

EXTENSION EDUCATION





5.1 Directorate of Extension Education

The Directorate of Extension Education was established according to the Chapter-3, Part-IX vide Section 14.1(3) of the Gujarat Agricultural Universities Act-2004, for dissemination of the research findings and technical informations through extension education programmes. The main function of the Directorate is to plan, coordinate, organize and guide the extension education programmes in the university and to ensure efficient working of the extension activities in close coordination with other development departments and state voluntary organizations, other officers and scientists of the university. Extension Education is one of the triple functions of the Junagadh Agricultural University to boost up the crops and animal production. The University has been making substantial contribution in diffusing and communicating agricultural technologies among the extension personnel and farming community of the region. The technologies generated in agriculture and allied sciences by the University are being transferred to the end users. Dr. A.M. Parakhia supervised and guided the extension education activities during the reporting year

5.2 Extension Education Council

The Extension Education Council was constituted according to the provision of the Gujarat Agricultural Universities Act-2004 in exercise of the statutes No S.31 & notification of Registrar No. JAU/Reg/Aca-2/Ext.Edu. Council/13887-13936/2013, date 31-07-2013. During the year 2015-16, Extension Education Council meeting was held on 12.01.2016. The members of Extension Education Council during 2015-16 were as under.

Sr.No.	Name / Designation	Position				
1.	The Vice Chancellor					
	Dr. A.R. Pathak, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor	Chairman				
2.	The Director of Research					
	Dr. A.Y. Desai, Director of Research and Dean P.G.	Member				
3.	The Deans of Faculties					
	1. Dr. A.V. Barad, Principal & Dean, College of Agriculture, JAU, Junagadh					
	2. Dr. N.K. Gontia, Principal & Dean, College of Agril. Engg. & Technology,					
	JAU, Junagadh					
	3. Dr. A.Y. Desai, Principal & Dean, College of Fisheries, JAU, Veraval					
	4. Dr. P.H. Tank, Principal & Dean, College of Veterinary Sci. & A.H.,	Member				
	JAU, Junagadh					
	5. Dr. K.A. Khunt, Principal, PGIABM, JAU, Junagadh					
	6. Dr. V.P. Chovatia, Principal, College of Agriculture, JAU, Amreli	Invitee				
4.	Five Officer/ Extension Education Experts (Nominated by the Vice Chancellor)					
	1. Dr. P.R. Kanani, Professor & Head, Department of Extension Education,	Member				
	JAU, Junagadh					
	2. Dr. M.V. Ramdevputra, Principal, Agriculture Polytechnic, JAU, Dhari	Member				
	3. 1. Dr. B.B. Kabaria, Research Scientist, Main Dry Farming Research Station,	Member				
	JAU, Targhadia					
	2. Dr. N.P. Shukla, Programme Coordinator, Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Sanosara	Member				



Sr.No.		Name / Designation	Position						
	4.	Other Extension Education Expert/ Farm Manager, JAU, Junagadh	Member						
		Prof. B.L. Parmar, Retd.Assistant Extension Educationist, Sardar Smruti							
		Kendra, JAU, Junagadh							
5.	Th	e Eminent Extension Education Experts outside the University concern							
	wit	with Farmers training (Nominated by the Vice Chancellor)							
	1.	Dr. A.O. Kher, Retd. Associate Director of Extension Education,	Member						
	2.	Member							
	3.	Dr. V. V. Mayani, Retd. Extension Educationist, AAU, Anand	Member						
6.	Th	ree Director of Agriculture/ Horticulture/ Animal Husbandry							
	1.	Dr. S.R. Chaudhari, Director of Agriculture, GoG, Gandhinagar	Member						
	2.	Dr. B.S. Patel, Director of Hoticulture, GoG, Gandhinagar	Member						
	3.	Dr. A.J. Kachhia Patel, Director of Animal Husbandry, GoG, Gandhinagar	Member						
7.	Tw	o Progressive farmers (Nominated by the Vice Chancellor)							
	1.	Shri Parshotambhai Sidapara, Jamka (Junagadh)- Cow based Agriculture	Member						
	2.	Shri Rameshbhai Pansuriya, Kalavad (Jamnagar)- Manufacture of Agril.	Member						
		Implements							
8.	As	sociate Director of Extension Education, JAU, Junagadh	Member						
9.	Di	rector of Extension Education, JAU, Junagadh	Member						
	Dr	. A.M. Parakhia,	Secretary						

