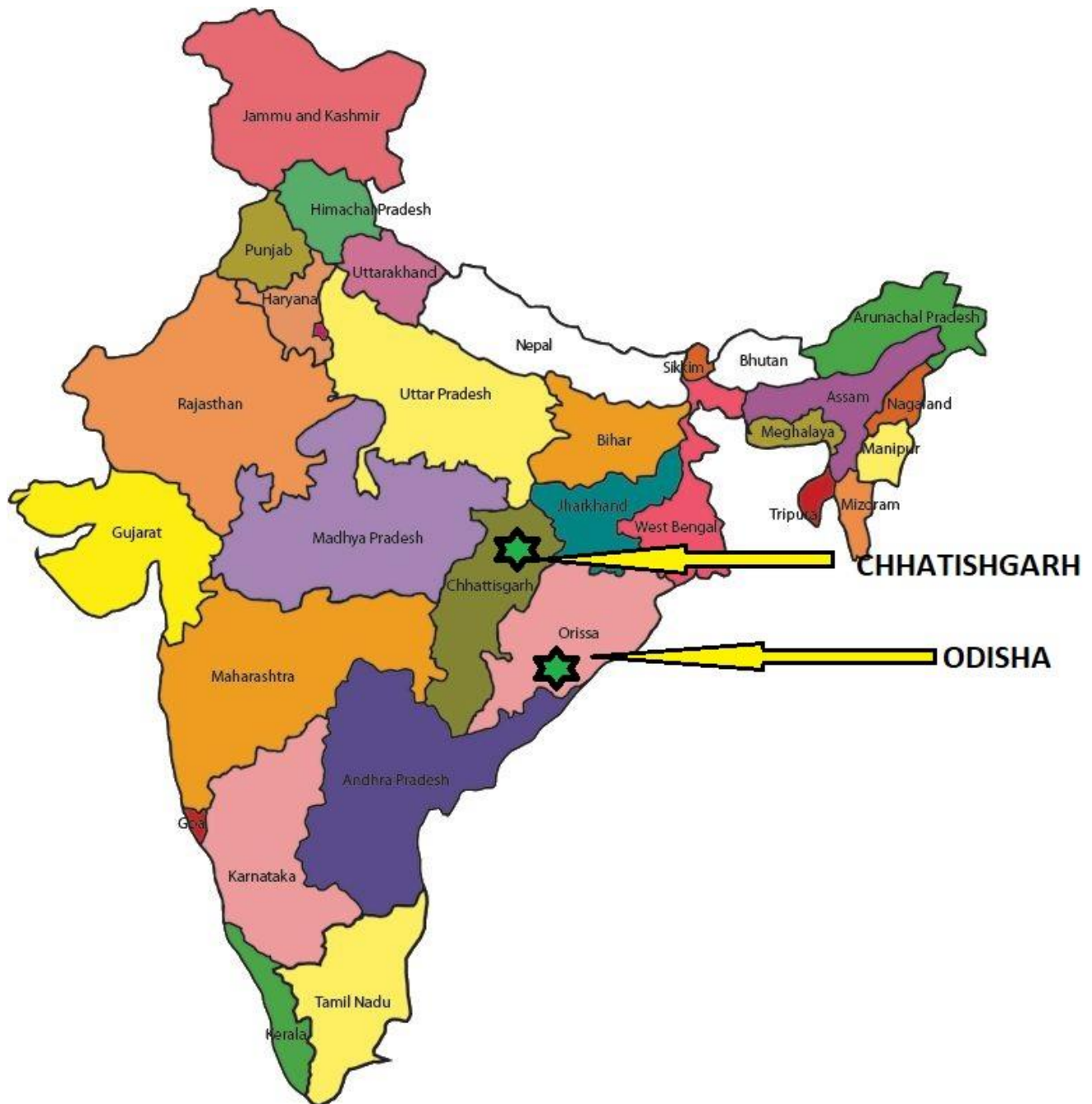
Status of organization's Human Resource:

Regular Staff	CRP	Part Time Workers	Expert Consultant
82	277	18	10

Geographical outreach:

State	Odisha	Chhattisgarh	Total
District Covered	14	05	19
Block covered	71	7	78
Panchayat covered	1635	28	1663
Village covered	11555	380	11935
Women SHG	17880	-	17880
Member involved	191052	-	191052

