

Annual Report 2015-16
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ABSTRACT

Kurnool district comes under scarce rainfall zone with normal rainfall of 670.3 mm. The district comprises three revenue divisions, 54 revenue mandals, 926 revenue villages and 649 hamlet villages. The net area sown is 8.69 lakh and the gross cropped area of the district is 10.21 lakh ha of which 2.71 lakh ha are irrigated through canals, tanks, wells and other sources. Seventeen agri - ecological situations exists in the district. Majority of the soils are black (76%) and the remaining are red soils.

Mandatory activities carried out in 2015-16

On Farm Testing:

1. Castor based inter cropping system:

The results shows that intercropping of castor with greengram 1:2 / cluster bean 1:2 ratio resulted in highest castor equivalent yield and gross returns/ha(Rs.44640/-) than sole crops. Intercropping of greengram with castor in 1:2 row proportions resulted in the highest LER value of 1.27 coupled with highest yield of castor.

2. Performance of red gram hybrids under rainfed situation:

Assessment of Redgram Hybrids i.e ICPH-2740 and ICPH-2671 were organized in 5 locations each. The results indicated that the hybrid ICPH-2671 has recorded highest Yield (1265 Kg/ha) followed by ICPH-2740 – (1198 Kg/ha) as compared with local variety ICPL-85063(1023 Kg/ha)

3. Management of thrips and botch in onion:

The yields obtained in OFT (18,969 kg/ha) on management of Thrips and Blotch in Onion were 8.97 % higher compared to farmers practice (17,406 kg/ha) in addition to a saving of Rs 3,937/ha on cost of plant protection. Net additional returns obtained through the OFT were Rs.43,000/ ha.

4. Management of root rot in chillies:

In the OFT on Management of root rot in chillies, with soil application of *Trichoderma* and *Pseudomonas* 2.5 kg each incubated with FYM @ 250 kg/ha recorded 4.02 % root rot as against 5.66 % in farmers practice with an additional net benefit of Rs. 22,725-00 per ha.

5. Assessing the performance of different varieties of Black gram against YMV:

In the OFT on Evaluatin of different varieties of Blackgram for YMV Disease, PU31 recorded 1860 kg/ha, which is 17.35 % and 8.45% higher compared to MASH 338 and LBG 752 respectively. PU 31 recorded a net additional income of Rs. 25,850/- ha over farmers practice of LBG 752.

6. Perfoamance of IPM modules for management of Yellow Stem Borer in Rice:

The results indicated that 5117 kg/ha yield was recorded which is 5.07 % more than farmers practice (4858 kg/ha) with saving of Rs 6125/ha on pp measures. The incidence of fruit rot and powdery were 4.6 & 6.9 % in OFT and 8.7 and 11.9 % farmers practice.

7. Yield maximization through boron application in rice:

Basal and foliar application of borax 15 Kg/ha and 0.1% respectively in Rice under boron deficient soils gave 11% higher yield in boron trial ((7352 kg/ha) when compared to controlled plots(6618 kg/ha).

8. Nutrient management in Groundnut based on STCR equation under I/D situation: The result indicated that the average yield of T₁ (3778kg/ha) and T₂ (3802 kg/ha) were on par. However, production cost is less in T₂ (Rs.46860 /ha) than T₁(Rs.54960/ha) hence it may be continued for one more year.

9. Introduction of potato as alternate to traditional vegetables:

Introduction of Potato as alternate to traditional vegetables, Potato crop is rabi season yielded 20.38 tonnes/ha. Which gave a net income of Rs. 1,73,903/- per ha. When compared with Tomato grown in rabi season. (net income: Rs. 70,145/- per ha.)

10. Testing the performance of Chrysanthemum varieties:

Improved varieties of Kundan (Yellow) and Chandrakiran (Violet) were introduced in the village Seetharampuram. There was 126.3% increase in yield in Kundan (21.14 tonnes/ha.) and 163.3% increased in yield in Chandrakiran (24.69 tonnes/ha.) as against the local varieties (9.34 tonnes/ha.)

12. Effect of Creep feeding on growth rate in preweaned lambs:

Creep feeding to pre weaned lambs @50g/day resulted in 40.04% more body weight gain over farmers practice.

13. Effect of groundnut based concentrate feed on growth rate in post weaned ram lambs:

Supplementation of groundnut haulms supplemented feed to post weaned ram lambs @ 150g per day along with regular grazing resulted in increase of 37.65% body weight gain over farmers practice of grain feeding.

14. Evaluation of different hybrid Napier varieties:

Among the three Hybrid Napier varieties, the fodder yields were 208.0, 196.0 and 172.0 tonnes /acre in Phule CO-4, Jaiwanth and APBN-1 hybrid napier fodder varieties respectively. The spines were less in phule jaiwanth compare to other varieties. The results indicated that 20.93% increased fodder yield in T₂ and 13.95% increased fodder yield in T₃ over T₁.

14. Effect of Lucerne meal supplementation on milk production in milch buffaloes:

Supplementation of Lucerne meal @ 1kg/day along with concentrate feed to milch buffaloes resulted in 8.28% increased milk yield along with additional income of Rs. 2012.40 for 30 days.

15. Assessment of performance of improved sickles with local sickles:

Using improved sickles with 175 g weight instead of local practice of heavy weight (350-380 g) sickles for harvesting paddy saved labour by 25 % with the use of improved sickles, labour saved by 25% and drudgery farm women reduced from less to normal.

16. Assessment of Performance of fertilizer dispenser:

With the use of fertilizer dispenser labour saving by 33.3% and saving of fertilizers is by Rs. 2,430/- per acre. Results also indicated that drudgery of farm women reduced how less to moderate than their regular practice recorded from moderate to severe.

Front Line Demonstrations

Sunflower: The results indicated that sunflower hybrid sunbred-275 with Improved production technologies (seed treatment, Pre-emergence application of pendimethalin @ 2.5 lit/ha, Soil test based fertilizer application, spacing and thinning at 10-15 DAS, application of Boron @0.2% and sucking pestmanagement) gave higher yield (10.38/ha), which was 22.6 per cent than that of obtained with farmers practice yields of 8.46 q/ha in black soils under rainfed situation. The same Hybrid gave higher grain yield (19.42q/ha), which was 15.3 per cent than that of obtained with farmers practice under Irrigated condition.

Bengalgram: In Bengalgram variety Nandyala sanaga-1 with Improved production technologies (Improved variety, seed treatment, Soil test based fertilizer application, Sulphur @20 kg/ha and IPM measures against Helicoverpa and S.exigua) gave higher grain yield (13.77q/ha), which was 17.19 per cent than that of obtained with farmers practice yields of 11.75 q/ha in black soils under rainfed situation. The same variety gave higher grain yield (18.17q/ha), which was 14.63 per cent than that of obtained with farmers practice with one protective irrigation at 30-35 DAS. The increased grain yield with Improved production technologies was mainly because of more no of pods/plant and higher 100 grain weight

Demonstration on Seteria Variety Suryanandi:

During Kharif-2015 five FLDs were organized with **Suryanandi** variety of seteria at different locations of Banaganapalli mandal. The data revealed that the grain yield of improved variety was increased by 10.9 per cent with additional returns of Rs 9913/- per ha. The improved variety proved to be superior as compared to local variety both in terms of grain and fodder yield

Weed Management in jowar:

FLDs on Weed management were taken up in an area of 4ha at Yagantipalli Village with pre-emergence application Atrazine@2.0Kg/ha + Post-emergence application of 2,4D sodium salt@ 1.0 kg/ha on striga. The results indicated that post-emergence application 2,4D sodium salt@ 1.0 kg/ha have reduced the weed density most effectively. It was revealed that Post emergence application of herbicide along with one hand weeding most economic method for weed control in jowar.

Weedmanagement in Maize:

During khairf15 FLDs were taken up at Yagantipalli and Meerapuram villages of Banaganapalli mandal with pre-emergence application Atrazine@2.5Kg/ha + Post-emergence application of 2,4D sodium salt@ 1.0 kg/ha. The results indicated that weed density was significantly reduced and 79.0 per cent weed control efficiency was recorded. The hand weeding is laborious and generally more expensive. It was revealed that Post emergence application of herbicide followed by one intercultivation was most economic method for weed control in maize

Semi Dry method of Rice cultivation:

Under late on set of monsoon conditions and late release of in canals may become erratic and untimely leading to delayed transplanting (beyond August) resulting low yields. To tide over such predicaments, KVK organized demonstrations on Semi Dry method of Rice cultivation. In this method early seeding by taking advantage of early rains received just one month before canal supplies was imminent success with farmers.

- The data clearly indicated that direct seeding paddy seeds with gorru in the month of July recorded on par grain yield over transplanting. The mean yield of direct seeding was 7273Kg/ha as compared to 7050 kg/ha in case transplanting. The success of DSR mainly attributed to:.
- Timely sowing
- Reduced cost of cultivation as compared to transplanting(Labour,Puddling costs)
- Reduced seed rate (8-12 KG /acre as against 30kg /acre)
- Saves 35-40 per cent water.
- Reduced fertilizers and pesticides uses
- Equal or higher yields with reduced production costs and higher net income.

Demonstration on Setaria- Bengalgram cropping sequence in Rainfed black soils:

The results indicated that highest net returns was obtained with Korra-Bengalgram sequence (Rs 50892/ha) than fallow –bengalgram(Rs 31783/ha).The additional net income of the farmers was also increased in Korra- Bengalgram sequence which is calculated as Rs. Rs19019/- more than the Fallow-Bengalgram. This shows the increased profitability through Korra- Bengalgram sequence.

Foxtail millet (korra), crop being its short duration may fit well in double cropping sequence under rainfed situation in black soils. In order to increase net returns Rs/ha and cropping intensity, Seteria-bengalgram can be successfully grown in rainfed black soils, if on set of monsoon are in time.

Optimum Spacing in Bt cotton: The results on Bt.cotton with spacing of 90X60cm (2072 kg) has recorded increased yield 7.24% over farmer practice i.e 120X60cm. 1932kg/ha.

Zinc Management in rice: Ten Demonstrations were organized on Zinc management in rice at I.Kothapet village of Banaganapalle mandal. The average yield of rice under Zinc foliar application was high (6816Kg/ha) as compared to controlled practice (5928Kg/ha). An amount of Rs.17728/ha was realized as additional income due to yield increments (14.97 %) in demonstrations. Benefit-cost ratio was high in demonstrations (1:2.07) as compared to controlled practice (1:1.82) due to higher gross income.

INM in Bt.Cotton: Ten Demonstrations were organized on integrated nutrient management in Bt.cotton at Meerapuram village of Banaganapalle mandal. The average yield of cotton was high (2646Kg/ha) in INM practice when compared to farmer's practice (2345Kg/ha) . An amount of Rs. 17335/ha was realized as additional income due to low production costs and yield increments (12.83%) in demonstrations. Benefit-cost ratio was high in demonstrations (1:1.97) as compared to farmer's practice (1:1.57) due to low cost of Production and higher gross income.

Nutrient management in chilli based on STCR equation: The results indicated that the average pod yield of Chilli under STCR (5121Kg/ha) and pod yield produced under controlled practice (5138Kg/ha) were on par. Net income was high in demonstration plots (Rs.509741 ha⁻¹) as compared to controlled practice (Rs.468017 ha⁻¹). It was also observed that an amount of Rs.18564/ha was realized as additional income due to low production costs and yield increments in demonstrations. Benefit-cost ratio was also high in demonstrations (1:4.80) as compared to check (1:4.15) due to low cost production.

Sulphur and zinc management in Bengalgram based on soil test: Ten Demonstrations were organized in bengalgram at K.Sunkesula village of Owk mandal. The average yield of bengalgram under Sulphur and zinc management was high (1362Kg/ha) as compared to control (1197Kg/ha). An amount of Rs. 6005/ha was realized as additional income due to yield increments (13.78%) in demonstrations. Benefit-cost ratio was high in demonstrations (1:1.88) as compared to farmer's practice (1:1.75) due to higher gross income.

Reclamation of sodic soils with gypsum: Ten Demonstrations were organized on reclamation of sodic soils with gypsum at Yagantipalle village of Banaganapalle mandal. The initial soil pH was ranged from 9.18 to 9.42 and after reclamation it is ranged from 8.52 to 8.84. The Paddy crop was cultivated after reclamation. The average yield of paddy in demonstration plots was high

(5875Kg/ha) as compared to controlled plots (4860 Kg/ha). The results indicated that 20.88 percent yield increase in demonstration plots over the controlled plots. An amount of Rs. 19065/ha was realized as additional income in demonstrations due to yield increments.

Zinc management in maize: Organised ten demonstrations at Yagantipalle village. Zinc sulphate applied @50 kg/ha at basal. Now the crop is at grain development phase

Micro nutrient management in mango: Ten demonstrations were organized at Emboi village of Bethamcherla mandal. Micronutrient mixture was sprayed twice at pre bloom period and at pea nut stage @ 5gms/lit of water. Results indicate that there was an increase of 26.91% in the yield with B:C ratio 4.7 in demo as against the 3.8 in local check.

Rhizome rot management in Turmeric: Demonstration was taken up with 10 farmers in Alamur village of Rudravaram mandal. The seed treatment of rhizomes was done by soaking the rhizomes in Ridomyl MZ (3g/lit.). After one month of sowing, Trichoderma Viridae enriched manure (2.5q/ha.) was applied. There was 17.51 % increase in yield in demonstration (8.45 tons/ha) compared to farmers practice (6.97 tons/ha).

Micronutrient management in Banana: This demonstration was taken up in Alamuru village of Rudravaram mandal. Micro nutrient mixture was applied on Banana bunches twice gave 69.72 tons/ha yield in demonstration as against the 61.45 tons/ha in farmers practice. There was an net additional income of Rs.1,04,063/ha in demo compared to farmers practice with B:C ratio to demo to control is 1 : 3.39 / 1:1.9

Chemical Weed Management in Chillis: Demonstration was taken up in SunKesula village of Owk mandal with ten farmers in mature old Chilli plots where interculture operations are not possible. Results indicate that there was 86 % control of weeds in demonstration plot when pendimethalin 3 lit/ha was applied in chilli plot compared to demonstration plot. there was 12% increase in yield in demonstration

Feeding of sunflower heads supplemented ration to milch buffaloes: The demonstration was conducted at Amadala and Koilakuntla villages. 30% SF heads mixed ration was fed to the animals for 120 days. The results indicated that 6.22% increased milk production by feeding SF heads supplemented feed over farmers method. Difference of Rs.5540/- as net income was observed in demo over control.

Supplementation of Regional Specific mineral mixture to milch buffaloes: The demonstration was conducted at Mandaluru of Rudravaram (M) and C.K.Dinne of Allagadda (M) selecting 20 graded murrha buffaloes having post partum anoestrus condition. RSSM was supplemented @ 80grams per day along with regular concentrate feed. The results indicated that 40% animals exhibited heat symptoms and 9.58 % increase in milk yield was noticed over farmers practice.

Azolla supplementation to Rajasri birds at backyards: The demonstration was conducted at Charlakothuru and Pathapadu villages of Banaganapalle mandal. Azolla units were established and azolla was supplemented to Rajasri birds @50grams per day along with scavenging for 90 days. The results indicated that 13.97% increase in body weight was observed in treatment over control

Supplementation of UMMB to milch buffaloes: The demonstration was conducted at Seetaramapuram village of Bethamcherla mandal selecting 10 graded murreh buffaloes. UMMB was given to hang before the animals and allowed to lick for an hour daily. The results indicated that 19.28% increase in milk yield was observed in demo over farmers practice.

Feeding of Hydroponic maize fodder to milch buffaloes: The demonstration was conducted at Nallagtla, Meerapuram and Yagantipalle villages selecting 10 graded murreh buffaloes at five farmers. 12kg hydroponic maize fodder fed to animals along with dry jowar stover. The results indicated that 6.96% increase in milk yield was observed in demo over farmers practice.

Mobile advisory services:

Delivered 28 need based messages for 1545 registered farmers of KVK.

Training programmes

Discipline	No.of Trainings	PFarmers		Rural Youth		Extension Functionaries	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Agronomy	15	529	0	25	-	-	-
Soil Science	20	163	-	182	-	152	173
Plant Protection	10	250		30	-	-	-
Horticulture	8	192		18			
Animal Husbandry	13	240	50	-	-	25	-
Home Science	21	-	379	-	194	-	85
Total:	87	1374	429	255	194	177	258

Services and supplies

Item	Quantity (Kg)
Paddy- BPT-5204	59010
NDLR-7	15570
ICPH-2740	748
LRG-41	232
Redgram (Asha)	660
Black gram (LBG-752)	500
Seteria (Suryanandi)	2344
Vermicompost	154000
Earth worms	551
Soil Samples	6465
Water Samples	1660
Plant Samples	95
Trichoderma viride	631
Pseudomonas	928
Neem Powder	18072
Phosphorus Solubilizing Bacteria	467
Azotobactor	116
Azosprillum	45
Vegetable seedlings	382200
Rajasri chicks	5480
Ram lambs	28
Mineral Mixture	267
Feed	2480
Fodder stem cuttings (no.)	70000
Cotton sarees	

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1. GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE KVK:

1.1. Name and address of KVK with phone, fax and e-mail

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	Office	FAX		
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1.2. Name and address of host organization with phone, fax and e-mail

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	Office	FAX		
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1.3. Name of the Programme Coordinator with phone & mobile No

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	Residence	Mobile	Email
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1.4. Year of sanction: 1989

1.5. Staff Position (as on 31st March-2015)

Sl. No.	Sanctioned post	Name of the incumbent	Designation	Discipline	Pay Scale	Present basic (Rs)	Date of joining	Permanent /Temporary	Category (SC/ST/OBC/ Others)
1	Programme Coordinator	G.Dhanalakshmi	Programme Coordinator	Home Science	15,600-39,100	34,490-00	03-04-2003	Permanent	OC
2	Subject Matter Specialist	K.Venkata Ramanaiah	SMS (Soil Science)	Soil Science	15,600-39,100	33,490-00	10-07-1996	Permanent	BC
3	Subject Matter Specialist	M.Sudhakar	SMS (Agronomy)	Agronomy	15,600-39,100	33,490-00	23-09-1996	Permanent	OC
4	Subject Matter Specialist	D.Balaraju	SMS (Plant Protection)	Plant Protection	15,600-39,100	29,370-00	04-04-2003	Permanent	OC
5	Subject Matter Specialist	K.Rajeswar Reddy	SMS Horticulture	Horticulture	15,600-39,100	24,350-00	01-10-2008	Permanent	OC
6	Subject Matter Specialist	A.Krishna Murthy	SMS (Animal Husbandry)	Animal Husbandry	15,600-39,100	24,350-00	29-06-2010	Permanent	OC
7	Programme Assistant	K.Lakshmi Priya	Programme Asst. (Home Science)	Home Science	9,300-34,800	23,370.00	18-06-1996	Permanent	BC
8	Programme Assistant	B. Koteswar rao	Programme Asst. (Agronomy)	Agronomy				Temporary	Sc
9	Accountant / Superintendent	N. Nagaraju	Assistant		9,300-34,800	13,500-00	24.08.2015	permanant	OC

10	Jr.Asst. cum Typist (SK)	B.V.M.V.Prasad Rao	Jr. Asst. cum Typist	Jr. Asst. cum Typist	5,200-20,200	15,530-00	21-03-1990	Permanent	BC
11	Driver	Iqbal Basha	Driver cum Mechanic	Driver cum Mechanic	5,200-20200	12,230-00	20-09-1995	Permanent	OC
12	Driver	D.Obulesu	Driver cum Mechanic	Driver cum Mechanic	5,200-20200	11,860-00	01-08-1996	Permanent	SC
13	Attender	P.Raghava Reddy	Attender	Attender	4,440-20200	10,620-00	02-11-1990	Permanent	OC
14	Watchman	T.P.Gurappa	Watchman	Watchman	4,440-20200	10,370-00	30-12-1994	Permanent	BC
15	Cook	T.Rajeswari	Cook	Cook	4,440-20200	10,370-00	20-09-1995	Permanent	BC
16	Farm Attendent	A.Rama Subbaiah	Farm Attendent	Farm Attendent	4,440-20200	10,370-00	01-10-1996	Permanent	BC

1.6. Total land with KVK (in ha) : 20 ha

S. No.	Item	Area (ha)
1.	Under Buildings	2
2.	Under Demonstration Units	1
3.	Under Crops	10
4.	Orchard/Agro-forestry	4
5.	Others (specify)	3

1.7. Infrastructural Development:

A) Buildings:

S. No.	Name of building	Source of funding	Completion Date	Stage			Incomplete Plinth area (Sq.m)	Status of construction
				Complete Plinth area (Sq.m)	Expenditure (Rs.)	Starting Date		
1.	Administrative Building	ICAR	1994	550	7.59	1990-91		
2.	Farmers Hostel	ICAR	1994	450	8.0	1990-91		
3.	Staff Quarters(6)	ICAR	1998	650	32.27	1992-93		
4.	Demonstration Units (3)	ICAR	1992-93	300	6.5	1992-93		
5.	Fencing	ICAR	2005-06		6.5	2004-05		
6.	Rain Water harvesting system	-	-	-	-			
7.	Threshing floor	-	-	-	-			
8.	Farm godown	ICAR	2005-06	112.5	5.28	2005-06		
9.	Soil Testing Laboratory	ICAR	2004-05	112.5	8.59	2004-05		

B) Vehicles:

Type of vehicle	Year of purchase	Cost (Rs.)	Total km. Run	Present status
TATA Sumo	2009	6,00,000-00	2,52,000km	OK
Mahindra & Mahindra Tractor	2005	3,54,522-00	30,678 (hrs)	OK
Motorcycle (Hero Honda)	2014	-	3,704 KM	OK
TVS XL-Super	2002	17,900-00	43,335 KM	OK

C) Equipments & AV Aids:

Name of the equipment	Year of purchase	Cost (Rs.)	Present status
Tape Recorder	1990	2,600-00	OK
Over Head Projector	1991	6,200-00	OK
Slide Projector	1991	7,168-00	OK
Ahuja Micro phone Set	1994	9,500-00	OK
Television	1994	19,999-00	OK
Video Casette Recorder	1996	19,000-00	OK
Ahuja Portable wireless Amplifier	2003	9,927-00	OK
Cordless micro phone	2003	5,804-00	OK
Collar Mike	2005	5,800-00	OK

1.8. A) Details of SAC meeting held on 3.3.2016 for the year 2016-17 :

The SAC meeting was held on 3rd of March, 2016 at KVK. The meeting was presided over by Sri. P.Balaji, Secretary, SHE&CS. At the outset, Smt. G.Dhanalakshmi, Programme Coordinator has welcomed the SAC members, Guests. The programme started with ICAR Song.

A brochure on “Improved Production Technologies in Bengalgram” was released by the honourable members on the Dias. Significant Achievements of KVK, Future requirements of KVK and Action Taken Report was presented by Smt. G.Dhanalakshmi, Programme Coordinator, KVK followed by presentations of Work Done Report for 2015-16 and Action Plan for 2016-17 by individual Subject Matter Specialists Viz., Crop Production, Soil Science, Plant Protection, Horticulture, Animal Husbandary and Programme Assistant, Home Science.

The following observations, remarks and suggestions were made by the SAC members.

Sl. No.	Name and Designation of Participants	Salient Recommendations
1.	Dr. M.R.Sreenivasulu, Special Officer, SHE&CS.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Farm waste should be used for vermicomposting along with FYM.• Verify the adoption of STCR by Rice farmers.• Seed village concept may be taken up in other than rice also.• All the seed produced in KVK should be tested for germination, before opening sales.• Pulse village programme may be tried.• Striga management in Jowar may be taken up in endemic areas.• Refugee crop in Bt cotton may be encouraged.
2	Mr. Krishna Reddy, Farmer, Kalugotla.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Soil testing should be made compulsory for all the farmers.• Programmes should be formulated for awareness on Own Seed Production and storage.• The Jowar variety 2647 from RARS may be tested for its performance.• In Blackgram, LBG 787 and TPT 104 to be tested in farmers fields for its performance. So also LGG 574

- of Greengram and LRG 52 of Redgram.
- Control measures of Fruit and Shoot Borer in Brinjal need to be disseminated.
- 3 Mr Harikrishna, Nandavaram, Banaganapalle (M)
- Time to time awareness programmes for shepards need to be conducted.
- 6 Dr. Y.Narasimhudu, Principal Scientist & Programme Coordinator, KVK, Yemmiganur.
- IFS should be promoted by KVK.
 - Mini Dairies and Sheep units are encouraging for farmers. And they can be taken up by farmers as part of IFS.
 - Crop diversification should be promoted.
- 8 Sri Nagesh Kumar, AGM, NABARD:
- Importance should be given to reduce the cost of cultivation, productivity enhancement and Integrated Farming Systems.
 - Yield gap should be reduced by demonstrating different technologies.
 - Innovative activities can be taken up under Farm Sector Promotion Fund of NABARD.
 - Focus should be given on Climate Resilient Agriculture.
- 9 Dr. Saralamma, PS - Pathology, RARS, Nandyal :
- In presentation of Workdon by SMSs, no. of locations and treatments should be mentioned.
 - Organic farming is the need of the hour and it needs to be promoted.
 - Training programmes should be conducted on Preparation of Organic inputs and its use.
- 10 Deputy Director of Agriculture, Kurnool :
- During this year in LBG 752 yellow mosaic disease is observed, so also pink boll worm observed in Bt cotton. These are to be taken note of and management strategies are to be promoted for next year's crop.
 - The concepts like Navadhanya Pantalu and Organic/Natural farming should be promoted which acts

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- as good climate resilient systems.
- Growing of own seed to be promoted among the farmers.
- 11 Sri. Sreenivas, DD, ATMA, Kurnool :
- Experiences of successful organic farmers should be shared with other farmers.
 - Comprehensive revival of millets programme needs to be taken up.
 - Zero budget natural farming should be given importance.
- 12 Sri. Subba Reddy, MAO, Banaganapalle :
- Performance of ICPH 2740 needs to be evaluated.
 - Management strategies of Gemini Virus in chilli needs to be promoted.
 - Varieties for drought tolerance in Jowar need to be developed.
 - In Whatsapp groups of farmers, line department personnel also be included.
- 13 Dr. M.R.Sreenivasulu, Retd. ADR, RARS, Nandyal :
- IFS to be promoted as an important strategy.
 - Navadhanya cultivation to be promoted in Kharif.
 - Soil testing should be supported by NABARD.
- 14 Dr. Saralamma, Coordinator, DAATC, Kurnool
- Take up management of Alternaria leaf spot as demonstration in Bt Cotton.
- 15 Sri. P.Balaji, Secretary, SHE & CS
- Check whether information in Soil health cards provided by KVK is sinking with the soil health cards provided by Govt. of India.
 - The target of soil samples should be atleast 1500 for 2015-16.
 - Seed production by KVK should cover 10% of rice area of the district.
 - Third party evaluation should be taken up for STCR in Rice and for other KVK programmes also.
 - KVK should establish sub centres in Kurnool division to increase the outreach of KVK activities, employing Agri Diploma holders as coordinators.
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- 16 Smt G. Dhanalakshmi,
Programme Coordinator,
KVK, Yagantipalle.
- Performance of use of organic inputs may be tested against farmers practice.
 - Tthe Programme Coordinator of KVK has presented the new proposals for infrastructure development at KVK viz., Feed mixing unit (Rs. 2.5 lakhs), Dairy unit (Rs. 5.00 lakhs), Seed processing unit (Rs.16.00 lakhs), Expansion of Vermi compost unit (Rs. 2.50 lakhs) and Expansion of neem pounding unit (Rs. 3.20 lakhs) etc. with total projected budget outlay of Rs.29.2 lakhs, for approval of the house.
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List of participants attended the SAC Meeting :

S.No	Name	Designation
1.	Sri. A. Mallikarjuna Rao	DDA (PP) O/o JDA, Kurnool
2.	Sri. P.Balaji	Secretary, KVK, Yagantipalle
3.	Dr. S. Saralamma	PS (Path), RARS, Nandyal
4.	Dr. P. Sujathamma	Coordinator, DAATTC, Kurnool
5.	Dr. C.Venkata Ramana Varma	ADAH (Rep. of JDAH, Kurnool)
6.	Sri. C. Subba Reddy	M.A.O, Banaganapalle
7.	Sri. A. Nagesh Kumar	AGM, NABARD, Kurnool
8.	Sri. C.N. Sreenivasulu	DPD, ATMA, Kurnool
9.	Dr. Y. Narasimhulu	PC, KVK, Banavasi.
10.	Sri. M. Srinivasa Reddy	BTM, ATMA, Nandyal.
11.	Sri. R. Chakravarthi Naik	BTM, ATMA, Alur
12.	Dr. M.R. Sreenivasulu	Spl. Officer, SHE&CS, Yagantipalle
13.	Smt. G. Dhanalakshmi	Programme Coordinator
14.	Sri M. Thirupam Reddy	Farmer, Kaipa
15.	Sri. B.V.Subba Reddy	Farmer, Banaganapalle
16.	Sri M. Krishnu	Farmer, Yagantipalle
17.	Sri K. Pani Bhushan	Farmer, Utakonda
18.	Sri. P.B. Hari Krishna	Farmer, Nandavaram
19.	Sri. M.V.Krishna Reddy	Farmer, Kalugotla
20.	Sri. M.Veerabhadra Reddy	Farmer, Bethamcherla
21.	Sri. K. Venkateswar Reddy	Farmer, Owk Mittapalle
22.	Sri. D. Siva Shankar Reddy	Farmer, Yagantipalle
23.	Smt. A. Padmavathi	Women Farmer, Banaganapalle
24.	Smt. B. Rajeswari	Women farmer, YPL
25.	Smt. Maheswaramma	Woman Entrepreneur, YPL
26.	Smt. Lakshmi Devi	Woman Farmer, Banaganapalle

2. DETAILS OF DISTRICT (2015-16):

2.1 Major farming systems/enterprises (based on the analysis made by the KVK):

S. No	Farming system/enterprise
1	Agriculture + Horticulture
2	Agriculture + Dairy
3	Agriculture + Horticulture + Dairy
4	Agriculture + Horticulture + Pastural Culture

2.2 Description of Agro-climatic Zone & major agro ecological situations (based on soil and topography):

S. No	Agro-climatic Zone	Characteristics
1	Scarce rain fall zone	Low, scanty and erratic rainfall due to which successful crop production with good yields unexpected and dry land agriculture is predominant with a variety of rainfed crops in the zone.

