

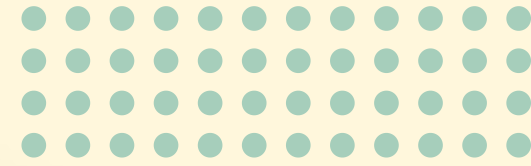


GLOBAL VIKAS TRUST

MONTHLY PROGRESS REPORT

JANUARY, 2025





Our Vision

GVT is passionately committed to transforming Indian economy back to the ***‘Sone ki Chidiya’*** period by multiplying farmers’ income through sustainable agriculture at scale.



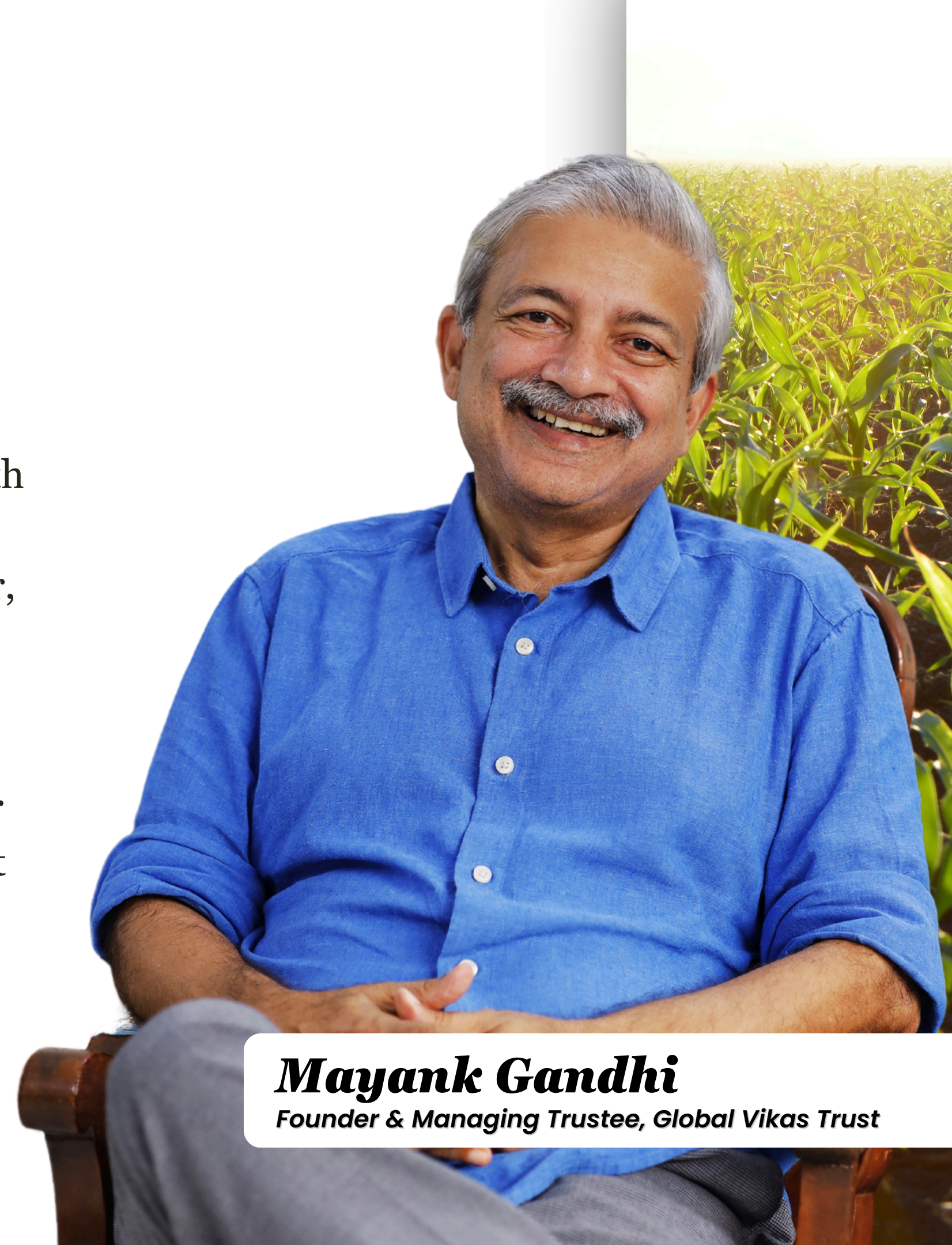
From My Heart

The Power of Water Conservation in Farming

Water is the backbone of farming, yet many farmers struggle with scarcity. I have seen how simple methods like rainwater harvesting and drip irrigation can transform lives—saving water, increasing yields, and securing futures.

At Global Vikas Trust, we are committed to spreading these solutions. When farmers conserve water, they gain control over their livelihoods, breaking free from uncertainty. With the right knowledge and action, we can ensure a future where no farmer suffers due to a lack of water

INDIA CAN WAIT NO MORE!