Map of India with an indication to our operational States



OUR DEVELOPMENT INTERVENTIONS

- Community-Based Institution Building
- Empowerment Sustainable Livelihood Promotion
- Natural Resource Management (Water, Land & Forest)
- Climate-Smart Agriculture and Aquaculture
- Climate Education, Plantation & Environmental Conservation
- Health, Nutrition, Education & Skill Development
- Water, Sanitation & Hygiene (WASH) Promotion
- Disaster Risk Reduction

HIGHLIGHTS OF FY: 2023-24

Green Livelihoods: Mangrove Plantation and Eco-Livelihood Development

Gram-Utthan, with support from **DCB Bank Limited**, implemented an integrated climate-resilience programme combining mangrove restoration, sustainable aquaculture, and household eco-livelihood promotion for small and marginal farmers, widows, women-headed families, landless households, and families with disabilities. The project was implemented covering **25 villages across 5 GPs of Rajnagar Block in Kendrapara District, Odisha**.



Key Achievements

- Restored **16 acres of degraded coastal land** by planting **16,000 mangrove saplings** through community participation.
- Rejuvenated **5 community ponds** with boundary plantation to strengthen aquaculture-based livelihoods.
- Established **600 Nutri-Gardens**, improving household nutrition and income from surplus produce.
- Enhanced household earnings for **200 vulnerable families** through poultry and duck rearing support.



TARU - Trees for Agriculture Resilience and Upliftment

Gram-Utthan implemented the **TARU project Supported by ReNew Power Synergy Pvt. Ltd.** to enhance climate resilience, promote agroforestry, and improve long-term livelihood security for small and marginal farmers through large-scale plantation initiatives. The project mobilized farming communities across three districts—Dhenkanal, Khordha, and Cuttack—and supported them in establishing tree-based farming systems for ecological stability and income diversification.

Key Achievements				
Name of District	No of Farmers Mobilised	Farmer Completed Plantation	Area of Plantation (In Ha.)	Saplings Delivered
Dhenkanal	2570	147	161.27	75038
Khordha	1822	133	75.56	46584
Cuttack	680	6	15.28	4159
TOTAL	5072	286	252.11	125781



Long-Term Benefits & Carbon Credit Potential

- **252.11 hectares brought under agroforestry**, creating long-term climate and livelihood resilience.
- **Enhanced soil health** through improved fertility, reduced erosion, and strengthened groundwater recharge.
- **Creation of a stable micro-climate** to support climate-resilient agriculture.
- **Sustained livelihood opportunities** through timber, fruit, fodder, and NTFP-based income over 10–15 years.
- **1,25,781 saplings enabling future carbon credit potential**, positioning farmers for participation in voluntary carbon markets.
- **Significant carbon sequestration expected**, contributing to national climate goals.
- **Opportunity for long-term carbon revenue**, offering an additional income stream for farmers and community institutions.

Integrated Watershed Management Project

Gram-Utthan implemented the Integrated Watershed Management Project with CSR support from DCB Bank Limited through Concern India Foundation to enhance water availability, strengthen irrigation, and promote sustainable agriculture for small and marginal farmers. The project was implemented across **24 villages in Banki and Athagarh Blocks of Cuttack District, Odisha**.

Key Achievements

- Restored **6 rainwater harvesting structures** and renovated **7 community ponds**, benefiting **7,298 households**.
- Installed **1 tubewell** in a water-stressed village to improve irrigation access.
- Enabled irrigation for **185 acres of farmland**.
- Planted **1,152 fruit-bearing trees** around water harvesting structures, enhancing ecological value.



Rain Water Harvesting Structure & Plantation around Water Harvesting Structure

Beekeeping-Based Livelihood Development Project



The DCB Bank supported Project implemented by Gram-Utthan in association with Concern India Foundation in **31 villages across Banki, Athagarh, and Dampara Blocks of Cuttack District, Odisha**.

Key Achievements

- Enrolled and trained **250 women SHG members** in advanced beekeeping, including exposure visits.
- Distributed **500 beehive boxes, 500 hive stands, 250 smokers, 250 bee veils, and 80 honey extractors**, enabling complete apiary establishment.
- **The active women beekeepers** harvested 413 kilos of honey, generating ₹ **₹3,30,400**.