Agro-ecological situations:

S. No	Agro ecological situation	Characteristics
1	K.C canal irrigated red soils	Paddy-Paddy, Greengram-Paddy Paddy-Groundnut, Vegetables Paddy-Fallow
2	T.B.Low level canal irrigation Red soils	Paddy-Paddy, Paddy-Groundnut Greengram-Paddy, Vegetables Groundnut/Fallow
3	T.B. High level canal irrigation Red soils	Greengram-Paddy, Paddy/Groundnut/ Vegetables-Fallow
4	K.C.Canal irrigation Black soils	Paddy-Greengram-Paddy Paddy/Groundnut-Vegetables Sunflower/Groundnut-Fallow Groundnut/Cotton-Fallow
5	T.B.Low level canal irrigation-Black soils	Greengram/Paddy-Paddy Paddy-Groundnut/Vegetables Sunflower-Groundnut Groundnut-Sunflower Cotton-Fallow
6	T.B.High level canal irrigation Black soils	Paddy-Fallow, Sunflower/Groundnut-Fallow
7	Problem soils	Greengram-Paddy, Fallow-Paddy Fallow-Paddy
8	Tank irrigation Red soils	Paddy-Sunflower/Fallow Paddy/Sunflower-Fallow
9	Tank irrigation Black soils	Paddy-Paddy/Groundnut Sunflower-Fallow, Fallow- Paddy/Groundnut/Sunflower
10	Well irrigation Red soils	Paddy-Paddy/Sunflower/Groundnut Sunflower-Groundnut/Greengram Groundnut – Groundnut/Sunflower Cotton/Onion-Fallow
11	Well irrigation Black soils	Paddy-Paddy/Sunflower/Groundnut Sunflower/Vegetables Cotton/Onion/Chillies-Fallow
12	Rainfed Red soils	Sunflower, Groundnut+Redgram Groundnut+Jowar, Cotton Cotton+Redgra, Jowar, Korra, Redgram-Fallow
13	Rainfed-Black soils	Paddy-Fallow Sunflower/Bengalgram/Coriander fallow Jowar/Bengalgram/Tabacco Jowar/Groundnut/Cotton-Fallow
14	SRBC – Redsoils	B.t. Cotton, Jowar, Redgram, Groundnut,Korra
15	SRBC – Black soils	Rice, Jowar, Maize
16	TGP – Red soils	G.nut, Vegetables,Sunflower, Chillis, Cotton
17	TGP –Black soils	Rice, B.t. Cotton, Chillis

2.3 Soil types:

S. No	Soil type	Characteristics	Area in lakh ha
1	Black cotton soils	Heavy and deep to very deep belonging to vertisols.	3.69
2	Red earths	Clayey sub soil (association of alfisols and inceptisols)	1.29
3	Red earths	Loamy sub soil i.e chalkas (association of inceptisols and alfisols)	3.18
4	Red sandy loam soils	Dubbas & Chalkas (association of entisols, inceptisols and alfisols)-Light textured soils, poor water holding capacity, poor fertility	0.54
5	Problem soils (Saline/sodic)	High pH more than 9.0	1.04
6	Rock land and others	Undulated sloppy lands. Very shallow soils.	0.47

2.4. Area, Production and Productivity of major crops cultivated in the district:

Kharif -2015

Sl. No.	Name of the Crops	Normal Area	Area Sown during the corresponding Period 2014	Area Sown 2014	(Percentage of Coverage)
1	Rice	90577	86525	46316	51.1
2	Jowar	11670	16531	13518	115.8
3	Bajra	7330	4874	9765	133.2
4	Maize	29424	36303	18240	61.9
5	Ragi	0	0		0
6	Minor Millets, (Korra)	10937	6623	23119	211.3
7	Redgram	50457	41504	56949	112.8
8	Greengram	2438	1180	2736	112.2
9	Blackgram	3960	1993	6061	153.0
10	Horsegram	1	0	98	9800
11	Other Pulses	0	0	0	0
12	Groundnut	120205	92906	73370	61.03
13	Sesamum	35	54		0
14	Castor	61880	31502	33571	54.25
15	Sunflower	10838	4202	2101	19.38
16	Soyabean	106	342	503	474.52
18	Cotton	162902	294999	200123	122.84
19	Mesta	306	55	12	3.92
20	Chillies	14432	13730	16626	115.20
21	Sugarcane	1769	744	929	52.51
22	Onion	18084	22922	26624	147.22
23	Turmeric	2588	1986	1654	63.91
24	Tobacco	418	889	108	25.83
25	Others:-	19594	16584	19410	99.06
DIST. TOTAL :		619951	676448	551833	499.64

Rabi -2015:

Sl. No.	Name of the Crops	Normal Area	Area Sown during the corresponding Period 2014	Area Sown 2015	(Percentage of Coverage)
1	Paddy	24034	2121	8864	36.88
2	Wheat	329	17	141	42.85
3	Jowar	58252	57427	73855	126.78
4	Bajra	431	56	98	22.73
5	Maize	8575	5869	5172	60.31
6	Ragi	1	0	0	0
7	Minor Millets, (Korra)	0	40	373	373.0
8	Redgram	911	262	2429	266.63
9	Greengram	1316	3114	2917	221.65
10	Blackgram	7720	12973	20824	269.74
11	Horsegram	644	387	258	40.062
12	Bengalgram	196391	141049	201941	102.82
13	Other Pulses	0	0	0	0
14	Groundnut	19165	12065	13440	70.12
15	Sunflower	24331	5205	3079	12.65
16	Safflower	272	18	66	24.26
17	Sesamum	1199	2453	461	38.44
18	Other Oilseeds	3308	118	708	21.40
19	Chillies	592	655	417	70.43
20	Coriander	4263	6560	3403	79.82
21	Tobacco	7529	6092	6553	87.03
22	Cotton	282	0	7	2.48
23	Onion	2248	1694	3283	146.04
24	Others:-	6602	8597	10402	157.55
DIST. TOTAL :		368395	266772	358691	97.36

AREA, PRODUCTION AND PRODUCTIVITY OF DIFFERENT HORTICULTURE CROPS GROWN IN THE DISTRICT

Sl.No	Name of the crop	Area (Ha)	Production in Tones	Productivity in Tons/Ha
1	Mango	7209	108135	15
2	Sapota	432	6480	15
3	Sweet Orange	2888	72200	25
4	Guava	210	3150	15
5	Ber	66	990	15
6	Pomogranate	57	570	10
7	Lime	205	2563	12.5
8	Banana	3373	168650	50
9	Coconut	120	45000	375 Nuts / Tree
10	Papaya	300	2400	8
11	Other fruits	202	-	-
Total		15062	410138	
Vegetables:				
12	Tomato	11515	75630	15
13	Brinjal	2856	22848	8
14	Drumstic	150	-	-
15	Gourds	575	4120	10
16	Beans	2605	13250	5
17	Leafy Vegetables	140	-	-
18	Bhendi	4318	8970	6
19	Carrot	310	5840	20
20	Cucumber	45	1500	10
21	Capsicum	125	-	-
Total		22639	132158	
Spices:				
21	Chillies	13765	96033	7
22	Onion	16970	254550	15
23	Turmeric	3436	15462	4.5
24	Coriander	50	10000	5
25	Ajwan	4833	4833	1
26	Curry Leafies	181	-	-
Total		39235	380878	
Flowers:				
27	Jasmine	520	2080	4
28	Marrygold	452	2260	5
29	Crossandra	498	996	2
30	Rose	35	70	2
31	Lilly	10	20	2
32	Chrysanthemam	202	1616	8
Total		1717	7042	
Grand Total		78653	930216	

2.5. Weather data 2015-16:

Month	Rainfall (mm)	Temperature ° C		Avg Relative Humidity (%)
		Maximum	Minimum	
Apr -15	60.4	41.8	19.8	34.2
May-15	46.6	43.6	18.4	32.2
Jun -15	32.3	41.4	20.2	37.5
Jul -15	84.4	38.6	18.8	34.5
Aug -15	78.9	38.4	19.5	33.0
Sep -15	216.5	36.2	16.8	32.0
Oct -15	102.5	36.0	17.2	33.0
Nov-15	81.0	34.6	17.0	29.2
Dec -15	1.4	32.5	19.5	25.0
Jan -16	13.2	34.0	19.0	22.0
Feb -16	00.0	37.8	23.0	25.0
Mar -16	00.0	41.5	27.0	30.5
Total:	717.2			

2.6. Production and productivity of livestock, Poultry, Fisheries etc. in the district (Census 2015)

Category	Population	Production	Productivity
Cattle			
Crossbred	6452	3.98 lakh	6-8 lt
Indigenous	409575	metric tonnes	1.5-2.5
Buffalo	410783	of milk	2-3
Sheep			
Crossbred	-	19,087 metric	
Indigenous	1504038	tonnes of	12.5 kg
Goats	505112	meat	
Pigs	16949		
Crossbred			
Indigenous			
Rabbits			
Poultry			
Hens	2,74,957	857 lakh No.s	
Desi	6,41,218	eggs	60-70 eggs
Improved	3,35,127		245-260 eggs
Ducks	942		
Turkey and others			

2.6 Details of Operational area / Villages (2015-16):

S. No.	Taluk	Name of the block	Name of the village	Major crops & enterprises	Major problem identified	Identified Thrust Areas
1	Banaganapalle	Nandyal	Bhanumukkala	Onion	Indiscriminate use of pesticides	IPM for Thrips and Blotch
			Yagantipalle	Maize	Indiscriminate use of Pesticides	Contingent management of pests and diseases
2	Banaganapalle	Nandyal	Amadala	Redgram	Indiscriminate use of pesticides	Realtime contingent mgmt, of pests & diseases
			Yagantipalle Meerapuram	B.t.cotton	Indiscriminate use of pesticides	Management of sucking pests
3	Gospadu	Nandyala	Mitnala	Blackgram	Indiscriminate use of Pesticides	Realtime contingent mgmt. of pests & diseases
4	Rudravaram	Allagadda	Alamuru	Chillis	Indiscriminate use of pesticides	Integrated Management of fruit rot and powdery mildew
						Management of root rot
5	Panyam	Nandyal	Yagantipalle	Rice	Indiscriminate use of pesticides	Management of stem borer.
6	Banaganapalle	Nandyal	Yagantipalle	Ram Lambs	Poor growth rate	Feeding of High protein feed
			Yagantipalle	Fodder	No improved varieties	Introduction of new hybride napier varieties
			Pasupula , Cherlakotturu, Katikavanikunta	Sheep	High mortality and poor growth in Pre weaned lambs	Supplimentation of high protein feed
7	Allagadda	Allagadda	Nallagatla	Dairy	Low milk production	Supplimentation of high protein feed at lower price.
8	Rudravaram	Allagadda	Mandaluru	Dairy	Re production problem in milch animals	Supplimentation of RSSM.

9	Bethemcherala	Kurnool	Seetharamapuram	Dairy	Poor milk production	Supplimentatin of UMMB.
				Rice	Low productivity in rice-rice system	Introduction of rice based cropping systems (Rice-maize / rice – sunflower)
				Maize	Drudgery to farm women in weeding	Introduction of rotary weeder for weeding.
			Pandlapuram	Bhindi	Difficuty in harvesting	Use of bhindi cutter for harvesting.
			Pasapula Amadala	G.nut	Drudgery in weeding and labour intensive operation.	Improved moghi wheel hoe
			Yagantipalle	Paddy	Drudgery to women in harvesting with heavy weight local sickles.	Serrated light weight sickles for easy harvest.
			Yerragudi Meerapuram	Castor	Drudgery to women in harvesting	Use of cotton hand gloves
			Illuru Kothapeta	Bengal gram	Wilt and dry root rot	Management of soil borne diseases with application of <i>Trichoderma viridi</i> as seed treatment and soil application.
				Sunflower	Imbalanced nutrient management	STCR based nutrient management
	I.K.Peta Yagantipalle	Rice	Incidence of Stem borer in Rabi	Management of stem borer in rice.		
	Nandavaram Yagantipalle	Redgram	Indiscriminate use of Pesticides	Realtime contingent mgmt, of pests & diseases		

			Yagantipalle Meerapuram	Castor	Indiscriminate use of pesticides	Realtime contingent mgmt. of pests & diseases
			Yagantipalle	Maize	Zinc deficiency Indiscriminate use of pesticides	Zinc Management Realtime contingent mgmt. of pests and diseases
			Yagantipalle	Bt. Cotton	Low yields due to weed problem	Post emergence weed control with herbicides, INM in Bt Cotton.
			Yagantipalle	Potato	Low market prices for traditional vegetables during Rabi	ICM in Potato
			Nandavaram	Redgram Bengalgram	Low productivity in redgram & Bengalgram	Introduction of hybrids and varieties tolerant to wilt and moisture stress.
10	Gospadu	Nandyal	Yallur Jillella Yaluru Julepalli Gospadu M.Krisnapuram Srinivasapuram Nehrunagar	Groundnut Rice	Indiscriminate use of Pesticides for pest & diseases Indiscriminate use of chemical fertilizers Indiscriminate use of chemical fertilizers	IDM for Stem rot STCR based nutrient management STCR based nutrient management
	Sirivel	Nandyal	Kotapadu Veerareddipalem Venkateswarapuram, Yerraguntla & Venkatapuram	Rice	Indiscriminate use of chemical fertilizers Low yields due to BLB	Introduction of RP Bio 226 variety with ICM STCR based nutrient management Introduction of RP Bio 226 variety with ICM

11	Rudravaram	Allagadda	Alamuru	Turmeric	Rhizome rot	Management of rhizome rot with seed treatment. Nutrient Management in Chillili.
	Owk	Koilakuntla	Alamuru Sunkesula	Banana	Micronutrient deficiencies	Correction of micronutrient deficiency
12	Bethamcherala	Dhone	Embai	Mango	Micronutrient deficiencies	Correction of micronutrient deficiency , Nutrient Management in Groundnut.
			Sitarampuram	Chrysanthemum	Low yield due to repeated cultivation of own NS planting material.	Improved varieties with high yield, uniformity, shelf life and attractive colour.
13	Koilakuntla	Nandyal	Kalugotla	Black gram	Low yields due to local varieties	ICM with YMV tolerant varieties.
14	Midthur	Nandikotkur	Jalakanur	Rice	High cost of cultivation	Cost reduction technologies like SRI and Drum Seeder.
15	Sanjamala	Allagadda	Sanjamala	Bengalgram	Low productivity in bengalgram	ICM in bengalgram
16	Panyam	Nandyal	Bhupanapadu Kowluru	Redgram	Low productivity in pulses	Introduction of tolerant varieties to wilt and moisture stress.

2.7 Priority/thrust areas:

Crop/Enterprise	Thrust area
Seed Production	Addressing the scarcity of quality seed : Availability of quality seed to the farmer is one of the major constraint farmer is facing every year. They are depending on the private market / government agencies for their seed requirements. The supply is not meeting the demand in time and more over farmers are being cheated by different agencies with spurious seed. Awareness should be created about the production of own seed by the farmer. For this, seed village concept is required at least in direct varieties in crops like paddy, red gram, desi cotton, Bengal gram, which have huge demand in the market has to be promoted.
Inter Cropping System	Drought mitigation and to prevent Crop failures in Red soils In Kurnool district generally castor is being cultivated in an area of 60533 ha and yields are limited by the amount and distribution of rainfall during monsoon period. Farmers are getting low net returns/ha due to changes in price of the marketable produce and incidence of pest and diseases also increasing year by year due to monocropping. In order to increase Net returns of rainfed situation, Greengram and Clusterbean crops were introduced as intercrops in Castor.
Double cropping:	crop intensification in Rainfed black soils On black soils of Kurnool district generally one crop Bengalgram/fallow-Jowar is being taken during rabi (September - october) in an area of 3.02 laksh ha. Farmers are getting low net returns/ha. Foxtail millet (korra), crop being its short duration may fit well in double cropping sequence (Korra- Bengalgram/ Jowar) under rainfed situation in black soils. Inorder to increase net returns Rs/ha and cropping intensity, Seteria- bengalgram can be successfully grown in rainfed black solis, if on set of monsoon are intime. Zero Tillage and Direct seeding in paddy with Drum seeder In Kurnool district Maize crop is being cultivated in an area of 14,604 ha and 10898 ha during kharif and rabi respectively with average productivity of 6250 kg /ha. In the district recently Rice followed by maize gaining popularity moreover their reaping good yields. There is a lot of scope to increase the acreage under this cropping system.

Varietal replacement in major crops:

The productivity of crops is lowest due to cultivation of old and traditional varieties due to non availability of improved varieties/hybrids .Seed is the vital and critical input for crop production. Crop productivity is highly influenced by selection of high yielding varieties. Among different components of recommended package of practices, improved variety contributes up to 30 percent to the over all yield improvement. Keeping this in view KVK, Yagantipalle is organized several FLDs in Cereals,oil seeds, pulses and other crops in order to popularize improved varieties in different parts of Kurnool district

Paddy

Soil test based Nutrient Management :

Farmers are continuously applying higher doses of chemical fertilizers than recommended particularly for irrigated crops like Paddy, Cotton, Chilies and Groundnut etc., which in turn increase the cost of production towards fertilizers and pesticides. Farmers are resorting to top dressing of complex fertilizers which was not recommended. High phosphorus content was observed in irrigated areas due to indiscriminate usage of complex fertilizers. Crop yields are declining due to conventional blanket and imbalanced usage of fertilizers. Soil test based nutrient application helps to realize higher response ratio and benefit: cost ratio as the nutrients are applied in proportion to the magnitude of the deficiency of a particular nutrient and the correction of the nutrient imbalances in soil helps to harness the synergistic effects of balanced fertilization). Fertilizer application based on quantitative approaches such as Soil test crop response (STCR) can assist in improving yields and nutrient use efficiency in paddy.

Sunflower,and ground nut

Promotion of Sulphur and boron nutrition in Oil seed crops like Sunflower and Groundnut.

Soil testing data of the district revealed that sulphur and boron are found more deficient level in dry land areas where continuously applying inorganic fertilizers and sulphur free fertilizers like DAP, urea. Sulphur and boron deficiency also observed in light textured and low organic matter soils. Farmers are not aware about the use of sulphur and boron which improves oil content and filling percentages in sunflower. Sulphur usage can be promoted by application of SSP in place of DAP to supply sulphur along with phosphorus.

Sulphur and zinc management in Bengalgram areas:

Bengal gram

The KVK soil test reports revealed that sulphur and zinc is found more deficient level bengalgram cultivating areas where continuously applying sulphur free fertilizers like DAP, urea etc. and poor application of organic manures and zinc sulphate. Sulphur and zinc deficiency also observed in alkaline, light textured and low organic matter soils. Farmers are not aware about the use of sulphur and zinc in productivity enhancement of bengalgram. Sulphur usage can be promoted by application of SSP in place of DAP to supply sulphur along with phosphorus. Gypsum and bentonite sulphur also use to supply sulphur and zinc sulphate for zinc.

Problematic soils**Reclamation of alkaline soils :**

Out of total area, alkaline soils represent 10.2%, which are poor to very poor in productivity. To improve the physical properties of these soils, it requires some of the amendments like gypsum application, sulphur and organic manures addition. It is also necessary to follow special package of production to extract better yields from these soils. Training and demos in this regard will help the farmers to overcome this problem.

B. TECHNICAL ACHIEVEMENTS:

3.A. Details of target and achievements of mandatory activities by KVK during 2014-15:

OFT (Technology Assessment and Refinement)				FLD (Oilseeds, Pulses, Cotton, Other Crops/Enterprises)			
1		2		3		4	
Number of OFTs		Number of Farmers		Number of FLDs		Number of Farmers	
Targets	Achievement	Targets	Achievement	Targets	Achievement	Targets	Achievement
16	16	80	80	29	29	340	340

Training (including sponsored, vocational and other trainings)					Extension Activities			
3			4		5		6	
Number of Courses			Number of Participants		Number of activities		Number of participants	
Clientele	Targets	Achievement	Targets	Achievement	T	A	T	A
Progressive farmers	61	61	1651	1651				
Rural Youth	8	8	250	250				
Extention functionari	13	13	1433	1433				

Seed Production (Qtl.)			Planting material (Nos.)		
5			6		
	Target	Achievement		Target	Achievement
NDLR-7-	150	155.70	Chilli -	300000	329700
BPT-5204-	500	590.10	Tomato -	20000	20000
Redgram	6.0	16.4	Brinjal -	15000	17500
Seteria	8.0	23.44	Others		15000
Blackgram		5.00			

3.B. Abstract of interventions undertaken:

S. No	Thrust area	Crop/ Enterprise	Identified Problem	Interventions					
				Title of OFT if any	Title of FLD if any	Title of Training if any	Title of training for extension personnel if any	Extension activities	Supply of seeds, planting materials etc.
1	Improving the productivity	Redgram	Low yields with local varieties	-	Varietal demo	Production technology	-	Field Days, Exposure Visits	Supply of improved variety LRG-41
2		Bengalgram	Low yields with local varieties	-	Varietal demo	Production technology		-do-	Supply of seed Nandyala sanaga-1
3	Improving productivity under rainfed situation	Seteria Bengalgram and Castor	Low productivity with monocropping	Castor Based intercropping system	Double cropping and Intercropping	Cropping systems	-	Field Days, Exposure Visits -	Supply of korra seed and Introduction of Intercrops
4	Improving productivity under Irrigated situation	Rice Btcotton	Increased cost of cultivation due to scarcity of manual labour		Semi dry rice cultivation, weed management in Rice and Bt cotton	iCM	-	Field Days, Exposure Visits	Arrangement of Critical inputs i.e Herbicides .
5	IDM	Chillis	Viral diseases		Management of viral disease complex			Seed treatment with TSOP	
6	IDM	Chillis	Root rot	Management of root rot disease		Use of biopesticides in agriculture			
7	IPM	Bt Cotton	Sucking pests		Management of sucking pests	Management of pests and diseases		Method demonstration on stem	

								8application	
8	IPM	Onion	Thrips and leaf blotch	Management of thrips and blotch in onion		Management of pests and diseases			
9	IDM	Rice	Blast and Sheath blight		IDM for management of Blast and Sheathblight				
10	IDM	Blackgram	YMV	Evaluation of different varieties of blackgram against YMV					
11	IPM	Blackgram	Maruca, PM and YMV		Contingent management of pests and diseases				
12	IPM	Rice	Stem borer	Management of stem borer in rice					
13	IPM	Maize	Stem borer and blight		Contingent management of pests and diseases				

3.1 Achievements on technologies assessed and refined:

A.1 Abstract of the number of technologies assessed* in respect of crops/enterprises (Kharif-2014, Rabi & Summer 2014-15)

Thematic areas	Cereals	Oilseeds	Pulses	Commercial Crops	Vegetables	Fruits	Flower	Plantation crops	Tuber Crops	TOTAL
Varietal Evaluation			2		1		1			4
Seed / Plant production										
Cropping systems	1	1								2
Integrated Crop Management										
Integrated Nutrient Management	1	1								2
Crop Geometry										
Mushroom cultivation										
Drudgery reduction										
Farm machineries										
Value addition										
Integrated Pest Management					2					2
Integrated Disease Management										
Resource conservation technology										
Small Scale income generating enterprises										
TOTAL	2	2	2		3		1			12

A.2. Abstract of the number of technologies refined* in respect of crops/enterprises (Kharif-2014, Rabi & Summer 2014-15):

Thematic areas	Cereals	Oilseeds	Pulses	Commercial Crops	Vegetables	Fruits	Flower	Plantation crops	Tuber Crops	TOTAL
Varietal Evaluation										
Seed / Plant production										
Weed Management										
Integrated Crop Management										
Integrated Nutrient Management										
Cropping System										
Mushroom cultivation										
Drudgery reduction	2									2
Farm machineries										
Post Harvest Technology										
Integrated Pest Management										

B. Details of each On Farm Trial to be furnished in the following format

A. Technology Assessment:

OFT-1

S.No	Item	Particulars
1	Title	: Assessment of castor based intercropping Systems in rainfed situation.
2	Problem diagnosed/refinement	: In Kurnool district generally castor is being cultivated in an area of 60533 ha and yields are limited by the amount and distribution of rainfall during monsoon period. Farmers are getting low net returns/ha due to changes in price of the marketable produce and incidence of pest and diseases also increasing year by year due to monocropping
3	Details of technologies selected for assessment/refinement	: T1: Castor + Greengram (1:2) T2: Castor + cluster bean (1:2) T3: castor (Sole)
4	Source of technology	: RARS, Palem
5	Production system	: Redsoils, Rainfed
6	Thematic Area	: Cropping System
7	Performance of the Technology with performance indicators	: ✓ LER ✓ Yield / ha ✓ Economics
8	Final recommendation for micro level situation	: The results shows that intercropping of castor with greengram 1 :2 / cluster bean 1:2 ratio resulted in highest castor equivalent yield and gross returns/ha than sole crops. Intercropping of greengram with castor in 1:2 row proportion resulted in the highest LER value of 1.24 coupled with highest yield of castor
9	Constraints identified and feedback for research	: -
10	Process of farmers participation and their reaction	: ➤ Farmers were participated in planning, execution, monitoring. ➤ Convinced with Castor based intercropping System than that of solecrops.

crop/ enterprise	Farming situation	Problem Diagnosed	Title of OFT	No. of trials*	Technology Assessed/ refined	Parameters of assessment	Data on the parameter	Results of assessment	Feedback from the farmer
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Castor	Rainfed	Low productivity in castor with sole crop	Assessment of castor based intercropping Systems in rainfed situation.	5	T1: Castor + Greengram (1:2) T2: Castor + cluster bean (1:2) T3: castor (Sole)	Yield LER Gross Returns(Rs/ha) Yield LER Gross Returns(Rs/ha) Yield LER Gross Returns(Rs/ha)	813+249 1.27 44640/- 649+1022 1.16 41111/- 990 - 34650/-	The results shows that intercropping of castor with greengram 1.2 7/ cluster bean 1.16 ratio resulted in highest castor equivalent yield and gross returns/ha than sole crops .	

Technology Assessed	Production per unit	Net Return (Profit) in Rs./unit	BC Ratio
11	12	13	14
Castor + Greengram	813+249	19003-00	1:1.7
Castor + Clusterbean	649+1022	15896-00	1:1.6
Castor sloe	990	13263-00	1:1.6

OFT 2

S.No	Item	Particulars
1	Title	: Performance of Redgram Hybrids under rainfed situation (Scraace rainfall zone)
2	Problem diagnosed/refinement	: In Kurnool district Redgram being cultivated in an area of 45000 ha under rainfed situation. The productivity levels are low with ruling varieties and Wilt incidence. So farmers are searching for a wilt tolerant and high yielding Varieties.
3	Details of technologies selected for assessment/refinement	: T1 –ICPL-85063 T2 – ICPH-2740 T3 – ICPH-2671
4	Source of technology	: ICRISAT
5	Production system	: Rainfed, Black soils
6	Thematic Area	: Hybridsl evaluation
7	Performance of the Technology with performance indicators	: The results indicated that the hybrid ICPH-2671 has recorded highest Yield (1265 Kg/ha) followed by ICPH-2740- (1198Kg/ha) as compared with local varietiey ICPI-85063. .
8	Final recommendation for micro level situation	: -
9	Constraints identified and feedback for research	: -
10	Process of farmers participation and their reaction	: Farmers were participated in planning execution, monitoring, evaluation of Hybrids and their reaction towards the performance and, adoptability etc. of the improved varieties were assessed.

crop/ enterprise	Farming situation	Problem Diagnosed	Title of OFT	No. of trials*	Technology Assessed/ refined	Parameters of assessment	Data on the parameter	Results of assessment	Feedback from the farmer
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Redgram	Rainfed	Low productivity of local varieties	Hybrids evaluation	5	1. ICPL-85063 2. ICPH-2740 3ICPH-2671	Yield Kg/ha Yield Kg/ha Yield Kg/ha	1023 1198 1265	The results indicated that the hybrid ICPH-2671 has recorded highest Yield (1265Kg/ha) followed by ICPH-2740- (1198Kg/ha) as compared with local variety ICPI-85063	

Technology Assessed	Production per unit	Net Return (Profit) in Rs. / unit	BC Ratio
11	12	13	14
1.ICPL-85063	1023	86975-00	1:3.42
2. ICPH-2740	1198	80945-00	1:4.01
3. ICPH-2671	1265	65165-00	1:4.23

- ❖ The two Pigeonpea hybrids i.e ICPH- 2740 and 2671 are performed well in both rainfed and irrigated situations.
- ❖ Farmers opined that the hybrids are suitable for medium black to black soils than light soils.
- ❖ Two hybrids i.e ICPH=2740 and 2671 are fairly tolerant to wilt.