5.3 Extension Education and Training Centres

No.	Course / Programme	Location				
Diploi	na/Certificate Courses					
1	Agriculture Diploma School	Halvad				
2	School of Baking	Junagadh				
3	Mali Training Centre	Junagadh				
4	Agro Base ITI Centre	Junagadh, Mahuva				
Train	ing Programmes for Extension Workers					
1	Training & Visit System Training Centre	Junagadh, Targhadia				
2	Centre of Excellence for Training (Oilseeds)	Junagadh				
Train	ing Programmes for Farmers/Farm Women					
1	Krishi Vigyan Kendras	Jamnagar, Targhadia, Amreli, Khapat,				
		Nanakandhasar, Pipaliya				
2	Sardar Smruti Kendra	Junagadh				
Exten	Extension Education Programmes for Rural People					
1	Farm Advisory Service Centre	Junagadh				
2	Extension Programme for Fisheries	Okha				



Extension Education and Training Programmes

(I) Diploma/Certificate Courses for Farm Youths

The Junagadh Agricultural University continued various Diploma/ Certificate courses during the year under report as per the details given below.

No.	Name of Course	Duration	Location	No. of Students
				Completed the Course
1	Agriculture Diploma	2 years	Halvad	30
2	Bakery Training			
	1. Basic Course in Baking Science	15 weeks	Junagadh	30 (2 Batches)
	2. Special Training to Women	1 week	Junagadh	188 (10 Batches)
3	Mali Training	6 months	Junagadh	03
4	Agro Base ITI Centre			
	Seed Production Technology	6 months	Junagadh	28 (1 Batch)
	2. Green House Construction &			50 (Continue)
	Systems Management			

All these courses are aiming to impart skill oriented practical training to farmers' son/daughter in order to provide an opportunity for self-employment and employment in different organizations.



Bakery Training

(II) Training Programmes for Extension Workers/Officers

(A) Training & Visit System

Junagadh Agricultural University has takenup the task of training the extension personnel of the Department of Agriculture and Horticulture through



Agro base ITI Student Practical work

T & V System. The bimonthly workshops, preseasonal training workshops and short-term training programmes organized for the extension personnel of the Department of Agriculture and the number of SMSs/AEOs who attended the programmes as given below.

No.	Type of programme	No. of Programmes	No of Participants
1	Bimonthly Workshop	04	114
2	Pre-seasonal Training Programme	03	57
3	Agriculture - 6 (Oilseed) AGR-6	01	26
4	Other Training	11	619
	Total	19	816





Benefisheries of Dept. of Agriculture & KVKs in Pre seasonal Training programme under T & V scheme



Dr. A.M.Parakhia, DEE, addressing the Officers of Dept. of Agriculture & KVKs in Bi monthly Training programme under T & V scheme

(B) Other Training Programmes

The centre has continued to provide Scientific Knowledge to the farmers. The detailsof the programmes are given below.

Khedut shibir and Diagnostic team visit

	No.	Subject	No. of Activities	No. of Scientists allotted	Beneficiaries
Ì	1	Khedut Shibir	23	03/Shibir	5963
	2	Diagnostic Team	07	4-5/Team	397

Training programme of Second year Master degree(MRS) students of Lok Bharti, Lok Seva Mahavidyalaya, Sanosara, Dist. Bhavnagar.

