

SUCCESS STORY OF FARMER ON WATER STORAGE & DELIVERY SYSTEMS AT THENZAWL, SERCHHIP DISTRICT

PROFILE

Name of the activity: WATER STORAGE TANKY

Name of Farmer: P.T Zakaplina

Village: Thenzawl West

Name of FIG: Zawlkhawpui WRC/TRC FIG

District: Serchhip

INTRODUCTION: Mr. P.T Zakaplina s/o Lalsiama (L) is a resident of Thenzawl west village and a member of Zawlkhawpui WRC/TRC FIG under DMU-Serchhip, FOCUS. From 1998, his paddy field is the main source of income which is located at savawmkaw lui zau. He mainly grow rice, mustard, pea,brinjal etc. His main problem is scarcity of water due to no proper storage tanky which effect crop production.

FOCUS INTERVENTION: Upon hearing his problem, in 2021 DMU- FOCUS allotted one storage tanky under Irrigation Support. After construction, the stored water are fully utilized and his production area increases from 0.5 ha to 1 ha thus, result in increase in production. Therefore, after FOCUS intervention he is having sustainable income and is very grateful to FOCUS project.

