

## Training programme cum farm implements distribution to SC farmers under SCSP scheme of the tribale area conducted at Veganpur, Panch Mahal, Gujarat (25.12.2020)

The ICAR-Directorate of Medicinal and Aromatic Plants Research (ICAR-DMAPR) has organised one day farmers training program on 25.12.2020 at *Veganpur, Panch Mahal*. under SCSP scheme for the “**Promotion of medicinal plants cultivation for livelihood and health security of SCs in Gujarat**” in Gujarat. The objective was to create awareness among the poor farmers about the medicinal plants, their importance and long-term objective was to promote the cultivation of medicinal plants at commercial scale to uplift the socio-economic status. Total 50 poor farmers participated in this training programme, which was inaugurated with the floral welcome of our one progressive farmer by Dr. R.P. Meena. Dr. P L. Saran, Chairman of the SCSP committee introduced the scheme and its associated activities to the farmers. Dr. Meena, emphasised on general health issues and cultivation of medicinal plants in tribal areas. In that programme, 50 tins of 2.0 quantal capacity were distributed to participants. The programme was concluded with the vote of thanks proposed by Shri S.B. Prajapati.



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