SUCCESS STORIES OF STARTUPS

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Ethno Mushroom Spawn Laboratory (EMSL)

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PROBLEM STATEMENT

Lack of reliable spawn production is a limiting factor for the development of the mushroom industry. Absence of enterprises that could supply spawn to local small and largescale mushroom

growers, organizations to encourage mushroom industries

in India.

SOLUTION OFFERED

The startup has developed a novel technology for spawn production by using agri-waste without the incorporation of edible food grains and supplying quality spawn to local small and large-scale mushroom growers at affordable cost.



PRODUCT USP

- Vigorous and high yield potential
- Reduction in time of the mushroom cycle.
- Less chance of contamination
- Improved shelf life
- Better economic benefit
- Mushroom culture undergoes strain improvement in every 3 months

SOCIAL, ECONOMIC AND ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

This novel spawn production technology will have a social impact by providing affordable, high-quality spawn to local mushroom growers, enhancing their livelihoods. Economically, it will increase yields, reduce production time and contamination risks, and improve profitability for both small and large-scale farmers. Environmentally, it will utilize agri-waste efficiently, reducing food waste and promoting sustainable agricultural practices.











