

All India Coordinated Research Project on Cotton



South & Central Zone Annual Group Meeting 2019

Venue: ANGRAU, Guntur

Dates: May 30-31, 2019

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Programme Schedules AICRP on Cotton

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Venue: ANGRAU, Guntur, Andhra Pradesh

FIRST DAY: 30th May, 2019 (Thursday)

Registration: 9.00 - 9.30 am

Inaugural Session: 9.30 - 11.00 am

ICAR & SAU Song	:	
Welcome Address	:	Director of Research, ANGRAU, Guntur, AP
Lighting the Lamp	:	All Dignitaries
AICRP Research Highlights	:	Dr. A.H. Prakash, Project Coordinator, AICRP on Cotton
Special Address	:	Dr. V. N. Waghmare, Director, ICAR - CICR, Nagpur
Special Address	:	Dr. P.G. Patil, Director, CIRCOT, Mumbai
Special Address	:	Dr. R.K. Singh, ADG (CC), ICAR, New Delhi
Special Address	:	Dr. C.D. Mayee, former ASRB Chairman
Release of publications	:	AICRP Annual Report, NFSM-FLD Annual Report and other Publications
Inaugural Address	:	Dr. A K. Singh, DDG (CS), ICAR, New Delhi
Presidential Address	:	Dr. V. Damodara Naidu, Vice Chancellor, ANGRAU, Guntur, AP
Vote of Thanks	:	Dr. (Mrs) Rathnakumari, Head, Cotton Section, Guntur, Ap

Tea Break: 11.00 to 11.20 am

Session I: 11.30 am - 1.30 pm: Review of results of AICRP trials during 2018-19

Chairman	:	Dr. A K. Singh, DDG (CS), ICAR, New Delhi
Co-Chairman	:	Dr. R.K. Singh, ADG (CC), ICAR, New Delhi Dr V.N. Waghmare, Director, CICR, Nagpur
Convener	:	Dr. A.H. Prakash, PC (Cotton Improvement)
Breeding Trails	:	Dr. S. Manickam, PI (Breeding), CICR, Coimbatore
Agronomy Trials	:	Dr. K. Sankaranarayanan, PI (Agronomy), CICR, Coimbatore
Entomology Trials	:	Dr. (Mrs) B. Dharajothi, PI (Entomology), CICR, Coimbatore
Pathology Trials	:	Dr. Dilip Monga, PI (Pathology), CICR, Sirsa
Fiber Quality Evaluation	:	Dr. Pradeep Kumar Madhyan, PI (Quality Evaluation), CIRCOT, Mumbai
Rapporteurs	:	1) 2)

Lunch Break: 1.30 - 2.30 pm

Session II: 2.30 - 4.00 pm: Interactive Session with Stakeholders (PPP)

Chairman: Dr A.K. Singh, DDG (CS), ICAR, New Delhi

Co Chairman: Dr. R. K. Singh, ADG(CC), ICAR, New Delhi

Tea Break: 4.00 – 4.15 pm

Session III: 4.15 - 7.00 pm: Concurrent Sessions: Discipline wise discussion of results of 2018-19 and formulation of technical programme for 2019-20

A. PLANT BREEDING PANEL (Formulation of ICAR Bt Trial, National trials, and Zonal Trials)

Chairman	:	Dr. R.K. Singh, ADG (CC), ICAR, New Delhi
Co-Chairman	:	Dr. V N Waghmare, Director, ICAR - CICR, Nagpur
Convener	:	Dr. S. Manickam, PI-Plant Breeding (AICRP on Cotton)
Rapporteurs	:	1) 2)

B. AGRONOMY PANEL

Chairman	:	Dr A.S. Rao, Principal Scientist and Comptroller, ANGRAU, Guntur
Co-Chairman	:	Dr. Blaise Desouza, Head, Crop Production, CICR, Nagpur
Convener	:	Dr. K. Sankaranarayanan, PI-Agronomy (AICRP on Cotton)
Rapporteurs	:	1) 2)