Sustainable Livelihoods through Pond Renovation & Aquaculture Farming

Supported by DCB Bank Limited through Concern India Foundation, the project strengthened village-level livelihoods by renovating ponds, promoting aquaculture, and building the capacities of community institutions. The intervention covered **5 villages under Kapaleswar GP in Kendrapara District, Odisha**.

Key Achievements

- Formed **5 Pond Management Committees** (75 members) to ensure sustainable pond governance.
- Renovated **5 village ponds**, including construction of inlets/outlets, a new bathing ghat, repairs to existing ghats, feeding steps, and feed preparation tanks.
- Achieved **2,110 kg of fish production** during the reporting period.



Pond Renovation, Boundary Plantation and Aquaculture farming

Integrated Village Development Project (IVDP) Supported By Concern India Foundation

The project was implemented in **9 villages across 5 GPs of Talcher and Chhendipada Blocks in Angul District, Odisha**.

Key Achievements

- Supported **1,250 households in backyard poultry farming** and **500 households in goat rearing**.
- Promoted **Nutri-Gardens** for **680 households** and **cash crop cultivation** for **600 farmers**.



- **Provided skill training to 500 women in tailoring, 300 adolescents in computer education, and 270 youths in multi-skill trades, improving employability and income potential.**
- Distribution of RO to 12 Schools

Strengthening of livestock and Animal Husbandry programme: (Non-FC)

Supported By:

- Directorate of Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Services, Govt. of Odisha.
- **Project Location:** All 19 Blocks under Kendrapara & Jajpur District:

Gram-Utthan has recruited in consultation with CDVOs of Kendrapara & Jajpur District and made placement of 19 Programme Associates (PA) one in each block for 19 blocks (Jajpur-10+Kendrapara-09) of both the district. These PAs are working directly under BVOs guided by CDVOs for Strengthening of livestock and Animal Husbandry programme deliverables at block level.

Details on FPO/FFPO/PFCS in the state of Odisha & Chhattisgarh

Sl.No	Name of State	Supported by	FPO	FFPO	PFCS	Total
1	Odisha	NABARD	6	4	-	10
		SFAC	8	-	-	8
		NCDC	-	4	11	15
		Gram-Utthan (Own)	2	-	-	2
4	Chhattisgarh	SFAC	4	-	15	19
	2 states		20	8	26	54

Facilities Created For FPO Members





CBBOs under the CSS on Formation & Promotion of FPOs, Supported By SFAC, 2022

Sl. No.	District	Program Area/Block	State	Proposed Focus Crops/activities in the cluster
01	Kendrapada	Gardapur	Odisha	Pulses &Vegetable
02	Kendrapada	Mahakalpada	Odisha	Fish and High Value Paddy
03	Puri	Puri (Sadar)	Odisha	Vegetable & Pulses
04	Khurda	Tangi	Odisha	Pulses
05	Dhenkanal	Gondia	Odisha	Groundnut
06	Cuttack	Tigiria	Odisha	Vegetable
07	Balangir	Khaprakhol	Odisha	Vegetable & Maize
08	Balangir	Titilagad	Odisha	Recently allotted
09	Korba	Podiuparoda	Chhattisgarh	Maize &Vegetable
10	Korba	Korba (Sadar)	Chhattisgarh	Vegetable & Pulses
11	Korba	Kartala	Chhattisgarh	Vegetable & Pulses
12	Raigarh	Kharsia	Chhattisgarh	Vegetable & Paddy

SHG Digitization in E-SHAKTI Portal: Supported By NABARD, Dist: Kendrapara

The NABARD supported SHG Digitalization in Odisha under E-SHAKTI Programme has been successfully implemented in 10 blocks of Jajpur district and 05 Blocks of Kendrapara District where 385 Animators were trained and engaged to bring 13618 SHGs into functional stage.

Programme Details

SHG Digitization Targeted	3000
Implementing Agency	Gram-Utthan
Implementing Blocks	Rajkanika, Aul, Pattamundai, Rajnagar & Mahakalpara
GU SHG digitization target	3000
Animator recruitment target	100
Animator working on field	51



Targeted Intervention supported by OSACS:

The OSACS supported Target Intervention (TI) project is implement at three locations in the capital city of Bhubaneswar. The Project covered 497 FSWs. Under this project, Gram-Utthan facilitates the FSWs to protect themselves from HIV, giving health care facilities to our HRGs, proper care support and treatment for the PLHIVs, reduce the stigma associated with the illness and mitigate its negative economic impact.

