

## Digital Technology and Exports From the view points of Food Traceability

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## <u>Career Back ground:</u> Insurance, HR, Healthcare, Logistics and Agriculture

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India, Bengaluru: since 29<sup>th</sup> July, 2017, 1019 days





## **Agri-tech Company from Japan**

# We support farmers and financial institutions in developing countries through by **<u>Satellite</u>** and **<u>Farmland Information</u>**

### First Japanese Startup in India



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### India-Japan startup hub India-Japan government Initiative for startups



#### We are strong at government project in Japan

#### **Ibaraki Space Business Commercialization Demonstration Project**



Abandoned farmland detection by satellite and examination the best farmland for wine grape

#### Tellus usage promotion demonstration project

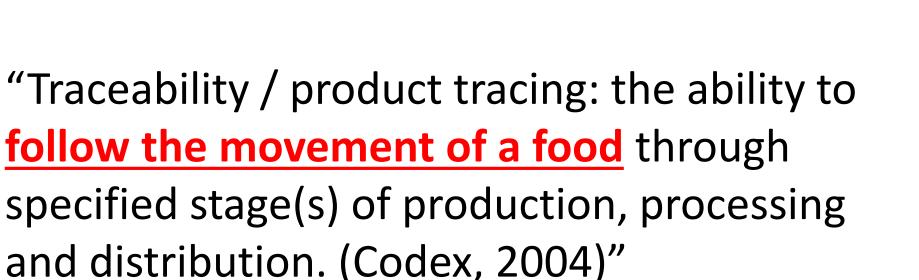




Research and interview with local government and Farmers for define Tellus IoT plat form requirements



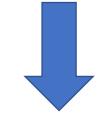
- 1) "Food Traceability"
- 2) Why "Food Traceability"?
- 3) How Digital tech supports "Food Traceability"
- 4) Good Digital examples from MH state
- 5) Appendix Our company approach in India



Country Name	Self production ratio of grains 2013(%)
Japan	28
Portugal	27
South Korea	25
Malaysia	24
Yemen	19
Cyprus	12
Israel	8
Oman	6
Saudi Arabia	5

#### These countries need to import grains from overseas

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For Examination, Clearance and Certificate purpose, Food Traceability is Very important

## Customers' concerns to Food

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- Proper cleaning and sanitisation
- Maintaining a high level of personal hygiene
- Storing, chilling, and heating food correctly with regards to temperature, environment
- and equipment
- Implementing effective pest control
- Comprehending food allergies, food poisoning, and food intolerance

## How Digital tech supports

- Easy tracking: transportation, process record
- Visibility of quality
- Optimize the supply chain management
- Value up for crops: brand image, safety proof
- Sustainable growth for farmers
- Digitalization of the process for farming



## Good example from MH state



# **Bharat**Agri

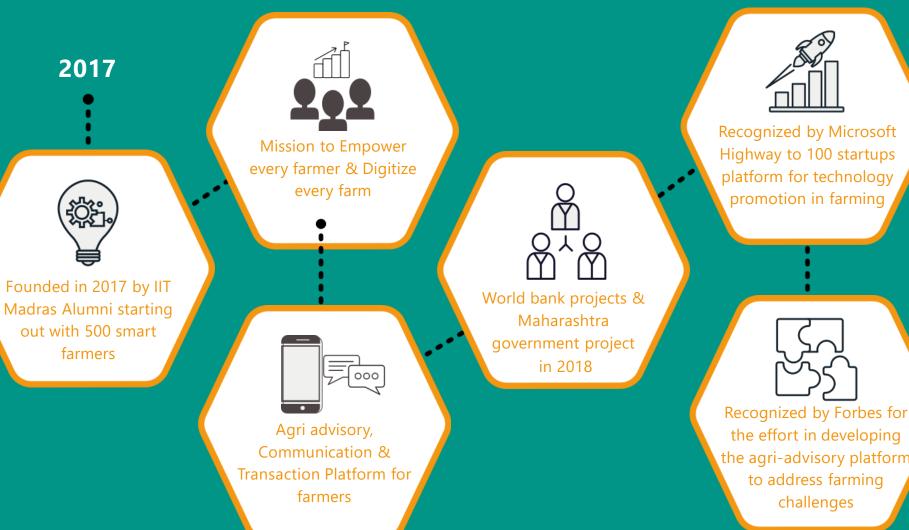
Smart Farming, Agriculture Expert

Transaction and Communication Platform for 140 Mn Indian Farmers

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Grow Efficient, Grow More!