OFT 3

S.No	Item	Particulars
1	Title	: Assessment of alternate crops for paddy under limited irrigated conditions in paddy-paddy cropping sequences
2	Problem diagnosed/refinement	: Rice is one of the popular food crops being grown in canal, tank fed and under bore wells of the kurnool district. In recent years farmers are growing winter crops. But still majority of farmers grow rice as summer crop if the water is available. It is established that rice requires more water along with more quality farm inputs and low net returns/ha due to high cost of cultivation..
3	Details of technologies selected for assessment/refinement	: T1: Paddy- Mustard T2: Paddy- seteria T3: Paddy- Blackgram
4	Source of technology	: RARS
5	Production system	: Irrigated, Black soils
6	Thematic Area	: Cropp[ng sequences
7	Performance of the Technology with performance indicators	: The results shows that among different rice based cropping sequences Paddy- Blackgram and Paddy- Mustard has recorded maximum net returns per unit area and time. But the CB ratio was highest with Paddy- Mustard sequence followed by paddy-setaria.
8	Final recommendation for micro level situation	: -
9	Constraints identified and feedback for research	: -
10	Process of farmers participation and their reaction	: Farmers were participated in planning execution, monitoring, evaluation of different rice based cropping sequences and their reaction towards the performance and, adoptability etc.

crop/ enterprise	Farming situation	Problem Diagnosed	Title of OFT	No. of trials*	Technology Assessed/ refined	Parameters of assessment	Data on the parameter	Results of assessment	Feedbac k from the farmer
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Rice	Irrigate d	Low net returns/ha due to high cost of cultivation in paddy- paddy cropping sequences.	Assessment of alternate crops for paddy under limited irrigated conditions in paddy- paddy cropping sequences.		T1:Paddy- Mustard T2:Paddy- Setaria T3: Paddy- Blackgram Paddy- paddy	Yield:805 kg/ha G. returns(Rs/ha):64416 N. returns(Rs/ha):43096 Yield:2407kg/ha G. returns(Rs/ha):43333 N. returns(Rs/ha):27153 Yield:960 kg/ha G.returns(Rs/ha):96000 N. returns(Rs/ha):47450 Yield:6366 kg/ha G. returns(Rs/ha):97590 N. returns(Rs/ha):37820		The results shows that among different rice based cropping sequences Paddy- Blackgram and Paddy- Mustard has recorded maximum net returns per unit area and time. But the CB ratio was highest with Paddy- Mustard sequence followed by paddy-setaria.	

Technology Assessed	Production per unit	Net Return (Profit) in Rs./unit	BC Ratio
11	12	13	14
T1: Paddy- Mustard	805	43096-00	1:3.01
T2: Paddy- Setaria	2407	24153-00	1:2.67
T3: Paddy- Blackgram	960	47450-00	1:1.84
T4:Paddy- paddy	6366	37820-00	1:1.63

OFT 4

S.No	Item	Particulars
1	Title	: Management of Thrips and Blotch in Onion
2	Problem diagnosed/defined	: Indiscriminate use of pesticides for management of Thrips and Purple blotch in Onion, leading to increased cost of plant protection.
3	Details of technologies selected for assessment/refinement	: Recommended module of pest management in Onion will be assessed against indiscriminate use of pesticides followed by farmers. T1 – Farmers practice – Indiscriminate use of pesticides. T2 – Recommended – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use of Sticky traps. • Spraying of Chlorofenapyr 20% EC @ 2 ml/l or Fipronil 5% @ 2 ml/lit + Chlorothalonil @ 2 g/l at 30, 45 DAS and 60 DAS (3 sprays). •
4	Source of technology	: APHU
5	Production system	: ID - Redsoils
6	Thematic Area	: Integrated Pest Management
7	Performance of the Technology with performance indicators	: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Incidence of Thrips and Purple leaf blotch. 2. Cost of treatment. 3. Yield (q/ha). 4. C: B Ratio
8	Final recommendation for micro level situation	: -
9	Constraints identified and feedback for research	: -
10	Process of farmers participation and their reaction	: Active participation of farmers in diagnosis of the pest and diseases and in spraying pesticides and fungicides.

crop/ enterprise	Farming situation	Problem Diagnosed	Title of OFT	No. of trials*	Technology Assessed/ refined	Parameters of assessment	Data on the parameter	Results of assessment	Feedback from the farmer
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Onion	ID Red soil	Indiscriminate use of pesticides for management of Thrips and Purple blotch	Management of Thrips and Blotch in Onion	5	T1 – Farmers practice – Spraying Carbosulfon @ 2 ml/lit and COC @ 3 g/lit T2 – Recommended Practice- • Use of Sticky traps. • Spraying of Chlorofenapyr 20% EC @ 2 ml/l or Fipronil @ 2 ml/lit + Chlorothalonil @ 2 g/l at 30, 45 DAS and 60 DAS (3 sprays).	* Thrips (No./plant) * Blotch (%) *Cost of PP * yield /ha. * Thrips (No./plant) * Blotch (%) *Cost of PP * yield /ha.	14.1 9.39% 19,219-00 17406 kg/ha 8.8 6.36% 15,281-00 18969 kg/ha	The result indicated that recommended practice gave 9 % higher yield compared to farmers practice (17406 kg/ha). The incidence of thrips and blotch reduced 37.64% and 32.22% respectively in the OFT.	

Technology Assessed 11	Production per unit 12	Net Return (Profit) in Rs. / unit 13	BC Ratio 14
T1: Farmers practice – Spraying Carbosulfon @ 2 ml/lit and COC @ 3 g/lit	17,406 kg/ha	2,80,469-00	1:2.81
T2: Recommended Practice- • Use of Sticky traps. • Spraying of Chlorofenapyr 20% EC @ 2 ml/l + Chlorothalonil @ 2 g/l at 30, 45 DAS and 60 DAS (3 sprays).	18,969 kg/ha	3,23,469-00	1:3.15

OFT 5

S. No.	Item	Particulars
1	Title	: Management of Root rot in Chillis.
2	Problem diagnosed/defined	: In Kurnool district, due to repeated cultivation of chillis year after year, root rot incidence is increasing and causing significant damage to chilli. As the conventional chemical interventions are not effective in its management, biological interventions which are reportedly better option for management of soil borne diseases, are chosen in this trial.
3	Details of technologies selected for assessment/refinement	: Assessment of efficacy of bio agents (<i>Pseudomonas fluorescens</i> and <i>Trichoderma viride</i>) in management of rootrot. T1 – Farmer practice – Soil drenching with COC @ 3g/ltr or Carbendazim @ 1g/ltr. T2 – Technology assessed – Bioagents (<i>P.flourescens</i> , <i>T.viride</i>) Application of <i>Pseudomonas flourescense</i> , <i>Trichoderma viride</i> @ 2kg/acre (2 Kg bio-agent + 100 kg FYM + 10 Kg Neem cake incubated for 10 days).
4	Source of technology	: NARS
5	Production system	: Irrigated Dry
6	Thematic Area	: Integrated Disease Management
7	Performance of the Technology with performance indicators	: Root rot incidence %. Cost of Plant protection. Yield (Q/ha). C:B Ratio
8	Final recommendation for micro level situation	: During first two years it is observed that with soil application of <i>Pseudomonas fluorescens</i> and <i>Trichoderma</i> incubated with FYM, the incidence of root rot was lower in treatment plot compared to farmers field.
9	Constraints identified and feedback for research	: The method of incubation is tedious to practice.
10	Process of farmers participation and their reaction	: Farmers actively involved in incubating bioagents with FYM and application to soil before transplantation.

Crop/ enterprise	Farming situation	Problem Diagnosed	Title of OFT	No. of trials*	Technology Assessed/ Refined	Parameters of assessment	Data on the parameter	Results of assessment	Feedback from the farmer
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Chillies	Irrigated Dry	Incidence of root rot causing upto 20 % loss in severe cases.	Evaluation of Bioagents viz., Tv & Pf for Management of root rot disease.	5	T1 – Farmer practice – COC @ 3g/ltr or Carbendazim @ 1 g/ltr T2 – Technology assessed – Application of <i>Pseudomonas flourescence</i> , <i>Trichoderma viride</i> @ 2kg/acre incubated in FYM	*Cost of Plant protection *Root rot%	48,800 /ha 5.66 %	With Bioagents application, the wilt disease could be better managed compared to fungicides. Resulted in 4.55 % increased yield.	The method involves tedious process of incubation with FYM, but gives better control of diseases as the methods are prophylactically taken up.

Production per unit (Kg/ha)	Net Return (Profit) in Rs. / ha	BC Ratio
13	14	15
5,060	4,05,925-00	1:3.02
5,290	4,28,650-00	1:3.08

OFT 6

1. Title	: Assessing the Performance of different varieties of Blackgram against YMV. (1st Yr)
2. Problem diagnosed / defined	: In Kurnool district, the major diseases of Blackgram occurring regularly are YMV, powdery mildew and leaf spots. YMV can cause damage more than 50% in severe cases.
3. Details of technologies selected for assessment/refinement	: Assessment of various available varieties of blackgram for their level of resistance/tolerance to YMV. T1- Farmers Practice – LBG 752 T2 – Technology assessed – <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Resistant Varieties – PU 31 and Mash 337• Management of whitefly with yellow sticky traps and need based pesticide sprays.
4. Source of technology	: NARS
5. Production System	: Fallow – Blackgram (Rainfed Black)
6. Thematic Area	: Integrated Disease Management
7. Performance of the Technology with performance indicators	: 1. Incidence of YMV (%) : Incidence of YMV is least both in PU31 and MASH 338 compared to LBG 752. 2. Yield (Q/ha) : Both PU31 and MASH 338 yielded better than check. 3. Cost benefit ratio: In both the tested varieties the B:C ratio is more than the check.
8. Final recommendation for micro level situation	: As of now, it is better to choose PU 31 or MASH 338 for YMV endemic areas.
9. Constraints identified and feedback for research	: A variety with shiny seed which is totally immune to YMV may be developed.
10. Process of farmers participation and their reaction	: Farmers actively participated in observations of YMV incidence in the field.

Crop/ enterprise	Farming situation	Problem Diagnosed	Title of OFT	No. of trials*	Technology Assessed/ Refined	Parameters of assessment	Data on the parameter	Results of assessment	Feedback from the farmer
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Blackgram	Rainfed	Incidence of YMV is an imp. Constraining in achieving potential yields.	Assessing the Performance of different varieties of Blackgram against YMV.	5	T1 – Farmers practice – LBG 752 T2 – Technology assessed- • Resistant variety – PU 31 and MASH 338 • Mgmt. of whiteflies with yellow sticky traps and need based spray of pesticides..	* Incidence of YMV (%) * Incidence of YMV (%)	LBG752-3.06 PU31 -0.46 Mash 338-0.44	Among the three varieties tested, PU 31 is found better both in YMV resistance and Yield followed by Mash 338	-

Treatments	Production per unit (Kg/ha)	Net Return (Profit) in Rs. / ha	BC Ratio
	13	14	15
T1 - LBG 752	1,585	1,10,190-00	1:3.84
T2 – PU 31	1,860	1,36,040-00	1:4.51
MASH - 338	1,715	1,22,410-00	1:4.15

OFT 7

S. No.	Item	Particulars
1	Title	: Performance of IPM module for management of Yellow Stem Borer in Rice. (3 rd year)
2	Problem diagnosed/defined	: In Kurnool district, the major pest of Rabi rice is yellow stem borer and it is causing considerable loss in yield.
3	Details of technologies selected for assessment/refinement	: Assessment of Integrated Pest Management module. T1 – Farmer practice – Indiscriminate use of insecticides. T2 – Technology assessed – IPM <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Application of Carbofuran 3G granules @160 gm/cent of nursery one week before pulling the seedlings • Clipping leaf tips before transplanting • Mass trapping of male moths with pheromone traps @ 20 /ha • Use of <i>Trichogramma japonicum</i> @ 20 Tricho cards/ha (4 cards/release, 5 releases starting from 35 DAT at 10 days interval) • Need based pesticide spray (Cartaphydrochloride @2g/lt)
4	Source of technology	: NARS
5	Production system	: Irrigated Black Soils
6	Thematic Area	: Integrated Pest Management
7	Performance of the Technology with performance indicators	: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • % dead hearths and white ears • Cost of Plant protection. • Yield (Q/ha). • C:B Ratio
8	Final recommendation for micro level situation	: During first two years it is observed that with IPM package, the incidence of stem borer could be managed to a greater extent.
9	Constraints identified and feedback for research	: Clipping of seedling tips before transplanting is tedious. Availability of tricho cards is a problem.
10	Process of farmers participation and their reaction	: Farmers actively involved in counting of dead hearts, white ears and imposing treatments.

Crop/ enterprise	Farming situation	Problem Diagnosed	Title of OFT	No. of trials*	Technology Assessed/ Refined	Parameters of assessment	Data on the parameter	Results of assessment	Feed back from the farm er
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Rice	Irrigated	Incidence of stem borer is regular in rabi season with considerable damage.	Performance of IPM module for management of stem borer in Rice.	5	T1 – Farmer practice – Indiscriminate use of insecticides. T2 – Technology assessed – IPM <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Application of Carbofuran 3G granules @160 gm/cent of nursery one week before pulling the seedlings • Clipping leaf tips before transplanting • Mass trapping of male moths with pheromone traps @ 20 /ha • Use of <i>Trichogramma japonicum</i> @ 20 Tricho cards/ha (4 cards/release, 5 releases starting from 35 DAT at 10 days interval) • Need based pesticide spray (Cartaphydrochloride @2g/lt) 	*Cost of Plant protection *% dead hearts & white ears *Yield *B:C Ratio *Cost of Plant protection *% dead hearts & white ears *Yield *B:C Ratio	- -	-	-

Technology Assessed	*Production per unit	Net Return (Profit) in Rs. / unit	BC Ratio
11	12	13	14
1. Indiscriminate use of pesticides (Farmers Practice)			
2. IPM Module for stem borer management			

OFT 8

S.No	Item	Particulars
1	Title	: Yield maximization through Boron application in Rice
2	Problem diagnosed/refinement	: Micronutrients are essential for the normal growth of plants. Deficiencies of micronutrient drastically affects the growth, metabolism and reproductive phase in plants, animal and human beings. Wide spread deficiencies of micronutrients has been found in Indian soils. About 3 billion people in the world are affected with micronutrient malnutrition. Boron helps in pollination and seed formation, so foliar sprays are helpful in better pollination, seed and yield.
3	Details of technologies selected for assessment/refinement	: T ₁ - Control (No Practice) T ₂ - Basal application-15 Kg/ha T ₃ - Foliar application of Borax @0.2% at tillering ,panicle initiation and panicle emergence phases
4	Source of technology	: ICRI SAT
5	Production system	: black soils - irrigated(Clay loams)
6	Thematic Area	: Micronutrient management
7	Performance of the Technology with performance indicators	: Yield (q/ha)
8	Final recommendation for micro level situation	: The result indicated that the yield in both T ₂ (7352kg/ha) and T ₃ (7291kg/ha) were on par and higher than farmer's practice -T ₁ (6618 Kg./ha)
9	Constraints identified and feedback for research	:
10	Process of farmers participation and their reaction	: Pre seasonal training on soil sampling and testing, fertilizer application and mid seasonal field visits finally field days were organized at initial stages, but application of boron is more effective in yield improvement.

Results of On Farm Trials:

Crop/enterprise	Farming situation	Problem Diagnosed	Title of OFT	No. of trials*	Technology Assessed/refined	Parameters of assessment	Data on the parameter	Results of assessment	Feedback from the farmer
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Rice	Irrigated black soil	Rice yields are declining boron deficient soils	Yield maximization through Boron application in Rice	5	T ₁ - Control (No Practice) T ₂ - Basal application-15 Kg/ha T ₃ - Foliar application of Borax @0.2% at tillering ,panicle initiation and panicle emergence phases	* Yield Kg/ha *Production cost(Rs./ha) * Yield Kg/ha *Production cost(Rs./ha) * Yield Kg/ha *Production cost(Rs./ha)	6618 70738 7352 71938 7291 71438	The result indicated that production cost is less in T2 over T1	STCR based nutrient application is more effective to get higher returns.

Technology Assessed	Production per unit	Net Return (Profit) in Rs. / unit	BC Ratio
11	12	13	14
T ₁ -Farmers' practice (No boron application)	6618Kg/ha	68240	1.97
T ₂ - Basal application-15 Kg/ha	7352kg/ha	82450	2.15
T ₃ - Foliar application of Borax @0.2% at tillering ,panicle initiation and panicle emergence phases	7291kg/ha	81673	2.14

OFT 9

S.No.	Item	Particulars
1	Title	: Nutrient management in groundnut based on STCR equation under I/D situation
2	Problem diagnosed/refinement	: Groundnut yields are declining due to conventional blanket and imbalanced usage of fertilizers. Soil test based nutrient application helps to realize higher response ratio and benefit: cost ratio as the nutrients are applied in proportion to the magnitude of the deficiency of a particular nutrient and the correction of the nutrient imbalances in soil helps to harness the synergistic effects of balanced fertilization. Fertilizer application based on quantitative approaches such as Soil test crop response (STCR) can assist in improving yields and nutrient use efficiency in groundnut.
3	Details of technologies selected for assessment/refinement	: T ₁ - N ₁ P ₁ K ₁ (Farmers Practice) NPK-128-146-52 Kg./ha T ₂ - N ₂ P ₂ K ₂ (STCR for 45q/ha) - NPK-40-20-25 Kg./ha
4	Source of technology	: All India Coordinated project on Soil Test Crop Response. STCR formula developed for groundnut in scarce rainfall zone.
5	Production system	: Bore well irrigated - sandy clay loams
6	Thematic Area	: Soil testing
8	Final recommendation for micro level situation	: The result indicated that the average yield of T ₁ (3778kg/ha)and T ₂ (3802 kg/ha) were on par. However, production cost is less in T ₂ (Rs.46860 /ha) than T ₁ (Rs.54960/ha) hence it may be continued for one more year.
9	Constraints identified and feedback for research	:
10	Process of farmers participation and their reaction	: Pre seasonal training on soil sampling and testing, fertilizer application and mid seasonal field visits finally field days were organized at initial stages, but balanced fertilizer usage is more effective with low cost.

Crop/ enterprise	Farming situation	Problem Diagnosed	Title of OFT	No. of trials*	Technology Assessed/ refined	Parameters of assessment	Data on the parameter	Results of assessment	Feedback from the farmer
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Groundnut	Irrigated black soil	Increased cost of production due to excess and imbalanced use of chemical fertilizers	Nutrient management in groundnut based on STCR equation under irrigated situation	5	T ₁ Farmers' practice NPK: 128-146-52 Kg/ ha T ₂ - NPK:40-20-25 kg/ha	* Yield Kg/ha *Production cost(Rs./ha) * yield Kg/ha *Production cost(Rs./ha)	3778 54960 3802 46860	The result indicated that product cost is less in T2 over T1	STCR based nutrient application is more effective to reduce production costs towards fertilizers.

Technology Assessed	Production per unit	Net Return (Profit) in Rs. / unit	BC Ratio
11	12	13	14
T ₁ -Farmers' practice	3778Kg/ha	77270	2.41
T ₂ -STCR	3802kg/ha	86196	2.84

OFT: 10

S.No	Item	Particulars
1	Title	: Introduction of Potato as alternate to traditional vegetables
2	Problem diagnosed/refinement	: Growing of traditional vegetables is always not profitable due to glut in the market. Tomato is the major vegetable crop grown in rabi season and farmer on an average gets a price of Rs.3 /kg, which is not economical.
3	Details of technologies selected for assessment/refinement	: T ₁ – Local vegetables T ₂ – Potato.
4	Source of technology	: APHU
5	Production system	: Irrigated Sandy loam
6	Thematic Area	: Introduction of high value crop
7	Performance of the Technology with performance indicators	: ✓ Duration of the crop ✓ Yield (kg/ha) ✓ Net returns (Rs./ha)
8	Final recommendation for micro level situation	: Results indicates that net returns are more in Potato and it was observed that the duration of the crop and harvesting charges is less in comparison with tomato.
9	Constraints identified and feedback for research	: High seed cost of Potato tubers
10	Process of farmers participation and their reaction	: Farmers opined that crop duration is hardly 80 to 90days and crop can be grown in staggered manner for better price realization, and storage of the produce can be done during the lean market period.

crop/ enterprise	Farming situation	Problem Diagnosed	Title of OFT	No. of trials*	Technology Assessed/ refined	Parameters of assessment	Data on the parameter	Results of assessment	Feedback from the farmer
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Potato cultivation	Irrigated	Less profits from the traditional vegetables in local market due to frequent glut	Introduction of Potato as alternate crop	5	T1 : Farmers practice (Tomato)	* Yield /ha. * Cost of cultivation (Rs./ha)	45.21 t/ha 1,07,982-00	Net returns are high with Potato and its duration is also less.	Harvesting of Potato is one time activity and lees labour intensive.
					T2. : Potato	* Yield t/ha. * Cost of cultivation (Rs./ha)	20.38 ton/ha 1,15,536-00		

Technology Assessed 11	Production per unit 12	Net Return (Profit) in Rs. / unit 13	BC Ratio 14
T1: Tomato	45.21 t/ha	70,145-00	1 : 1.64
T2:Potato	20.38 t/ha	1,73,903-00	1 : 2.5

OFT 11

S.No	Item	Particulars
1	Title	: Testing the performance of Chrysanthemum crop varieties.
2	Problem diagnosed/refinement	: Low yields due to growing of the local varieties and repeated use of suckers from same crop as planting material.
3	Details of technologies selected for assessment/refinement	: T1: Farmers practice (Local varieties) T2: Kundan – yellow T3 – Chandra Kiran (Violet)
4	Source of technology	: IIHR
5	Production system	: Irrigated Red soil
6	Thematic Area	: Introduction of high yielding improved varieties
7	Performance of the Technology with performance indicators	: ✓ Duration of the crop ✓ Yield (kg/ha) ✓ Net returns (Rs./ha) ✓ C:B Ratio
8	Final recommendation for micro level situation	: Results indicates that among varieties tested for their performance, Both the varieties Kundan, Chandra kiran recorded higher yield, showed high level of establishment, shelf life and consumer acceptance.
9	Constraints identified and feedback for research	: Low availability of planting material for large scale adaption and high cost of planting material. -
10	Process of farmers participation and their reaction	: Farmers have participated actively in observing the yields, establishment and shelf life.

crop/ enterprise	Farming situation	Problem Diagnosed	Title of OFT	No. of trials*	Technology Assessed/ refined	Parameters of assessment	Data on the parameter	Results of assessment	Feedback from the farmer
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Chrysanthemum	Irrigated Red soil	Less profits from the local varieties	Performance of high yielding varieties	5	T1 : Farmers practice (Local)	* Yield /ha. * Cost of cultivation (Rs./ha)	9.34t/ha 2,50,124-00	Net returns are high with Kundan and Chandra kiran	Shelf life is more for Both varieties.
					T2. : Kundan	* Yield /ha. * Cost of cultivation (Rs./ha)	21.14 t/ha. 2,64,325-00		
					T3 : Chandra kiran	*Yield /ha *Cost of cultivation (Rs./ha)	24.69 t/ha 2,76,151-00		

Technology Assessed	Production per unit	Net Return (Profit) in Rs. / unit	BC Ratio
11	12	13	14
T1: Local	9.34t/ha	2,66,114-00	1 :2.06
T2: Kundan	21.14 t/ha	13,34,704-00	1 : 6.04
T3: Chandra kiran	24.69 t/ha	15,06,467-00	1: 5.45

OFT-12:

S.No	Item	Particulars
1	Title	: Effect of creep feeding on growth rate in pre weaned lambs
2	Problem diagnosed/refinement	: The growth rate in lambs is low at farmers flocks due to imbalanced feeding
3	Details of technologies selected for assessment/refinement	: T ₁ - Farmers practice T ₂ – Creep feeding @ 50g / day
4	Source of technology	: S.V. Veterinary University
5	Production system	: Lambs
6	Thematic Area	: creep feeding
7	Performance of the Technology with performance indicators	: ✓ Body weight gain ✓ Growth rate
8	Final recommendation for micro level situation	: The results indicated that 26.4% increased body weight gain was recorded in lambs by creep feeding over farmers practice.
9	Constraints identified and feedback for research	: -
10	Process of farmers participation and their reaction	: Farmers well accepted the technology.

Villages: Pasupula and Charlakothuru of Banaganapalle (M)

crop/ enterprise	Farming situation	Problem Diagnosed	Title of FLD	No. of trials*	Technology demonstrated	Parameters	Data on the parameter	Results	Feedback from the farmer
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Sheep	Mixed farming	The growth rate in pre weaned lambs (bellow 3 months) is less due to Imbalanced feeding and low proteins in the ration	Feeding of creep feeding	5 100 lambs	T1- Farmers practice T2-Feeding Creep feeding @50gram/day	Initial body weight Final body weight Body weight gain (90 days)	4.84Kg (T1) 4.61 Kg(T2) 10.71Kg (T1) 12.03 Kg(T2) 5.87 Kg (T1) 7.42 Kg(T2)	The results indicated that 26.4% increased body weight gain by feeding creep feed over farmers practice.	

Technology Assessed 11	Production per unit 12	Net Return (Profit) in Rs. / unit 13	BC Ratio 14
T1	4.02	825.00	5.58
T2	5.63	1191.50	6.52

OFT-13

S.No	Item	Particulars
1	Title	: Feeding of groundnut haulms supplemented feed on growth rate in ram lambs.
2	Problem diagnosed/refinement	: The growth rate in post weaned ram lambs is low due to low protein value in the ration.
3	Details of technologies selected for assessment/refinement	: T ₁ - Farmers practice (grain feeding) T ₂ – Feeding of GN based concentrate feed (CP-17%)
4	Source of technology	: S.V. Veterinary University
5	Production system	: Ram lambs
6	Thematic Area	: Feeding of concentrates
7	Performance of the Technology with performance indicators	: ✓ Body weight gain ✓ Growth rate
8	Final recommendation for micro level situation	: The results indicated that 42.49% increased body weight gain by feeding gn based concentrate feed over farmers practice.
9	Constraints identified and feedback for research	: -
10	Process of farmers participation and their reaction	: Farmers well accepted the technology

Villages: Yagantipalle of Banaganapalle (M)

crop/ enterprise	Farming situation	Problem Diagnosed	Title of FLD	No. of trials*	Technology demonstrated	Parameters	Data on the parameter	Results	Feedback from the farmer
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Sheep farming	Ram lamb rearing	The growth rate in post weaned ram lambs is low due to low protein value in the ration.	Effect of groundnut based concentrate feed on growth rate in ram lambs.	25 ram lambs (5 farmers)	T1- Farmers practice (grain feeding) T2 – Feeding of G.N.based concentrate feed.	Initial body weight Final body weight Body weight gain (90 days)		14.53Kg (C) 14.21 Kg (D) 20.88 Kg (C) 22.96 Kg (D) 6.35 Kg (C) 8.74 Kg (D)	The results indicated that 37.65% increased body weight gain by feeding groundnut based concentrate feed over farmers practice.

Technology Assessed	Production per unit	Net Return (Profit) in Rs. / unit	BC Ratio
11	12	13	14
T1	6.35	932.90	1 :3.76
T2	8.74	1490.00	1 : 6.75

OFT-14

S.No	Item	Particulars
1	Title	: Assessment of performance of Phule Jayavanth and CO-4 fodder varies
2	Problem diagnosed/refinement	: Farmers cultivating APBN-1 hybrid Napier variety which is spiny and moderate fodder yield.
3	Details of technologies selected for assessment/refinement	: T ₁ –APBN-1 T ₂ – CO-4 T ₃ – Phule Jayavanth
4	Source of technology	: MPKV Rahuri
5	Production system	: Mixed farming
6	Thematic Area	: Cultivation of perennial fodder
7	Performance of the Technology with performance indicators	: Fodder Yield
8	Final recommendation for micro level situation	: The results indicated that 14.68% increased fodder yield in T2 and 9.88% increased fodder yield in T3 over T1
9	Constraints identified and feedback for research	:
10	Process of farmers participation and their reaction	: Farmers shown interest towards cultivation of improved fodder varieties.

Villages: Mandaluru of Rudravaram (M), Yagantipalle and Meerapuram of Banaganapalle (M)

crop/ enterprise	Farming situation	Problem Diagnosed	Title of OFT	No. of trials*	Technology Assessed/ refined	Parameters of assessment	Data on the parameter	Results of assessment	Feedback from the farmer
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Hybrid Napier	Mixed farming	Farmers cultivating APBN-1 hybrid Napier variety which is spiny and moderate fodder yield	Assessment of performance of hybrid Napier varieties	5	T ₁ –APBN-1 T ₂ – CO-4 T ₃ –Phule Jayavanth	Fodder yield (t/ha)	166.72 (T1) 191.2 (T2) 183.2 (T3)	The results indicated that 14.68% increased fodder yield in T2 and 9.88% increased fodder yield in T3 over T1 .	.

