One day Farmer’s training on “Cultivation of medicinal and aromatic plants” under central sector scheme

One day farmer’s training on “Cultivation of medicinal and aromatic plants” during February 04, 2020 at Kanjari, Kadi under Central Sector Scheme, DASD Calicut, Kerala has been organized by the ICAR-Directorate of Medicinal and Aromatic Plants Research (DMAPR), Anand, Gujarat. The aim of this training was to provide knowledge to farmers and transfer of technology through trainers with recent development in MAPs. The program was chaired by Dr. G.M. Patel, Retired Professor, SDUAT, Dantiwada and he emphasized on pest management in MAPs. Approximately more than Hundred farmers participated from Kanjari, Medha as well as nearby villages. The training was succeeded with lectures on MAPs. GAP of medicinal plants covered by Dr. K.A. Kalariya and disease management in MAPs covered by Dr R.P. Meena. Primary processing and marketing aspects were covered by Shri Sanjay Bajaj, Fresh Mentra and Hitakshi Rana from Dhanvantri Pvt. Ltd. Ahmedabad. A lecture on sustainable cultivation of MAPs was delivered by Dr. P.L. Saran. The front-line demonstration on palmarosa and distillation unit were visited by experts and farmers.

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