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Farmers' Interaction Programme, 31st July 2015 at Tatiparthi Village, East Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh

Dr S N Sushil, Plant Protection Adviser to Government of India visited the Project Areas of CropLife India Pilot Project on Responsible Use of Pesticides and Container Management being conducted in East Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh.

A Farmers' Interaction Programme was organized on 31 July 2015 in Tatiparthi Village, East Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh. The CropLife India Stewardship Team comprising Mr. G. Srivastava, CropLife India, Mr Ravindranath Hegde, DuPont, Dr Sushil Desai, Bayer CropScience, Dr Atimanav Gaur, Mr Parameswara Rao, Dow AgroSciences & Mr. Varun Goel, CropLife India participated among other members.

No. of Farmers who attended the programme: 90 farmers



Glimpses of the Farmers' Interaction Programme

Field Demonstration Programme, 1st August 2015 at Farmers' Field Tatiparthi Village, East Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh

CropLife India organized a field demonstration programme on 1 August 2015 in Tatiparthi Village, East Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh. The two hour long field demonstration session involved training by master trainers to farmers on spraying machines, spraying techniques, sprayer maintenance, triple rinsing and personal protection equipment (PPE). The programme ended with a short quiz and prizes were distributed.

No. of Farmers who attended the programme: 30 farmers



Glimpses of the Field Demonstration Programme

Inauguration of Pilot Project in East Champaran District, Bihar 17th August 2015

The Inauguration of CropLife India Pilot Project on “Responsible Use of Pesticides and Container Management” East Champaran District ,Bihar was held on 17th August, 2015 at Gandhi Smarak,Chandrahia Village, Motihari Block, East Champaran District, Bihar . This Pilot Project is being conducted under the aegis of Grow Safe Food campaign and is supported by Department of Agriculture and co-operation.

Shri Radha Mohan Singh, Hon’ble Union Minister of Agriculture inaugurated the Pilot Project and addressed the gathering.

Shri Pramod Kumar, MLA Motihari block, Shri Ram Babu Singh, District Agriculture Officer, Motihari, Shri Rajendra Gupta, President of Cold Storage Unit, Motihari and Ex-chairman Zila Parishad, Motihari, Shri Kumar Ashwani, Block Development Officer, Motihari, Shri Laxman Prasad, Project Director ATMA were also present at the inaugural event.

No. of Farmers who attended the programme: 196 farmers



Glimpses of the Programme

CropLife India Stewardship Group Face to Face Meeting 29th October, 2015

A Face to Face meeting of CropLife India Stewardship group was held on 29th October, 2015 in Mumbai.

The Agenda of the meeting was as follows:

1. Action Taken Report and Progress Report of the RU and CM Projects in Andhra Pradesh and Bihar
2. Discussion on Mass Awareness Programmes (Stewardship Day)
3. Baramati Pollinator Project
4. Pesticide Residue in Indian Food and Secure Storage of Pesticide

The following members of CropLife Stewardship Group participated in the delegation:

- Rajul Edoliya - DuPont India Pvt Ltd
- Raghavan Sampathkumar- CropLife Asia
- Somang Yang- CropLife Asia
- Yashwant Patil- Syngenta India Limited
- Ravi Hegde- DuPont India Pvt Ltd
- Sushil Desai- Bayer CropScience Ltd
- AS Indulkar- FMC-Cheminova India Ltd
- Saumendra Nayak- BASF India Ltd.
- P. Suriya Prabha- CropLife International
- Shabnam Hussain- DuPont India Pvt Ltd
- Varun Goel- CropLife India



Glimpse of the CropLife India Stewardship Meeting



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