Focused Action:

Component	Activity
Behavior change communication	Capacity building, advocacy among key stakeholder, counseling, IPC session
Community mobilization	Outreach service, DIC, Hotspot level meeting, Community based event, Awareness activities, SHG formation, Social protection scheme, IEC activity.
Condom promotion	Condom Demand analysis, condom distribution, condom demo re demo for the consistent use and safe sex practice, social marketing.
STI Management	Regular Medical Checkup, Presumptive Treatment, RPR, Treatment at PPP, Follow-up.
Referral and Linkages	Health Care Provider (ICTC, ART, DOTS provider, Diagnostic Laboratories)
Enabling Environment	Project Monitoring committee, Crisis management committee, stakeholder meeting, training of staff, advocacy meeting, Monthly and weekly meeting.

Social Protection Schemes:



USHA SILAI SCHOOL PROGRAMME

Key Operational Area: Boudh, Subarnapur & Kalahandi Districts

Key Achievement

- **1,813 women entrepreneurs promoted** under the USHA Silai School Programme since 2012.
- **35 new Classical Silai Schools established** across during 2023-24:
- Harbhanga Sadar Block (Boudh)
- Sonepur Block (Subarnapur)
- Karlamunda Block (Kalahandi)
- **Regular field monitoring and supervision** ensured improved stitching skills, income generation, and enterprise growth among Silai School women.



Sustainable Livelihood for Women through Tailoring Skill Development (Non-FC)

- **Supported by:** Rourkela Steel Plant – SAIL (RSP), Odisha
- **Operational Area:** Baniguni GP, Kuarmunda Block, Sundargarh District

Key Achievements

- **15 disadvantaged women trained** under the Training-cum-Production Centre (TCPC) with technical support from USHA International Ltd.
- **15-day basic stitching training completed**, followed by distribution of **free sewing machines and accessories** to all trainees.
- **Production work initiated** at the TCPC in Baniguni Community Centre, enabling women to begin earning immediately after training.
- **20-day advanced stitching training provided** to the same 15 women, strengthening their technical skills for higher productivity.
- **₹50,000 seed capital** provided by RSP-CSR to support enterprise development.

- Trainees **formed a Self-Help Group (SHG)**, later linked with **ORMAS**, receiving loan support and marketing facilitation.
- Women entrepreneurs are now **earning sustainable monthly income** and progressing toward long-term financial independence.



Sewing skill development training of marginalized women and livelihood enhancement to trained women through setting up of 50 silai school under CSR fund of Lakhanpur Area

- **Supported By:** Mahanadi Coalfields Limited, Lakhanpur, Jharsuguda, Odisha
- **Operational Area-** Under 10 GPs of Lakhanpur block of Jharsuguda District.

Gram-Utthan is being implemented this Sewing Skill Development programme among 50 disadvantaged women from the periphery area of MCL, Lakhanpur Blocks with the technical guidance of USHA International Limited and support from MCL. We provided free silai machine and accessories to all trainees after training of 9 days. Then they started working at home. They started earning for their livelihood.



Life skill Education and skill development Training Program, Supported by Nomi Network (Work Force Development)

With the support of Nomi Network, Gram-Utthan is actively working to create economic opportunities for survivors of human trafficking and women at risk. Through these initiatives, we strive to empower vulnerable women and support their journey toward safety, dignity, and self-reliance.



Since the inception of the program, we have enrolled 312 women from various communities, including Laxmisagar, Jharpada, Budheswari Colony, Malisahi, Masjid Colony, Bharatpur, Shantipalli, Naharakanta, and Old Town, among others. The activities are primarily conducted through a structured Foundation Training Program. The training is delivered in four key phases, focusing on the holistic development and empowerment of the participants. These phases include: The activities are conducted basically in Foundation Training Program basis. We are giving them training in 4 phases like:

Phase-1- As part of the program, an in-house training on Life Skill Education is conducted over a period of three months. The training curriculum is designed with a 70:30 ratio, comprising 70% Life Skill Education and 30% Technical Education. While the Life Skill component focuses on enhancing personal development, communication, decision-making, and confidence-building, the Technical Education segment provides practical training in tailoring and beautician skills to support sustainable livelihood opportunities for the participants.

