

Distinguished Visitor

1. Mr. Rex Beach, Product and Marketing Specialist from John Deere-Company visited Farm Machinery and Power department of Agriculture Engineering & Technology College on 23/01/2009. A discussion on "Cotton Harvester and Mechanization in Cotton cultivation" was conducted in presence of Dr. N. C. Patel, Principal & Dean, Prof. J. B. Savani, Dr. M. D. Khanpara and all the faculty members participated in discussion.
2. Veterinary Council of India, New Delhi inspection team, visited the Veterinary Science and Animal Husbandry College on 23-25 February, 2009. The team members visited new college building site, hostel building site, laboratories and existing facilities available at the college.
3. Dr. Dath K. Mita, Crop Assessment Analyst, USDA (FAS), Washington DC, Dr. Santosh K Singh, Agril. Scientist, USDA (FAS), New Delhi, Harshad V. Gupta, Business Development manager, Ahmedabad, Sharad N. Pandya, General Manager (Mktg), GUJCOT, Ahmedabad visited the KVK and DFRS, JAU, Targhadia, Rajkot on 21/03/2009 and different Departments of JAU, Junagadh.
4. Dr. Shiv Sevak, Principal Scientist (Pl. Breeding), IIPR, Kanpur, visited the Pulse Research Station, JAU, Junagadh on 26-27th February, 2009.
5. Dr. R. V. Nair, Principal Scientist and Head, Division of Crop Improvement, CPCRI, Kasaragod, Kerala, visited Agricultural Research Station (FC), Mahuva on 27/3/09. (Photo)
6. The Project Co-ordinator (PCB), Dr. R.K. Sethi and other Scientists' from different centers of Network Project on Buffalo Improvement visited this station on 6th March 09



Dr. Mangla Rai, Secretary DARE and Director General (ICAR), New Delhi at KVK, Khapat along with Dr. I. U. Dhruj, Associate Director of Research, JAU, Junagadh on 08-04-09.

TRAINING ATTENDED BY JAU SCIENTISTS

1. *Advances in Biomass utilization for electricity generation* held at CIAE, Bhopal from 7-27 January, 2009 attended by Shri P.P Gajjar, KVK, Targhadia and Mr. H. R. Vadar, KVK Khapat.
2. *Gender Empowerment in Agriculture* held at IARI, New Delhi from 18th Feb. to 10th March 2009 by Mr. D. M. Pathak, KVK, Khapat.
3. *Breeding for quality-Conventional and Genomic Approaches* held at PAU, Ludhiana from 7-22nd January, 2009 by Dr. N. B. Patel, Dr. G. U. Kulkarni and Dr. L. K. Sharma, Deptt. Of Botany, JAU, Junagadh.
4. *Emerging trends in Plant Physiology and Biotechnological Paradigms for Sustainable Agriculture* held at Banaras Hindu University, Varansi from 2nd to 22nd February, 2009 by Mr. H. P. Gajera and Dr. M. K. Sharma, Deptt. Of Biochemistry.
5. *Novel Techniques in Packaging, Storage processing and Quality control of Fruits and vegetables* held at C.I.A.E, Bhopal-462 038 from 24th February to 16th March, 09 by Mr. Valia M. J., ARS, Mahuva.

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WORKSHOP/ SEMINAR/SYMPOSIUM/CONFERENCE ATTENDED BY THE SCIENTISTS

Topic	Period	Institutes	Scientists
IPM strategies to combat emerging pest in the current scenario of climate change	28-30 Jan. 2009	IARI, New Delhi	Dr. B. B. Kabaria Dr. V. N. Patel
"Biological control of major diseases of Ground nut"	29-31 Jan. 2009	Directorate of Oil Seed Research, Hyderabad	Prof. B. A. Kunadia Dr. C. Lukose Dr. L. K. Dhaduk, Dr. R. H. Kavani