Mayank Gandhi

Founder & Managing Trustee, Global Vikas Trust

Our Impact

As of 31st January 2025

4600+
Villages

231
Tehsils

27
Districts

3
States

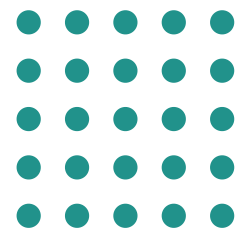
25,800+
Farmer Families

1,16,100+
Individuals

38,800+
Acres of land

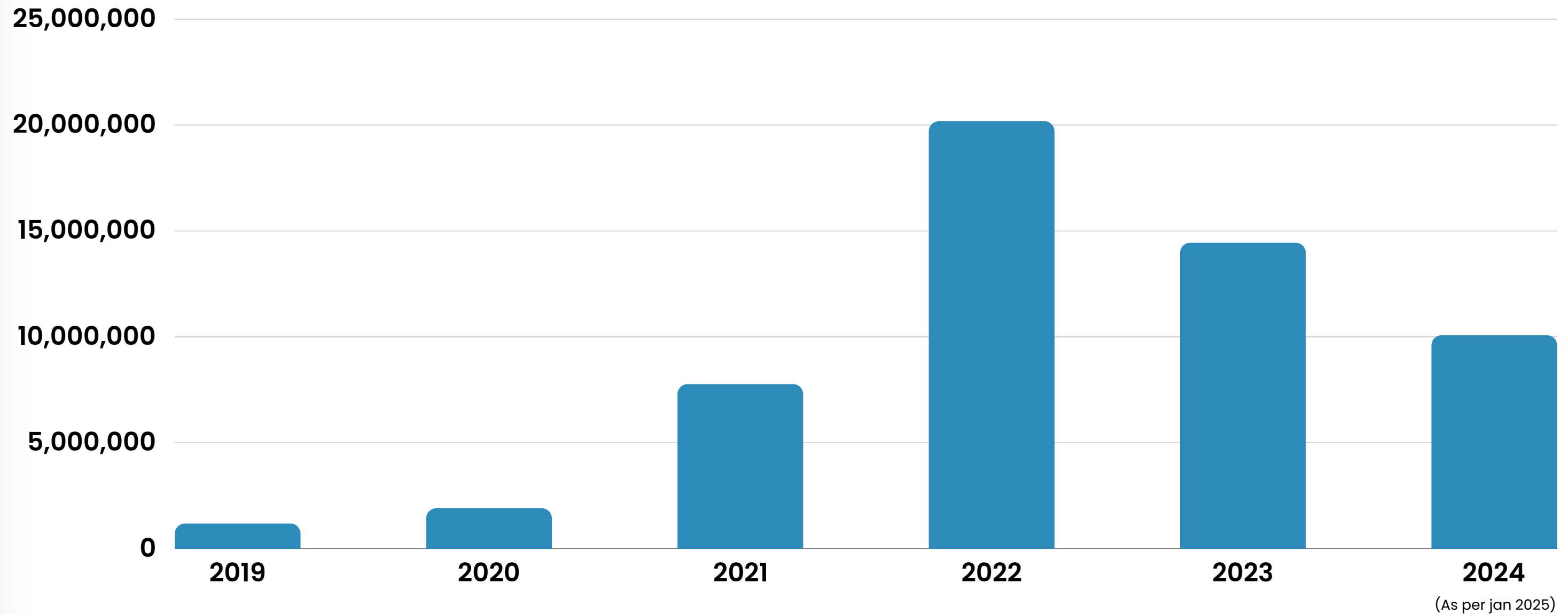


5.5+ Cr. fruit trees planted

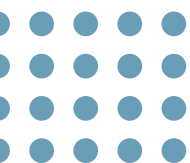


Year wise Overall plantation (As of Jan 2025)