Phase-2- Upon successful completion of Phase-1, trainees are referred to Phase-2 for advanced technical training through our Job Integration Partners (JIPs). These partners operate with support from government schemes such as the Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Grameen Kaushalya Yojana (DDUGKY) and Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY), as well as through funding from CSR initiatives and agencies like NABARD. In Phase-2, trades offered through these JIPs include Tailoring, Beautician, Computer Skills, Healthcare, Retail, and Sales.

Phase-3- After the successful completion of Phase-2 training, the trainees are guided into two pathways based on their interests and aspirations: some opt for employment opportunities in various companies and enterprises, while others choose to pursue self-employment. This phase typically spans five months, considered a probation period as per the policies of the respective organizations. Our



strategic objective is to encourage at least 60% of the trainees to opt for job placements, as formal employment offers greater security and reduced risk. Currently, our trainees are employed with various Job Creation Partners (JCPs) in Bhubaneswar as well as in Bangalore, gaining valuable experience and financial independence.

ADOLESCENT GIRLS EMPOWERMENT PROGRAMME (AGEP)

Work Details

Name of the Cohort	Project Site	Area	No. of AG Covered	Graduate
Cohort - 1	Bhubaneswar	Laxmi Sagar	60	56
Cohort - 2	Bhubaneswar	Bharatpur	100	100
Cohort - 3	Bhubaneswar	Bharatpur & Tapoban	100	
Cohort - 1	Puri	Baliapanda	100	



IEC Activity-Wall painting

- (Girl Child Education, Child Marriage, Child Line.



ISA for Successful Implementation of Community Mobilisation for Sustainability of Rural Drinking Water Schemes in RWS&S Balasore Circle.

Gram-Utthan has been designated as an Implementation Support Agency (ISA) for the successful implementation of the rural drinking water supply scheme, supported by the Panchayati Raj & Drinking Water Department, Government of Odisha, within the RWSS Balasore Circle. We are currently in the initial phase of intervention in the designated areas. The focus of Gram-Utthan in this phase is on community mobilization to ensure the long-term sustainability of the Rural Drinking Water Supply schemes. This is being carried out through a structured approach involving Village Mobilisers at the village level, GP Coordinators at the Gram Panchayat level, and Block In-Charges at the block level, all operating under the guidance of Division Lead Officers assigned to each RWSS division within the Balasore Circle.



Name of Division	No of Villages Assigned	No. of Villages Without Habitation	No. of Actual Villages	VWSC Formed & VAP Prepared	VWSC & VAP to be Prepared	No. of Bank A/C opened
Baripada	2274	50	2224	2199	25	660
Rairangpur	1468	14	1454	1439	15	346
Bhadrak	1225	13	1212	1201	11	1200
Balasore	2654	56	2598	2448	150	674
Keonjhar	1067	12	1055	1054	01	500
Anandpur	982	2	980	832	148	110
Total	9670	147	9523	9173	350	3500

Gram-Utthan is implementing the “Sustainable Aquaculture for Food & Livelihood (SAFAL) supported by German Cooperation & GIZ Germany.

The overall goal of the project is to improve fish production, income and employment, food and nutritional security by reducing poverty in the region and enhancing the capacities, institutional building of aquaculture farmers.

Primary Objectives of the Project:

1. To improve the competitiveness of smallholder aquaculture farmers by adopting responsible aquaculture farming practices
2. Develop Carders’ of Community Resource Persons (CRPs) who in turn would train the new aquaculture farmers locally using the acquired knowledge for better aquaculture farming system.
3. Strengthening FPOs, FRCs and establishing institutional arrangement to enhance productivity and linking the producer groups to different market aggregators with access to finance and various government supported schemes.



Operational Coverage

Dist	Block	Name of Farmer Producer Organisation(FPO)	No of Beneficiary
Kendrapara	Rajkanika	Maa Kharakhai Fish FPCL	300
	Aul	Bhitarkanika FPCL	300
	Pattamundai	Maa Patharakani FPCL	300
	Marshaghai	Nua Asha FPCL	300
	Derabish	Krusha Vikash FPCL	300
	Rajnagar	Chasi 2 Vikash Fish FPCL	300
Jajpur	Dharmasala	Chasi Bharasha FPCL	300
	Dasrathapur	Krushaka Fish FPCL	300
Bhadrak	Bhadrak Sadar	Bajarangi FPCL	300
	Bonth	Utkal FPCL	300
Khordha	Balipatna	Bhargabi Fish FPCL	300
Puri	Nimapara	Vegicosta FPCL	300
Total			3600



Identification, Selection and Capacity Building of Aspiring Aqua-Entrepreneurs supported by GIZ & German Cooperation.