OFT-15(1st Year)

S.No	Item	Particulars
1	Title	: Effect of Lucerne meal on milk yield in milch buffaloes
2	Problem diagnosed/refinement	: Farmers feeding non legume crops especially hybrid napier and concentrates as per milk production. Lucerne can be cultivated during Rabi season and can be used throughout the year in the form of Lucerne meal.
3	Details of technologies selected for assessment/refinement	: T ₁ –Farmers practice T ₂ –FP + Lucerne meal @1kg/day/animal
4	Source of technology	: S.V. Veterinary University
5	Production system	: Milch Buffaloes
6	Thematic Area	: Animal Feeding
7	Performance of the Technology with performance indicators	: ✓ Milk yield ✓ B:C ratio
8	Final recommendation for micro level situation	: The results indicated that 8.28% increased milk yield with improvement of fat and additional income of Rs.2012.40 was observed on supplementation of Lucerne meal compare to farmers practice.
9	Constraints identified and feedback for research	Availability of lucerne meal in local markets
10	Process of farmers participation and their reaction	Well accepted the technology by the farmers.

Villages: Koilakuntla and Nallagtla

crop/ enterprise	Farming situation	Problem Diagnosed	Title of FLD	No. of trials*	Technology demonstrated	Parameters	Data on the parameter	Results	Feedback from the farmer
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Dairy farming	Dairy farming	Low protein supplementation to milch animals and also non availability of lucerne throughout the year	Effect of Lucerne meal supplementation on milk yield in milch buffaloes	5	T1- Farmers practice (concentrates) T2- Concentrates + Lucerne meal 1kg/day	Milk yield (l) % fat in milk	228.3 (T1) 247.2 (T2) 5.03 (T1) 6.57 (T2)	The results indicated that 8.28% increased milk yield by supplementation of Lucerne meal over farmers practice.	.

Technology Assessed	Production per unit	Net Return (Profit) in Rs. / unit	BC Ratio
11	12	13	14
T1	228.3	4682.40	1 : 3.73
T2	247.2	6252.80	1 : 3.90

OFT-16

S.No	Item	Particulars
1	Title	: Assessment of performance of Improved sickles with Local sickles
2	Problem diagnosed/refinement	: Farm women face drudgery in harvesting operations by using local sickles with heavy weight.
3	Details of technologies selected for assessment/refinement	: ✓ T1-Local Sickles (350-380 gms) ✓ T2-Improved Sickles (175 gms)
4	Source of technology	: -
5	Production system	: -
6	Thematic Area	: Drudgery of farm women
7	Performance of the Technology with performance indicators	: ✓ Area Covered/day ✓ Time Taken for harvest(hrs)/ac/day ✓ Labour required/ac ✓ Feed back on work related stress factors
8	Final recommendation for micro level situation	: The results indicated that, with the use of improved sickles, the labour saved by 25% than their regular practice. Women also felt that with the use of improved sickles body strain, drudgery at harvest and stress was ranged from less to normal than their regular practice which was recorded from moderate to severe. Regarding user acceptance on improved implement was ranged from satisfied to highly satisfied.
9	Constraints identified and feedback for research	: -
10	Process of farmers participation and their reaction	: -

crop/ enterprise	Farming situation	Problem Diagnosed	Title of OFT	No. of trials*	Technology Assessed/ refined	Parameters of assessment	Data on the parameter	Results of assessment	Feedback from the farmer
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Farm Implements to reduce drudgery	-	Farm women face drudgery in harvesting operations by using local sickles with heavy weight.	Assessment of performance of Improved sickles with Local sickles	20	T1 – Local sickles (350-380) T2 –Improved Sickles(175 gms) T1- Local Sickles (350-380) T2 –Improved Sickles(175 gms) T1-Local Sickles (350-380) T2 –Improved Sickles(175 gms)	Area covered/day Time taken for harvest (hrs)/ac/day Labour required/ac/day Feed back on work related stress factors	1.0ac 3.20hrs 8	1.0ac 3.00hrs 6	Farm felt that with the use of improved sickles body strain,drudgery at harvest ranged from less to normal

Technology Assessed	Production /unit	Net return (profit) in Rs./unit	BC Ratio
11	12	13	14
T1 – Local Sickles	-	-	-
T2 –Improved Sickles	-	-	-

Feed back on work related stress factors was recorded with the score card developed by AICRP, H.Sc, FRM and presented in the following table.

Matrix ranking of Drudgery for Farm women in Agriculture Operations:

Indices for drudgery: Severe-5, Moderate-4, Normal-3, Less-2, No drudgery-1

Type of drudgery	Indices	
	Local sickles	Improved Sickles
Drudgery estimation at harvest	4	2
Stress Estimation	5	3
Body Strain while in operation	4	2
Estimation of feel while carrying weights	5	2
Estimation of operational difficulty	4	2
Psychological Stress due to work	5	2

Inferences: It was clearly indicated that, with the use of improved sickles the body strain while in operation, estimation of operational difficulty, drudgery estimation at harvest, psychological stress due to work, estimation of feel while carrying weights and stress estimation was ranged from less to normal than their regular practice which was recorded from moderate to severe.

User Acceptance of Matrix Index on Improved Implement:

Indices For Acceptance: Highly satisfied-5, Moderately Satisfied-4, Satisfied-3, Unsatisfied-2, Not Accettable-1

Name of the Implement	User	Feel of Activity		
		Time Taken for the Activity	Area Covered	Energy Spent for work
Modified Sickles	Farmwomen	4	3	4

Inferences: It was opinioned that, with the use of improved sickles time taken for the activity, area covered and energy spent for the work ranged from satisfied to highly satisfied. They also expressed that with the use of improved sickles the strain while work and fatigue was reduced and felt easy in harvest operation.

OFT-16: Assessment of fertilizer dispenser for applying fertilizer in chillies to reduce drudgery of farm women

S.No	Item	Particulars
1	Title	: Assessment of fertilizer dispenser for applying fertilizer in chillies to reduce drudgery of farm women
2	Problem diagnosed/refinement	: 1.Farm women face lot of strain and body pains in applying fertilizers in agriculture operations by wrong postures 2. Farm women are not aware of improved implements for agriculture operations.
3	Details of technologies selected for assessment/refinement	: T1 – Manual Application T2 – Application with fertilizer dispenser
4	Source of technology	: MANAGE-Agripreneurs.
5	Production system	: -
6	Thematic Area	: Drudgery of farm women
7	Performance of the Technology with performance indicators	: ✓ Labour required/ac/crop period ✓ Cost saving on labour for application of fertilizer/ac ✓ Saving Of fertilizer/Ac ✓ Feed Back on work related stress factors
8	Final recommendation for micro level situation	: The results indicated that, with the use of fertilizer dispenser 10 labour per acre per crop period is required than their regular practice i.e, 15 labour per day per acre and cost on labour was saved by 33.3% per acre and saving of fertilizer was Rs.2430/- /ac and the use of fertilizer dispenser body strain, drudgery at fertilizer application , Estimation of feel and stress was reduced from less to moderate than their regular practice which was recorded from moderate to severe. Regarding user acceptance on the implement it was ranged from satisfied to moderately satisfied.
9	Constraints identified and feedback for research	: -
10	Process of farmers participation and their reaction	: -

crop/ enterprise	Farming situation	Problem Diagnosed	Title of OFT	No. of trials*	Technology Assessed/ refined	Parameters of assessment	Data on the parameter	Results of assessment	Feedback from the farmer
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Farm Implemen ts to reduce drudgery	-	Farm women face lot of strain and body pains in applying fertilizer and are not aware of improved implements for agriculturwe operations knowledge on improved weeding implements	Assessme nt of performa nce of fertilizer dispensor for applying fertilizer in chillies to reduce drudgery of farm women	5	T1 – Manual application T2 –Application with fertilizer dispensor T1- Manual application T2 –Application with fertilizer dispensor T1- Manual application T2-fertilizer dispensor	Labour required/ac/cr op period Cost saving on labour for application of fertilizer/ac Saving of fertilizer/ac Feed back on work related stress factors	15 Rs. 2250/- Rs. 1500/- - Rs. 2430/-	10	Farm wome n felt thatbo dy strain, drudge ry,stre ss was reduce d from less to moder ate.

Technology Assessed	Production /unit	Net return (profit) in Rs./unit	BC Ratio
11	12	13	14
T1 – Manual application	-	-	-
T2 –Application with fertilizer dispenser	-	-	-

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	Local sickles	Improved Sickles
Drudgery estimation at harvest	5	4
Stress Estimation	5	4
Body Strain while in operation	5	3
Estimation of feel while carrying weights	4	3
Estimation of operational difficulty	4	2
Psychological Stress due to work	4	2

Inferences: It was clearly indicated that with the use of fertilizer dispenser, the body strain while in operation, estimation of operational difficulty, drudgery estimation at harvest, psychological stress due to work, estimation of feel while carrying weights and stress estimation was ranged from less to moderate than their regular practice which was recorded from moderate to severe.

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Name of the Implement	User	Feel of Activity		
		Time Taken for the Activity	Area Covered	Energy Spent for work
Improved weeders	Farmwomen	4	3	4

Inferences: It was opioned that, with the use of fertilizer dispenser, time taken for the activity, area covered and energy spent for the work ranges from satisfied to moderately satisfied. They also expressed that with the use of fertilizer dispenser, the strain while fertilizer application and fatigue was reduced.

3.2. Achievements of Frontline Demonstrations:

a. Follow-up for results of FLDs implemented during previous years

List of technologies demonstrated during previous year and popularized during 2014-15 and recommended for large scale adoption in the district

S. No	Crop/ Enterprise	Thematic Area*	Technology demonstrated	Details of popularization methods suggested to the Extension system	Horizontal spread of technology		
					No. of villages	No. of farmers	Area in ha
1	Bengalgram	Varietal Evaluation	Varietal Demonstration in Bengalgram with Jaki-9218, digvijay and Nandyala sanaga-1	Demonstrations, Exposure visits, Field Days Seed village Concept	20	15000	35000
2	Cotton and Paddy	Weedmanagement	Post-emrgence herbicides	Demonstrations, Exposure visits, Field Days, Seed village Concept	10	12000	50000
3	Paddy	Resource conservation	Direct Seeding	Demonstrations, Exposure visits, and Field Days	12	100	250
4	Paddy	Resource conservation	Zero tillage	Demonstrations, Exposure visits, and Field Days	8	200	250
5	Seteria	Varietal Evaluation	Varietal Demonstration with Suryanandi	Demonstrations, Exposure visits, and Field Days	50	5000	25000
6	Redgram Seteria	Cropping system	Redgram+ seteria Inter cropping System	Demonstrations, Exposure visits, and Field Days	35	4000	8000
7	Redgram	Varietal Evaluation	Varietal Demonstration in Redgram-PRG-158 & LRG-41	Demonstrations, Exposure visits, Field Days Seed village Concept	50	5000	18000
8	Rice	Soil testing	Soil testing crop response based nutrient application in rice	Demonstration, exposure visits, Field Days .	20	696	1250
9	Bt Cotton	IPM	IPM	Demonstrations, Exposure visits, and Field Days	8	200	600
10	Redgram	IPM	Realtime contingent mgmt. of pests & diseases	Spray of Chloro + Dichlorvos at flowring,	8	160	120
11	Bengalgram	IDM	Biopriming for soil borne disease management	Biopriming with T.viride @ 10g/kg + 30 g Powdered FYM	18	240	260

				as paste.			
12	Castor	IPM	Realtime contingent mgmt. of pests & diseases	Chloro for Capsule borer & Spray of Carbendazim pre & post rain for Botrytis	4	40	50
13	Brinjal	IPM	Mgmt of fruit & shoot borer	Ph.traps, Neem oil, Neem cake.	6	40	25
14	Onion	IPM	Thrips & Leaf blight	Fipronil, Thiophanate methyl	6	80	60
15	Blackgram	IPM	Realtime contingent mgmt. of pest s & diseases	Chloro + Dichlorovos, Yellow sticky traps	6	60	60

Details of FLDs implemented during 2015-16 (Information is to be furnished in the following **three tables** for each category i.e. **cereals, horticultural crops, oilseeds, pulses, cotton and commercial crops.**)

Sl. No.	Crop	Thematic area	Technology Demonstrated	Season year	Area (ha)		No. of farmers/ demonstration			Reasons for shortfall
					Pro	Actu	SC/S	Other	Total	
1	sunflower	ICM	Spacing and micro nutrient	R-15	24	24	6	24	30	
2	Bengalgram	ICM	Varietal	R-15	22	22	16	39	55	
Other Demonstrations										
1	Setaria	varietal	varietal	K-15	4	4	4	6	10	
2	jowar	Weed management	Herbicides+ Manual weeding	M-15	4	4	4	6	10	
3	Maize	Weed management	Herbicides+ Manual weeding	K-15	4	4	4	6	10	
4	Paddy	Crop Establishment	Semi dry Rice cultivation	K-15	2.	2	2	3	5	
5	Seteria-Bengalgram	Cropping sequence	ICM	K-15	4	4	2	3	5	
6	Bt cotton	Crop geometry	spacing	K-15	4	4	2	2	5	
9	Paddy	Micronutrient	Zinc management	K-15	4	4	3	7	10	
10	Bt.cotton	Macro and micro nutrient	Integrated Nutrient Management	K-15	4	4	2	8	10	

11	Chilli	Soil testing	STCR	K-15	4	4	4	6	10	
12	Bengalgram	Secondary and micronutrient	Sulphur and zinc management	Rabi-15	4	4	3	7	10	
13	Rice	Reclamation	Gypsum application	Rabi-15	4	4	3	7	10	
14	Maize	Micronutrient	Zinc management	Rabi-15	4	4	3	7	10	
15	Bt Cotton	IPM	Sucking pest management	K 2016	4.0	4.0	2	8	10	
16	Chillis	IDM	Viral disease management	K 2016	4.0	4.0	1	9	10	
17	Rice	IDM	Mgmt.of blast and sheath blight	K 2016	4.0	4.0	2	8	10	
18	Blackgram	IPM	Contingent mgmt of pests and diseases	R 2016	4.0	4.0	2	8	10	
19	Maize	IPM	Contingent mgmt of pests and diseases	R 2016	4.0	4.0	2	8	10	
20	Mango	INM	Micronutrient management	-	4	4	3	7	10	
21	Turmeric	IDM	Management of rhizome rot	K 15	4	4	2	8	10	
22	Chilli	ICM	Integrated Crop Management	K 15	4	4	2	8	10	
23	Banana	INM	Micronutrient management	R 15	4	4	2	8	10	
24	Carrot	ICM	Demonstration of alternate vegetable	R 15	4	4	2	8	10	

Details of farming situation:

S. No	Crop	Season	Farming situation (RF/Irrigated)	Soil type	Status of soil			Previous crop	Sowing date	Harvest date	Seasonal rainfall (mm)	No. of rainy days
					N	P	K					
1	sunflower	R-2015	Rainfed	Medium Black	L	M	H	Jowar	3 rd week of oct	1 st Week of January		
2	Bengalgram	R-2015	Rainfed	Black soil	L	H	H	Jowar	2 nd week of october	3 ^d week of January		
Other Demonstrations:												
3	Setaria	K-2015	Rainfed	Black	L	M	H	Redgram	2 nd FN of July	1 st FN of Oct		
4	jowar	M-2015	irrigated	Black soil	L	M	H	Jowar	2 nd week of july	2 nd Week of Dec		
5	Maize	K-2014	irrigated	M.Black soils	L	M	M	Chillies	1 st week of August	Last Week of January		
6	Paddy	K-2015	irrigated	Clay loam	L	M	M	Blackgram	2 nd week of july	2 nd Week of Dec		
7	Seteria-Bengalgram	K-2015	Rainfed	Black soil	L	H	H	Jowar	3 rd week of July	3 rd week of January		
8	Bt cotton	K-2015	Rainfed	Black Soil	L	M	H	Jowar	2 nd week of july	2 nd Week of Dec		
9	Paddy	15	Irrigated	Black soil	L	H	M-H	Paddy	2 nd to 3 rd week of August.	Last week of December.		
10	Bt.cotton	Kharif-15	I/D	Black soil	L	M	M to H	Jowar	Last week of July	Last picking 3 rd week of February		
11	Chilli	Kharif-15	I/D	Black soil	L	H	M to H	Maize	2 nd to 3 rd week of August.	Last week of February		

12	Bengalgram	Rabi-15	Rainfed	Black	L	M to H	M to H	Bengalgram	3 rd week of Oct.	3 rd week of Jan.		
13	Rice	Rabi-15	Irrigated	Black	L	H	M to H		2 nd week of December	3 rd week of March		
14	Maize	Rabi-15	I/D	Black	L	H	M-H	Paddy	2 nd to 3 rd week of January.	Last week of April		
15	Bt Cotton	K 2016	RF	BC soil	L	M	H	Jowar	4 th week of July	4 th wk of Jan		
16	Chillis	K 2016	Irrigated	BC soil	L	M	H	Cotton	1 st wk of Sep	1 st wk of Mar		
17	Rice	K 2016	Irrigated	BC soil	L	M	H	Rice	2 nd wk of Aug	4 th wk of Dec		
18	Blackgram	R 2016	RF	BC soil	L	M	H	Chillis	2 nd wk of Oct	4 th wk of Jan		
19	Maize	R 2016	Irrigated	BC soil	L	M	H	Rice	1 st wk of Jan			
20	Mango	R 2015	ID	Red soil	L	M	High	-	3 rd week of July.	1 st week of January.		
21	Turmeric	K 15	ID	Red soil	L	L	Med	Chilli	1 st Wk of July	Last week of March.		
22	Chilli	K-15	ID	Black Soil	L	M	H	Chilli	1 st week of September	Last week of February		
23	Banana	R 15	ID	Black soil	L	H	M to H	Cotton	1 st week of october	Last week of February		
24	Carrot	R 15	ID	Red Soila	L	M	H	Veg	2 nd week of October	Last wek of January		

Performance of FLD:

Sl. No.	Crop	Technology Demonstrated	Variety	No. of Farmers	Area (ha.)	Demo. Yield Qtl/ha			Yield of local Check Qtl./ha	Increase in yield (%)	Data on parameter in relation to technology demonstrated	
						H	L	A			Demo	Local
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
1	sunflower	Component technologies	Sunbred-275	15	6.0	11.87	9.75	10.38	8.46	22.60		
2		Component technologies	Sunbred-275	15	6.0	20.50	18.50	19.42	16.83	15.38		
3	Bengalgram	Component	Nandyala sanaga-1/JG-11	50	20	15.0	12.5	13.77	11.65	18.19	26.6 pods/plant	22.0 pods/plant
Other demonstrations												
3	Setaria	varietal	Suryanadi	10	4	26.25	19.75	24.33	21.93	10.9		
4	jowar	Herbicides+ Manual weeding	Mahendra male	10	4	40.0	31.25	34.85	33.72	3.33	Weed density/m ² 7.22	Weed density/m ² 27.80
5	Maize	Herbicides+ Manual weeding	Kaveri-51	10	4	66.25	54.75	59.95	57.45	4.35	Weed density/m ² 8.56	Weed density/m ² 36.66
6	Paddy	Semi dry Rice cultivation	BPT-5204	5	2	74.87	69.76	72.73	70.50	3.16	Cost on production-47280/-	Cost on production-56540/-
7	Setaria-Bengalgram	Cropping sequence	Suryanadi/JG-11	5	4	26.25+7.50	19.75+7.50	24.33+9.10	12.39			
8	Bt cotton	Crop geometry	Swapna	5	4	21.87	18.90	20.72	19.32	7.24		
9	Paddy	Zinc management	BPT-5204	10	4	69.75	66.50	68.16	59.28	14.97	C.P and yield	C.P and yield
10	Bt.cotton	Integrated Nutrient Management	Jadhu Bt.	10	4	28.70	23.62	26.46	23.45	12.83	C.P and yield	C.P and yield

11	Chilli	STCR	Improved variety	10	4	55.25	48.75	51.21	51.38	-	C.P and yield	C.P and yield
12	Bengalgram	Sulphur and zinc management	JG-11	10	4	15.2	12.5	13.62	11.97	13.78	C.P and yield	C.P and yield
	Paddy	Reclamation of sodic soils	BPT-5204	10	4	62.30	51.40	58.75	48.60	20.88	C.P and yield	C.P and yield
14	Maize	Zinc management	Private hybrids	10	4	Under progress					C.P and yield	C.P and yield
15	Bt Cotton	Sucking pest management	Jadoo	10	4.0	21	17	18.75	16.90	10.95	Aphids – 11.06% Whiteflies – 12.5% Jassids – 9.98%	Aphids – 6.11% Whiteflies – 7.03% Jassids – 4.06%
16	Chillis	Viral disease management	Super 10	10	4.0	61.25	50.75	55.68	49.38	12.76	Viral disease – 9.96 %	Viral disease – 15.03 %
17	Rice	Mgmt.of blast and sheath blight	BPT 5204	10	4.0	76.87	65.63	69.75	64.50	8.10	Blast - 2.73 % Sheath Blight – 3.75 %	Blast - 5.63 % Sheath Blight – 7.39 %
18	Blackgram	Contingent mgmt of pests and diseases	LBG 752	10	4.0	17.50	12.50	14.50	13.15	10.27	Maruca damage – 3.69% PM – 2.87% YMV – 2.84%	Maruca damage – 6.92% PM – 5.79% YMV – 4.57%
19	Maize	Contingent mgmt of pests and diseases	Hybrid	10	4.0						Stem borer – 7.09% Blight – 0.97%	Stem borer – 13.48% Blight –

												2.16%
20	Mango	Micronutrient management	Banaganapalli	10	10	156.4	124.6	144.04	113.5	26.91		
21	Turmeric	Management of rhizome rot	Mydukuru	10	4	88.76	71.44	74.97	61.76	21.39	CP and yield	CP and yield
22	Chilli	ICM	Hybrids	10	4	68.32	54.71	56.57	50.89	11.16	CP and yield	CP and yield
23	Banana	Micronutrient management	Grand nine	10	4	742.6	655.7	684.7	609.1	12.41	CP and yield	CP and yield
24	Carrot	Introduction of alternate vegetable	Hybrid	10	10	212.6	183.91	205.42	463.2 (tomato)	-	-	-
25	Dairy animals	Feeding of SF heads supplemented feed	Graded murrah	10	10	811.04	675.2	752.2	708.1	6.22	% fat Demo.- 6.78	5.75
26	Dairy animals	Supplementation of Regional Specific Mineral Mixture	Graded murrah	20	20	469.6	433.8	412.6	376.5	9.58	Animals exhibited heat Demo: 8 (40%) FP:2 10%)	
27	Poultry	Azolla supplementation to Backyard poultry	Rajasri	10	100	1456.4	1009.0	1327.1	1164.4	13.97	-	-
28	Dairy animals	Supplementation of Urea Molasses Mineral Blocks	Graded murrah	10	10	324.7	292.3	222.4	186.7	19.28	% fat Demo.- 7.65 Control – 7.1	
29	Dairy animals	Feeding of hydroponic maize fodder	Graded murrah	5	10	146.2	121.6	130.5	122.1	6.96	-	

Economic Impact (continuation of previous table):

S. No	Average Cost of cultivation (Rs./ha)		Average Gross Return (Rs./ha)		Average Net Return (Profit) (Rs./ha)		Benefit-Cost Ratio (Gross Return / Gross Cost)
	Demonstration	Local Check	Demonstration	Local Check	Demonstration	Local Check	
	14	15	16	17	18	19	
1	22690-00	22390-00	37580-00	30860-00	14890-00	8470-00	1:1.65/1.37
2	25096-00	24706-00	69220-00	60155-00	44124-00	35449-00	1:2.75/1.2.4
	25450-00	23587-00	64742-00	54778-00	39292-00	23587-00	1:2.54/1.2.47
	26300-00	23680-00	85399-00	74495-00	59099-00	50815-00	1:3.24/1.3.14
Other Demonstrations							
3	16100-00	16020-00	50677-00	45476-00	34577-00	24664-00	1:3.14/2.83
4	28150-00	29375-00	55760-00	53952-00	27610-00	24577-00	1:1.98/1.3.8
5	35750-00	36550-00	80932-00	77557-00	45182-00	41007-00	1:2.26/1.2.12
6	47280-00	56540-00	160006-00	155100-00	112726-00	98560-00	1:3.38/1.2.7
7	42550-00	28450-00	93442-00	58233-00	50892-00	31783-00	1:2.1/1.2.0
8	51225-00	50275-00	79772-00	74382-00	28547-00	24107-00	1:1.55/1.46
9	69214	68304	143132	124494	73918	56190	2.07(D)/1.82(C)
10	52710	58289	103190	91455	50481	33166	1.97(D)/1.57(C)
11	127880	148496	614460	616512	509741	468017	4.80(D)/4.15(C)
12	33936	32186	64014	56259	30078	24073	1.88(D)/1.75(C)
13	52145	49895	123375	102060	71230	52165	2.37(D)/2.05(C)

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20	85324.00	83629.00	288351.00	227342.00	203027.00	143713.00	3.37/2.7
21	275895.00	237905.00	618502.00	509520.00	342607.00	235615.00	2.24/1.86
22	193540.00	210851.00	684495.00	615769.00	490955.00	404919.00	3.53/2.92
23	215639.00	217497.00	445055.00	365460.00	229416.00	178418.00	2.06/1.60
24	86315.00	88130.00	246530.00	138925.00	160215.00	50795.00	2.8/1.57
25	4643.75	5100.00	26327.00	21243.00	21683.25	16143.00	5.66/4.16
26	4933.00	4443.00	13551.00	11401.00	8618.00	6957.00	1:2.75/1:2.56
27	720.00	650.00	1845.00	1545.00	1125.00	895.00	1:2.56/1:2.37
28	1965.00	1395.00	9990.00	6770.40	8025.00	5375.40	5.08/4.85
29	930.00	1240.00	8358.40	7081.80	7428.40	5841.80	8.98/5.71

Analytical Review of component demonstrations (details of each component for rain fed / irrigated situations to be given separately for each season)

S.No	Crop	Season	Component	Farming situation	Average yield (q/ha)	Local check (q/ha)	Percentage increase in productivity over local check
1	sunflower	Rabi 2015	ICM	Rainfed	10.38	8.46	22.60
2				Irrigated	19.42	16.83	15.38
	Bengalgram	Rabi -15	ICM on Nandyala sanaga-1	Rianfed	13.77	11.65	18.19
	Bengalgram			Irrigated	18.17	15.85	14.63
Other demonstrations							
3	Setaria	K-15	varietal	Rainfed	24.33	21.93	10.9
4	jowar	M-15	Herbicides+ Manual weeding	Rainfed	34.85	33.72	3.33
5	Maize	K-14	Herbicides+ Manual weeding	irrigated	59.95	57.45	4.35
6	Paddy	K-14	Semi dry Rice cultivation	irrigated	72.73	70.50	3.16
7	Seteria-Bengalgram	K-14	Cropping sequence	Rainfed	24.33+9.10	12.39	-
8	Bt cotton	K-13	Crop geometry	irrigated	20.72	19.32	7.24
9	Paddy	15	Zinc management	Irrigated	68.16	59.28	14.97
10	Bt.cotton	K-15	Integrated Nutrient Management	I/D	26.46	23.45	12.83
11	Chilli	K-15	STCR	I/D	51.21	51.38	-
12	Bengalgram	Rabi-15	Sulphur and zinc management	Raifed	13.62	11.97	13.78
13	Rice	Rabi-15	Reclamation of sodic soils	Irrigated	58.75	48.60	20.88
14	Maize	Rabi-15	Zinc management	I/D	Under progress		
	Bt Cotton	K 16	IPM for sucking pests	RF Black Soil	18.75	16.90	10.95
	Chillis	K 16	IDM for viral disease management	Irri. Black soil	55.68	49.38	12.76
	Rice	K 16	IDM for blast and sheath blight	Irri. Black	69.75	64.50	8.10
	Blackgram	R 16	IPM for maruca, YMV and powdery mildew	RF Black	14.50	13.15	10.27
20	Mango	R-2013	Micro Nutrient Management	Irrigated Sandy Soils	154.2	113.5	26.91

21	Turmeric	R-2013	Rhizome rot management	Irrigated Loamy Soils	845	697	21.2
22	Chilli	R-2013	Chemical weed management	Irrigated Black Soils	48.86	54.78	12.11
23	Banana	R-2013	Micronutrient management	Irrigated Loamy Soils	697.2	614.5	13.45
24	Dairy animals	K- 14	Feeding of SF heads supplemented feed	-	752.2	708.1	6.22
25	Dairy animals	K- 14	Supplementation of Regional Specific Mineral Mixture	-	412.6	376.5	9.58
26	Poultry	Rabi14	Azolla supplementation to Backyard poultry	-	1327.1	1164.4	13.97
27	Dairy animals	Rabi14	Supplementation of Urea Molasses Mineral Blocks	-	222.0	186.0	19.28
28	Dairy animals	Rabi15	Feeding of hydroponic maize fodder	-	130.5	122.1	6.96

Sunflower: The results indicated that sunflower hybrid sunbred-275 with Improved production technologies (seed treatment, Pre-emergence application of pendimethalin @ 2.5 lit/ha, Soil test based fertilizer application, spacing and thinning at 10-15 DAS, application of Boron @0.2% and sucking pestmanagement) gave higher yield(10.38/ha), which was 22.6 per cent than that of obtained with farmers practice yields of 8.46 q/ha in black soils under rainfed situation. The same Hybrid gave higher grain yield (19.42q/ha), which was 15.3 per cent than that of obtained with farmers practice under Irrigated condition.

