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## **Krishi Vigyan Kendra, ICAR-CICR, Nagpur Organized Online Farmers Training Series**

The Online Farmers Training Series was organized by Krishi Vigyan Kendra, ICAR-CICR, Nagpur from 10<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> August, 2020 through the Google meet Mobile Application, at ICAR-Central Institute for Cotton Research, Nagpur. Members of State Agricultural departments, Farmers of Nagpur, Wardha, Nandurbar, Yawatmal, Washim, Buldhana, Akola, Amaravati, Beed, Aurangabad, Bhandara, Bilaspur, Buldhana, Chandrapur, Hingoli, Gadachiroli, Gondia, Guntur, Jalgaon, Jalna, Latur, Nashik, Osmanabad, Ratnagiri, Satara, Sangali, Solapur, Dhule etc. district, Agricultural student and KVK's staff attended online farmers training series.

The Online Farmers Training Series Programme inaugurated on 10<sup>th</sup> August, 2020 by the hands of Dr. Vijay N. Waghmare, Director, ICAR-CICR, Nagpur. While addressing the meeting, Dr. Vijay N. Waghmare appreciated the efforts of KVK, Nagpur for conducting online training programme for farmers during current Covid-19 pandemic situation. He asked the farmers to take necessary measures in controlling insect pest and diseases as suggested by scientist on different crops

Earlier, Dr. Siddharth M. Wasnik, Principal Scientist, Extension and Head, KVK, ICAR-CICR, Nagpur in his introductory remarks gave details of Online Farmers Training Series organized from 10<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> August, 2020. He also shared that scientific information on crops like Cotton, Soybean, Santra, Tur, Animal Husbandry, Vegetables etc. will be provided to farmers on-line by various scientists of CICR, CCRI, College of Agriculture, Shri. Milind Shende, District Superintendent Agriculture Officer, Nagpur appreciated KVK-CICR, Nagpur for initiating the on-line training activities on various crops and asked to include the topic care needed during spraying of crops. He appealed the farmers to take benefit of scientific knowledge to be delivered by eminent scientist.

During the period of Online Farmers Training Series include the topics covered were include Fertilizer management in cotton crop, by Dr. Ramakrishna G. I., (Scientist, Agronomy, ICAR-CICR), Management of diseases of cotton crop by Dr. Dipak Nagarale, (Scientist, Plant pathology, ICAR-CICR, Nagpur), Management of sucking pest in cotton by Dr. Vishlesh Nagarare, (Principle Scientist, Agril. Entomology, ICAR-CICR, Nagpur), Care to be taken during handling and application of Agrochemicals by Dr. Babasaheb Fand, (Scientist, Agril. Entomology) and Dr. Shailesh Gawande, Scientist, (Plant Pathology, ICAR-CICR, Nagpur), Insect pest management in soybean by Dr. Subhash S. Patil, (SMS, Agri. Extension), Insect pest management in Arhar and others *kharif* pulses crop by Dr. Rahul Wadaskar, (Assistant professor, College of agriculture, Nagpur), Management of Osmanabadi Goat by Dr. Pundalik Deulkar, (Farm manager, KVK, ICAR-CICR, Nagpur), Management of animals during rainy season by Dr. Ulhas Galkate, (SMS, Veterinary, KVK, ICAR-CICR, Nagpur), Schemes for farmers by

State Dairy Department by Dr. Rajesh Wasnik, (District Animal husbandry officer, Gondia), Management of Orange and Sweet Orange fruit orchards by Dr. Ambadas Hucche, (Principle Scientist, Horticulture, ICAR- CCRI, Nagpur), Management of Vegetable crops by Dr. R. P. Gajbhiye, (Head, Department of Horticulture, College of Agriculture, Nagpur) and Management of Nutritional Garden by Mrs. Sunita Chauhan, (SMS, Home Science, KVK, ICAR-CICR, Nagpur).

More than 700 farmers were attended the online farmers training series from different district during the period. Dr. Sachin Wankhede, (SMS, Agrometeorology, KVK, ICAR-CICR, Nagpur) and Mr. Prashant Gayakwad, (Agromet Observer, KVK, ICAR-CICR, Nagpur) carried out pre-registration of farmers through google forms and instructed farmers to join regularly.

All SMS and other staff members of KVK, ICAR-CICR, Nagpur actively helped in organization of on-line training series.

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### Krishi Vigyan Kendra conducts on-line training series

#### ■ Staff Reporter

KRISHI Vigyan Kendra (KVK) of ICAR-Central Institute of Cotton Research (CICR) conducted an on-line farmers training series recently. The training took place at Google Meet platform.

Members of State Agricultural Departments, agriculture students and farmers from Nagpur, Wardha, Nandurbar, Yavatmal, Washim, Buldhana, Akola, Amravati, Beed, Aurangabad, Bhandara, Bilaspur, Chandrapur, Hingoli, Gadchiroli, Gondia, Guntur, Jalgaon, Jalna, Latur, Nashik, Osmanabad, Ratnagiri, Satara, Sangali, Solapur and Dhule districts attended the on-line sessions of farmers training series.

Dr Vijay Waghmare, Director, ICAR-CICR, Nagpur inaugurat-



Dr Vijay Waghmare, Director of ICAR-CICR; Dr Siddharth Wasnik, Principal Scientist, and others at the inaugural function.

ed the training programme. While addressing the viewers, Dr Waghmare appreciated the efforts of KVK for conducting the training amid this COVID-19 crisis. Dr Siddharth M Wasnik, Principal Scientist, Extension and Head, KVK,

Nagpur gave the introductory remarks. Milind Shende, District Superintendent Agriculture Officer, Nagpur lauded KVK-CICR, Nagpur initiative of online training activities on various crops and suggested to include the topic on care to be taken during sprayings.

Dr G I Ramakrishna, Dr Dipak Nagarale, Dr Vishlesh Nagarare, Dr Babasaheb Fand, Dr Sailesh Gawande, Dr S S Patil, Dr Rahul Wadaskar, Dr Pundalik Deulkar, Dr Ulhas Galkate, Dr Rajesh Wasnik, Dr Ambadas Hucche, Dr R P Gajbhiye and Sunita Chauhan delivered lectures during the training programme.

Over 700 farmers attended the sessions. Dr Sachin Wankhede, Dr Prashant Gayakwad and other officials of KVK worked hard for the success of the event.