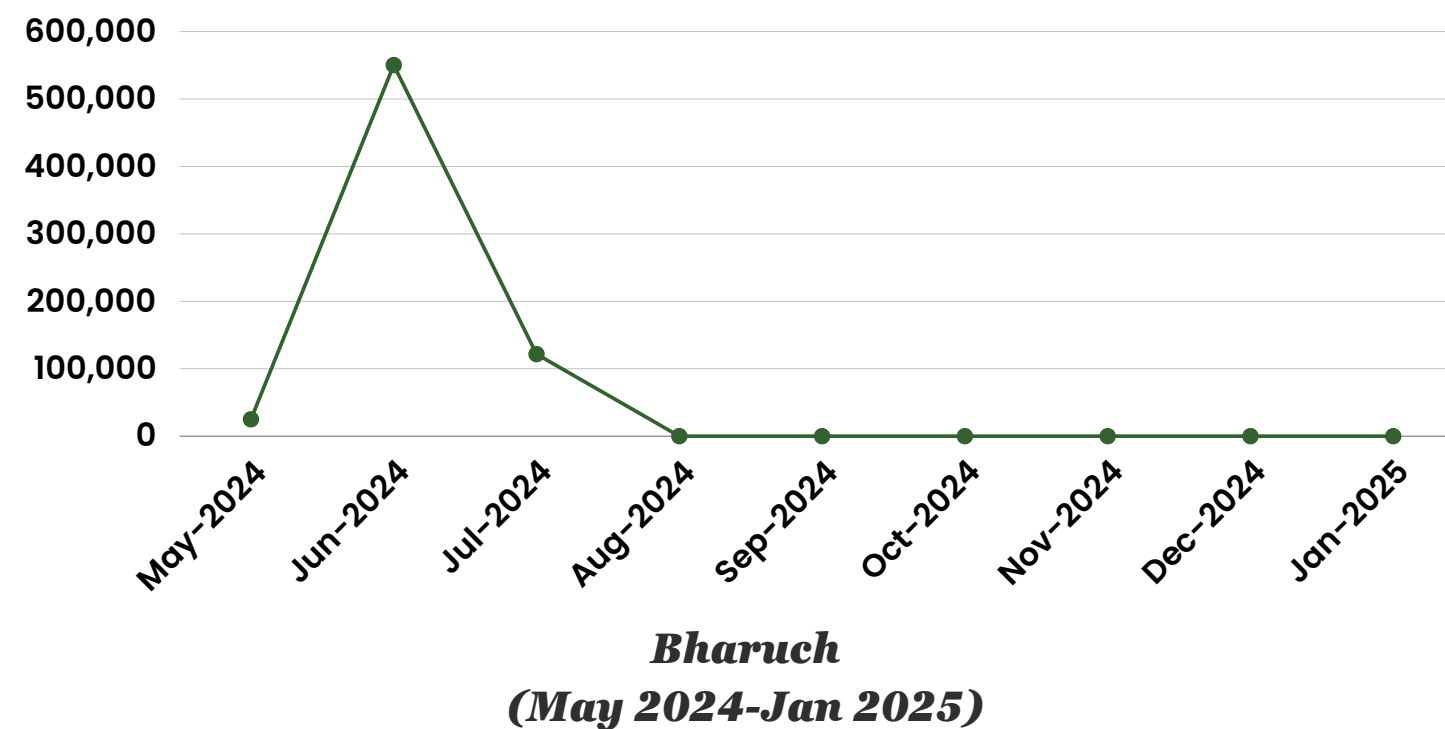
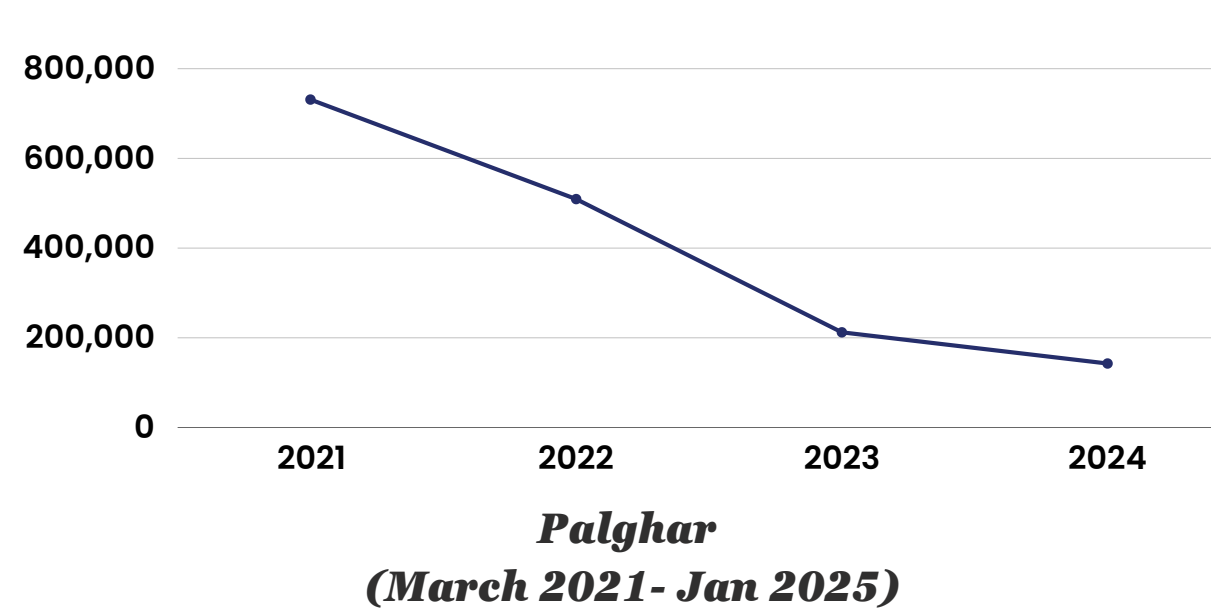
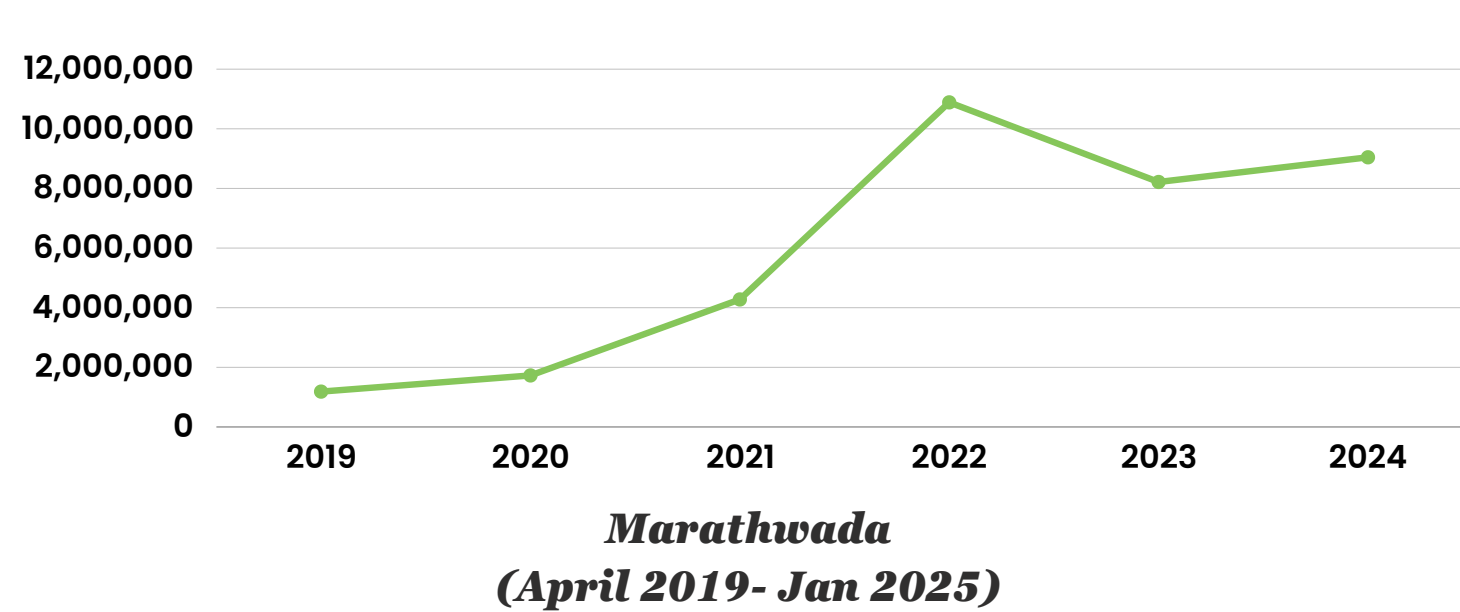
Till date 5.5+ Cr. fruit trees planted