Recognized by Forbes for the agri-advisory platform 2020



**Currently associated** with 1,50,000 farmers spread across Maharashtra



## Mission

### "Empower every farmer & Digitize every farm"

Our farming technology platform works with farmers directly. We support farmers to "Grow Efficient, Grow More" through the systematic implementation of scientific techniques by providing critical information at appropriate times and regular monitoring.

#### We & our Data Science understand each farmers' requirements; We believe every farmer deserves a chance - the chance for a successful future with technology.

## **BharatAgri's Solution**

## for Growers

### Constant and continuous hand-holding to growers for better productivity and planned approach in farming

### for Value Chain Creation of trusted and direct transaction platform based on farm and farmer data history



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## **Freemium Features for Farmers**









Weather Based Dynamic Advisory (only Service Provider in India)

Crop Advisory

Limited Expert guidance, Agri news, Smart tips & Jugaads Nearby Dealers Listing\*

## **Premium Features for Farmers**







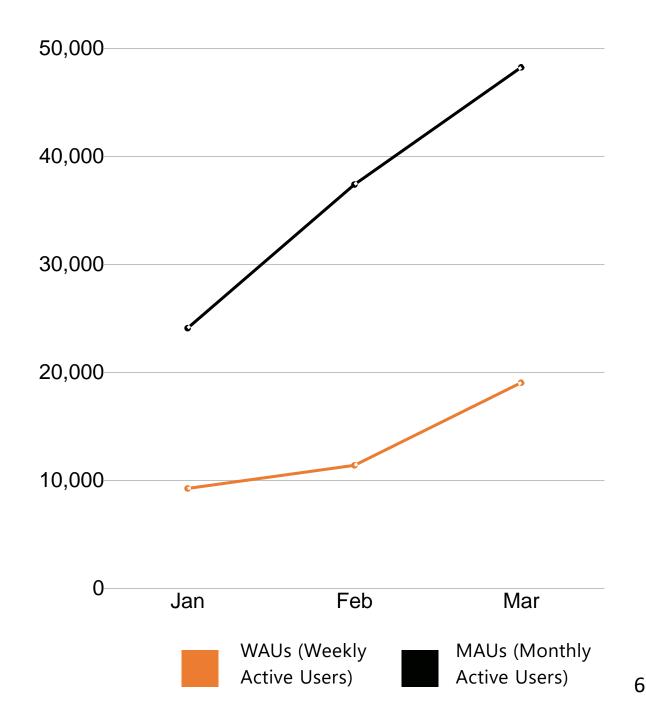


BharatAgri Krishi Darshika: Personalized Crop Calendar Unlimited Expert guidance over Call/Chat/Video call Activity updates on WhatsApp

Connect with other service providers

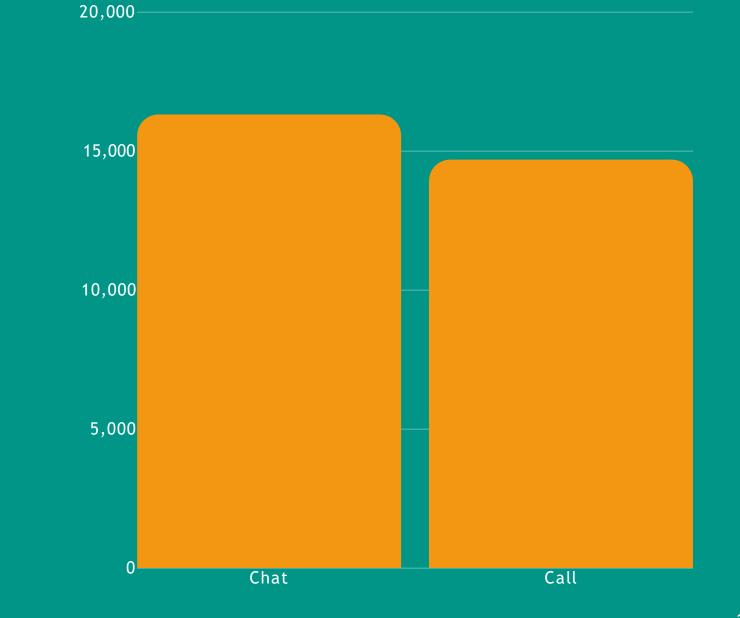
### Engagement on BharatAgri

We are a digital advisory platform associated with 1,50,000+ farmers. The chart shows month- wise engagement numbers of farmers across major app performance KPIs.