Project Location:

- Kendrapara – Rajkanika , Aul , Pattamundai , Rajnagar , Derabishi , Marshaghai
- Bhadrak – Bhadrak Sadar, Bonth
- Jajpur – Dharmasala, Dasarathpur
- Khurdha – Balipatna
- Puri – Nimapada

Objectives:

- Identification of and selection of 600 aspiring youth and existing Aqua-entrepreneurs
- Capacity building training of 450 aspiring Aqua-entrepreneurs to make them ready for incubation
- Establishment of 6 nos. of Cluster Information Centres (CICs) and 12 Sub CIC Centers
- Promotion of Aquaculture and aqua-entrepreneurship using Community-led video development program

Targeted Beneficiaries:

- Fish farmer (Seed grower, Grow out culture)
- Fish vender (Wholesaler, Retailer)
- Feed seller
- Fish transporter
- Ice manufacturer
- Net waver



House Keeping, Avenue Plantation, Beautification of Road, Drinking Water, & Solar Street Light Facilities Under CSR Initiatives SMS India Pvt. Ltd. Khurdha.

Gram-Utthan has initiated this project supported by SMS India Pvt. Ltd. with the following Major Components

- Making it clean Green Zone with Avenue Plantation
- Installation of Solar Light 180 :
- Creating facilities of road side safe drinking water.
- Display of Slogan, Direction Board, Stickers& Glow signboard



A. Financial literacy Programme: (Non-FC)

Operational Area: Kendrapara District

Target Population: 1600 women from 400 SHG

Financial Literacy for SHG leaders – Broad Indicative Course Contents

Module 1: SHGs and Livelihood

Module 2: Financial Planning and Management

Module 3: Role Leaders to be Bankable

Module 4: Financial Services and Products

- Savings and Investment
- Deposits
- Credit
- Insurance
- Pension

Module 5: Risk Management, Scams and Chit Funds

- What are Chit Funds?
- How much return is normal?
- Why avoid chit fund companies and trust banks and banks only?
- Security aspects of financial transactions.
- Information which one is not supposed to share with others.
- IT-ITES

Formation and Promotion of Fish Farmer Producer Organizations (FFPO): (Non-FC)

Supported By: NCDC Govt. of India

Operational Area: Kendrapara, Bhadrak & Balasore

Achievements:

Gram-Utthan as CBBO has formed and registered 03 nos. Primary Fish Producer Cooperative Societies one in each district, i.e. Kendrapara, Bhadrak & Balasore. This Formation & Promotion of Fish



Farmer Producer Organisation (FFPO) is being implemented under Central Sector Scheme of PMMSY supported through.

FFPCS Details:

Name of FFPCS	District Block	Date of Registration	No. of Members	Share capital (Rs. in lakh)	Business Activity	Business Turnover (Rs. in lakh)
Basudha FFPCS	Bhadrak Chandbali	27-02-2023	327	239000	Fish Seed, Fish Feed	140000.00
Sidhi Shakti FFPCS	Kendrapara Sadar	12-01-2023	210	256000	Fish Seed, Fish Feed	671091.00
Baneswara FFPCS	Balasore Sadar	15-12-2022	320	168000	Fish Seed, Fish Feed	155000.00

Strengthening of livestock and Animal Husbandry programme: (Non-FC)

Supported By: Directorate of Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Services, Govt. of Odisha.

Project Location: All 19 Blocks under Kendrapara & Jajpur District:

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COLLABORATION & STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIP:

GU gets involved with programmatic & economic activities. To carry out these activities, the organization has ongoing collaborations and strategic partnership with regional, national and international Donor Agencies and trying more & more to bring their attention towards our operational area.

ADVOCACY, NETWORKING AND GOVERNANCE:

Efforts are being undertaken to strengthen the network for wider reach and impact. We firmly believe that the field of sustainable development is a cooperative one, not a competitive one. If we are to achieve the high goals we set, we must combine our efforts with those of other actors. All stakeholders from government and corporate to civil society and donor agencies have different skills that together can help achieve the desired results. Over the last year we have endeavored to build networking with

- Sa-Dhan
- Access Development
- Member of National Coalition Network for supporting unorganized sector workers
- State level Network member for Child Protection

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Secretary
Gram-Utthan