Overall year wise plantation (2019-2024)



Region & year wise overall plantation





Update

for January - 2025



154

Farmers enrolled



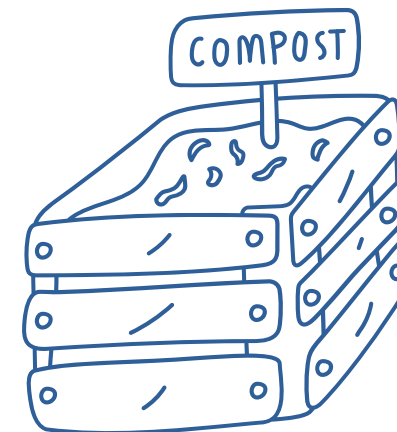
1645

Farmer trainings



700,300

Saplings Planted

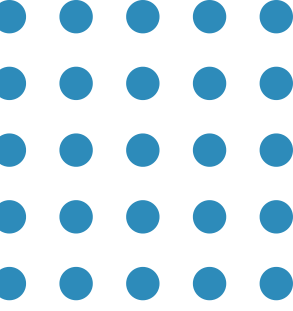


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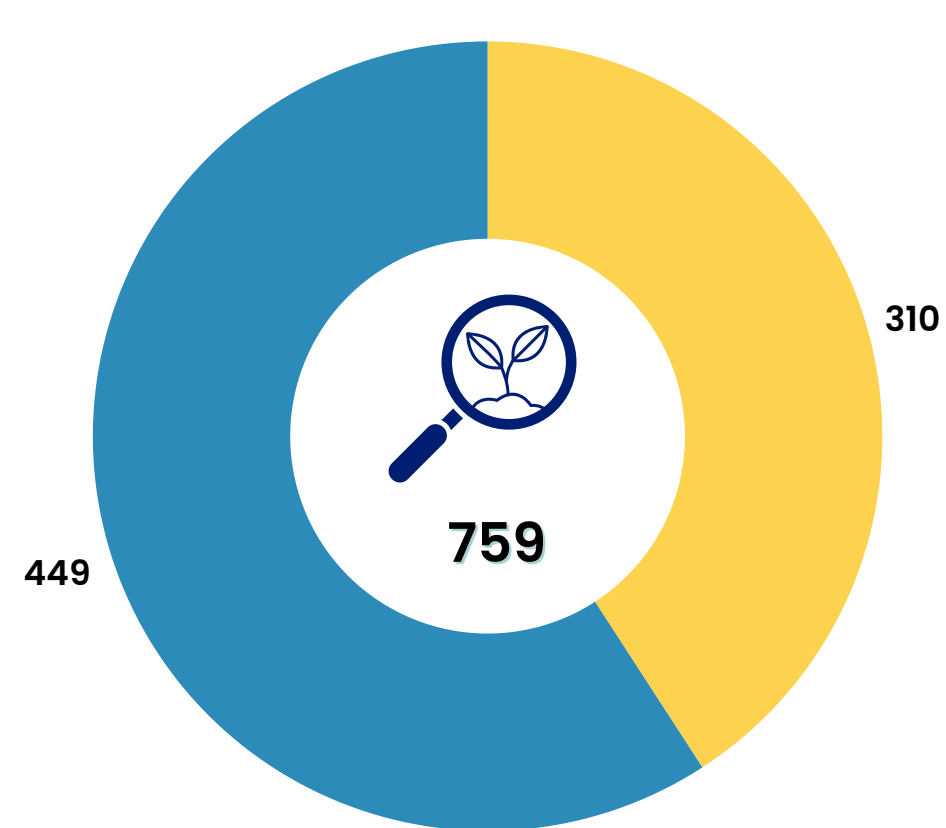
Vermibed distributed

