

Proceedings of 3rd District Level Research-Extension Interface of Sundargarh District

The 3rd District Level Research-Extension Interface was conducted under the Chairmanship of Sri Rabinarayan Satapathy, Project Director, ATMA-cum-Deputy Director of Agriculture, Sundargarh at 3:00 PM on dt.17.08.2016 in KVK, Kirei premises. The Senior Scientist and Head, KVK Sundargarh-II welcomed the members and the new DDA, Sundargarh. He also elaborately explained the objectives of the meeting and read out the letter of Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, OUAT, Bhubaneswar and DPME, OUAT on the importance of conducting such programme to strengthen the Research- Extension Linkage at the District Level.

He appraised the house regarding the action taken on the last two meetings, suggestion & recommendations, he also appraised the house regarding implementation of agro-ecological situation based module to double the income of farmers in this regard he informed the house that cowpea seeds and mushroom spawn has already been provided and beneficiary selection for sweet corn cultivation has been done. The SS&H, Kirei apprised the house regarding the ongoing field activities and informed the house of the 5 OFT and 6 FLD presently continuing in the ensuing season and the interventions in the module based programmes for increasing the income of farmers.

In house discussion was started and APD, Watersheds, Sundargarh informed the house regarding the production system and micro-enterprise scheme to be operated in the coming rabi season and requested the KVKs to recommend suitable varieties of to mato, potato, onion and capsicum to be supplied to the beneficiaries in watershed programmes. CDVO requested the KVKs to find out whether poultry manures can be used directly in crops or it needs some treatment or some modifications and to get any information on this matter from university or relevant sources. In response to this question DDA shared his experience and informed the house regarding chances of heavy weed infestation due to undigested weed seeds in poultry droppings. The OIC RRTTSS was requested to contact HOD of Agronomy and Soil Science about use of poultry manure in field crops

Continuing the discussion the DDA informed the house regarding the rainfall status block wise and expressed the concern regarding few blocks namely, Tangarpalli, Sundargarh Kuarmunda where rainfall is <50% than normal. He also requested KVKs to find a suitable variety of green gram for November sowing, further during the discussion he requested the KVKs to take up the demonstration side-by-side line departments demonstration as both the

programmes can be monitored and visitors can easily see the fields. He also informed the house regarding a new scheme on dugwells for irrigation to be taken up through MGNREGS and requested the KVK to prepare a pamphlet for wider publicity and awareness which he would print and circulate through his department functionaries. He also suggested to invite more number of field officials of different departments to this meeting along with representative farmers to gather more information and views for field level.

The next date of meeting was fixed on 20th September, 2016

The meeting ended at 6.30 PM with vote of thanks by Satyamaya Satapathy, Scientist Agronomy, K.V.K, Kirei to the Chair and all members.

APPROVED

**Deputy Director of Agriculture
Sundargarh**

**Sr Scientist & Head
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ANNEXURE - I**List of members and invitees of 3rd District Level Research-Extension Interface of Sundargarh District held on 17.08.2016 at 3:00 PM**

Sl. No.	Name	Designation	Status in the meeting
1	Sri Rabinarayan Satapathy	PD, ATMA-cum-DDA, Sundargarh	Chairman
2	Sri Basudev Sahu	DDH, Sundargarh	Member
3	Sri Mohan Majhi	APD (Watersheds) Sundargarh	Member
4	Dr. Dilip K Pattnaik	CDVO, Sundargarh	Member
5	Sri Sajeeb K Biswasi	OIC & Sr Scientist, RRTTSS, Kirei	Member
6	Sri Satyamaya Satapathy	Scientist (Agronomy)	Member
7	Ms Sanghamitra Sahoo	Scientist (PP) KVK Sundargarh	Member
8	Sri Susil K Bansude	Jr Scientist, SWCE, RRTTSS, Kirei	Member
9	Sri Rabi S Mishra	Farm Manager, KVK, Sundargarh	Member
10	Sri Jayanta K Pati	Sr Scientist & Head, KVK, Rourkela	Member Convenor
11	Sri David J Bage	Sr Scientist & Head, KVK, Sundargarh	Member Convenor

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