No.	No. of Trainees	Period		
1	32	10.08.2015 to 14.08.2015		

Collaborative training

No.	Name of training	Duration	Co - Organizer	No. of
				Trainees
1	"Scientific Cultivation of Cotton Crop"	4-5 June - 2015	Spectrum	55
			International Pvt.	
			Ltd, Surendranagar	
2	"Scientific cultivation of Agril., Horti.	5-7 August - 2015	ATMA, Prantij	50
	crops & management practices of		(Sabarkantha)	
	backery & Animal husbandary"			
3	"Improved Agriculture Technology"	16-19 November 2015	IFFCO, Junagadh	35
4	"Improved Agriculture Technology"	28-30 November 2015	IFFCO, Rajkot	35





Hon'ble V.C, Dr. A.R.Pathak, Inaugurating the Training Programme on "Improved Agriculture Technology"



Dr. A.M.Parakhia, DEE, addressing the Participant's in Training Programme on "Scientific Cultivation of Cotton Crop"



Dr. A.M.Parakhia, DEE, Inaugurating the Training Programme on "Improved Agriculture Technology"



Participant's of Training Programme on "Scientific cultivation of Agril., Horti. crops & management practices of backery & Animal husbandary"

Other trainings

No.	Name of training	Duration	Organizer	No. of
			_	Trainees
1	Unnat Bharat Abhiyan-Farm	25-30	Directorate of Extension Education,	30
	Women Training	March-2016	JAU, Junagadh	
2	Mahila Kausaliyvarghan Talim	04	Directorate of Extension Education,	120
		March-2016	JAU, Junagadh	
3	Innovative Farmer's meet	08-09	Directorate of Extension Education,	154
		March-2016	JAU, Junagadh	
4	ATMA Farmer's Friend	11-12	Directorate of Extension Education,	106
	Training Programme for the	August-	JAU, Junagadh	
	"Control of Pink Ballworm in	2015		
	Cotton"			





Hon'ble V.C., Dr. A. R. Pathak, giving speech in Training Programme on Mahila Kausaliyvarghan Talim

(III) Training / Extension Education Programmes for Farmers / Farm Women

(A) Training Programmes

Training is essential to increase the efficiency of farmers, farm women, rural youths, etc. Oncampus as well as off-campus training programmes were organized based on the need and interest of the farming community.



Hon'ble V.C., Dr. A.R. Pathak, Inaugurating the Training Programme on "Innovative Farmer's meet"

Through the Transfer of Technology (TOT) Centres, 163 on-campus and 240 off-campus training programmes were organized, wherein 13537 participants obtained training. The details are given in Table 5.1.

Table 5.1 Training programmes organized by the Transfer of Technology Centres(KVKs) for farmers/farm women during the year 2015-16

No.	ТОТ		No. of Trg.	No. of par	ticipants	T-4-1
	Centre		Prog.	Male	Female	Total
1	KVK,	A	20	1049	389	1438
	Jamnagar	В	38	1659	502	2161
2	KVK,	A	35	557	289	846
	Targhadia	В	44	728	160	888
3	KVK,	A	30	650	242	892
	Amreli	В	37	952	356	1308
4	KVK,	Α	31	743	57	800
	Khapat	В	52	1548	0	1548
5	KVK,	Α	23	296	257	553
	Nanakandhasar	В	34	513	289	802
6	KVK,	Α	24	558	190	748
	Pipalia	В	35	1218	335	1553
	Total	Α	163	3853	1424	5273
		В	240	6618	1642	8260
	Grand Total		403	10471	3066	13537

A= On-campus B=Off-campus





Off Campus training programme at KVK, Amreli



Off Campus training programme at KVK, Khapat





(B) Extension Activities

The Transfer of Technology (TOT) centres also planned and organized extension activities like seminar / workshop / symposium, field / farmer's day, agriculture fair / exhibition, film / slide / video show, field visit, cattle camp, farmers' group / demonstration meeting, etc. by which total 2,28,479 beneficiaries benefited. The details of the extension activities organized and number of participants are given in Table 5.2

KVKs play an important role to provide guidance for income generation to the farmers by imparting skill oriented trainings. Besides, the KVKs conducted variety of extension activities, on farm testing, *etc.* The KVKs are also collecting feedback on farmers' problems, which were sent to the concerned scientists as these provide guideline in reforming further research.

