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List of Ongoing Projects

Project code No	Project Name	Principal Investigator, Co-Principal Investigator and associates
A.R: FLS: 01	Breeding of Commercial Flower Crops	Dr. T. Janakiram, Head
Sub - Project 1	Breeding of Rose for Commercial Traits	Dr. D. V. S. Raju Dr. (Ms.) Namita Dr. K. V. Prasad Dr. Kanwar Pal Singh Dr. M. R. Dhiman (IARI Regional Station, Katrain) Dr. R. K. Sharma (Division of Entomology) Dr. (Mrs) Pratibha Sharma (Division of Plant Pathology)
Sub - Project 2	Breeding of Chrysanthemum for Commercial Traits	Dr. K.V. Prasad Dr. D. V. S. Raju Dr. T. Janakiram Dr. R. K. Sharma (Division of Entomology) Dr. (Mrs) Pratibha Sharma (Division of Plant Pathology) Dr. T. Mohapatra (NRCPB, New Delhi)
Sub - Project 3	Breeding of Gladiolus for Commercial Traits	Dr. P. Naveen Kuma Dr. T. Janakiram Dr. Krishan Pal Singh Dr. Kishan Swaroop Dr. S. K. Lal (Division of Seed Science and Technology) Dr. R. K. Sharma (Division of Entomology) Dr. (Mrs) Pratibha Sharma (Division of Plant Pathology)
Sub - Project 4	Breeding of Marigold and Lupin for Higher Yield and Quality	Dr. Kanwar Pal Singh Dr. Namita Dr. D. V. S. Raju Dr. (Ms.) Gautam Chawla (Division of Nematology) Dr. Gunjeet Kumar

		(Division of Germplasm Evaluation NBPGR, New Delhi) Dr. Chitra Pandey (Division of Germplasm Conservation) NBPGR, New Delhi
Sub - Project 5	Improvement of Bougainvillea for Novel Colours	Dr. Kishan Swaroop Dr. Ritu Jain Dr. S. K. Misra (Division of Germplasm Evaluation NBPGR, New Delhi)
A.R: FLS: 02	Development of Production and Postharvest Management Technologies in Commercial Flower Crops	Dr. Krishan Pal Singh
Sub - Project 1	Standardization of Production Technology of Tuberose, Gladiolus and Chincherinchee.	Dr. Krishan Pal Singh Dr. P. Naveen Kumar Dr. Kishan Swaroop Dr. Tarak Nath Saha Dr. S. K. Lal (Division of Seed Science and Technology) Dr. Rajvir Sharma (Division of Agronomy) Dr. Livleen Shukla (Division of Microbiology) Dr. S. K. Misra Division of Germplasm Evaluation NBPGR, New Delhi
Sub - Project 2	Postharvest Management and Value Addition of Chrysanthemum, Marigold and Tuberose	Dr Ritu Jain Dr. Kanwar Pal Singh
Sub - Project 3	Protected Cultivation of Chrysanthemum and Gerbera	Dr. S. S. Sindhu Dr. T. N. Saha Dr. K. V. Prasad Dr. D. R. Biswas (Division of Soil Science and Agricultural Chemistry) Dr. Renu Pandey

		(Division of Plant Physiology)
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On-going External Funded Projects

Project No. 1	DUS Testing of Rose and Chrysanthemum Cultivars
Project title	DUS Testing of Rose and Chrysanthemum
Name of the funding agency	PPV&FRA, G.O.I.
Principal investigator	Dr. K.V. Prasad
Co-Principal investigator	-
Date of Start	September 2002
Total Fund Allocation	Rs. 57,05,000/-
Total fund utilized during the period	Rs. 26,83,841/- till 31.03.2007 Rs. 17,99,108/- till 31 st March 2008
Facilities created	DUS lab
Number of SRF in the project	-
Point wise achievement	75 rose varieties have been characterized as per the new guidelines and the digitalization of the data completed. 54 varieties were characterized based on the new test guidelines.
Publications from the project	K.V.Prasad, V.B.Patel and Mohan Ram (2008) Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers Rights: Initiatives in Horticultural Crops. In: Recent Initiatives in Horticulture, K.L.Chadha, A.K.Singh and V.B.Patel (eds), Published by Horticultural Society of India pp: 140-66.
Fund received	Rs 48,15,000/- Funds received till 31.03.2007 Funds received during 2007-08- NIL

On-going Institute collaborative Projects

Project No. 1	Recycling of Animal and Farm waste and Application of their Value Added Products in Sustainable crops production and Animal Husbandry
Sub-Project title	Application of Vermibiomanure in Ornamental Plants
Name of the funding agency	Collaborative Research Project between IVRI, IARI, CARI & IIT- Roorkee
Principal investigator	Dr. S.S. Sindhu
Co-Principal investigator	Dr. K.V. Prasad

POST-GRADUATE TEACHING

TRIMESTER I

Sr. No.	Course Code	Course Title	Credits
1.	HORT.100	Basic Horticulture	(3+2)
2.	HORT.152	Nutritional Requirement of Horticultural Crops	(3+1)
3.	HORT.152	Fundamentals of Floriculture	(3+2)
4.	HORT.253	Landscape Gardening	(3+2)
5.	A3	Principles of Horticultural Crops	(2+1)
6.	HORT.310	Export Oriented Horticulture	(3+1)

TRIMESTER II

Sr. No.	Course Code	Course Title	Credits
1.	HORT.153	Breeding of Ornamental Plants	(3+1)
2.	HORT.204	Plant Propagation	(2+2)
3.	HORT.256	Protected Cultivation of Horticultural Crops	(3+1)
2.	HORT.305	Commercial Floriculture	(3+1)

TRIMESTER III

Sr. No.	Course Code	Course Title	Credits
1.	HORT.211	Growth and Development	(3+2)
2.	HORT.252	Value addition in Ornamental Crops	(1+1)
3.	HORT.254	Indoor Plants	(3+1)
4.	HORT.306	Plant Tissue Culture in the Improvement of Horticultural Crops	(2+1)
5.	HORT.309	Advance Breeding of Ornamental Crops	(3+1)

A large contingent of foreign students representing countries such as Bangladesh, Ethiopia, Iran, Srilanka, Vietnam and Nepal, obtained M.Sc and Ph.D. Degrees from the Division

Recent Publications

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