

Training organized at ATIC for the Farmers of Jammu and Kashmir



Under 'SADBHAVANA' project of Government of India, 23 Rashtriya Rifles (RAJPUT) deployed in Ramban District, Jammu & Kashmir has visited IARI-Agricultural Technology Information Centre (ATIC) on December 4 & 5, 2017 for two days visit-cum-training to the 20 farmers of Ramban district to bring meaningful change in knowledge, skill and attitude, as the unit is working towards changing the mindset of farming community by providing them a platform to witness and identify the technology used in the field of farming. The aim of their capacity building tour was at showcasing the farmers about various innovative agricultural technologies of the Institute.

Dr.N.V.Kumbhare, In-charge, ATIC and staff of the ATIC organized capacity building programme for the visiting farmers at ATIC. The scientific lectures were organized for the farmers based on the area of interest of the farmers. Accordingly, Dr. V.K. Singh, Head, Division of Agronomy; Dr. M.K.Verma, PS, FHT; Dr. M.C. Singh, PS, CPCT and D. Harshvardhan shared their experiences on Organic Farming, Improved Horticultural Technology 'Protected cultivation technology' and Improved Vegetable Technology, respectively.

Field visit was also organized for the farmers at Horticultural Farm, Vegetables Farm, and CPCT Farm of the Institute. Major Rahul Pande, Mohubal Coy. Commander & Officer In-charge, tour; his colleagues and farmers have expressed their satisfaction about the visit.