Table 5.2 Extension activities carried out by TOT centres during 2015-16

	Name of activity							
No.		Targhadia	Jamnagar	Khapat	Amreli	Nana Kandhasar	Pipalia	Total
1	KrushiMela	-	18	-	2	20	7	48
			(14278)		(1260)	(18088)	(2668)	(36294)
2	Field day	07	12	10	13	17	19	68
		(172)	(382)	(260)	(183)	(478)	(520)	(1995)
3	Guidance on farm	83	317	165	21	16	248	850
		(233)	(1167)	(209)	(94)	(293)	(478)	(2474)
4	Guidance to visitors	135	239	-	-	275	516	1165
		(1683)	(1255)	(2140)	(658)	(3514)	(1020)	(10270)
5	Press note	09	11	01	06	07	-	34
6	Khedutshibir/Night	05	20	05	05	08	24	67
	shibir/Group	(1055)	(1872)	(250)	(325)	(336)	(362)	(4200)
	discussion							
7	Guidance through	(1721)	(6927)	(2329)	(1687)	(468)	(235)	(11725)
	Telephone							
8	Demonstrations	15 (463)	10 (332)	00	00	00	00	25(768)
9	Krushigosthi/	21	28	09	05	3	74	140
	Seminar	(247)	(2696)	(278)	(499)	(687)	(486)	(4893)
10	Khedut meeting	11	43	07	-	86	26	173
		(157)	(2387)	(271)		(2497)	(750)	(6062)
11	T.V. Programme	06	-	-	2	-	1	09
12	Radio talk	1	-	00	00	-	-	01
13	Popular articles	13	2	02	-	11	10	38
14	Video show/ Film	15	114	22	2	28	24	205
	show	(953)	(7095)	(740)	(160)	(1134)		(10082)
15	Cattle camp	03		00	00	01	02 (76)	6
		(677)				(149)		(902)



			K	rushi Vig	yan Kendr	·a		
No.	Name of activity	Targhadia	Jamnagar	Khapat	Amreli	Nana Kandhasar	Pipalia	Total
16	Literature	(5689)	59	1301	00	4207	00	
	distribution		(8975)	(3127)	(1850)	(10102)	(12000)	5567
								(41743)
17	Literature published	00	25	12	13	01	10	61
18	Lectures delivered	30	195	33	54	240	00	552
		(1573)	(23272)	(758)	(15898)	(20794)		(62295)
19	Scientist's Farm	83	226	512	38	00	4	863
	visit	(233)	(831)	(573)	(158)		(125)	(1920)
20	Vocational training	03	03	06	00	04	00	16
		(87)	(96)	(143)	(00)	(167)		(493)
21	Crop demonstration	102	2	-	1	-	110	215
		(00)	(58)		(20)		(110)	(188)
22	Sponsored/	00	24	00	20	00	00	44
	Collaboration	(00)	(1832)	(00)	(1335)			(3167)
	training							
23	Krushi-Go-Vidya	00	00	(20)	00	00	00	(20)
	subscriber							
	Registered							
24	Diagnostic team	01	51	00	62	57	1	172
		(09)	(110)	(00)	(242)	(277)	(37)	(657)
25	Student (RAWE)	00	05	00	00	6	01	12
		(00)	(325)			(225)	(44)	(594)
26	Celebration of	01	01	01	01	01	1	06
	technology week	(462)	(605)	(523)	(551)	(547)	(302)	(2990)
27	Soil Sample	(4477)	(252)	(295)	(602)	(613)	(250)	(6489)
	Analyzed							
28	Participated in	03	29	02	02	00	00	36
	Agril. Exhibition	(3160)	(14433)	(327)	(358)			(18278)
			Total					10,393
								(2,28,479)