The Economic Viability of improved technology over farmers practice was calculated depending on prevailing prices of input and output costs. The improved technologies resulted increased income with cost benefit ratio of 1:1.65/1.37 and 1:2.75/2.43 under rainfed and irrigated situation respectively

Bengalgram: In Bengalgram variety Nandyala sanaga-1 with Improved production technologies (Improved variety, seed treatment, Soil test based fertilizer application, Sulphur @20 kg/ha and IPM measures against Helicoverpa and S.exigua) gave higher grain yield(13.77q/ha), which was 17.19 per cent than that of obtained with farmers practice yields of 11.75 q/ha in black soils under rainfed situation. The same variety gave higher grain yield (18.17q/ha), which was 14.63 per cent than that of obtained with farmers practice with one protective irrigation at 30-35 DAS. The increased grain yield with Improved production technologies was mainly because of more no of pods/plant and higher 100 grain weight

The Economic Viability of improved technology over farmers practice was calculated depending on prevailing prices of input and output costs. The improved technologies resulted increased income with cost benefit ratio of 1:2.54/2.47 and 1:3.24/3.14 under rainfed and with protective irrigation respectively.

Demonstration on Seteria Variety Suryanandi:

During Kharif-2015 five FLDs were organized with **Suryanandi** variety of seteria at different locations of Banaganapalli mandal. The data revealed that the grain yield of improved variety was increased by 10.9 per cent with additional returns of Rs 9913/- per ha. The improved variety proved to be superior as compared to local variety both in terms of grain and fodder yield

Weed Management in jowar:

FLDs on Weed management were taken up in an area of 4ha at Yagantipalli Village with pre-emergence application Atrazine@2.0Kg/ha + Post-emergence application of 2,4D sodium salt@ 1.0 kg/ha on striga. The results indicated that post-emergence application 2,4D sodium salt@ 1.0 kg/ha have reduced the weed density most effectively. It was revealed that Post emergence application of herbicide along with one hand weeding most economic method for weed control in jowar.

Weedmanagement in Maize:

During khairf15 FLDs were taken up at Yagantipalli and Meerapuram villages of Banaganapalli mandal with pre-emergence application Atrazine@2.5Kg/ha + Post-emergence application of 2,4D sodium salt@ 1.0 kg/ha. The results indicated that weed density was significantly reduced and 79.0 per cent weed control efficiency was recorded. The hand weeding is laborious and generally more expensive. It was revealed that Post emergence application of herbicide followed by one intercultivation was most economic method for weed control in maize

Semi Dry method of Rice cultivation:

Under late on set of monsoon conditions and late release of in canals may become erratic and untimely leading to delayed transplanting (beyond August) resulting low yields. To tide over such predicaments, KVK organized demonstrations on Semi Dry method of Rice cultivation. In this method early seeding by taking advantage of early rains received just one month before canal supplies was imminent success with farmers.

- The data clearly indicated that direct seeding paddy seeds with gorru in the month of July recorded on par grain yield over transplanting. The mean yield of direct seeding was 7273Kg/ha as compared to 7050 kg/ha in case transplanting. The success of DSR mainly attributed to:.
- Timely sowing
- Reduced cost of cultivation as compared to transplanting(Labour,Puddling costs)
- Reduced seed rate (8-12 KG /acre as against 30kg /acre)
- Saves 35-40 per cent water.
- Reduced fertilizers and pesticides uses
- Equal or higher yields with reduced production costs and higher net income.

Demonstration on Setaria- Bengalgram cropping sequence in Rainfed black soils:

The results indicated that highest net returns was obtained with Korra-Bengalgram sequence (Rs 50892/ha) than fallow –bengalgram(Rs 31783/ha).The additional net income of the farmers was also increased in Korra- Bengalgram sequence which is calculated as Rs. Rs19019/- more than the Fallow-Bengalgram. This shows the increased profitability through Korra- Bengalgram sequence.

Foxtail millet (korra), crop being its short duration may fit well in double cropping sequence under rainfed situation in black soils. Inorder to increase net returns Rs/ha and cropping intensity, Seteria-bengalgram can be successfully grown in rainfed black soils, if on set of monsoon are intime.

Optimum Spacing in Bt cotton: The results on Bt.cotton with spacing of 90X60cm (2072 kg) has recorded increased yield 7.24% over farmer practice i.e 120X60cm. 1932kg/ha.

Zinc Management in rice: Ten Demonstrations were organized on Zinc management in rice at I.Kothapet village of Banaganapalle mandal. The average yield of rice under Zinc foliar application was high (6816Kg/ha) as compared to controlled practice (5928Kg/ha). An amount of Rs.17728/ha

was realized as additional income due to yield increments (14.97 %) in demonstrations. Benefit-cost ratio was high in demonstrations (1:2.07) as compared to controlled practice (1:1.82) due to higher gross income.

INM in Bt.Cotton: Ten Demonstrations were organized on integrated nutrient management in Bt.cotton at Meerapuram village of Banaganapalle mandal. The average yield of cotton was high (2646Kg/ha) in INM practice when compared to farmer's practice (2345Kg/ha). An amount of Rs. 17335/ha was realized as additional income due to low production costs and yield increments (12.83%) in demonstrations. Benefit-cost ratio was high in demonstrations (1:1.97) as compared to farmer's practice (1:1.57) due to low cost of Production and higher gross income.

Nutrient management in chilli based on STCR equation: The results indicated that the average pod yield of Chilli under STCR (5121Kg/ha) and pod yield produced under controlled practice (5138Kg/ha) were on par. Net income was high in demonstration plots (Rs.509741 ha⁻¹) as compared to controlled practice (Rs.468017 ha⁻¹). It was also observed that an amount of Rs.18564/ha was realized as additional income due to low production costs and yield increments in demonstrations. Benefit-cost ratio was also high in demonstrations (1:4.80) as compared to check (1:4.15) due to low cost production.

Sulphur and zinc management in Bengalgram based on soil test: Ten Demonstrations were organized in bengalgram at K.Sunkesula village of Owk mandal. The average yield of bengalgram under Sulphur and zinc management was high (1362Kg/ha) as compared to control (1197Kg/ha). An amount of Rs. 6005/ha was realized as additional income due to yield increments (13.78%) in demonstrations. Benefit-cost ratio was high in demonstrations (1:1.88) as compared to farmer's practice (1:1.75) due to higher gross income.

Reclamation of sodic soils with gypsum: Ten Demonstrations were organized on reclamation of sodic soils with gypsum at Yagantipalle village of Banaganapalle mandal. The initial soil pH was ranged from 9.18 to 9.42 and after reclamation it is ranged from 8.52 to 8.84. The Paddy crop was cultivated after reclamation. The average yield of paddy in demonstration plots was high (5875Kg/ha) as compared to controlled plots (4860 Kg/ha). The results indicated that 20.88 percent yield increase in demonstration plots over the controlled plots. An amount of Rs. 19065/ha was realized as additional income in demonstrations due to yield increments.

Zinc management in maize: Organised ten demonstrations at Yagantipalle village. Zinc sulphate applied @50 kg/ha at basal. Now the crop is at grain development phase

Micro nutrient management in mango: Ten demonstrations were organized at Emboi village of Bethamcherla mandal. Micronutrient mixture was sprayed twice at pre bloom period and at pea nut stage @ 5gms/lit of water. Results indicate that there was an increase of 26.91% in the yield with B:C ratio 4.7 in demo as against the 3.8 in local check.

Rhizome rot management in Turmeric: Demonstration was taken up with 10 farmers in Alamur village of Rudravaram mandal. The seed treatment of rhizomes was done by soaking the rhizomes in Ridomyl MZ (3g/lt.). After one month of sowing, Trichoderma Viridae enriched manure (2.5q/ha.) was applied. There was 17.51 % increase in yield in demonstration (8.45 tons/ha) compared to farmers practice (6.97 tons/ha).

Micronutrient management in Banana: This demonstration was taken up in Alamuru village of Rudravaram mandal. Micro nutrient mixture was applied on Banana bunches twice gave 69.72 tons/ha yield in demonstration as against the 61.45 tons/ha in farmers practice. There was an net additional income of Rs.1,04,063/ha in demo compared to farmers practice with B:C ratio to demo to control is 1 : 3.39 / 1:1.9

Chemical Weed Management in Chillis: Demonstration was taken up in SunKesula village of Owk mandal with ten farmers in mature old Chilli plots where interculture operations are not possible. Results indicate that there was 86 % control of weeds in demonstration plot when pendimethalin 3 lit/ha was applied in chilli plot compared to demonstration plot. there was 12% increase in yield in demonstration

Feeding of sunflower heads supplemented ration to milch buffaloes: The demonstration was conducted at Amadala and Koilakuntla villages. 30% SF heads mixed ration was fed to the animals for 120 days. The results indicated that 6.22% increased milk production by feeding SF heads supplemented feed over farmers method. Difference of Rs.5540/- as net income was observed in demo over control.

Supplementation of Regional Specific mineral mixture to milch buffaloes: The demonstration was conducted at Mandaluru of Rudravaram (M) and C.K.Dinne of Allagadda (M) selecting 20 graded murrha buffaloes having post partum anoestrus condition. RSSM was supplemented @ 80grams per day along with regular concentrate feed. The results indicated that 40% animals exhibited heat symptoms and 9.58 % increase in milk yield was noticed over farmers practice.

Azolla supplementation to Rajasri birds at backyards: The demonstration was conducted at Charlakothuru and Pathapadu villages of Banaganapalle mandal. Azolla units were established and azolla was supplemented to Rajasri birds @50grams per day along with scavenging for 90 days. The results indicated that 13.97% increase in body weight was observed in treatment over control

Supplementation of UMMB to milch buffaloes: The demonstration was conducted at Seetaramapuram village of Bethamcherla mandal selecting 10 graded murrha buffaloes. UMMB was given to hang before the animals and allowed to lick for an hour daily. The results indicated that 19.28% increase in milk yield was observed in demo over farmers practice.

Feeding of Hydroponic maize fodder to milch buffaloes: The demonstration was conducted at Nallagta, Meerapuram and Yagantipalle villages selecting 10 graded murrha buffaloes at five

farmers. 12kg hydroponic maize fodder fed to animals along with dry jowar stover. The results indicated that 6.96% increase in milk yield was observed in demo over farmers practice.

Technical Feedback on the demonstrated technologies:

S. No	Feed Back
1	<p>sunflower:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No significant difference in duration of sunflower hybrids cultivated by farmers. • Due to adoption of 60cm spacing between the rows and practicing thinning at 10-15DAS crop was not affected with moisture stress. • Under irrigated situation adoption of paired method of sowing with thinning performing better than farmer practice. • Basal application of P in form of SSP & boron spray @ 0.2% had positive effect on seed filling & test weight
2	<p>Bengalgram:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plant height, no. of branches/plant, No. of pods/plant were on par with JG-11 • Plant was bushy with basal branching habit • Seeds are bold and attractive • 100 seed weight is more compared to JG-11 • The incidence of wilt is comparatively less than local check. • It is Tolerant to drought due to its deep root system
3.	<p>Integrated weed management in Rice, Bt cotton</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cost on manual weeding was reduced (Rs 950/- per ha) • Weed control efficiency was 82-86.0Per cent • Weed density was less in demo plot up to critical periods
4	<p>Cropping systems:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Castor and greengram intercropping system found to be remunerative than sole crop of Castor/ Greengram even under drought conditions. • While maintaining the yield levels of the sole crop, additional yields with the intercropping component have been realized. • Since, a food legume is involved in the system, it will not only enhance the income of the farmer, but also provide with the much- needed protein to supplement the predominantly cereal diet of farmers.

5 **Semi dry method of Rice cultivation:**

- Reduced cost of cultivation as compared to transplanting(Labour,Puddling costs)
- Reduced seed rate (8-12 KG /acre as against 30kg /acre)
- Saves 35-40 per cent water.
- Reduced fertilizers and pesticides uses.
- Equal or higher yields with reduced production costs and higher net income.

6 **STCR based nutrient management in rice:**

- The status of phosphorus was more than 100 kg./ha in all demonstration fields. Hence Phosphorus was not applied in demonstrations.
- Nutrient use efficiency (kg grain- /kg⁻¹ nutrient) was high in STCR (23.39) as compared to farmers practice (13.14).
- Soil test based nutrient management helped in fertilizer cost reduction (Rs.10422 ha⁻¹) in demonstrations.

7 **Zinc management in Rice :**

- Foliar application of chelated zinc performed equally as basal application.
- Zinc deficiency correction gave higher yield than control

8 **INM in Bt Cotton :** Integrated nutrient management gave higher yield than control

9 **Reclamation of Sodic Soils:** Application of gypsum helped in reduction of soil pH.

10 **Sulphur and Zinc Management in Bengalgram :** Productivity enhancement due application of sulphur and zinc in respective nutrient deficient soils

Farmer's reaction on Specific technologies:

Feed Back
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Nandyala sanaga-1 variety is performing well & it is occupying 15 % of bengalgram area in the district.• It is tolerant to wilt & moisture stress• Soil application of T. viride effective for managing wilt.• Farmers were convinced & adopted the recommended seed rate.• Observed Colletotrichum blight in Nandyala sanaga-1 variety
Integrated weed management in Rice, Bt cotton and Rabi Groundnut <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cost on manual weeding was reduced (Rs 950/- per ha)• Weed control efficiency was 82-86.0Per cent• Weed density was less in demo plot up to critical periods
Semi dry method of Rice cultivation: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Reduced cost of cultivation as compared to transplanting(Labour,Puddling costs)• Reduced seed rate (8-12 KG /acre as against 30kg /acre)• Saves 35-40 per cent water.• Reduced fertilizers and pesticides uses Equal or higher yields with reduced production costs and higher net income.
STCR in Rice: Farmers were satisfied with crop performances and expressed that Soil test based nutrient management is a viable technology in Rice, because of less cost of chemical fertilizers and without reduction in yield compared to their own practice. They realized that they are resorting to higher expenditure on fertilizers in absence of soil testing of their fields. They are now willing to adopt the STCR technology in succeeding seasons for raising crops.
Zinc Management in Rice: Foliar application of zinc is more economical than basal.
INM in Bt Cotton: Soil quality improved and cost of fertilizers reduced.
Reclamation of Sodic Soils: Sodic soil reclamation by gypsum application is more effective than others.
Sulphur and Zinca Management in Bengalgram: Need based application of Sulphur and zinc is more essential for bengalgram yield increments.
Sucking pest management in Bt cotton: Stem application with Imidacloprid and Monocrotophos at 40 and 60 DAS offered good control of sucking pests especially Jassids and Aphids. Sticky traps @ 10/ ac offered good protection against whiteflies later in the season.
Contingent management of pests and diseases in Redgram: Spraying Chloro + Dichlorovos at

flowering on observing initials of leaf webbing, offered well control of Maruca.

Contingent management of pests and diseases in Blackgram: Yellow sticky traps offer good catch of whiteflies in the field. Spraying Chloro + Dichlorovos at flowering offered good control of pod borer.

Extension and Training activities under FLD :

S. No.	Activity	No. of activities organized	Date	Number of participants	Remarks
1	Field days	2	23-1-2016 28-1-2016	87 98	
2	Farmers Training	4	28-9-2015 9-12-2015 25-9-2015 18-11-2015	30 30 55 55	
3	Training for extension functionaries	1	18-12.2015	40	

c) Farm Implements:

Name of the implement	Crop	No. of farmers	Area (ha)	Performance parameters / indicators	* Data on parameter in relation to technology demonstrated		% change in the parameter	Remarks
					Demo	Local check		
Cotton Hand Gloves	APBN-I	20	0.4	Feed back on work related stress factors presented in a separate table	Harvesting with Gloves	Harvesting with bare hands	33.3	With the introduction of cotton hand gloves for Green Fodder harvesting, the farm women protects her hands from itching and irritation caused while harvesting of green fodder. drudgery was reduced from less to normal than their regular practice recorded from moderate to severe
Bhendi Cutter	Bhendi	5	0.4	Qty. harvested in kgs/ day/person	61.0	52.5	16.1	With the introduction of Bendi cutter(from MPKV,Rahuri) the harvesting rate increased by 16.1% and labour cost saved by 25% and the drudgery was reduced from normal to moderate than their regular practice which was recorded Severe.
				Labour required In Rs /day	450	600	25.0	

Mogi Improved Wheelhoe	Groundnut	3	0.4	Labour required/ acre/day	3	8	62.5	With the introduction of Mogi improved wheelhoe, the cost on weeding was saved by 600/- and labour saved by 62.5% for one weeding. The drudgery was reduced from less to moderate than their regular practice i.e, from moderate to severe.
				Reduction on cost on weeding / acre	360	960		

- Feed back on work related stress factors was recorded with the score card developed by AICRP, H.Sc, FRM, ANGRAU and presented in the following table separately for all the.

Introduction of Cotton hand gloves for harvesting of Green Fodder:

Feed back on work related stress factors was recorded with the score card given by AICRP, H.Sc, FRM, ANGRAU and presented in the following table.

Matrix ranking of Drudgery for Farm women in Agriculture Operations:

Indices for drudgery: Severe-5, Moderate-4, Normal-3, Less-2, No drudgery-1

Type of drudgery	Indices	
	Cutting with bear hands	Cutting with Gloves
Drudgery estimation at harvest	5	3
Stress Estimation	5	3
Body Strain while in operation	5	3
Estimation of feel while carrying weights	5	3
Estimation of operational difficulty	4	2
Psychological Stress due to work	5	2

Inferences: Farm women felt that, with the use of cotton hand gloves the body strain while in operation, estimation of operational difficulty, drudgery estimation at harvest, psychological stress due to work, estimation of feel while carrying weights and stress estimation was ranged from less to normal than their regular practice which was recorded from moderate to severe.

User Acceptance of Matrix Index on Improved Implement:

Indices For Acceptance: Highly satisfied-5, Moderately Satisfied-4, Satisfied-3, Unsatisfied-2, Not Accettable-1

Name of the Implement	User	Feel of Activity		
		Time Taken for the Activity	Area Covered	Energy Spent for work
Cotton Hand Gloves	Farmwomen	3	4	3

Inferences: It was opioned that, with the use of Cotton hand gloves time taken for the activity, area covered and energy spent for the work ranges from satisfied to moderately satisfied. They also expressed that with the use of cotton hand gloves the strain while harvesting, scratches, injuries and fatigue was reduced and this helped them for harvesting with less time.

II.Introduction of Bhandi Cutter for reducing drudgery:

Feed back on work related stress factors was recorded with the score card developed by AICRP, H.Sc, FRM, ANGRAU and presented in the following table.

Matrix ranking of Drudgery for Farm women in Agriculture Operations:

Indices for drudgery: Severe-5, Moderate-4, Normal-3, Less-2, No drudgery-1

Type of drudgery	Indices	
	Picking with bear hands	Picking with Gloves
Drudgery estimation at harvest	5	4
Stress Estimation	5	4
Body Strain while in operation	5	3
Estimation of feel while carrying weights	5	4
Estimation of operational difficulty	5	4
Psychological Stress due to work	5	3

Inferences: Farm women felt that, with the use of Bendi Cutter, the body strain while in operation, estimation of operational difficulty, drudgery estimation at harvest, psychological stress due to work, estimation of feel while carrying weights and stress estimation was ranged from normal to moderate than their regular practice which was recorded severe.

User Acceptance of Matrix Index on Improved Implement:

Indices For Acceptance: Highly satisfied-5, Moderately Satisfied-4, Satisfied-3, Unsatisfied-2, Not Accetable-1

Name of the Implement	User	Feel of Activity		
		Time Taken for the Activity	Area Covered	Energy Spent for work
Bendi Cutter	Farmwomen	3	4	4

Inferences: It was opioned that, with the use of Bendi Cutter, time taken for the activity, area covered and energy spent for the work ranges from satisfied to moderately satisfied. They also expressed that with the use of Bendi cutter, the strain while harvesting, scratches, injuries and fatigue was reduced and this helped them for increasing harvest rate with less time and less labour.

III. Introduction of Mogi Improved Wheelhoe for reducing drudgery of farm women in weeding operations:

Feed back on work related stress factors was recorded with the score card given by AICRP, H.Sc, FRM, ANGRAU and presented in the following table.

Matrix ranking of Drudgery for Farm women in Agriculture Operations:

Indices for drudgery: Severe-5, Moderate-4, Normal-3, Less-2, No drudgery-1

Type of drudgery	Indices	
	Manual Weeding	Weeding with refined rotary weeder
Drudgery estimation at harvest	5	4
Stress Estimation	5	4
Body Strain while in operation	5	3
Estimation of feel while carrying weights	4	3
Estimation of operational difficulty	4	2
Psychological Stress due to work	4	2

Inferences: It was clearly indicated that with the use of Mogi Improved Wheelhoe, the body strain while in operation, estimation of operational difficulty, drudgery estimation at harvest, psychological stress due to work, estimation of feel while carrying weights and stress estimation was ranged from less to moderate than their regular practice which was recorded from moderate to severe.

User Acceptance of Matrix Index on Improved Implement:

Indices For Acceptance: Highly satisfied-5, Moderately Satisfied-4, Satisfied-3, Unsatisfied-2, Not Accetable-1

Name of the Implement	User	Feel of Activity		
		Time Taken for the Activity	Area Covered	Energy Spent for work
Mogi Improved Wheelhoe	Farmwomen	4	3	4

Inferences: It was opioned that, with the use of Mogi Improved Wheelhoe, time taken for the activity, area covered and energy spent for the work ranges from satisfied to moderately satisfied. They also expressed that with the use of Mogi Improved wheelhoe, the strain while harvesting, scratches, injuries and fatigue was reduced but they required practice for easy operation of the implement.

(ii) Livestock Enterprises:

Enterprise	Breed	No. of farmers	No. of animals, poultry birds etc.	Performance parameters / indicators	* Data on parameter in relation to technology demonstrated		% change in the parameter	Remarks
					Demon.	Local check		
Dairy animals	Graded murrah	10	10	Milk yield (120 days)	752.2	708.1	6.22	
Dairy animals	Graded murrah	20	20	Milk yield (90 days) and animals exhibited heat	412.6	376.5	9.58	
Poultry	Rajasri	10	100	Body weight gain/120days	1327.1	1164.4	13.97	
Dairy animals	Graded murrah	10	10	Milk yield/60days	222.0	186.0	19.28	
Dairy animals	GM	5	10	Milk Yield 30 days	130.5	122.1	6.96	

* Milk production, meat production, egg production, reduction in disease incidence etc.

(iii) Other Enterprises:

Enterprise	Variety/ breed/Species/ others	No. of farmers	No. of Units	Performance parameters / indicators	Data on parameter in relation to technology demonstrated		% change in the parameter	Remarks
					Demo	Local check		

3.3 Achievements on Training (Including the sponsored, vocational, FLD and trainings under Rainwater Harvesting Unit):

A) ON Campus:

Thematic area		Participants								
		Others			SC/ST			Grand Total		
		M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total
(A) Farmers & Farm Women										
I Crop Production										
Weed Management	1	25	-	25	10	-	10	35	-	35
Resource Conservation Technologies	1	25	-	25	5	-	5	30	-	30
Cropping Systems	1	30	-	30	5	-	5	35	-	35
Crop Diversification	1	40	-	40	10	-	10	50	-	50
Integrated Farming										
Water management	1	28	-	28	4	-	4	32	-	32
Nursery management										
Integrated Crop Management	5	113	-	113	39	-	39	152	-	152
Fodder production	1	25	-	25	-	2	2	25	2	27
Production of organic inputs										
II Horticulture										
a) Vegetable Crops										
Production of low volume and high value crops										
Off-season vegetables										
Nursery raising										
Exotic vegetables like Broccoli										
Export potential vegetables										
Grading and standardization										
Protective cultivation (Green Houses, Shade Net etc.)										
b) Fruits										
Training and Pruning										
Layout and Management of Orchards										
Cultivation of Fruit										
Management of young plants/orchards										
Rejuvenation of old orchards										
Export potential fruits										
Micro irrigation systems of orchards										
Plant propagation techniques										
c) Ornamental Plants										
Nursery Management										
Management of potted plants										
Export potential of ornamental plants										
Propagation techniques of Ornamental Plants										
d) Plantation crops										
Production and Management technology										
Processing and value addition										

e) Tuber crops										
Production and Management technology										
Processing and value addition										
f) Spices										
Production and Management technology										
Processing and value addition										
g) Medicinal and Aromatic Plants										
Nursery management										
Production and management technology										
Post harvest technology and value addition										
III Soil Health and Fertility Management										
Soil fertility management										
Soil and Water Conservation										
Integrated Nutrient Management										
Production and use of organic inputs	4	39	39	11	-	11	50	-	50	
Management of Problematic soils	1	20	20	5	-	5	25	-	25	
Micro nutrient deficiency in crops										
Nutrient Use Efficiency										
Soil and Water Testing	3	19	19	6	-	6	25	-	25	
IV Livestock Production and Management										
Dairy Management	1	-	-	-	-	25	25	-	25	25
Poultry Management										
Piggery Management										
Rabbit Management										
Disease Management										
Feed management										
Production of quality animal products										
V Home Science/Women empowerment										
Household food security by kitchen gardening and nutrition gardening										
Design and development of low/minimum cost diet										
Designing and development for high nutrient efficiency diet										
Minimization of nutrient loss in processing										
Gender mainstreaming through SHGs										
Storage loss minimization techniques										
Value addition	3		48	48	-	32	32	-	80	80
Income generation activities for empowerment of rural Women										
Location specific drudgery reduction technologies										
Rural Crafts										

Women and child care										
VI Agril. Engineering										
Installation and maintenance of micro irrigation systems										
Use of Plastics in farming practices										
Production of small tools and implements										
Repair and maintenance of farm machinery and implements										
Small scale processing and value addition										
Post Harvest Technology										
VII Plant Protection										
Integrated Pest Management	1	6	0	6	24	0	24	30	0	30
Integrated Disease Management	1	3	0	3	12	0	12	15	0	15
Bio-control of pests and diseases	2	21	0	21	119	0	119	140	0	140
Production of bio control agents and bio pesticides										
IX Production of Inputs at site										
Seed Production										
Planting material production										
Bio-agents production										
Bio-pesticides production										
Bio-fertilizer production										
Vermi-compost production										
Organic manures production										
Production of fry and fingerlings										
Production of Bee-colonies and wax sheets										
Small tools and implements										
Production of livestock feed and fodder										
Production of Fish feed										
X Capacity Building and Group Dynamics										
Leadership development										
Group dynamics										
Formation and Management of SHGs										
Mobilization of social capital										
Entrepreneurial development of farmers/youths										
WTO and IPR issues										
XI Agro-forestry										
Production technologies										
Nursery management										
Integrated Farming Systems										
TOTAL	27	394	48	442	250	57	307	644	103	749
(B) RURAL YOUTH										
Mushroom Production										
Bee-keeping										
Integrated farming										

Seed production	1	25	-	25	10	-	10	35	-	35
Production of organic inputs	2	24	0	24	41	8	49	65	8	73
Planting material production										
Vermi-culture										
Sericulture										
Protected cultivation of vegetable crops										
Commercial fruit production										
Repair and maintenance of farm machinery and implements										
Nursery Management of Horticulture crops										
Training and pruning of orchards										
Value addition										
Production of quality animal products										
Dairying										
Sheep and goat rearing										
Quail farming										
Piggery										
Rabbit farming										
Poultry production										
Ornamental fisheries										
Para vets										
Para extension workers										
Composite fish culture										
Freshwater prawn culture										
Shrimp farming										
Pearl culture										
Cold water fisheries										
Fish harvest and processing technology										
Fry and fingerling rearing										
Small scale processing										
Post Harvest Technology										
Tailoring and Stitching										
Rural Crafts										
TOTAL	3	39	-	39	51	8	59	100	8	108
(C) Extension Personnel										
Resource Conservation Technologies	1	35	-	35	-	-	-	35	-	35
Integrated Pest Management										
Integrated Nutrient management										
Rejuvenation of old orchards										
Protected cultivation technology										
Formation and Management of SHGs										
Group Dynamics and farmers organization										
Information networking among farmers										
Capacity building for ICT application										
Care and maintenance of farm										

machinery and implements										
WTO and IPR issues										
Management in farm animals										
Livestock feed and fodder production	1	20		20	15		15	35		35
Household food security										
Women and Child care										
Low cost and nutrient efficient diet designing										
Production and use of organic inputs	1	25		25				25		25
Gender mainstreaming through SHGs										
TOTAL	3	80	-	80	15	-	15	95	-	95