Region wise

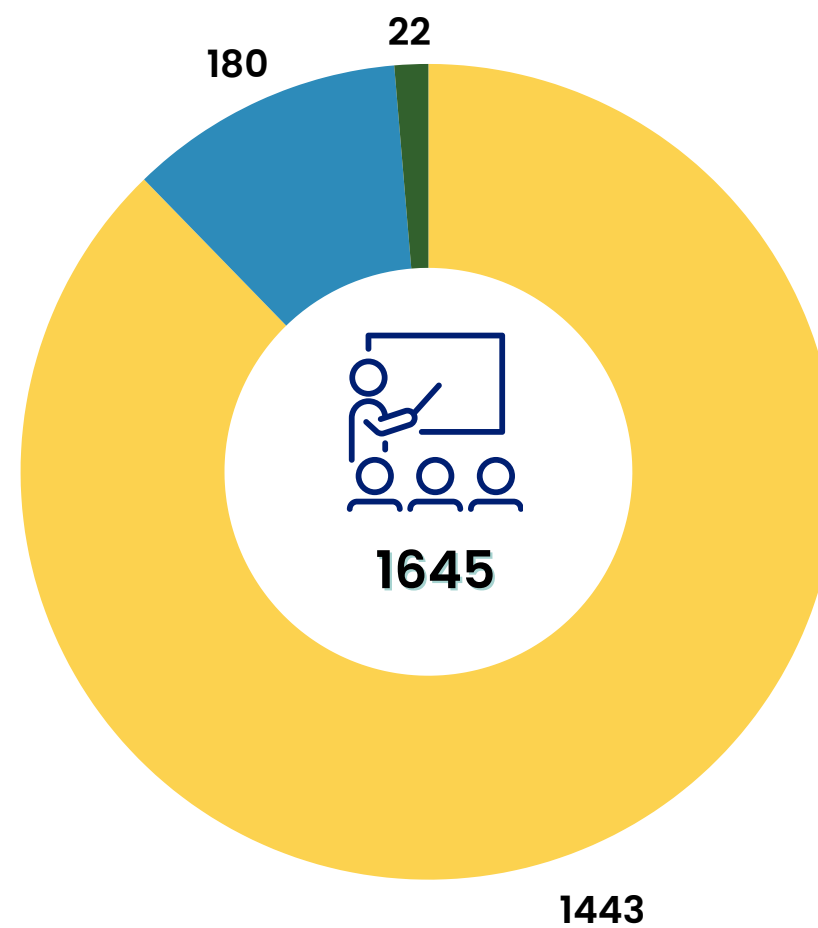
Update for January - 2025



■ Marathwada: 12 Clusters ■ Palghar: 9 Clusters ■ Bharuch: 1 Cluster



Farm Survey



Training Sessions



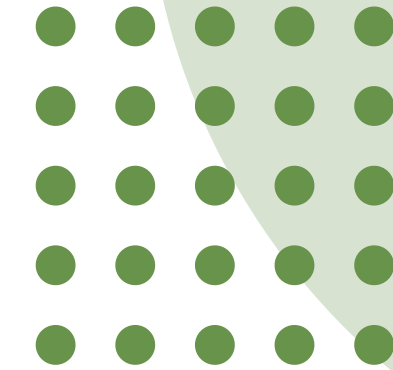


- *Marathwada*

- *Palghar*

- *Bharuch*

NOTEWORTHY EVENTS



Mulberry plantation Awareness & Training Program



Group Training

GVT, in collaboration with KVK Tuljapur, conducted training in Nipani village, Dharashiv, on pest control in mulberry farming using Trichoderma, Biomix, and vermicompost.

Vikas Shendge from GVT shared insights on preparing Gokrupa Amrutam, a cow-based bacterial culture for sericulture and farming. A field visit to the Chawki Center and a mulberry plot provided practical exposure to mulberry and sericulture practices.