C. ENTOMOLOGY PANEL

Chairman	:	Dr. Nandini Gokte Narkhedkar, Head, Crop Protection Division, CICR, Nagpur
Co-Chairmen	:	Dr S.R. Koteswara Rao, Dean of Student Affairs & Entomologist, ANGRAU, Guntur Dr. Y.P. Singh, PS (CC), ICAR, New Delhi
Convener	:	Dr. (Mrs) B. Dharajothi, PI-Entomology (AICRP on Cotton)
Rapporteurs	:	1) 2)

D. PATHOLOGY PANEL

Chairman	:	Dr G. Krishna Prasad, Prof. & Head, Pathology, ANGRAU, Guntur
Convener	:	Dr. Dilip Monga, PI-Pathology (AICRP on Cotton)
Rapporteurs	:	1) 2)

Dinner: 8.00 – 9.00pm

SECOND DAY: 31st May, 2019 (Friday)

Session IV: 9.30 am - 1.00 pm: Central Variety Identification Committee (CVRC) meet for Bt Variety & Hybrids
2.00 - 4.30 pm: Central Variety Identification Committee (CVRC) meet for Non-Bt Variety & Hybrids

Session V: 9.30 – 11.00 am: Transfer of Technology Front Line Demonstrations

Chairman	:	Dr. Anil Pratap Singh, Addl. Commissioner (Crops), DAC, GOI, New Delhi
Co-Chairmen	:	Dr. R. P. Singh, Director, DCD, Nagpur Dr. S. N. Wasnik, Principal Scientist, ICAR – CICR, Nagpur
Convener	:	Dr. S. Usha Rani, Principal Scientist, ICAR – CICR, RS, Coimbatore
Rapporteurs	:	1) 2)
	:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation by Nodal Scientists of respective centres • PPV&FRA in Cotton: Dr. K. Rathinavel, Pr. Scientist, CICR, Coimbatore • Germplasm Status: Dr. Sunil Mahajan, Scientist & Curator, Germplasm unit, ICAR-CICR, Nagpur

Tea Break: 11.00 – 11.15 am

Session VI: 11.30 am - 12.30 pm: Special Lecture

Chairman	:	Dr. V. N. Waghmare, Director, ICAR-CICR, Nagpur
Special Lecture 1	:	Dr. C. D. Mayee, Former Chairman, ASRB, New Delhi
Special Lecture 2	:	Dr. M. V. Venugopalan, Principal Scientist (Agronomy), ICAR-CICR, Nagpur

Lunch Break: 1:00 – 2:00 pm

Tea Break: 4.30- 5.00 pm

Session VII: 5.00 - 06.30 pm: Plenary Session
Presentation of Technical Programme (2019-20)
by respective Chairman/Co-Chairman/Convener of the panel

Chairman	:	Dr. A. K. Singh, DDG (Crop Sciences) ICAR, New Delhi
Co-Chairman	:	Dr. R. K. Singh, ADG (CC), ICAR, New Delhi Dr. V. N. Waghmare, Director, ICAR-CICR, Nagpur
Chairman/ Conveners of session	:	Dr. S. Manickam, PI (Breeding)
	:	Dr. K. Sankaranarayanan, PI (Agronomy)
	:	Dr. (Mrs) B. Dharajothi, PI (Entomology)
	:	Dr. Dilip Monga, PI (Pathology)
Rapporteurs	:	1) 2)

Felicitations to Retiring Scientist of AICRP on Cotton

Session VIII: 6.30 - 7.00 pm: Concluding session

Chairman	:	Dr. A. K. Singh, DDG (Crop Sciences) ICAR, New Delhi
Co-Chairman	:	Dr. R. K. Singh, ADG (CC), ICAR, New Delhi

Vote of Thanks: Dr A.H. Prakash, Project Coordinator (Cotton Improvement), followed by Dinner