OFF Campus

Thematic area	Participants									
	Others			SC/ST			Grand Total			
	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	
(A) Farmers & Farm Women										
I Crop Production										
Weed Management	1	20	5	30	5	-	5	25	5	30
Resource Conservation Technologies										
Cropping Systems										
Crop Diversification	1	25	5	30	10	-	10	35	5	40
Integrated Farming										
Water management										
Seed production										
Nursery management										
Integrated Crop Management	2	47	-	47	18	-	18	65	-	65
Fodder production										
Production of organic inputs										
II Horticulture										
a) Vegetable Crops										
Production of low volume and high value crops										
Off-season vegetables										
Nursery raising										
Exotic vegetables like Broccoli										
Export potential vegetables										
Grading and standardization										
Protective cultivation (Green Houses, Shade Net etc.)										
b) Fruits										
Training and Pruning										
Layout and Management of Orchards										
Cultivation of Fruit										
Management of young plants/orchards										
Rejuvenation of old orchards										

Export potential fruits										
Micro irrigation systems of orchards										
Plant propagation techniques										
c) Ornamental Plants										
Nursery Management										
Management of potted plants										
Export potential of ornamental plants										
Propagation techniques of Ornamental Plants										
d) Plantation crops										
Production and Management technology										
Processing and value addition										
e) Tuber crops										
Production and Management technology										
Processing and value addition										
f) Spices										
Production and Management technology										
Processing and value addition										
g) Medicinal and Aromatic Plants										
Nursery management										
Production and management technology										
Post harvest technology and value addition										
III Soil Health and Fertility Management										
Soil fertility management	1	21		21	4	-	4	25	-	25
Soil and Water Conservation										
Integrated Nutrient Management	1	20		20	5	-	5	25	-	25
Production and use of organic inputs										
Management of Problematic soils										
Micro nutrient deficiency in crops	1	24		24	8	-	8	32	-	32
Nutrient Use Efficiency	1	20		20	6	-	6	26	-	26
Soil and Water Testing										
IV Livestock Production and Management										
Dairy Management	3	48	-	48	28	-	28	76	-	76
Poultry Management										
Sheep Management	1	14	-	14	4	-	4	18	-	18
Rabbit Management										
Disease Management	1	14	-	14	4	-	4	18	-	18
Feed management	6	92	13	105	36	12	48	128	25	153
Production of quality animal products										
V Home Science/Women empowerment										

Household food security by kitchen gardening and nutrition gardening	2	-	30	30	-	20	20	-	50	50
Design and development of low/minimum cost diet	1	-	17	17	-	12	12	-	29	29
Designing and development for high nutrient efficiency diet										
Minimization of nutrient loss in processing										
Gender mainstreaming through SHGs										
Storage loss minimization techniques	1	-	17	17	-	8	8	-	25	25
Value addition	2	-	40	40	-	15	15	-	55	55
Income generation activities for empowerment of rural Women	3	-	45	45	-	30	30	-	75	75
Location specific drudgery reduction technologies	1	-	22	22	-	8	8	-	30	30
Rural Crafts	1	-	8	8	-	2	2	-	10	10
Women and child care	1	-	18	18	-	7	7	-	25	25
VI Agril. Engineering										
Installation and maintenance of micro irrigation systems										
Use of Plastics in farming practices										
Production of small tools and implements										
Repair and maintenance of farm machinery and implements										
Small scale processing and value addition										
Post Harvest Technology										
VII Plant Protection										
Integrated Pest Management	3	21	0	21	84	0	84	105	0	105
Integrated Disease Management										
Bio-control of pests and diseases										
Production of bio control agents and bio pesticides										
VIII Fisheries										
Integrated fish farming										
Carp breeding and hatchery management										
Carp fry and fingerling rearing										
Composite fish culture										
Hatchery management and culture of freshwater prawn										
Breeding and culture of ornamental fishes										
Portable plastic carp hatchery										
Pen culture of fish and prawn										
Shrimp farming										
Edible oyster farming										
Pearl culture										

Fish processing and value addition										
IX Production of Inputs at site										
Seed Production										
Planting material production										
Bio-agents production										
Bio-pesticides production										
Bio-fertilizer production										
Vermi-compost production										
Organic manures production										
Production of fry and fingerlings										
Production of Bee-colonies and wax sheets										
Small tools and implements										
Production of livestock feed and fodder										
Production of Fish feed										
X Capacity Building and Group Dynamics										
Leadership development										
Group dynamics										
Formation and Management of SHGs										
Mobilization of social capital										
Entrepreneurial development of farmers/youths										
WTO and IPR issues										
XI Agro-forestry										
Production technologies										
Nursery management										
Integrated Farming Systems										
TOTAL	34	366	210	576	212	114	326	578	324	902
(B) RURAL YOUTH										
Mushroom Production										
Bee-keeping										
Integrated farming										
Production of organic inputs										
Integrated Farming										
Planting material production										
Vermi-culture										
Sericulture										
Protected cultivation of vegetable crops										
Commercial fruit production										
Repair and maintenance of farm machinery and implements										
Nursery Management of Horticulture crops										
Training and pruning of orchards										
Value addition										

Production of quality animal products										
Dairying										
Sheep and goat rearing										
Quail farming										
Piggery										
Rabbit farming										
Poultry production										
Ornamental fisheries										
Para vets										
Para extension workers										
Composite fish culture										
Freshwater prawn culture										
Shrimp farming										
Pearl culture										
Cold water fisheries										
Fish harvest and processing technology										
Fry and fingerling rearing										
Small scale processing										
Post Harvest Technology										
Tailoring and Stitching	2	-	31	31	-	16	16	-	47	47
Rural Crafts-Quilt Bag Making										
Fabric Painting	1	-	13	13	-	17	17	-	30	30
Maggam Embroidery Works										
Handmade Paper bag Making	1	-	11	11	-	4	4	-	15	15
Life skills development for Adolescent Girls	1	-	39	39	-	11	11	-	50	50
TOTAL	5	-	94	94	-	48	48	-	142	142
(C) Extension Personnel										
Integrated Pest Management										
Integrated Nutrient management	2	127	173	300				127	173	300
Rejuvenation of old orchards										
Protected cultivation technology										
Formation and Management of SHGs										
Group Dynamics and farmers organization										
Information networking among farmers										
Capacity building for ICT application										
Care and maintenance of farm machinery and implements										
WTO and IPR issues										
Management in farm animals										
Livestock feed and fodder production										
Household food security										

Women and Child care										
Low cost and nutrient efficient diet designing										
Production and use of organic inputs	8	85	70	155	483	400	883	568	470	1038
Gender mainstreaming through SHGs										
TOTAL	10	212	183	455	483	400	883	695	643	1338

Consolidated:

Thematic area	Participants									
	Others			SC/ST			Grand Total			
	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	
(A) Farmers & Farm Women										
I Crop Production										
Weed Management	1	20	5	30	5	-	5	25	5	30
Resource Conservation Technologies										
Cropping Systems										
Crop Diversification	1	25	5	30	10	-	10	35	5	40
Integrated Farming										
Water management										
Seed production										
Nursery management										
Integrated Crop Management	2	47	-	47	18	-	18	65	-	65
Fodder production										
Production of organic inputs										
II Horticulture										
a) Vegetable Crops										
Production of low volume and high value crops										
Off-season vegetables										
Nursery raising										
Exotic vegetables like Broccoli										
Export potential vegetables										
Grading and standardization										
Protective cultivation (Green Houses, Shade Net etc.)										
b) Fruits										
Training and Pruning										
Layout and Management of Orchards										
Cultivation of Fruit										
Management of young plants/orchards										
Rejuvenation of old orchards										
Export potential fruits										
Micro irrigation systems of orchards										
Plant propagation techniques										
c) Ornamental Plants										
Nursery Management										
Management of potted plants										
Export potential of ornamental plants										
Propagation techniques of Ornamental Plants										
d) Plantation crops										
Production and Management										

technology										
Processing and value addition										
e) Tuber crops										
Production and Management technology										
Processing and value addition										
f) Spices										
Production and Management technology										
Processing and value addition										
g) Medicinal and Aromatic Plants										
Nursery management										
Production and management technology										
Post harvest technology and value addition										
III Soil Health and Fertility Management										
Soil fertility management	1	21	-	21	4		4	25		25
Soil and Water Conservation										
Integrated Nutrient Management	1	20		20	5		5	25		25
Production and use of organic inputs	4	39		39	11		11	50		50
Management of Problematic soils	1	20		20	5		5	25		25
Micro nutrient deficiency in crops	1	24		24	8		8	32		32
Nutrient Use Efficiency	1	20		20	6		6	26		26
Soil and Water Testing	3	19		19	6		6	25		25
IV Livestock Production and Management										
Dairy Management	4	48	-	48	28	25	53	76	25	101
Poultry Management										
Sheep Management	1	14	-	14	4	-	4	18	-	18
Rabbit Management										
Disease Management	1	14	-	14	4	-	4	18	-	18
Feed management	6	92	13	105	36	12	48	128	25	153
Production of quality animal products										
V Home Science/Women empowerment										
Household food security by kitchen gardening and nutrition gardening	2	-	30	30	-	20	20	-	50	50
Design and development of low/minimum cost diet	1	-	17	17	-	12	12	-	29	29
Designing and development for high nutrient efficiency diet										
Minimization of nutrient loss in processing										
Gender mainstreaming through SHGs										
Storage loss minimization	1	-	17	17	-	8	8	-	25	25

techniques										
Value addition	5	-	88	88	-	47	47	-	135	135
Income generation activities for empowerment of rural Women	3	-	45	45	-	30	30	-	75	75
Location specific drudgery reduction technologies	1	-	22	22	-	8	8	-	30	30
Rural Crafts	1	-	8	8	-	2	2	-	10	10
Women and child care	1	-	18	18	-	7	7	-	25	25
VI Agril. Engineering										
Installation and maintenance of micro irrigation systems										
Use of Plastics in farming practices										
Production of small tools and implements										
Repair and maintenance of farm machinery and implements										
Small scale processing and value addition										
Post Harvest Technology										
VII Plant Protection										
Integrated Pest Management	4	27	0	27	108	0	108	135	0	135
Integrated Disease Management	1	3	0	3	12	0	12	15	0	15
Bio-control of pests and diseases	2	21	0	21	119	0	119	140	0	140
Production of bio control agents and bio pesticides										
VIII Fisheries										
Integrated fish farming										
Carp breeding and hatchery management										
Carp fry and fingerling rearing										
Composite fish culture										
Hatchery management and culture of freshwater prawn										
Breeding and culture of ornamental fishes										
Portable plastic carp hatchery										
Pen culture of fish and prawn										
Shrimp farming										
Edible oyster farming										
Pearl culture										
Fish processing and value addition										
IX Production of Inputs at site										
Seed Production										
Planting material production										
Bio-agents production										
Bio-pesticides production										
Bio-fertilizer production										
Vermi-compost production										
Organic manures production										
Production of fry and fingerlings										
Production of Bee-colonies and										

wax sheets										
Small tools and implements										
Production of livestock feed and fodder										
Production of Fish feed										
X Capacity Building and Group Dynamics										
Leadership development										
Group dynamics										
Formation and Management of SHGs										
Mobilization of social capital										
Entrepreneurial development of farmers/youths										
WTO and IPR issues										
XI Agro-forestry										
Production technologies										
Nursery management										
Integrated Farming Systems										
TOTAL	61	760	258	1018	462	171	633	1222	429	1651
(B) RURAL YOUTH										
Mushroom Production										
Bee-keeping										
Integrated farming										
Seed Production	1	25		25	10		10	35		35
Production of organic inputs	5	24	0	24	41	8	49	65	8	73
Integrated Farming										
Planting material production										
Vermi-culture										
Sericulture										
Protected cultivation of vegetable crops										
Commercial fruit production										
Repair and maintenance of farm machinery and implements										
Nursery Management of Horticulture crops										
Training and pruning of orchards										
Value addition										
Production of quality animal products										
Dairying										
Sheep and goat rearing										
Quail farming										
Piggery										
Rabbit farming										
Poultry production										
Ornamental fisheries										
Para vets										
Para extension workers										

Composite fish culture										
Freshwater prawn culture										
Shrimp farming										
Pearl culture										
Cold water fisheries										
Fish harvest and processing technology										
Fry and fingerling rearing										
Small scale processing										
Post Harvest Technology										
Tailoring and Stitching	2	-	31	31	-	16	16	-	47	47
Rural Crafts-Quilt Bag Making										
Fabric Painting	1	-	13	13	-	17	17	-	30	30
Maggam Embroidery Works										
Handmade Paper bag Making	1	-	11	11	-	4	4	-	15	15
Life skills development for Adolescent Girls	1	-	39	39	-	11	11	-	50	50
TOTAL	8	39	94	133	51	56	107	100	150	250
(C) Extension Personnel										
Resource conservation technologies	1	35		35				35		35
Integrated Pest Management										
Integrated Nutrient management	2	127	173	300				127	173	300
Rejuvenation of old orchards										
Protected cultivation technology										
Formation and Management of SHGs										
Group Dynamics and farmers organization										
Information networking among farmers										
Capacity building for ICT application										
Care and maintenance of farm machinery and implements										
WTO and IPR issues										
Management in farm animals										
Livestock feed and fodder production	1	20		20	15		15	35		35
Household food security										
Women and Child care	1	-	19	19	-	16	16	-	35	35
Low cost and nutrient efficient diet designing										
Production and use of organic inputs	8	85	70	155	483	400	883	568	470	1038
Gender mainstreaming through SHGs										
TOTAL	13	292	183	525	498	400	898	790	643	1433

Annexures

A. KVK funded:

Agronomy:

S. No	Date	Client (PF/RY/EF)	Title	Thematic area	Duration (days)	Venue (Off/On campus)	No. of Participants								
							Others			SC/ST			Total		
							M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
1	18.6.15	PFM	Crops and cropping system for dry land black soils/red soils	Crop & cropping system	1	On	30	-	30	5	-	5	35	-	35
2	20.6.15	PFM	Production technologies in Rainfed crops.	Crop diversification	1	on	35	-	35	15	-	15	50	-	50
3	16.7.15	PFM	Low cost production technologies in rainfed oil seeds.	ICM	1	OFF	20	-	25	5	-	5	25	-	25
4	25.7.15	PFM	Integrated weed management in practices in rainfed crops	Weed management	2	On	25	-	25	10	-	10	35	-	35
5	30.7.15	PFM	Integrated weed management in practices in rainfed crops	Weed management	1	off	20	5	25	5	-	5	25	5	30
6	18.8.15	PFM	Rice production technologies	ICM	1	on	35	-	35	10	-	10	45	-	45
7	22.8.15	PFM	Production technologies for oil seed crops	ICM	2	on	47	-	47	13	-	13	60	-	60
8	25.8.15	PFM	Production technologies for cotton	ICM	1	on	25	-	25	10	-	10	35	-	35
9	14.9.15	PFM	Critical technologies for enhancing yield in rabi pulses	ICM	1	On	41	-	41	9	-	9	50	-	50
10	5.10.15	PFM	Production technologies in Redgram and Bengalgram	ICM	1	Off	25	5	30	10	-	10	35	5	40
11	17.10.15	RYM	Seed production technology and importance of seed village concepts	Seed production	2	On	27	-	27	8	-	8	35	-	35
12	24.11.15	EFM	Resource conservation technologie	Resource conservation	1	On	30	-	30	5	-	5	35	-	35
13	25.11.15	PFM	Rice based cropping systems with reference to Zero tillage concepts.	Resource conservation	1	on	25	-	25	5	-	5	30	-	30
14	20.1.16	PFM	Water management in ID crops	Water	1	on	28	-	28	4	-	4	32	-	32

				management												
15	2.2.16	PFM	Fodder production technology	Fodder production	1	on	25	-	25	2	-	2	27	-	27	
Total					18		438	10	453	116		116	554	10	564	

Plant Protection:

S. No	Date	Client (PF/RY/EF)	Title	Disciplin	Thematic area	Duration (days)	Venue (Off/On campus)	No. of Participants								
								Others			SC/ST			Total		
								M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Practicing Farmers																
1	27.05.15	PF	Seed treatment and Viral disease management in Chillis	pp	IDM	1	On	3	0	3	12	0	12	15	0	15
2	02.07.15	PF	Pest and Disease management in Chillis and Turmeric		IPM	1	Off	4	0	4	19	0	19	23	0	23
3	25.08.15	PF	Organic farming in Rice – scope of certification		Organic Inputs	1	On	3	0	3	17	0	17	20	0	20
4	07.09.15	PF	Non Chemical Pest Management methods for rainfed crops		Organic Inputs	1	On	6	0	6	24	0	24	30	0	30
5	11.10.15	PF	Pest and Disease management in Bengalgram		IPM	1	Off	12	0	12	43	0	43	55	0	55
6	10.11.15	PF	Diagnosis and management of Pests and Diseases in Chillis		IPM	1	Off	5	0	5	22	0	22	27	0	27
7	5.11.15	PF	Management of pests and diseases in organic farming		Organic Inputs	1	On	18	0	18	102	0	102	120	0	120
9	29 & 30.09.15	RY	Organic farming methods and Best Agricultural Practices in Redgram.		Organic Inputs	2	On	3	0	3	20	5	25	23	5	28
Sub Total						9		207	-	207	43	-	43	250	-	250
Rural Youth																
10	27.8.14 to 28.8.14	RY	Mushroom cultivation as an income generating activity		IG Activity	2	On	25	-	25	5	-	5	30	-	30
Sub Total						11		232	-	232	48	-	48	280	-	280

Soil Science

Sl.no	Date	Clientele	Title of the training programme	Disciplin	Thematic Area	Duration (days)	Venue	Number of other participants			Number of SC/ST			Total number of participants		
								M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Practicing Farmers																
1	15.4.15	PF	Soil sampling procedure and importance of soil testing	Soil Science	Soil and water testing	3	on	19	19	6	-	6	25	-	25	
2	28.5.15	PF	Reclamation of problematic soils		Management of problematic soils	1	on	20	20	5	-	5	25	-	25	
3	15.06.15	PF	Methods to improve fertilizers use efficiency		Nutrient use efficiency	1	off	20	20	6	-	6	26	-	26	
4	8.7.15	PF	Calculation of fertilizers based on nutrient recommendations		Soil fertility management	1	off	21	21	4	-	4	25	-	25	
5	10.08.15	PF	Integrated Nutrient Management in rice and Cotton		INM	1	off	20	20	5	-	5	25	-	25	
6	14.9.15	PF	Diagnosis and correction of micronutrient deficiencies in young mango orchards		Micronutrient deficiency in crops	1	off	24	24	8	-	8	32	-	32	
7	9.12.15	PF	Preparation of organic inputs viz. vermicompost, NADEP compost, Jeevamruth etc		Production and use of organic inputs	3	on	19	19	6	-	6	25	-	25	
8	21.1.16	PF	Preparation of organic inputs viz. vermicompost, NADEP compost, Jeevamruth etc		Production and use of organic inputs	1	ON	20	20	5		5	25		25	
Sub total						12		163	163	45		45	208		208	

Soil Science:

Rural Youth															
1	12.10.15	RY	Preparation of organic inputs viz. CPP compost, Bio dynamic compost, vermicompost,etc.	Production of Organic inputs	3	On	19	19	6	6	25	25			
Sub total					15		182	182	51	51	233	233			
Extension Functionaries															
10	05-11-15	EF	Preparation of organic inputs viz. CPP compost, Bio dynamic compost, vermicompost,etc.	Production of Organic inputs	3	on	25	25			25	25			
11	22.2.2016	EF	Soil fertility management and Preparation of organic inputs viz.vermicompostNADEP compost, Jeevamruth etc	Soil fertility management	1	off	45	55	100		45	55	100		
z	15.3.2016	EF	Soil fertility management and Preparation of organic inputs viz.vermicompostNADEP compost, Jeevamruth etc	Soil fertility management	1	off	82	118	200		82	118	200		
Sub Total:					5		152	173	325	-	-	-	152	173	325
Total:					20		334	173	507	51	51	385	173	558	

Horticulture:

S. No	Date	Clinte	Title	Thematic area	Duration (days)	Venue	No. of Participants								
							No. of Others			SC/ST			Total		
							M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
1	21-05-15	PF	Package practices for cultivation of chrysanthemum	ICM	1	Off	14	-	14	5	-	5	19	-	19
2	21-06-15	PF	Management of mango orchards after harvest	Training & Pruning	1	Off	22	-	22	10	-	10	32	-	32
3	13-08-15	PF	Package of practices for cultivation of Chilli	ICM	1	Off	18	-	18	6	-	6	24	-	24
4	12-09-15	PF	Package of practices for cultivation of Jasmine	INM	1	On	15	-	15	3	-	3	18	-	18
5	8-10-15	PF	Package of practices for cultivation of sweet orange	ICM	1	Off	12	-	12	5	-	5	17	-	17
6	07-11-15	PF	Cultivation of Tissue culture Banana	ICM	1	On	42	-	42	23	-	23	65	-	65
7	23-01-16	PF	Package of practices for cultivation of papaya	ICM	1	Off	9	-	9	3	-	3	12	-	12
8	03.02.16	PF	Integrated pest management in Mango	ICM	1	Off	22	-	22	2	-	2	24	-	24
Total					8		154		154	57		57	211		211
11	13-01-16	RY	Vegetable nursery cultivation in portraits under shade net	Nursery	2	On	14	-	14	4	-	4	18	-	18
Grand TOTAL					10		168		168	61		61	229		229

Animal Husbandry :

Date	Clientele	Title of the training programme	Thematic area	Duration in days	Venue (Off / On Campus)	No. of other participants			Number of SC/ST			Total number of participants		
						M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
25.04.15	PFM	Management of animals during summer	Dairy management	1	Off	18	-	18	6	6	24	-	24	
26.05.15	PFM	Preventive measures against contagious	Health management	1	Off	14	-	14	4	4	18	-	18	
23.06.15	PFM	Reproductive problems in milch animals and preventive measures	Reproduction management	1	Off	16	-	16	14	-	14	30	-	30
02.07.15	PFM	Milk improvement technologies	Dairy management	1	Off	14	-	14	8	-	8	22	-	22
21.07.15	PFM	Hydroponic fodder production	Feed management	1	Off	19	-	19	6	-	6	25	-	25
15.09.15	PFM	Production of green fodder through hydroponic technology	Feed management	1	Off	24	-	24	12	-	12	36	-	36
17.10.15	PFM	Cultivation of different fodder varieties and conservation technologies	Feed management	1	On	18	-	18	10	-	10	28	-	28
01.11.15	PFM	Clean milk production	Dairy management	1	Off	-	-	-	-	25	25	25	-	25
24.11.15	PFM	Milk improvement technologies	Feed management	1	Off	15	-	15	5	-	5	20	-	20
26.12.15	PFM	Management of sheep under extensive system	Sheep management	1	Off	14	-	14	4	-	4	18	-	18
09.01.16	PFM	Utilization of agricultural by products in livestock feeding	Feed management	1	Off		13	13		12	12		25	25
10.02.16	PF	Cultivation of Azolla	Feed management	1	Off	16		16	3		3	19	-	19

				12		168	13	181	72	37	109	240	50	290
7.10.15 to 8.10.15	EF	Advance technologies in animals feeding	Feed management	2	On	20		20	15		15	35		35
				14		188	13	201	87	37	124	275	50	325

Home Science :

Date	Clientele	Title of the training programme	Thematic area	Duration in days	Venue (Off / On Campus)	Number of SC/ST participants			Number of Other			Total number of participants		
						M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
23.6.15	PFF	Training Programme nutritional deficiency disorders among pregnant and lactating mothers	Design and development of low/minimum cost diet	1	Off	-	12	12	-	17	17	-	29	29
16.7.15	PFF	Importance of raising of homestead nutrition gardens	Household food security by kitchen gardening	1	Off	-	9	9	-		16	16	25	25
21.7.15	PFF	Awareness programme on value added with millets	Value addition	1	On	-	17	17	-	21	21	-	38	38
15.9.15	PFF	Training on drudgery reducing implements	Location specific drudgery reducing implements	1	Off	-	8	8	-	22	22	-	30	30
16.9.15	PFF	Preparation of value added products with tomato	Value addition	1	Off	-	6	6	-	24	24	-	30	30
28.10.15	PFF	Preparation of Masala powders as IG Activity	Household food security by kitchen gardening	1	Off	-	19	19	-	21	21	-	40	40
26.11.15	PFF	Training Programme nutritional deficiency disorders among pregnant and lactating mothers	Design and development of low/minimum cost diet	1	Off	-	7	7	-	18	18	-	25	25
27.11.15	PFF	Importance of raising of homestead nutrition gardens	Household food security by kitchen	1	Off	-	11	11	-	14	14	-	25	25

22.12.15	PF-F	Preparation Of Milk Powders as IG Activity	gardening Women and child care	1	Off	-	9	9	-	16	16	-	25	25
23.12.15	PF-F	Awareness programme on alternate renewable energy sources	Energy Saving	1	Off	-	8	8	-	17	17	-	25	25
25.1.16 to 26.1.16	PF-F	Paper bag making as IG activity for SHGs	IG Activities for empowerment of rural families	2	Off	-	2	2	-	8	8	-	10	10
27.1.16 to 28.1.16	PF-F	Vocational Skill training on Quilt bag making	IG Activities for empowerment of rural families	2	Off	-	4	4	-	11	11	-	15	15
3.3.16 to 5.3.16	PF-F	Preservation of vegetables as IG activity for SHG Women	Value Addition	2	Off	-	9	9	-	13	13	-	22	22
9.3.16 to 11.3.16	PF-F	Preservation of fruits as IG activity for SHG women	Value addition	2	Off	-	8	8	-	12	12	-	20	20
14.3.16 to 21.3.16	PF-F	Fabric Painting as IG activity for SHG women	IG Activities for empowerment of rural families	6	Off	-	11	11	-	9	9	-	20	20
1.5.15 to 31.7.15	RYF	Vocational Skill training on Basic&advanced tailoring,Fabric painting&bag making	IG Activities for empowerment of rural families	90	Off	-	9	9	-	18	18	-	27	27
1.8.15to 25.8.15	RYF	Long Duration Vocational Skill Training Programme on Fabric Painting	IG Activities for empowerment of rural families	15	Off	-	17	17	-	13	13	-	30	30
14.9.15to 30.9.15	RYF	Vocational skill training programme on Blouse designing as IG activity	IG Activities for empowerment of rural families	15	Off	-	7	7	-	13	13	-	20	20
29.1.16	RYF	Vocational skill training	IG Activities for	2	Off	-	4	4	-	11	11	-	15	15

to 30.1.16		programme on polypropelene non woven cloth bag making	empowerment of rural families											
21.8.15	EFF	Capsule Trg.Prog.on preschool creative activities,Preparation of PSE materials and value added products with millets	Women and childcare	1		-	16	16	-	19	19	-	35	35
		Training Balika mandals on health&hygiene,nutrition education and life skills development	Women and childcare	1		-	11	11	-	39	39	-	50	50
29.10.15	EF-F													
Total				148			204	204		336	352	16	556	556

D) Vocational training programmes for Rural Youth:

Discipline :Home Science

Crop / Enterprise	Date	Training title*	Identified Thrust Area	Duration (days)	No. of Participants			Self employed after training			Number of persons employed elsewhere
					Male	Female	Total	Type of units	Number of units	Number of persons employed	
Women Empowerment	1) 25.1.16 to 26.1.16	Skill Training Programme on Paperbag making as I.G.Activity	I.G Activity	2	-	10	10	Individual	4	4	2
	2) 27.1.16to 28.1.16	Skill training programme on quilt bag making	I.G Activity	2	-	15	15	Individual	9	9	3
Women Empowerment	3)1.5.15 to 31.7.15	Vocational skill training programme on Basic,Advanced	I.G Activity	90	-	27	27	Individual	19	19	4

Women Empowerment	10.8.15 to 25.8.15	Tailoring,Fabric Painting&bag making Training Programme on Fabric Painting	I.G Activity	15	-	30	30	Individual	17	17	3
Women Empowerment	14.9.15 to 30.9.15	Training Programme on Blouse designing	I.G Activity	15	-	20		Individual	23	23	2
				124		102	82		72	72	

E. Sponsored Training Programmes :

Agronomy:

S. No	Date	Title	Thematic area	Duration (days)	Client (PF/RV/EF)	No.of courses	No. of Participants									Sponsoring Agency	Amount of fund received (Rs.)
							Others			SC/ST			Total				
							M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T		
1	12-11-2016	Resource conservation technologies		1	EF	1	35	-	35	-	-	-	35	-	35	Dept Agrl	--
2	18-1-2016	Seteria production technom		1	PFM	1	30	-	30	10	-	10	40	-	40	Dept Agrl	
Total:							64	-	65	10	-	10	75	-	75		

3.4. Extension Activities (including activities of FLD programmes):

S. No.	Nature of Extension Activity	Purpose/ topic and Date	No. of activities	Participants									Grand Total			
				Farmers (Others) (I)			SC/ST (Farmers) (II)			Extension Officials (III)			(I+II+III)			
				M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	
1	Field Day	23-1-2016 28-1-2016	2													185
3	Kisan Mela															
4	Kisan Ghosthi & world soil day	5.12.2016	1													
5	Technology week															
6	Exhibition	All activities	5													
7	Film Show															
8	Method Demonstrations	All aspects	18													
9	Farmers Seminar															
10	Workshop															
11	Group meetings		12													
12	Lectures delivered as resource persons	All disciplines	16													
13	Newspaper coverage	All aspects	60													
14	Radio talks	Various aspects	18													
15	TV talks	AH	4													
16	Popular articles	All desplines	22													
17	Extension Literature		6													
18	Advisory Services		28													
19	Scientific visit to farmers field	324														