Awareness Programme

A silkworm cultivation awareness program was held in Mankeshwar, Dharashiv district, to guide farmers on mulberry farming, pest management, and organic practices. Sushant Jadhav highlighted Global Vikas Trust's support, including vermicompost distribution. The event saw active participation from farmers and local officials.

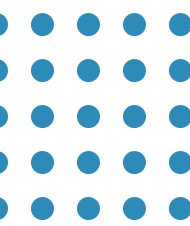




Organic farming

Vermicompost Bed Distribution Programme

To promote organic farming, Global Vikas Trust, under its Horticultural Crop Cultivation Initiative 2024, distributed complimentary vermicompost beds and an informational booklet on vermicompost production to mulberry farmers at the Dhoki office in Dharashiv district. Farmers expressed their gratitude to Mayank Gandhi, Founder of Global Vikas Trust, and appreciated the organization's efforts in promoting sustainable agriculture.



Donor's VISIT

**Rotary Club Delhi Premier
CRISIL Foundation**



Rotary Club Delhi Premier

Dr. Manoj Khanna and Meeta Makan from RCDP Delhi visited Nipani village in Dharashiv district, where they were warmly welcomed by the villagers. They discussed the project, the beneficiaries, farming challenges, and the planned water conservation activities, followed by visits to farms and the proposed water conservation sites. The guests appreciated GVT's efforts and the positive impact on farmers.

CRISIL Foundation

From January 29th to 31st, 2025, Sunil Kumar and Jyoti Parmar from CRISIL Foundation visited farmers in the Ashti cluster and inspected the farms and discussing with them the support provided by GVT. They later visited the GVT Ashti office to review booking and documentation procedures and inspect relevant records. They appreciated GVT's efforts and the impact of the initiative.

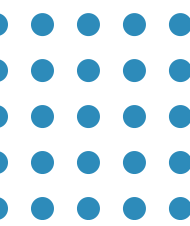


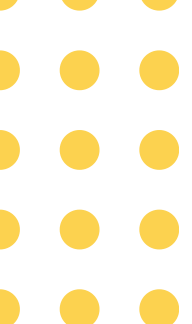


Republic Day Celebration at GVT krishikul



The 76th Republic Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm at GVT Krishikul. On this occasion, Global Vikas Trust Trustee Dr. Harshwardhan Wange and GVT staff were present. Dr. Wange Dada hoisted the national flag, honoring the spirit of democracy and patriotism. The event highlighted GVT's commitment to nation-building through sustainable agriculture and rural empowerment.





GVT Krishikul

Exposure Visit for Schools & Colleges

Date	School / College Name	Students & Teachers
Total	7	964
05/01/2025	Kholeshwar Secondary School, Dindrud	234
07/01/2025	Mahatma Basaveshwar Junior College, Devanandra Pathri	52
08/01/2025	Agriculture College, Pathri	115
11/01/2025	Rajshree Shahu Junior College, Manwath	45
11/01/2025	Urdu & Marathi School, Pathrud	230
15/01/2025	Zilha Parishad Secondary School, Pohner	150
31/01/2025	Primary Ashram School, Kaudgaon Huda, Tq. Pari, Dist. Beed	138



As part of their field exposure curriculum, school and college students visited GVT Krishikul this month too to learn about sustainable farming.

Exploring GVT Krishikul

A Special Guest Visit



This month too, many guests visited GVT Krishikul to explore GVT's innovative farming practices and impactful training initiatives.



Donor Visit

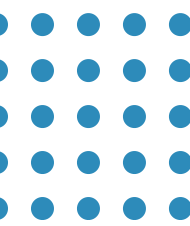
Rotary Club of Powai

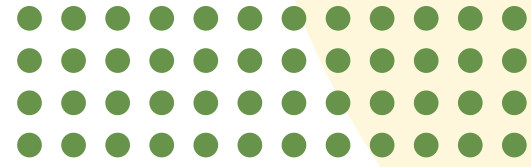


A four-member team from the Rotary Club of Powai visited Pali Village in Wada Taluka for a tree plantation initiative. During their visit, Ajay Sutar shared insights on the ongoing efforts in Palghar and the challenges faced by farmers in the region.

As part of the initiative, the team planted 100 Jasmine saplings in Pali Village and engaged with 12 local farmers to discuss various aspects of jasmine cultivation.

Later, they visited the GVT Wada office to gain a deeper understanding of our ongoing projects and initiatives.





Farmers Online Meeting

As part of our regular monthly sessions, an online farmers' meeting was held on January 25th from the Wada office, featuring a farmer from Shahapur Taluka.

During the session, our team member, Harshad Dumade, provided valuable insights into the environmental impact on jasmine crops and effective strategies to overcome these challenges. He explained how factors such as farming practices, climatic variations, soil quality, and water management influence jasmine cultivation and shared practical solutions to enhance crop resilience and improve yields.



