

# Action for Food Production (AFPRO)



AFPRO was incepted in 1967 to promote socio-technical development support to other grassroots level NGOs. Their operational strategy includes enabling vulnerable sections in society to become self-reliant through training, knowledge and technology transfer. AFPRO's focus areas include water, sanitation, hygiene, watershed development, food security and sustainable livelihoods.

- Over 20,000 different types of rain water harvesting structures created
- Outreach to over 2,00,000 villages
- Increased water storage capacity of over 500 dams
- During Kharif and Rabi season crop production, over 1,50,000 hectare land area benefited



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EdelGive supports the 'Promotion of rural livelihoods through farm sector interventions by water conservation measures and structures' programme in four villages of Gurur block, Balod District, Chhattisgarh. The programme is focused on constructing rain-water harvesting structures, like farm ponds and implements the 5% model for promotion of allied activities like fishery. The programme also enhances capacities of farmers by including best practices in agriculture like Systemic Rice Intensification (SRI), Single-line Sowing Method and others.

**Awards:**

- AFPRO's Jalgram project received the Best India CSR project award in Sustainable Livelihood with BALCO CSR, 2016
- Certificate of Appreciation provided by the Agriculture Department of Government of Chhattisgarh for SRI promotion in 4 villages of the EdelGive supported project, 2018-19
- Certificate of Appreciation provided by the Horticulture Department of Government of Chhattisgarh for SLT and LSM method of vegetable cultivation in 4 villages of the EdelGive supported project, 2018-19

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