Figures in parentheses indicate number of beneficiaries/copies

(C) Front Line Demonstrations (FLD)

The front line demonstration aims to demonstrate the production potentialities of newly released and pre-released production technologies of cotton, wheat, cumin, vegetables, pulses and oilseeds on farmer's field.

In all, 579 FLDs were conducted on various oilseeds and pulses, viz., castor, mustard, groundnut, sesamum, cotton, gram, wheat, pearl millet and cumin in 237ha during kharif and rabi seasons through KVKs. The results are present in Table 5.3



Table 5.3 Performance of frontline demonstrations organized during 2015-16

Table	5.5 Ferrormance	of frontline dem	onstrations org	anizea au	ring 20.			
			Variety/	No. of	Area	Av. yiel	d (q/ha)	Increase
No	Centre	Crop	Treatment	FLDS	(ha)	Demo.	Local check	in yield (%)
1.	KVK, Targhadia	Groundnut	IPM	10	4	29.64	27.00	9.78
		Pigeonpea	Inter cropping	2	0.8	27.53	25.00	10.12
		Chick Pea	GJG-3	10	4	32.61	30.38	7.34
		Cotton	INM	10	4	24.98	23.16	7.86
		Wheat	Quality, Prod.	10	4	56.98	56.40	1.03
		Cumin	IPM	10	4	10.19	9.47	7.6
		Nutrient	Chelated	20	1	15.50	14.75	5.06
		Management	mineral mixer					
		Solar Cooker		10	-	-	-	-
2.	KVK, Jamnagar	Groundnut	GG-20	10	4	11	10	10.00
		Groundnut	GG -20	5	2	18.88	17.13	10.22
		Groundnut	IPM	5	2	18.25	15	8.33
		Green Gram	GM-4	10	4	7.09	6.38	11.15
		Chick Pea	GIG-3	15	6	10.71	9.46	13.21
		Wheat	INM	20	8	41.31	37.71	9.55
		Bajara	GHB-732	10	4	28.14	25.4	10.67
		Cumin	IDM	10	4	7.13	6.13	13
		Cotton	IPM	20	8	15.25	14.05	8.54
3.	KVK, Amreli	Cotton	G.Cot-6	10	4	19.35	18.33	5.56
		Groundnut	GG-9	5	2	31.60	28.65	10.30
		Castor	GCH-7	20	8	28.52	23.76	20.03
		Wheat	INM	20	8	48.38	39.34	22.98
		Wheat	GW-366	50	20	44.61	37.48	19.02
		Cumin	GC-4	10	4	10.81	9.13	18.40
		Coriander	GC-2	2	0.8	9.06	7.03	28.88
		Ridge gourd	Pusa Nosdrer	2	0.8	67.40	61.64	9.33
		Ajwain	G A -1	4	1.6	7.38	6.55	12.67
4.	KVK, Khapat	Wheat	INM	20	10	48.32	41.40	12.20
	_	Gram	GG-3	24	8	10.71	9.85	12.10
		Green Gram	GM-4	10	4	7.09	6.75	12.90
		Groundnut	INM	20	8	29.70	24.70	14.31
		Groundnut	Trichoderma	10	4	18.88	17.15	10.65
		Lucern	-	10	5	-	-	12.80
		Cumin	IDM	20	12	10.81	10.10	10.31
5.	KVK,	Groundnut	INM	10	4	41.50	39.50	12.30
	Nankhadhasar	Cotton	B.T.	25	10	28.52	23.76	15.11
		Till	Guj-4	10	4	10.11	9.20	10.10
		Green Gram	GJ-4	10	4	18.25	15.10	11.90
		Wheat	GW-366	20	10	40.92	39.67	13.25
		Cumin	-	20	10	11.67	10.60	14.10
		Gram	-	10	4	9.45	9.10	11.24
6.	KVK, Pipalia	Groundnut	IPM	20	15	21	17.5	20.0
	•	Groundnut	GG-20	10	4	17.75	15	18.33
		Till	G. Til-3	10	4	-	-	-
		Chick Pea	GG-5	10	4	22.6	18.1	29.86
	Total			579	237			