Exposure visit T.Y. BSc. Students

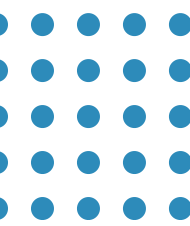


As part of their academic curriculum, final-year Botany students visit the GVT Wada office each year to gain insights into GVT's work with farmers and learn about vermiculture, vermibed preparation, and other organic farming practices.



This year, T.Y.BSc. students from D.S.D.D. College, Wada, visited the GVT Wada office to explore sustainable farming techniques, with a focus on soil enrichment.

During their visit, they learned about vermiculture preparation, Dashparni, and Go-Krupa Amrutam, along with their benefits. Additionally, they studied the cultivation of Mango, jasmine, and Banana crops, gaining a deeper understanding of eco-friendly agricultural practices.



Staff Meeting

A staff meeting at the Wada office addressed ongoing work and key challenges:

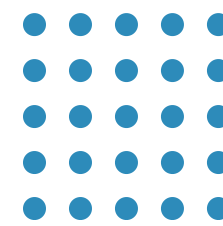
- Donor banners weren't used during field visits due to damage. Ajay will assess and arrange new ones.
- Namrata stressed the need for harvest data collection, focusing on 2023 farmers.
- Aniket urged organizing village-level farmer meetings and inviting staff from other clusters as agronomists.
- Sahil requested the fourth round of visits be completed soon for data analysis and mobilization focus.
- Aniket emphasized verifying geo-tagging notes for accuracy.
- Kiran & Rupesh noted BAIF's growing presence, offering free Mogra plants, financial aid, and transport support, which may impact next year's outreach.





Group Training

A training session led by Senior Agronomist Ashish focused on nutrient management during flowering and fruiting stages. He emphasized the importance of micronutrients like zinc and boron for crop development and highlighted vermicompost's role in improving soil health. Farmers appreciated his expert guidance and support.



Donor Visit

SRF Limited



Day 1:

Robin and Jayesh from SRF Ltd. visited the GVT Bharuch Rajpardi office, where Sudhir Chinta briefed them on GVT's projects in Jhagadia Taluka. They reviewed documents, discussed challenges, and attended a farmer training session by Agronomist Ashish Bujad. during their visit to 12 farms across multiple villages, they evaluated the training impact, plant quality, and farmer benefits. Farmers expressed satisfaction with the subsidies, high-quality plants, and training provided.

Day 2:

On the second day, Sunil joined Robin to visit seven farms across four villages. In the evening, they shared feedback with the staff, expressing satisfaction with the project's impact and effective fund utilization for farmers' support.





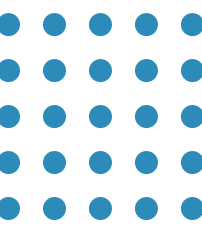
MANTHAN 2025

GLOBAL DIALOGUE FOR NATION BUILDING



Manthan 2025, led by Mayank Gandhi and powered by Global Vikas Trust, served as a global forum for nation-building. Held at Imaginirum Aligunjan, Alibag, it brought together visionaries, policymakers, and changemakers to shape India's future.

Focusing on rural development, sustainable agriculture, education, and social equality, the event fostered innovation and collaboration. Esteemed global leaders, including policymakers, industry experts, social entrepreneurs, and academicians, shared insights to enrich the discussions. Manthan 2025 set the stage for transformative strategies, reinforcing a collective commitment to empowering communities and driving sustainable development.



PanIIT World of Technology Event



The PanIIT World of Technology (PIWOT) Summit is a global platform where IIT alumni and Wheels Foundation experts collaborate to address real-world challenges through technology.



On January 18th & 19th, GVT participated in the PIWOT Summit at Jio World Convention Centre, Mumbai, showcasing its work in sustainable farming, water conservation, and farmer training initiatives. The response was overwhelming, with many attendees expressing interest in donations and collaborations to support GVT's mission.



SUCCESS STORIES

Name	Sarita Rameshwar Badade
Address	Dist- Beed, Taluka- Wadwani, Village- Kadi wadgaon
Land	3.3 Acre
Previous Crop	Soybeans - सोयाबीन
Previous Income	₹ 32,000
Current Crop	Sitaphal - Kalam
Production	13,000 Kgs
Average Rate Per Kg	₹ 30 ₹
Total Current Income	₹ 3,90,000
Total Profit	₹ 3,50,000
Current annual net profit/acre:	₹ 1,06,060

The Power of Quality Saplings

Our farmer from Beed, has transformed his life by shifting from **Soybeans** to **Sitaphal-Kalam** cultivation. This has led to a significant boost in his annual profit showcasing the success of crop diversification. He now earns a profit of **₹1,06,060** per year from 1 acre.



Name:	Ramesh Bhiva Satpute
Address:	Village-Mangrul, Tal. Wada, Dist. Palghar
Land:	0. 20 Acre (8.08 Guntas)
Previous Crop	No
Previous income	0
Current Crop:	Jasmine(Mogra) - Banglora
Production:	260 kg
Average Rate Per Kg:	280 ₹
Total Current Income	₹ 72,800
Total Profit	₹ 38,800
Current annual net profit/acre:	₹1,94,000 (pro-rata basis)*

Roots of Success

Our another farmer from Palghar has transformed his life by **Jasmine (Mogra)** cultivation. This has led to a **profit of ₹ 38,800 in 8 months from 0.20 acre**. If calculated on a **pro-rata basis** the profit could be **₹ 1.94 lakh** per acre per annum.