# Farmer Engagemen

March 2020 month data on chat/call made on the platform



### A BharatAgri Smart Farmer Testimonial

"What I followed until BharatAgri, has been practiced traditionally since eons but it cost me more with less yield. With BharatAgri service I have successfully shifted to smart farming with 25% less investment. You can see the difference against my neighbor's onion in my left hand."

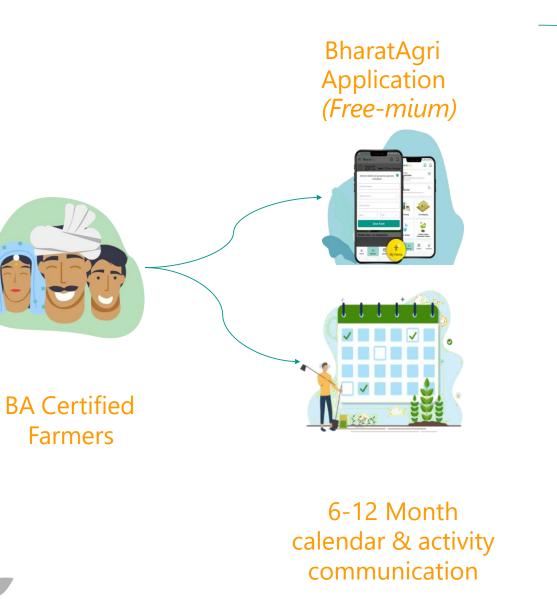
-Datta Sadashiv Davkhare

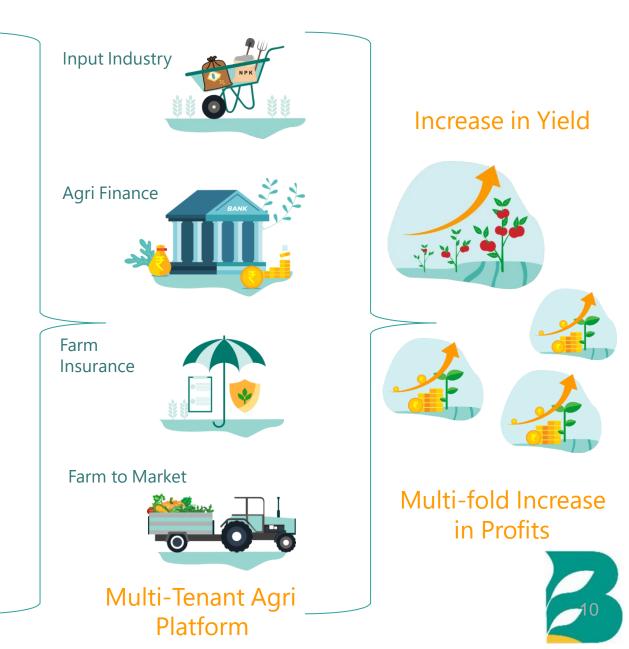




Watch a testimonial VouTube Click Here -Testimonial by Sagar Dongre

### Grower Journey with BharatAgri





# State of Maharashtra Agribusiness and Rural Transformation Program (SMART) Project

Climate variability in past years has affected agriculture sector of many states including Maharashtra, where agriculture is mostly rainfed and farmers have low crop productivity. Also severe drought conditions in the state have affected the agriculture sector. Under this project BharatAgri is helping small farmers, largely dependent on rain-fed agriculture, to use more climate resilient farming technologies and conserve water and other scarce resources. 250 villages were associated with us under the project. The project thus puts climate resilience in agriculture sector and rural development as major tools for growth and development of Maharashtra state agriculture sector by making agriculture sustainable for farmers.



#### UNDER THE MAVIM AND WORLD BANK PROJEC T

We are associated with 5000 women farmers who grow turmeric, under the MAVIM (Mahila Arthik Vikas Mandal) collaboration. With MAVIM collaboration, BharatAgri's initiatives for rural development in terms of agriculture became more effective. We are working in coordination with CMRC (Community Managed Resource Centers) to provide the best possible services & guidance to women farmers for their empowerment and financial uplifting.

Financial inclusion is a habitual change that demands commitment. In this project where our main focus is women empowerment, we give importance to betterment of their financial condition and how they can achieve it with growth in agriculture.

With more than 80 % compliance in the activities, the average yield procured per acre is 20 quintals. The average yield was more than 70% as compared to last year's harvest of the farmers. The farmers achieved this with 20 % less investment in the production process.



# **Bharat**Agri

Grow Efficient, Grow More!