(D) Farm Advisory Service Scheme / SSK, Junagadh

The Farm Advisory Service Scheme has been continued at SSK, Junagadh with a view to provide guidance and the latest information to the farmers on scientific farming. The farmers were advised

regarding their farm problems through correspondence and field visit. This centre acted as a link among research scientists, extension workers and farmers. During the year under report, various extension activities carried out by the centre are given below.

No.	Name of activity	No. of activities	No. of participants
1	Agril. Fair	3	2,80,355
2	Agril. Exhibitions (participation)	7	2,81,765
3	Guidance (Telephone & Personal Contact)	-	9,042
	Total	10	5,71,162

(E) Extension Activities under Centre of Communication (COC) Scheme

Objectives of COC Scheme

- a. To establish the *Gram Kisan Samitis* (GKS) in the rural areas.
- b. To train the members of *Gram Kisan Samitis* in leadership, communication and cooperation for transfer of technologies.
- c. To disseminate the latest agricultural and allied technologies through *Gram Kisan Samitis* in rural areas
- d. To carry out different extension activities through GKS in different villages.
- e. To know the feedbacks from the farmers.

Three-day on campus training programme under Centre of Communication (COC) Scheme

No.	Subject	No. of Training	No. of Beneficiaries
		Programmes	
1	Training programmes for farmers on scientific farming	03	115
	Total	03	115

Two-day on campus training programme under Centre of Communication (COC) Scheme

No.	Subject	No. of Training Programmes	No. of Beneficiaries
1	Innovative Farmer Meets	01	248
2	Computer Training for Farm Women	1	19
	Total	02	267

One-day on campus training programme under Centre of Communication (COC) Scheme

No.	Subject	No. of Training	No. of Beneficiaries
		Programmes	
1	Training programmes for farmers on scientific farming	09	373
	Total	09	373



Khedut Shibirs organized during the year 2015-16 under COC scheme

No.	Village	Taluka (District)	No. of shibirs	No. of participants	Subjects covered
1	Kesod	Kesod (Junagadh)	1	32	Agriculture,
2	Babapur	Amreli(Junagadh)	1	30	Horticulture,
3	Vadal	Junagadh (Junagadh)	1	177	Animal
4	Bhiyad	Junagadh (Junagadh)	1	54	Husbandry and
5	Samadhiyala	Mendarda (Junagadh)	1	29	Efficient use of
6	Mota Kotda	Visavadar (Junagadh)	1	80	water through
7	Mandan Kundla	Gondal (Rajkot)	1	56	adoption of drip,
8	Rajsita pur	Dhangdhra (Surendranagar)	1	37	Sprinkler or micro
9	Bamangadh	Bhesan (Junagadh)	1	30	irrigation systems.
		Total	09	525	