GVT Krishikul



GVT Krishikul is a farmer training centre and demonstration space to provide practical training and access to modern agricultural technologies.

Farm Pond

Farm ponds are small tanks or reservoir-like constructions designed to store monsoon water. This stored water is used for supplemental irrigation of crops and various other purposes, such as irrigation to plots, cattle feed, and fish production. Farm ponds play a significant role in rainfed farming.





Which farming technique uses biological methods to control pests instead of chemicals?

To share your answer:

[Click here](#)

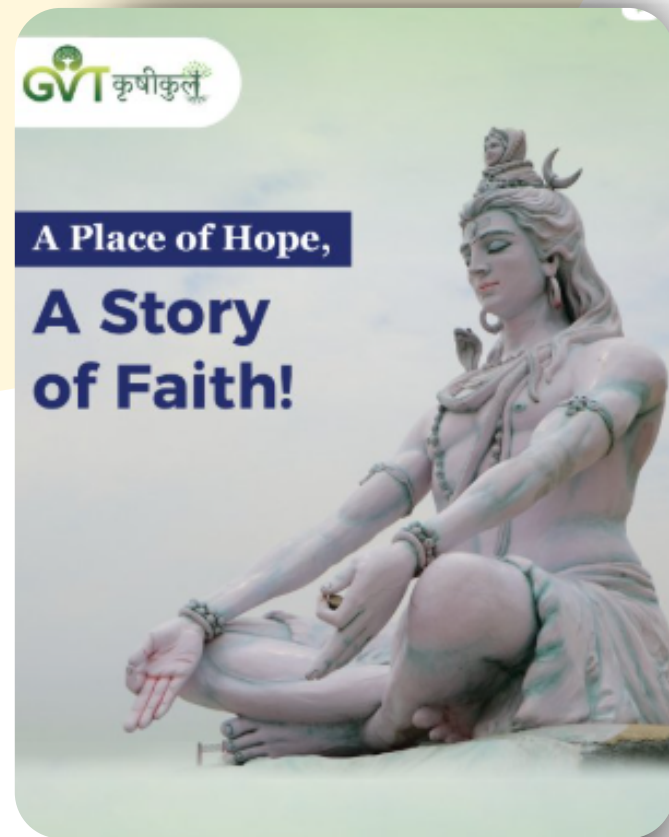
What organic material is created through the breakdown of waste by earthworms and enhances soil fertility?

Answer: Vermicompost

PREVIOUS

Q&A

Our social media presence



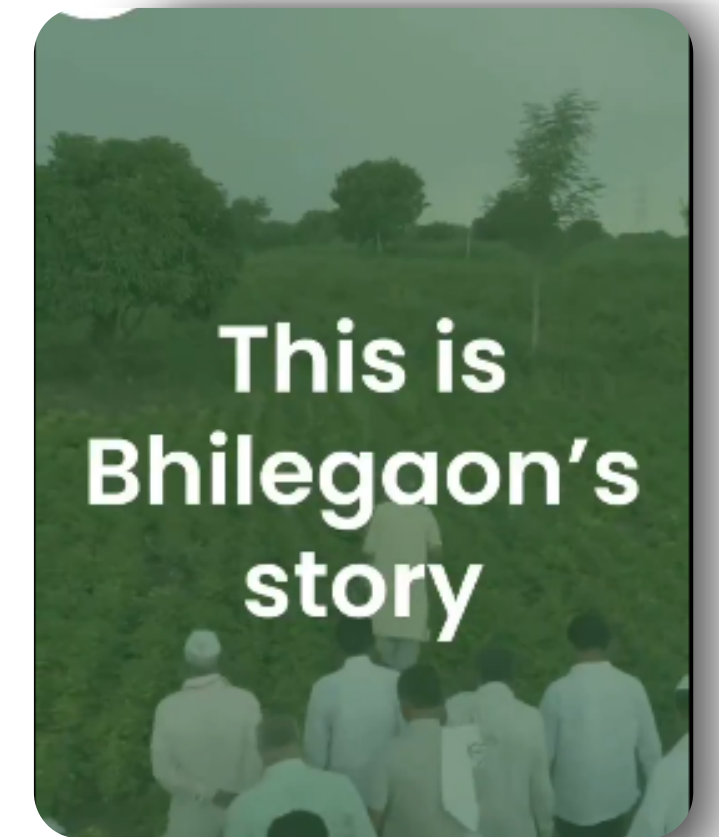
A place of hope , A story of faith



Student visit at GVT krishikul



PanIIT World of Technology (PIWOT)



Bhilegaon's story



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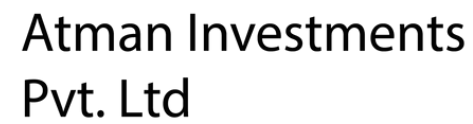


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