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Beekeeping program in **Hag Balla** farm (Elzorog) village

Hag Balla farmer confirmed that he used to harvest around 10 sacks of okra from his 0.6 ha farm at 4 days interval, at the moment he is harvesting more than 20 sacks of okra at 2 days interval from the same plot.



Bees in the farms played a good role in increasing crop productivity and fighting aphids which represents a good approach of IPM against insects..
A visit was conducted by the General Director of Animal Resources - River Nile State and he promised to consider the village in their programme for upgrading honey production in the State .



More hives are needed to ensure more integrated and complementary interventions for farmers in this site and to ensure diversified cropping system throughout the year.



The Beekeeping program is very promising idea to serve targeted communities and more hives are needed for expanding honey production due to the availability of good supporting environment.

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