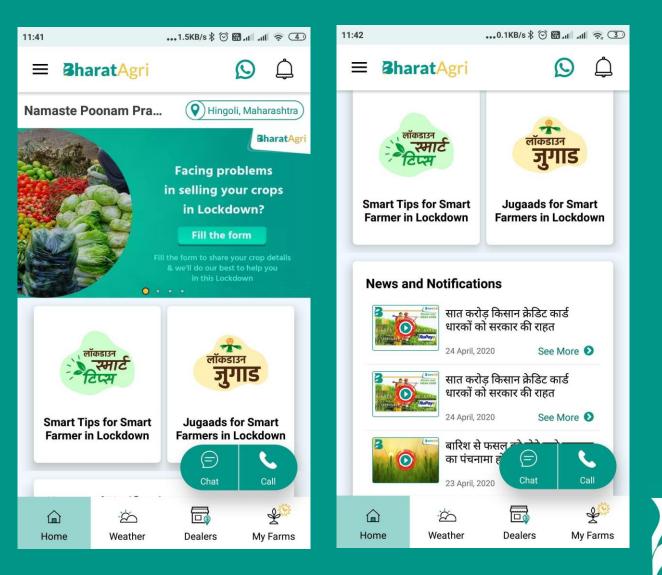




## **COVID** and Lockdown Initiatives

- Awareness and Solutions for Farming
- Awareness and Solution for Harvesting & Storage
- Live Online Farmer Schools



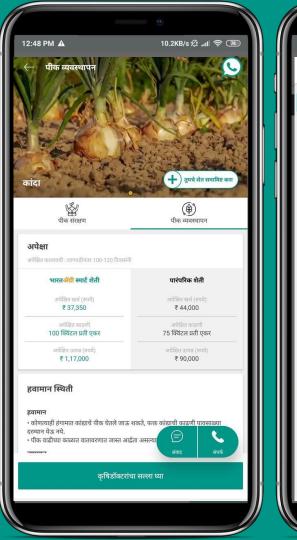


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#### **Digital Platform for** Farmers











## Appendix: Our approach to India market

**Our Solution** 



## Micro Data Macro Data Farmland data Satellite Sagri Database **Evaluate** Farmland **Farmers Credit** Farm Operation

#### Sagri India Project Overview

#### Core technology



<u>SAgri Co., Ltd</u> Japan, Hyogo <u>Sagri Bengaluru Pvt. Ltd.</u> Bengaluru, Karnataka

#### Alliance partners in India





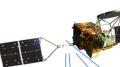
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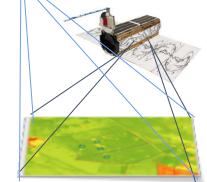
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### Digitisation of 1)Rainfall 2)Soil moisture 3)Solar radiation from **meteorological satellite data**



Digitisation of 1) growth prediction 2) protein content quantification 3) fertiliser design from <u>Earth observation satellite data</u>

Growth proposals for each farmland Visualize with data and apps

Making Credit score and Micro finance to farmers Transfer Japanese technologies to India rural market

<u>Collecting farmers data</u> <u>Creating farmers group</u> <u>Connecting the right stakeholders</u>

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Pilot Project 200 farmers loan

Support both input and output

Harvest

Goal: One-way support for India agriculture growth

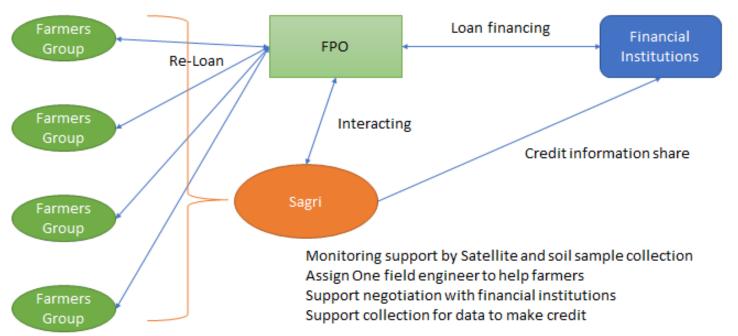
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### FPO Group Finance Project



#### [Loan scope]

Ticket size: Will vary in the future. For now, ₹10,000 per loan. Interest rate: Will vary, basically 10% to15% Tenure: Will vary in the future. For now, 3 months. Eligibility Criteria: Verified Farmer (own or farmland of relatives), KYC verified.

#### [Benefits]

Less interest rate: we are thinking of 10% to15%

This is below than other NBFC

Other benefits to farmers: we can offer free satellite farming support i.e weather forecast, temperature change, growth estimation.

Apart from previous players as if looked like a loan shark, we are supporting from the start to end process of agriculture. Access to Japanese technology and farming style



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