S. No.	Nature of Extension Activity	Purpose/ topic and Date	No. of activities	Participants												
				Farmers (Others) (I)			SC/ST (Farmers) (II)			Extension Officials (III)			Grand Total (I+II+III)			
				M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	
20	Diagnostic visits															
21	Farmers visit to KVK	All topics	819													1536
22	Exposure visits															
23	Ex-trainees Sammelan															
24	Soil health Camp															240
25	Animal Health Camp		8													
26	Agri. mobile SMS	All topics	28													1545
27	Soil test campaigns															
28	ICAR foundation day	ICAR foundation day 16-7 -2015														
29	Self Help Group Conveners meetings															
31	Celebration of important days (specify)		1	60												
	1.World Food Day															
	2.International Womens Day		1	-												
	3.National Nutrition Week		1	30	105	105	-	75	75	-	20	20	-	200	200	
32	Homestead nutritional gardens		148	-												
Total:															8481	

3.5 (A). Kisan Mobile Advisory Services

No.of registered farmers of KVK : 1545

Details of Kisan Mobile Advisory Services from 01.04.14 to 31.03.15 (AGRICULTURE)

Major Group	Category	Crop/ Enterprise	Thematic Area	Date	Message	No. of message	Number of Farmers								
							Others			SC/ST			Total		
							M	F	Tot	M	F	Tot	M	F	Tot
Agriculture	Soil testing	All crops	INM	08.5.15	Ee seasonlo bhoosaara pareeksha cheyinchu, report prakaram yeruvulanu vaadandi. Anavasara pettubadini thagginchukondi.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545
Agriculture	Crop Production	Bt Cotton	ICM	22.5.15	Yendakaaru patthi yendi pokundaa, challani velallo varaniki vokasaari, neeti thadulu ivvandi. Bettanu thattukovataaniki KNO3 10g/lt neetiki prakaram pichikaari cheyyandi.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545
Agriculture	Soil testing	All crops	INM	08.5.15	Ee seasonlo bhoosaara pareeksha cheyinchu, report prakaram yeruvulanu vaadandi. Anavasara pettubadini thagginchukondi.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545
Agriculture	Crop Production	Bt Cotton	ICM	22.5.15	Yendakaaru patthi yendi pokundaa, challani velallo varaniki vokasaari, neeti thadulu ivvandi. Bettanu thattukovataaniki KNO3 10g/lt neetiki prakaram pichikaari cheyyandi.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545

Agriculture	Crop Production	Bt Cotton	IPM	09.6.15	Pattilo pindinalli nivaranaku Profenophos 3 ml/lit mariyu Dichlorovos 1 ml/lit neetiki prakaram kalipi pichikaari cheyyali. Nalli aasinchinal chettu bhaagaalu sekarinchi kaalcheyali.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545
Agriculture	Horticulture	Chillis	IPM	19.6.15	Mirapalo Virus, rasampeelchu purugula nivaranaku, vittadaaniki mundu 1 Kg vittanaanni 150 g TSOP kalipina neellalo 30 nimushaalu munchi vadakatti, aarina tharuvaatha 8-10 ml Imidacloprid kalipi suddicheyaali.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545
Agriculture	Commercial crops	Chillis	IPM	14.7.15	Mirapalo vittanam dwara virus tegullu rakunda TSOP dravanamlo vittanalu 30 nimushaalu munchi, kadigi tharuvaatha, Rasam peelchu purugulakai Imidacloprid @ 8g/kg ki mariyu tegullakai Mancozeb @ 3 g/kg vittananiki kalipi vittukovali.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545
Agriculture	Crop Production	Bt Cotton	IPM	21.7.15	Bettanu thattukovataaniki KNO3 10g/lit neetiki prakaram pichikaari cheyyandi. Pacchadoma nivaranaku Imidacloprid @ 0.5 ml/lit neetiki prakaram kalipi pichikaari cheyyaali.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545
Agriculture	Commercial	Chillis	IPM	14.8.15	Mirapalo paimudatha	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545

	I crops				nivaranaku Fipronil @ 2.0 ml/lit neetiki kalipi pichikaari cheyyali.										
Agriculture	Commerci al crops	Onion	IPM	21.8.15	Vullilo thamarapurugulu, aaku maadu tegulu nivaranaku Fipronil @ 2 ml/lit mariyu Thiophanate methyl @ 2g/lit neetiki kalipi, pairupai pichikaari cheyyaali.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545
Agriculture	Commercia l crops	Chillis	IPM	15.9.15	Mirapalo paimudatha nivaranaku Fipronil @ 2.0 ml/lit neetiki kalipi pichikaari cheyyali.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545
Agriculture	Commerci al crops	Bt cotton	IPM	22.9.15	Bt Pattilo rasampeelchu purugula nivaranaku Imidacloprid @ 0.25 ml/lit neetiki kalipi pichikari cheyyali.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545
Agriculture	Commercia l crops	Chillis	IPM	09.10.15	Mirapalo paimudatha nivaranaku Fipronil @ 2.0 ml/lit Ieda Acetamaprid @ 0.3g/lit neetiki kalipi pichikaari cheyyali.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545
Agriculture	Commerci al crops	Bt cotton	IPM	16.10.15	Bt Pattilo rasampeelchu purugula nivaranaku Monocrotophos @ 2 ml/lit neetiki kalipi pichikari cheyyali.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545
Agriculture	Cereals	Rice	IPM	23.10.15	Varilo aaku nalli, aaku mudatha, pamu poda asinchindi. Nivaranaku varusagaa Profenophos @ 2 ml/lit, Chloropyriphos @ 2.5	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545

					ml/lit mariyu Hexaconazole @ 2 ml/lit prakaram pairu thadichela pichikaari cheyyaali.												
Agriculture	Commercial crops	Chillies	IPM	1.12.15	Mirapalo boodida, pootha purugu nivarvanaku kerathane @ 1 ml/lit mariyu Triazophos @ 2.0 ml/lit prakaram kalipi, pairantha thadichetatlu pichikaari cheyyaali.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545		
Agriculture	Pulses	Redgram	IPM	8.12.15	Mogga, pootha dasalo vunna kandilo kaya eega, kaya tholuchu purugu aasinchakunda, leetar neetiki 2.5 ml chloro leda 5 ml azadarachtin kalipi, mogga pootha baaga thadichela pichikaari cheyyali.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545		
Agriculture	Cereals	Rice	IPM	13.12.15	Varilo aggi tegulu aasinchindi. Deeni nivarvanaku isoprothiolane 1.5 ml/lit prakaram pairantha thadichela pichikaari cheyyaali.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545		
Agriculture	Commercial crops	Chillies	IPM	15.12.15	Mirapalo virus vyaapthi chese tella domala niyantranaku yekaraku 15-20 pasupu jiguru pallaalu pettadam, traizophos, acetamaprid mariyu vepa noonelanu avasaraanugunangaa pichikaari chesukovali.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545		

Agriculture	Pulses/Comm. Crops	Chillis, Bengalgram	IPM	9.1.16	Mirapalo boodida, nivaranaku kerathane @ 1 ml/lit leda Calyxyn @ 2.0 ml/lit prakaram kalipi, pichikaari cheyyaali. Sanagaki Colletotrichum aadu yendukai Hexaconazole 2 ml/lit prakaram pichikari cheyyali.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545
Agriculture	Cereals/Pulses/Oilseeds	Varieties	ICM	22.1.16	Rabilo variki pratyamnayanga aruthadi pantalaina pesara(LGG 460), Minumu (PU 31), Sunflower, Korra (SIA 3088) leda Nuvvulu (Swetha) lanu vittanasuddi chesi vittukovali.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545
Agriculture	Commercial crops	Chillis, Mango	IPM	25.1.16	Mirapalo tella boodida niyantranaku azoxystrobin 1 ml/lit prakaram pichikari cheyyali. Mamidilo tenemanchu purugu nivaranaku Carbaryl 3g/lit neetiki kalipi spray cheyyaali.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545
Agriculture	Oilseeds	Groundnut	IPM	2.2.16	Verusanagalo laddepurugu nivaranaku Thiodicarb 1 g leda Novaluron 1.0 ml prakaram litre neetiki kalipi pichikaari cheyyali.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545
Agriculture	Pulses	Blackgram	IPM	5.2.16	Vari maganullo vesina aparalalo tella doma asinchi, mokkalu gidasabarinayi. Doma nivaranaku Tryzophos 2 ml/lit neetiki kalipi pichikari cheyyaali. Alane 1 yekaraku 20 pasupu rangu jiguru pallaalu	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545

Agriculture	Pulses	Blackgram	ICM	16.2.16	amarchukovali. Prastuta vatavaranamlo aparalaku neeti thadulu avasaramu. Panta pootha dasa mundu leda pinde mariyu kaya dasa lalo matrame telika paati neeti thadulu ivvali. Panta pootha meeda vunnacho neeti thadulivvaraadu.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545
Agriculture	Cereals	Rice	IPM	19.2.16	Varilo aakumudatha mariyu kandam tolchu purugu asinchaayi. Nivaranaku Cartap Hydrochloride 2g/lt pichikari cheyyaali.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545
Agriculture	Oilseeds	Groundnut	IPM	15.3.16	Verusanagalo laddepurugu nivaranaku Novaluron 1.0 ml prakaram litre neetiki kalipi pichikaari cheyyali.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545
Agriculture	Cereals	Rice	IPM	22.3.16	Varilo kandam tolchu purugu asinchaayi. Nivaranaku Cartap Hydrochloride 2g/lt pichikari cheyyaali.	1	1480	-	1480	65	-	65	1545	-	1545

HOME SCIENCE

Major Group	Category	Crop/ Enterprise	Thematic Area	Date	Message	No. of messages	Number of Farmers									Responses
							Others			SC/ST			Total			
							M	F	Tot	M	F	Tot	M	F	Tot	

Nil

WEATHER FORECAST

Agriculture	weather	forecast	Short term weather forecast	01-05-2015	Forecast of light rainfall for the next five days in Kurnool dist. T max 37-42 oc T min 23-26 oc wind speed 10-25 kmph.	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	8
Agriculture	weather	forecast	Short term weather forecast	05-05-2015	Chances of light rains for the next five days in Kurnool dist. T max 40-42 oc wind speed 16-20 kmph.	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	4
Agriculture	weather	forecast	Short term weather forecast	12-05-2015	Chances of light rains for the next five days in Kurnool dist. T max 38-39 oc wind speed 8-16 kmph.	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	6
Agriculture	weather	forecast	Short term weather forecast	19-05-2015	Forecast of light rainfall for the next five days in Kurnool dist. T max 41-42 oc T min 26-28 oc wind speed 6-8 kmph.	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	2
Agriculture	weather	forecast	Short term weather forecast	22-05-2015	No rainfall forecast for the next 5 days in Kurnool district , temperatures will be increased , T max 41-45 & T min 25-29 oc.	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	7
Agriculture	weather	forecast	Short term weather forecast	05-06-2015	Forecast of light rainfall for the next five days in Kurnool dist. T max 41-42 oc T min 23-26 oc	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	10

Agriculture	Weather	Forecast	Short term weather forecast	09-06-2015	wind speed 10-25 kmph. Chances of light rains for the next five days in Kurnool dist. T max 32-36 oc wind speed 20-25 kmph.	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	8
Agriculture	weather	forecast	Short term weather forecast	16-06-2015	Forecast of light rainfall for the next five days in Kurnool dist. T max 28-33 oc T min 24-25 oc wind speed 15-25 kmph.	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	15
Agriculture	weather	forecast	Short term weather forecast	19-06-2015	Chances of light rains for the next five days in Kurnool dist. T max 25-31 oc wind speed 27-35 kmph.	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	12
Agriculture	Weather	Forecast	Short term weather forecast	23-06-2015	Forecast of light rainfall for the next five days in Kurnool dist. T max 34-36 oc T min 23-26 oc wind speed 28-32 kmph.	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	8
Agriculture	weather	forecast	Short term weather forecast	07-08-2015	Forecast of light drizzles in the next 5 days in Kurnool dist. T MAX range 30 to 34 oc wind speed 20 to 26 kmph .	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	8
Agriculture	weather	forecast	Short term weather forecast	11-08-2015	Chances of light rainfall (2-6 mm) for the next 5 days in	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	15

Agriculture	weather	forecast	Short term weather forecast	14-08-2015	Kurnool dits wind speed 24 to 28 kmph. Chances of light rainfall (4-8 mm) for the next 5 days in Kurnool dits wind speed 20 to 20 kmph.	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	14
Agriculture	weather	forecast	Short term weather forecast	21-08-2105	Forecast of light rainfall for the next 5 days in Kurnool dist. T MAX range 30 to 35 oc wind speed 20 to 30 kmph .	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	9
Agriculture	Weather	Forecast	Short term weatheer forecast	25-08-2015	Forecast of light rains for the next 5 days in krnool dist T MAX 34-36 OC Wind speed 15-25 kmph.	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	13
Agriculture	weather	forecast	Short term weather forecast	04-09-2015	Forecast of light Rains for the next 5 days in Kurnool dist. T MAX range 29 to 35 oc wind speed 10 to 15 kmph .	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	8
Agriculture	weather	forecast	Short term weather forecast	08-09-2015	Chances of light rainfall (6-15 mm) for the next 5 days in Kurnool dits, wind speed 10 to 20 kmph.	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	15
Agriculture	weather	forecast	Short term weather forecast	15-09-2015	Chances of light rainfall (5-15 mm) for the next 5 days in Kurnool dits T MAX 31 to 33 oc , wind speed 20 to 30 kmph.	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	14
Agriculture	weather	forecast	Short term	22-	Forecast of light	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	9

			weather forecast	09-2105	drizzles for the next 5 days in Kurnool dist. T MAX range 32 to 34 oc wind speed 10 to 15 kmph.												
Agriculture	weather	forecast	Short term weather forecast	01-10-2015	Chances of medium rain for the next 5 days in Kurnool dist . T MAX 29-31,TMIN 22-23,Wind speed 5-15 kmph	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	5	
Agriculture	Weather	Forecast	Short term weather forecast	06-10-2015	Forecast of light rains for the next 5 days in Kurnool dist T MAX 29-32,TMIN 23-24,Wind speed 10-20 kmph	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	7	
Agriculture	Weather	Forecast	Short term weather forecast	13-10-2015	Forecast of light drizzles for the next 5 days in Kurnool dist T MAX 34-36,T MIN 21-23,Wind speed 5-10 kmph	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	9	
Agriculture	Weather	Forecast	Short term weather forecast	16-10-2015	Chances of light rains for the next 5 days in Kurnool dist T MAX 31-36,T MIN 23-25 , Wind speed 5-10 kmph	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	12	
Agriculture	Weather	Forecast	Short term weather forecast	06-11-2015	Chances of light rain for the next 3 days in Kurnool dist . T MAX 30-32,TMIN 20-21,Wind speed 5-15 kmph.	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	8	

Agriculture	Weather	Forecast	Short term weather forecast	13-11-2015	No rainfall forecast for the next 5 days in Kurnool dist..T MAX 29-33,TMIN 18-20,Wind speed 10-20 kmph .	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	9
Agriculture	Weather	Forecast	Short term weather forecast	20-11-2015	Forecast of light rains for the next 5 days in Kurnool dist .T MAX 28-30,T MIN 21-23,Wind speed 5-10 kmph .	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	6
Agriculture	Weather	Forecast	Short term weather forecast	24-11-2015	Chances of light rains for the next 5 days in Kurnool dist. T MAX 26-32,T MIN 18-21 , Wind speed 5-10 kmph.	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	9
Agriculture	Weather	Forecast	Short term weather forecast	02-02-2016	Forecast of no rainfall for the next five days in Kurnool dist. T max 36-38 oc T min 20-22 oc wind speed 5-7 kmph.	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	6
Agriculture	Weather	Forecast	Short term weather forecast	05-02-2016	Forecast of no rainfall for the next five days in Kurnool dist. T max 35-36 oc T min 21-22 oc wind speed 3-7 kmph.	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	8
Agriculture	Weather	Forecast	Short term weather forecast	09-02-2016	Forecast of no rainfall for the next five days in Kurnool dist. T max 34-36 oc T min 21-22 oc wind speed 3-7 kmph.	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	9
Agriculture	Weather	Forecast	Short term weather forecast	23-02-	No rainfall forecast for the next 5 days in	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	3

			forecast	2016	Kurnool district . T max 38-40 oc T min 24-25 oc wind speed 5-10 kmph.											
Agriculture	Weather	Forecast	Short term weather forecast	04- 03- 2016	Chances of light rainfall for the next 5 days in Kurnool district . T max 37-38 oc T min 21-22 oc wind speed 5-10 kmph.	1	292	20	312	32	-	32	324	20	344	3
Total:						32	13432	920	14352	1472	0	1472	14904	920	15824	279

(B) Details of SMSs:

Content category	No. of Messages	No. of Farmers	Feedback from farmers
Crop Production	6	1545	85
Crop Protection	22	1545	292
Livestock & Fisheries Advisory			
Weather Advisory			
Market information			
Events information			
Inputs availability			
Others (specify)			
Total	28	1545	377

3.5 Production and supply of Technological Products :

SEED MATERIALS

Major group/ class	Crop	Variety	Quantity (Qtl.)	Value (Rs)	Provided to No of Farmers
Cereals	Paddy	NDLR-7	155.70	4,64,400-00	250
		BPT-5204	590.10	16,05,000-00	950
Millets	Setaria	Suryanandi	23.44	80,000-00	350
		SIA-3085			
Pulses	Redgram	LRG 41	2.32	25000-00	200
		Asha	6.60	29,400-00	
		ICPH-2740	7.48	1,12,200-00	
	Blackgram	LBG-752	5.00	50,000-00	40

Summary

S.No.	Major group/ class	Quantity (qtl.)	Value (Rs)	Provided to No of Farmers
1	Cereals	745.80	20,69,400--00	1200
3	Millets	23.44	80,000-00	350
4	Pulses	21.40	2,16,600-00	240

PLANTING MATERIALS

Major group/class	Crop	Variety	Quantity (Nos.)	Value (Rs.)	Provided to No. of Farmers
FRUITS					
SPICES					
VEGETABLES					
	TOMATO	Hybrids	20,000	6000.00	4
	BRINJAL	Poluru	17,500	5250.00	3
	CHILLIS	Hybrids	3,29,700	98,910.00	28
	Others	-	15,000	4500.00	6
			3,82,200	1,14,660.00	41

SUMMARY

Sl. No.	Major group/class	Quantity (Nos.)	Value (Rs.)	Provided to No. of Farmers
1	FRUITS			
2	VEGETABLES	3,82,200	1,14,660.00	41
3	SPICES			
4	FOREST SPECIES			
5	ORNAMENTAL CROPS			
6	PLANTATION CROPS			
7	OTHERS			
TOTAL		3,82,200	1,14,660.00	41

BIO PRODUCTS

Sl. No.	Name of the Product	Qty (Kg./Lit./No.)	Amount (Rs.)		Remarks
			Cost of inputs	Gross income	
1	Pseudomonas	928	27,840-00	92,800-00	
2	Trichoderma	631	18,930-00	63,100-00	
3	Neem powder	18072	2,43,972-00	2,93,670-00	
4	PSB	467	14,010-00	23,350-00	
5	Azotobacter	116	3,480-00	5,800-00	
6	Azospirillum	45	1,350-00	2,250-00	
7	KMB	82	2,460-00	4,100-00	
			3,12,042-00	4,85,070-00	1,73,028-00

SUMMARY

Sl. No.	Product Name	Species	Quantity		Value (Rs.)	Provided to No. of Farmers
			No.s	(kg/lts/no)		
1	BIOAGENTS					
2	BIO FERTILIZERS	5	18,782	3,29,220-00		
3	BIO PESTICIDE	2	1,559	1,55,900-00		
	TOTAL	7	20,341	4,84,220-00		

LIVESTOCK

Sl. No.	Type	Breed	Quantity		Value (Rs.)	Provided to No. of Farmers
			Nos	Kgs		
Cattle						
SHEEP AND GOAT	Ram lambs	Nellore brown	28	280	70,000.00	12
	Ewes	Nellore brown				
	Culled ewes	Nellore Brown				
POULTRY	Backyard poultry	Rajasri	5480	-	3,83,600.00	415
FISHERIES						
Others (Specify)	Mineral mixture	-	-	267	18,690.00	14
	Cattle feed	-	-	2480	32240.00	8
	Fodder cuttings	-	-	70,000	19,000.00	19

SUMMARY

Sl. No.	Type	Breed	Quantity		Value (Rs.)	Provided to No. of Farmers
			Nos	Kgs		
1	CATTLE					
2	SHEEP	Nellore Brown	28	280	70,000.00	14
3	POULTRY	Rajasri	5480	-	3,83,600.00	415
4	FISHERIES					
5	OTHERS				69,930.00	41
TOTAL					5,23,530.00	470

3.6. Literature Developed/Published (with full title, author & reference)

A) KVK News Letter ((Date of start, Periodicity, number of copies distributed etc.)

B) Literature developed/published

1. Brochures & Booklets developed :

2. Articles and Scientific Publications:

- An article entitled “Study on effect of Azolla as Supplemental feed on Body weight gain in Rajasri birds” was published in Research Journal of Agricultural Sciences (An international Journal;NAAS rating-3.51) Vol.6(6):Nov-Dec 2015 pp:1415-1416.
- An abstract entitled “A field study on effect of Groundnut haulms supplemented feed on body weight gain in Nellore Brown ram lambs” was accepted for oral presentation at International Conference of ISAPM (INDIGENOUS) to be held from 28-31 January 2016 at Hyderabad.

3. Popular Articles

Title	Name of the scientist	Particulars
Benefits of hydroponic fodder production	A.Krishnamurthy	Pasunestam, June'15 pp.54-56
Role of nutrients in reproduction performance of milch animals	A.Krishnamurthy	Pasunestham Feb'16 pp.11-12
Published in news papers		
Selection of dairy animals for better production	A.Krishna Murthy	Saakshi (Paadi-panta) 08.01.16
Improvement of fat in milk	A.Krishna Murthy	Saakshi (Paadi-panta) 19.01.2016
Benefits of rajasri birds	A.krishna murthy	Saakshi (Paadi-panta) 02.02.2016
Raniketh disease in poultry	A.Krishna Murthy	Saakshi (Paadi-panta) 08.02.2016
Preparation of cattle feed from Agricultural by products	A.Krishna Murthy	Saakshi (Paadi-panta) 11.02.16
Silage making in bags	A.Krishna Murthy	Saakshi (Paadi-panta) 25.02.16
Benefits of hydroponic fodder	A.Krishna Murthy	Saakshi (Paadi-panta) 03.02.2016

(C) Details of Electronic Media Produced

S. No.	Type of media (CD / VCD / DVD / Audio-Cassette)	Title of the programme		Number
1	VCD	Hydroponics production	fodder	100

3.7. Success stories/Case studies, if any (two or three pages write-up on each case with suitable action photographs)

Success Stories

I. Gender Mainstreaming in Climate Change By Establishment of Bio-Gas Units - A

Whole Village Approach :

Introduction:

Krishi Vigyan Kendra adopted Yagantipalle village and survey was conducted in the village and it was found that nearly 80% of households are using fire wood in open chullahs. Cooking on open firewood again depends on the dietary pattern of the villagers i.e, for preparation of Jowar rotis which requires high flame. More than 50% of the households are having LPG Connections and the cost of LPG is Rs.550/- per cylinder. The households are having two to three milch animals. The dung is not properly utilized and disposed in their backyards which creates environmental in sanitation.

Methodology:

Group discussion was conducted with the women folk of that village and they expressed that Fetching of fire wood for long hours in hillocks and jungles induces drudgery i.e, body pains, scratches and injuries on hands and legs, thrustyness, dust on hair and majoring is social security problem, fearness towards LPG when they go out for farming activity and unaware of proper utilization of dung.



Krishi Vigyan Kendra, after discussion explained women about importance of construction of Bio-gas units and its advantages vs health hazards and difficulties with open fire wood cooking. In the beginning six women came forward for construction. The advantages of Bio-Gas plants created awareness among farm women. 22 Bio-gas units were constructed during the period from 2012 to 2014 under NICRA Project.

Impact: After Construction and using of the units, the farm women are very happy and expressed that the bio-gas.,

- Reduced drudgery in searching of firewood and provides social security
- Improved their quality of life and helped them for using their leisure time , labour and freeing them for economic productivity.
- Reduced expenditure (i.e, Rs.9500/-/year) on other rural energy resources like Wood, Hard coal, kerosene, plant



residues (Saves 32 lts of kerosene & 11/2 of tractor loads of firewood @ Rs 5000/- tractor).

- The dung is effectively utilizing for production of bio-gas and it produces quality compost of 10 tonnes/unit/year.
- The slurry from bio-gas units is using as organic manure in their farm in place of chemical fertilizers in turn reduces cost of cultivation.
- Reduces health risks i.e, respiratory diseases, eye ailments, burning accidents etc.for women and children associated with open fire.
- This Energy form is clean burning and completely natural so it has no adverse effects on the environment. It also reduces the amount of methane and carbon dioxide released into the environment.
- Reduced the risks and tensions associated with LPG when they leave home for farming activity.
- It also improves the sanitary condition of back yard and its surroundings by disposal of plant and animal wastes.



I. Millet Processing Unit – A Success Story of SHG Women :

Sri Umamaheswara Self Help Group of Yagantiplle village approached Krishi Vigyan



Kendra for establishing income generating unit for their economic and self sustainability. KVK encouraged SHG women to take up Millet processing unit. The Millet Processing Unit sanctioned to Krishi Vigyan Kendra under RKVY Millet Project of Acharya NG Ranga Agricultural University.

The women came forward for the unit establishment in their village. They constructed shed by hiring loan i.e, Rs 2.0 lakhs from Village organization. KVK behind the women group right from the technical guidance in Fixation of machineries, unit registration, Training in products preparation, Sample analysis, Products registration with FSSAI, Advertisement of the products and also marketing for the millet products.

The products produced by the group are Seteria rice, sorghum flour, sorghum bold & fine semolina, sorghum snacks, ragi flour, sorghum and seteria snack items. The women started their production with two qtls per month over a period of eight months geared their production from 80 to 100 qtls/month, with an net income of Rs. 6,000/- to



7,000/-. They also employed three women and paying Rs.100/day for 20 days in a month. They are selling products to departmental stores, Super markets at Nandyal, Kurnool, ANGRAU Foods, Hyderabad, Grovel Foods and Agro Products, Hyderabad.

These units subsequently promoted area, production and productivity of Sorghum and Seteria crops in the villages.

Millet Foods Centre:

Smt B. Lakshmi Devi W/o Sambasiva Reddy, a SHG women of Banaganapalle village with technical support from KVK, established “Millet Foods Centre” and supplying Sorghum Porridge, Ragi Porridge, Seteria Rice(Cooked) and Sorghum Rotis by taking orders through mobile phone. She is getting orders locally and also from nearby mandals. She also shown employment for another SHG women in



assisting her in preparation and packing of the cooked foods and paying Rs. 125/- per day for 20 days in a month. By establishing Millet Foods Centre, she is earning Rs. 3,300/- to 4,200/- per month as net income and she became popular in that area for Millet Foods.

Pickle Making Unit:

Smt K. Narayanamma W/o Veerachari a SHG women of Owk village with technical support from KVK, established “Shree Veerabrahmendra Swamy” Pickle Making Unit at Owk and preparing Tomato, Lemon, Ginger, Mango, Red Chillie, Gogu, Amla, Green Chillie pickles and selling locally and also in super markets, melas and exhibitions @ Rs. 100/- per Kg. By establishing pickle making unit, she is earning Rs. 1,100/- to 1,400/- per month as net income.

Dhal Processing Unit:

Dhal Processing Unit sanctioned to KVK from AICRP on Post Harvest Technology, Under “Central Sector Scheme” Dr.PDKV, Akola. KVK in order to encourage farm women for their self sustainability KVK spread this message in the villages and Smt B. Sakuntala W/o Ramanath Reddy belongs to Ramakrishnaveni Self Help Group of Yagantipalle Village showed willingness and came to KVK to establish Dhal Processing Unit in their village to become self sustainable by agreeing to the terms and conditions formulated by KVK. KVK Agreed to establish the unit in their village by taking MoU with the SHG Women. She started trail run in the month of March’2016 and got confidence with technical support from KVK. At present she is doing dehulling for redgram and charging Rs.250/- per Qt by hiring one women labour by paying Rs.150/- per day whenever is needed. At present she has done 7 qtls dehulling for redgram and got Rs.1450/- excluding labour and electricity charges over a period of 20 days. With this unit, the Dhal Recovery is 75%, Brokendhal 2.5%, Whole gram 2.5% and husk was 10%. Quality and dhal recovery is good.

Millet Bakery Unit:

Smt.A. Padmavathi W/o Subba Reddy belongs to Banaganapalle Village came to KVK to under go training on “Millet Bakery Products”. KVK imparted training on preparation of Jowar (Sweet & Salt), Foxtail (Sweet & Salt), Ragi Sweet, Bajra (Sweet& Salt),Multi grain (Sweet&Salt) etc. various millet bakery products with the commercial Millet Bakery Entrepreneur from Rajamundry. After the training, she started producing millet biscuits under the name” Shri Vaishnavi Millet Bakery Foods” and got registered with municipality. She is selling biscuits locally and also to the DW CRA Bazars and Super markets @ Rs.190/- per Kg. Excluding labour wages she is earning an net income of Rs.2200/- to Rs. 2700/- per month.



3. Calf registration and Healthy calf programme:

Introduction:

Dairy farming is the most sustainable livelihood to the farmers. Continuous growth in dairy sector in Kurnool district indicates the interest of the farmers towards this sector. Scientific rearing of dairy animals will keep the animals healthy as well as productive. Especially, calves are neglecting and are not offering proper medication and feeding. This resulting in poor growth rate and delayed maturity (4-5years). To educate the farmers towards scientific practices in calf rearing “Calf registration and healthy calf programme” was initiated during 2011-12 under NICRA project in Yagantipalle village.

Methodology:

Initially two villages viz. Yagantipalle and Meerapuram of Banaganapalle mandal were selected for the study. Training programme was organized to create awareness about the programme.

- The farmer has to register his calf immediately after birth
- Technical staff of KVK visits the calf and cut the umbilical cord and record the body weight. He will closely monitor calf in feeding of colostrums.
- A calf health card will be issued to the farmers filling the initial data about the calf.

Calf Health Card

- Calf health card contains details about medication, feeding and growth particulars of the registered calf.
- Every month a health camp will be conducted to treat the registered calves in both the villages.
- De-worming, Supplementation of Vit.A and B-Complex was done to the calves. Body weight was recorded in the health card.
- From the second month onwards, calf starter was provided to feed the calves along with milk as make balance diet.
- To mitigate the mineral deficiency, salt bricks were also given to the registered calves.
- In this programme, the registered calves were provided scientific feeding and medication up to six months age.

శ్రీ వాసుదేవశాయ ఎడ్యుకేషనల్ మరియు డాక్యుమెంట్ సాఫ్ట్ వేర్
 కృషి విజ్ఞాన కేంద్రం, యాగంట్లపల్లె
 ఏలూరు ప్రాంతం
దూడల ఆరోగ్య సమాచార కార్డు

రిజిస్ట్రేషన్ నంబరు: _____
 యజమాని పేరు: _____ గ్రామము, మండలము: _____
 దూడ పుట్టిన తేదీ: (అవ మని) ___/___/___ పుట్టినపుడు బరువు : _____ కిలోలు
 దూడ ఆరోగ్య పరిస్థితి _____

దూడ వయస్సు	వకీల వివరణ	విటమిన్ ఎ	వి కాంప్లెక్స్	దాణా పరిమాణం	దూడ బరువు	సంతకం
7 నెలలు						
1 నెల						
2 నెలలు						
3 నెలలు						
4 నెలలు						
5 నెలలు						
6 నెలలు						

ఎవని ఇంటికలు ఇచ్చిన తేదీ _____
 దాణా ఇచ్చిన తేదీ _____
 తేదీలు చేసిన తేదీ _____ గారితోపాటు వ్యాధి _____ గంట వ్యాధి వ్యాధి _____
 ఏలూరు ప్రాంతం కార్యదర్శి _____ ప్రోగ్రామ్ కో ఆర్డినేటర్ _____



Schedule of medication:

Age of the calf	Medication
7 th Day	Deworming
1 month	Deworming + Vit. A
2 months	De worming + Vit.A FMD Vaccination
3 months	Deworming + Vit A + B Complex
4 months	Deworming + Vit A + B Complex
5 months	Deworming + Vit A + B Complex
6 months	Deworming + Vit A + B Complex FMD vaccination

Result:

The registered calves gain 82.24kg in 5 months of age where as control group gain 55.83kg only. AS the growth rate was more, the calves exhibited heat early at 2 years age. The programme created a great impact among the farmers about calf rearing.

Particulars	Registered calves	Control
Initial Body weight (mean) kg	31.37	32.15
Final Body weight (mean) kg	113.61	87.98
Body weight gain (in 150 days)	82.24	55.83
Mortality (%)	4%	12%



The programme was taken up from 2011-12 in Yagantipalle and Meerapuram villages. 250 calves were registered and scientific practices were adopted under NICRA project during the year 2011-16. Among them 33 cow heifers and 9 buffalo heifers exhibited heat and conceived.

Year	No of calves registered		No. animals exhibited heat	
	White	Black	White	Black
2011-12	60	40	22	6
2012-13	50	50	9	3
2013-14	25	25	7	3
2014-15	-	25	4	-
2015-16		50	-	6
	135	190	42	18

Outcome:

The farmers convinced about the programme and adopted to their calves in both the villages. It helped the farmers to create awareness on scientific rearing of calves.

3.8 Give details of innovative methodology/technology developed and used for Transfer of Technology during the year

3.9 Give details of indigenous technology practiced by the farmers in the KVK operational area which can be considered for technology development (in detail with suitable photographs)

S. No.	Crop / Enterprise	ITK Practiced	Purpose of ITK
1	Redgram	When Jaggery solution is sprayed on the crop, black ants were attracted to the plants and all the egg and larval stages were seen eaten away by the ants.	To manage Helicoverpa in Redgram
2	Paddy	When 1.5 lt Neem oil is mixed with 25 kg sand and applied in 1 acre after reducing the water in the field, in 48 hours all the BPH were seen flushed out from the field and pungent smell of neem oil persists in the field for 5 days.	To control BPH in Paddy
3	Maize	Tieing of stitched old saris around the crop as border of Maize, to prevent the entry of wild boars into the field.	To prevent wild boar entry.
4	Paddy	Placing used bamboo baskets at water discharge points of bore wells	To prevent erosion of the soil.

3.10 Indicate the specific training need analysis tools/methodology followed for

Identification of courses for farmers/farm women

- Baseline survey
- Family survey
- PRA
- Group discussion

For Rural Youth

- Group discussion
- PRA
- Through interaction with farmers clubs

3.11 Field activities

- i. Number of villages adopted - 12
- ii. No. of farm families selected 300
- iii. No. of survey /PRA conducted - 12

3.12. Activities of Soil and Water Testing Laboratory

Status of establishment of Lab:

1. Year of establishment : 2005

2. List of equipments purchased with amount :

Sl. No	Name of the Equipment	Qty.	Cost
1	Digital pH Meter	1	7,080-00
2	u P based EC-TDS Analyser	1	13,680-00
3	Scanning Visible Spectrophotometer	1	36,800-00
4	uP based Flamephotometer	1	30,400-00
5	Nephelometer	1	7,600-00
6	Electronic KEL Plus Automatic Microprocessor (Digestion system)	1	79,200-00
7	Electronic Superior Automatic Microprocessor based Distillation system	1	1,42,300-00
8	Electronic Laboratory Shaker	1	57,350-00
9	Mettler Electronic Analytical Balance	1	91,843-00
10	INDION two bed portable Deioniazor	1	45,900-00
11	INDION portable mixed bed Deionizer	1	
12	Atomic Absorption spectrophotometer	1	8,11,108-00
Total		12	13,23,261-00

3.Details of samples analyzed so far:

Details	No. of Samples	No. of Farmers	No. of Villages	Amount realized (Rs. In Lakhs)
Soil Samples	6465	5677	475	8.49
Water Samples	1660	1616	297	1.58
Plant Samples	95	89	8	0.50
Total	8220	7382	780	10.57

3.13. Activities under rainwater harvesting (for those KVKs

Date	Nature of Activity	Title	Client (PF/R Y/EF)	No. of Courses	No. of Participants including SC/ST			No. of SC/ST Participants			Total Participants		
					M	F	Tot	M	F	Tot	M	F	Tot

4.0 IMPACT

4.1. Impact of KVK activities (Not to be restricted for reporting period).

Name of specific technology/skill transferred	No. of participants	% of adoption	Change in income (Rs.)	
			Before (Rs./Unit)	After (Rs./Unit)
Nutrient Management in rice based on STCR	559	52	48,959/ha	59,328/ha
Cultivation of Organic Rice	15	40	23,500/ha	29,000/ha
Hydroponics in fodder cultivation	25	45	-	-
Nursery raising in portraits	18	33	-	-
Own seed production in Rice	50	40	-	-
Vermicomposting	60	42	-	-
Designer blouses	50	40	4,000/month	7,000/month
Pickle making	40	10	-	3,000/ month
Dairy farming	20	25	-	-
Basic tailoring	200	55	-	4,000/ month
Kitchen gardening	100	40	-	300/month

3.2 Cases of large scale adoption (Please furnish detailed information for each case)

1. Soil test based nutrient application in rice for reduced costs of production.

Rice (*Oryza sativa* L.) is one of the main staple cereal food crops in the world. In 2007 about 650 million metric tones of unmilled rice was produced globally on about 157 million ha (FAO, 2008). KC canal and TBLLC command area is the most potential belt for paddy cultivation in Kurnool district of Andhra Pradesh. Paddy is being cultivated nearly in one lakh hectares in both Kharif and Rabi seasons. In order to get highest yields farmers resorted to excess use of chemical fertilizers which

leads to adverse effects on soil and crop with nutrient toxicity and deficiency either by over use or inadequate use, which in turn increases the production costs, subsidies on chemical fertilizers and environmental degradation.

Soil test based nutrient application helps to avoid wasteful expenditure on irrational nutrient application and realize higher benefit: cost ratio as the nutrients applied are in proportion to the magnitude of the deficiency of a particular nutrient and correction of the nutrient imbalances in soil.

One hundred and thirty frontline demonstrations were organized in farmer's fields from the year 2007 to 2009 and soil samples (0~0.15m depth) were collected and analyzed at soil testing laboratory, KVK, Yagantipalle before implementation of demonstrations.

RESULTS:

Soil characteristics:

The soils were neutral to moderate alkali in reaction with pH varying from 7.27 to 8.1 and EC ranged from 0.29 to 0.96 dsm⁻¹. The organic carbon content varied from 0.32 % to 0.98 %. Texture of the surface soil varied from sandy clay loam to clay loam. The soils were low to medium in N (ranging from 38 to 238 kg/ha kg/ha), medium to high in P (ranging from 54 to 469 kg/ha) and medium to high in K (from 152 to 831 kg/ha). Though these soils are considered to be fertile, they are deficient in nitrogen in all mandals but moderately high with available phosphorus and potassium in all mandals.

Nutrient Application: Based on soil test results the farmers of demonstration plots applied lower doses of N-P-K (230-19-59 Kg./ha, respectively) as compared to farmer's practice (317-190-62 Kg./ha, respectively) which is reflected in cost of production.

Yield and Economics of front line demonstrations:

S.No	Item	Demonstration (STCR)	Farmers practice
1	Mean yield of paddy grain (Kg./ha)	7402	6950
2	Cost of production per hectare (Rs.)	33968	40134
3	Gross returns per hectare (Rs.)	103239	109559
4	Net returns per hectare (Rs.)	75592	63105
5	C:B ratio	1:3.23	1:2.57

IMPACT OF STCR:

Additional income: Farmers of demonstration plots realized additional income of Rs.12487 per hectare over farmer's practice due to low cost of production and yield increments in demonstrations.

Farmer's feed back

Farmers were satisfied with crop performances and expressed that Soil test based nutrient management in rice is a viable technology, because of less cost on chemical fertilizers and without reduction in yield compared to their own practice. They finally realized that they are incurring higher

expenditure on fertilizers in the absence of soil testing of their fields. Many farmers have come forward to adopt this methodology in their fields.

Extent of Adoption: So far STCR based nutrient management was by adopted 253 farmers of TBLLC and KC canal command villages covering 500 ha. It was observed that reduction in cost on fertilizers is around Rs.30.0 lakh with an additional income of Rs.60.0 lakh due to adoption of soil test based nutrient management in rice.

2. Case study on crop intensification in Rainfed black soils (Double cropping) :

Name, address and mobile number of the farmer: A. Madhava Reddy, Appalapuram, Banaganapalli, Kurnool Dist, 9701623440

Background: On black soils of Kurnool district generally one crop Bengalgram/fallow-Jowar is being taken during Rabi (September - October) in an area of 3.02 laksh ha. Farmers are getting low net returns/ha . Foxtail millet (korra), crop being its short duration may fit well in double cropping sequence under rainfed situation in black soils. In order to increase Net returns/ha and cropping intensity in drylands this demonstration was planned.

Details of the activity implemented: Organised Demonstrations on crop intensification in Rainfed black soils (Double cropping), at Appalapuram Village of Banaganapalli mandal and provided critical inputs i.e seed, Fertilizers and P.P chemicals to the selected farmers. During the crop period five field visits were organized to the farmers and others farmers from different villages to show the new cropping system i.e growing of Seteria before bengalgram.

Initiation taken for follows up action:

After assessment of technology for two years, the successful results of the technology are considered for large scale adoption in the district. In order to create awareness on double cropping, three trainings were conducted to farmers, adarsha rythus and extension personnel. The methodology and results were published in Daily news papers. Out of 120 trained farmers twenty farmers were selected for demonstration in an area 20 acres and provided critical inputs like seteria seed, fertilizers and need based pp chemicals. Seteria crop was sown during the month of 1 st week of July and harvested during last week of September. Second crop i.e Bengalgram was Successfully sown during second week of October. During the crop period five field visits were organized to the farmers and others farmers from different villages to show the new cropping system i.e growing of Seteria before bengalgram.

Result : (photos-Farmers with crop, etc.): The results indicated th at highest net returns was obtained with Korra-Bengalgram sequence (Rs32948/ha) than fallow–bengalgram. The net income of the farmers was also increased in Korra- Bengalgram sequence which is calculated as Rs. 32948/- per ha which is Rs. 8535/- more than the Fallow- Bengalgram. This shows the increased profitability through Korra- Bengalgram sequence.

Conclusion: Foxtail millet (korra), crop being its short duration may fit well in double cropping sequence under rainfed situation in black soils. In order to increase net returns Rs/ha and cropping intensity, Seteria- bengalgram can be successfully grown in rainfed black soils, if on set of monsoon are intimate.

4.3 Details of impact analysis of KVK activities carried out during the reporting period

5.0 LINKAGES:

5.1 Functional linkage with different organizations

S.No.	Name of organization	Nature of linkage
1	FTC, Nandyal	Advisory board member, Krishi Vigyan Kendra as resource persons
2	RARS, Nandyal	Technical support to Krishi Vigyan Kendra
3	ATMA, Kurnool	GB member, AMC member, trainings, demonstrations, Kisan gostis.
4	DAATTC	DLCC member & technical support from DAATTC
5	Dept. of Agriculture	Advisory member for NWDPPRA & programs, supply of earthworms and organic farming.
6	Local NGOs	Technical support by KVK
7	Department of Women Development & Child Welfare	Training Programmes to Extension Functionaries
8	Child Fund India	Training on IG activities to Adolescent girls.
9	Department of Animal Husbandry	Organising, Health camps and Technical support
10	Dept. of Horticulture	Trainings
11	ICRISAT	Demonstrations, seed production
12	DRR	Demonstrations

5.2 List special programmes under taken by the KVK, which have been financed by State Govt./Other Agencies

Name of the scheme	Date/ Month of initiation	Funding agency	Amount (Rs.)
Anganwadi Trainings	April, 2015	Women Development & Child Welfare	14,00,000-00
National Initiative on Climate Resilient Agriculture	April-2015	CRIDA	12,50,000-00

5.3 Details of linkage with ATMA

a) Is ATMA implemented in your district: Yes

S. No.	Programme	Nature of linkage	Remarks
1	Training Programme		
2	Demonstrations		
3	Exposure visit		
4	Kisan ghosti	Financial support from ATMA	
5	Technology assessment & refinement		

5.4 Give details of programmes implemented under National Horticultural Mission

S. No.	Programme	Nature of linkage	Constraints if any
NIL			

5.5 Nature of linkage with National Fisheries Development Board

S. No.	Programme	Nature of linkage	Remarks
NIL			

6.PERFORMANCE OF INFRASTRUCTURE IN KVK :

6.1 Performance of demonstration units (other than instructional farm)

Sl. No.	Demo Unit	Year of estt.	Area	Details of production			Amount (Rs.)		Net income
				Variety	Produce	Qty. tones	Cost of inputs	Gross income	
1	Vermi composting unit	2003	-	<i>Udrilus eugeni</i>	Vermi compost Earthworms	154 551 Kg	3,60,500	861485	5,00,985
2	IBRC	2010	-	Pseudomonas	Pseudomonas	928	27,840-00	92,800-00	
				Trichoderma	Trichoderma	631	18,930-00	63,100-00	
				Neem powder	Neem powder	18072	2,43,972-00	2,93,670-00	
				PSB	PSB	467	14,010-00	23,350-00	
				Azotobacter	Azotobacter	116	3,480-00	5,800-00	
				Azospirillum	Azospirillum	45	1,350-00	2,250-00	
				KMB	KMB	82	2,460-00	4,100-00	
							3,12,042-00	4,85,070-00	1,73,028-00

7.2 Performance of instructional farm (Crops) including seed production:

Name of the crop	Date of sowing	Date of harvest	Area (ha)	Details of production			Amount (Rs.)		Remarks
				Variety	Type of Produce	Qty (Qtl).	Cost of inputs	Gross income	
Cereals									
Paddy	1 St wk of Aug	Last wk of Dec	3.0	NDLR-7	Seed	155.70	2,00,000	4,64,400-00	
	1 St wk of Aug	1 St wk of Jan	9.0	BPT-5204	Seed	590.10	7,50,000	16,05,000-00	-
Millets									
Setaria	3 rd wk of July	2 nd wk of Oct.	0.6	Suryanandi SIA-3085	Seed	23.44	50,000-	80,000.00	
Pulses									
Pigeonpea	Last wk of July	2 nd wk of Jan	0.6	LRG-41 ICPH-2740 Asha	Seed	16.4	65,000-	1,66,600-00	
Blackgram	Oct	3 rd wk of Jan	0.4	LBG-752	seed	5.00	15,000	50,000-00	

6.3 Performance of production Units (bio-agents / bio pesticides/ bio fertilizers etc.,)

Sl. No.	Name of the Product	Qty (Kg./Lit./No.)	Amount (Rs.)		Remarks
			Cost of inputs	Gross income	
1	Pseudomonas	928	27,840-00	92,800-00	
2	Trichoderma	631	18,930-00	63,100-00	
3	Neem powder	18072	2,43,972-00	2,93,670-00	
4	PSB	467	14,010-00	23,350-00	
5	Azotobacter	116	3,480-00	5,800-00	
6	Azospirillum	45	1,350-00	2,250-00	
7	KMB	82	2,460-00	4,100-00	
			3,12,042-00	4,85,070-00	1,73,028-00

6.4 Performance of instructional farm (livestock and fisheries production)

Sl. No	Name of the animal / bird / aquatics	Details of production			Amount (Rs.)		Remarks
		Breed	Type of Produce	Qty.	Cost of inputs	Gross income	
1	Poultry	Rajasri	Chicks	5480	2,74,000.00	3,56,200.00	
2	Sheep	Nellore Brown	Ram lambs and Ewes & Goats	28	35,000.00	70,000.00	

6.5 Rainwater Harvesting

Training programmes conducted by using Rainwater Harvesting Demonstration Unit

Date	Title of the training course	Client (PF/RV /EF)	No. of Courses	No. of Participants including SC/ST			No. of SC/ST Participants		
				Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total

6.6 Utilization of hostel facilities:

Accommodation available (No. of beds) : 40

Months	Title of the training course/Purpose of stay	No. of trainees stayed	Trainee days (days stayed)	Reason for short fall (if any)
April-15		30	30	
Total		30	30	
May,15		29	29	
Total		29	29	
June,15				
Total				
July,15		40	80	
Total		40	80	
Aug,15		60	90	
Total		60	90	
Sep,15		113	176	
Total		113	176	
Oct,15				
Total				
Nov,15				
Total				
Dec,15				
Total				
Jan,16				
Total				
Feb,16				
Total				
Mar,16		100	100	
Total		100	100	
Grand total		372	505	

7. FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

7.1 Details of KVK Bank accounts

Bank account	Name of the Bank	Location	Account Number
With Host Institute			
With KVK			
Main A/C	Andhra Bank	Banaganapalle	SB 005910011006023
Revolving Fund	Andhra Bank	Banaganapalle	SB 005910011006024

7.5 Utilization of KVK funds during the year 2015-16

S. No.	Particulars	Sanctioned	Released	Expenditure
A. RECURRING ITEMS				
1	Pay & Allowances	105.15	87.46	97.06
2	Traveling allowances	1.80	1.80	1.80
3	Contingencies			
A	Stationery, telephone, postage and other expenditure on office running, publication of Newsletter and library maintenance (purchase of News paper & Magazines)	5.18	5.18	5.17
B	POL, repair of vehicles, tractor and equipments			
C	Meals/refreshment for trainees (celling upto Rs.40/day/trainee be maintained)	6.32	6.32	6.29
D	Training material (posters, charts, demonstration material including chemicals etc., required for conducting the training).			
E	Frontline demonstration except oilseeds and pulses (minimum of 30 demonstration in a year)			
F	On farm testing (on need based location specific and newly generated information in themajor production systems of the area)			
G	Training of extension functionaries			
H	Honarorium for Trainers			
I	Establishment of Soil, Plant & Water Testing Laboratory			
J	Libray			
K	Maintenance of farm			
	TOTAL (A)	118.45	100.76	110.32
B. NON RECURRING ITEMS				
	1. Works			
	2. Furniture & Equipment			
	3. Vehicle			
	4. Library			
	TOTAL (B)	-	-	-
C. FLD Cotton				
	TOTAL (C)			
D. Non Recurring Contingencies				
1	Works			
2	Equipments including SWTL & Furniture			
3	Vehicle (Four wheeler/Two wheeler, please specify)			
4	Library (purchase of assets like books & journals)			
	TOTAL (D)			
GRAND TOTAL (A+B+C+D+E)		117.62	117.62	

7.5 Status of revolving fund (Rs. in lakhs) for the three years

Year	Opening balance as on 1st April	Income during the year	Expenditure during the year	Net balance in hand as on 1st April of each year
April - 2013 to March - 2014	52,10,136-00			57,30,752-00
April - 2014 to March - 2015	57,30,752-00			69,51,345-00
April - 2015 to March - 2016	69,51,345-00	52,97,621-00	61,28,940-00	61,20,026-00

8.0 Please include information which has not been reflected above (write in detail).

8.1 Constraints:

- (a) Administrative
- (b) Financial
- (c) Technical

ANNEXURE – 1

District Profile :

1. General Census :

Area	:17658 sq. km
Population	:35.29 lakhs
Male population	: 17.96 lakhs
Female population	: 17.33 lakhs
No of households	: 6.99 lakhs
Inhabited villages	: 1514
Literates	: 15.92 lakhs
Literacy rate	: 53.22
Normal rainfall	: 670.0 mm
Revenue villages	: 928
Gram panchayats	: 898

2. Agricultural and Allied Census :

Gross cropped area	9.91 lakh ha
Net cropped area	8.86 lakh ha
Cropping intensity	111.87 %
Gross area irrigated	2.31 lakh ha
Net irrigated area	1.92 lakh ha
Forests	3.18 lakh ha
Cultivable waste	0.77 lakh ha
Uncultivable land	0.99 lakh ha
Land put to non agricultural use	1.35 lakh ha
Permanent pastures	0.04 lakh ha
Other fallow lands	1.21 lakh ha
Current fallows	1.16 lakh ha
Net area sown	8.86 lakh ha
Area sown more than once	1.05 lakh ha
No of marginal farmers	2.02 lakhs
No of Small farmers	1.41 lakhs
No. of Medium farmers	0.51 lakhs
No. of Large farmers	0.09 lakhs

Cultivators	3.64 lakhs
Agricultural labour	6.25 lakhs
Livestock population	24.44 lakhs
Cattle population	4.29 lakhs
No of Buffaloes	4.59 lakhs
Sheep	11.49 lakhs
Goat	3.87 lakhs
Pigs	13.47 lakhs
Poultry	11.79 lakhs

3. Agroclimatic Zones :

Scarce rainfall zone Low scanty and erratic rainfall due to which successful crop production with good yields is unexpected and dryland agriculture is predominant with a variety of rainfed crops in the zone.

4. Agro –Eco systems :

K.C.Canal irrigated red soils
T.B.Low level canal irrigation red soils
T.B.High level canal irrigation black soils
K.C.Canal irrigation blacksoils
T.B.Low level canal irrigation black soils
T.B.high level canal irrigation black soils
Problem soils
Tank irrigation red soils
Tank irrigation black soils
Well irrigation red soils
Rainfed red soils
Rainfed black soils

5. Major and micro farming systems :

- 1 Agriculture + Horticulture
- 2 Agriculture + Dairy
- 3 Agriculture + Horticulture + Dairy
- 4 Agriculture + Horticulture + Pastural culture

6. Major production systems :

Paddy- Paddy,
Greengram- Paddy,
Paddy- Groundnut/ vegetables
Paddy-fallow
Paddy/Groundnut/vegetables-fallow
Paddy- Greengram- Paddy,
Paddy/Groundnut- vegetables
Sunflower/ Groundnut- fallow
Groundnut/ Cotton- fallow
Sunflower- Groundnut
Groundnut- Sunflower
Cotton-fallow
Paddy- Sunflower
Cotton/Onion- fallow
Cotton/Onion/ Chillies- fallow
Sunflower- Groundnut+ Redgram
Groundnut+ Jowar, Cotton
Cotton+ redgram/ Korra/ Redgram-fallow
Jowar/Bengalgram/Tobacco- fallow
Jowar-fallow
Groundnut-fallow

7. Major agriculture and allied enterprises

Agriculture
Horticulture
Floriculture
Olericulture
Silviculture
Pastoral culture
Dairy farming
Pisciculture
Sheep farming
Goatry

ANNEXURE –2

Agro-ecosystem Analysis of the focus/target area:

1 .Names of villages, focus area, target area etc.

Farming situation	Name of the village	Focus area	Target area
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2. Survey methods used (survey by questionnaire, PRA, RRA, etc.)

Questionnaire: Primary and secondary data about the villages was collected through a pre scheduled questionnaire by gathering a group of farmers. Information about the management practices being followed and technology used was collected from individual farmers through semi structured interview schedule.

3. Various techniques used and brief documentation of process involved in applying the techniques used like release transect, resource map, etc.

Resource map: Villagers were involved in a transect walk along the pathways of the village and later on a social map was drawn to know the resources available in and around the villages.

4. Analysis and conclusions:

Rainfed red soils:

Major crops are Sunflower, Groundnut, Jowar and Redgram Specific constraints are poor soil fertility and water retentivity, late rains, drought and frequent dry spells. Production constraints are improper spacing, non usage of recommended fertilizers , high doses of pesticides. Potentials identified are rainfed greengram to enrich soils, encourage inter crops against failures.

Rainfed black soils:

Major crops are Bengalgram & Cotton. Specific constraints are erratic rainfall, drought, frequent dry spells and terminal drought in bengalgram and jowar. Production constraints are improper spacing, non usage of recommended fertilizers, and high doses of pesticides. Potentials identified are rainfed greengram to enrich soils, encourage inter crops against failures.

TBP LLC canal irrigated black soils:

Main crops are Groundnut, Sunflower, and Paddy: Specific constraints are late and uncertain release of water due to erratic rainfall, non availability of water in tail end areas. Production constraints are poor pod filling in groundnut. Potentials identified are double cropping in tail end areas and growing of off – season vegetables.

TBP LLC canal irrigated red soils:

Main crops are Paddy, Groundnut and vegetables like Onion Chillies and Tomato. Specific constraints are soils poor in organic carbon content, water problem in tail end areas due to erratic rainfall leading to non availability of water in critical crop stages. Production constraints are high N&P application in paddy, poor pod filling in groundnut. Potentials identified are greengram or green manure crop preceding paddy to enrich soil and kharif pulse crop in the follow areas.

5. List of location specific problems and brief description of frequency and extent/ intensity/severity of each problem:

Rainfed red soils: The area being mostly rainfed, farmers were found to be non aware of moisture conservation measures, methods of fertilizer application, appropriate spacing etc.

- Need based plant protection measures are not adopted.
- Traditional varieties are cultivated. Crop rotation is not followed.
- **Groundnut:**
 - Proper plant population not maintained.
 - Usage of local variety for a long time.
 - Improper fertilizer management.
 - Lack of knowledge on usage of bio pesticides.

Rainfed black soils:

- **Mungari cotton:**
 - Proper spacing not adopted.
 - Non awareness of IPM measures.
- **Bengalgram:**
 - No practice of growing preceding crop to Bengalgram.
 - Latest improved varieties not adopted.
 - Proper management practices not followed.
 - IPM techniques not adopted.

TBP LLC canal irrigated red soils:

- Improved and high yielding varieties not grown.
- Indiscriminate usage of fertilizers.
- Recommended spacing and plant population not followed.
- Timely and proper plant protection measures not adopted.

Paddy:

- High doses of fertilizers being applied.
- IPM techniques not adopted.

Groundnut:

- Improved varieties not adopted.
- IPM measures not followed.
- Non usage of micronutrients.

Tank irrigation black soils:

Chillis:

- Indiscriminate usage of Fertilizers and pesticides.
- Direct sowing of seed. No nursery management.

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