Formation of *Gram Kisan Samitis* during the year 2015-16

No.	Village	Taluka	District	No. of Gram KisanSamitis
1	Ladhodra	Maliya	Junagadh	1
2	Maliya Hatina	Maliya	Junagadh	1
3	Badodar	Kesod	Junagadh	1
4	Agatray	Kesod	Junagadh	1
5	Mesavan	Kesod	Junagadh	1
6	Sergadh	Kesod	Junagadh	1
7	Kanedipur	Mendarda	Junagadh	2
8	Nani Khodiyar	Mendarda	Junagadh	1
9	Jinjuda	Mendarda	Junagadh	1
10	Haripur	Mendarda	Junagadh	1
11	Nathuvadla	Dhrol	Jamnagar	1
12	Katada	Dhrol	Jamnagar	1
13	Sumara	Dhrol	Jamnagar	1
14	Bhadra	Jodiya	Jamnagar	1
15	Vadod	Vadhvan	Surendranagar	1
16	Prathugadh	Dhangadha	Surendranagar	1
17	Pratappur	Dhangadha	Surendranagar	1
18	Rajsotapur	Dhangadha	Surendranagar	1
19	Virpur	Lathi	Amreli	1
20	Sur nagar	Gariyadhar	Bhavnagar	1
21	Sangodra	talala	Gir-somnath	1
		Total	22	



Bakery Talim organized during the year 2015-16 under COC scheme

No.	Village	Taluka (District)	No. of shibirs	No. of participants	Subject covered
1	Babapur	Amreli (Amreli)	1	43	Preparation of
2	Tukada	Porbandar	1	46	Bakery items.
3	Mandan Kundala	Gondal (Rajkot)	1	32	Dakery items.
		Total	03	121	

(F) Extension Activities carried out by Extension Education Centres

Extension activities carried out by various Extension Education Centres during the year are given below.

		SardarSmruti	Fisheries	School of	
No.	Name of activity	Kendra,	Res. Station,	Baking,	Total
		Junagadh	Okha	Junagadh	
1	KrushiMela	03	01		4
		(279655)	(110)		(279765)
2	Guidance on farm	-	-	2	2
				(32)	(32)
3	Guidance to visitors	(7397)	(17)	(1359)	(8773)
4	Press note	10	-	-	10
5	Khedutshibir/ Night shibir/	01	-	-	01
	Group discussion	(46)			(46)
6	Guidance through Telephone	(1645)	-	=	(1645)
7	Guidance through Letter	10	-	-	10
8	Video show/ Film show	-	-	1	1
9	Literature distribution	(13906)	01	-	01
			(548)		(14454)
10	Literature Publication	06	-	-	06
11	FisheriesTraining	-	02	-	02
			(2513)		(2513)
12	Bakery Training			5	5
				(1920)	(1920)
13	Agri.Exibition	7	-	-	7
		(281765)			(281765)
14	Agri.Literature show	07	-	-	07
		(267715)			(267715)
		Total			76
					(8,58,628)

Figures in parentheses indicate no. of beneficiaries/copies



Radio Talks and TV Programmes

The scientists of the university delivered radio talks from time to time on various agricultural and allied subjects from All India Radio, Rajkot. Moreover, the agricultural messages were also broadcasted from All India Radio, Rajkot. During the year as per report, 17 such talks were delivered on different topics related to agriculture, horticulture, agricultural engineering, fisheries, animal husbandry, *etc*.

In all, 22 television programmes covering various aspects of agriculture, animal husbandry, agricultural engineering, horticulture, fisheries, home science, etc. were telecasted through Doordarshan Kendra, Rajkot in "Gram Jagat" "Krishi Darshan" programme for the benefit of farming community.

University news bulletin named as "JAU News letter" is being published regularly by Directorate of Extension Education.

Establishment of AGRISNET studio and Community Radio Station (CRS):

AGRISNET studio is established for the production of various multi media gadgets/ video CDs on modern agricultural technologies for farmers. During Krushi Mahotsav- 2015, video CD on Varies agricultural technologies in Gujarati were prepared and distributed.

Infra- structural facilities for establishment of community radio station (*JUNAGADH JANVANI*) is created. The equipments for recording, editing and broadcasting have been purchased. The talk of renown personalities from different fields related to agricultural and other allied fields as well as non-agrictural fields broadcasted by community radio station to improve the knowledge as well as uplifment of farmers.

5.5 Coordination of Extension Activities with Department of Agriculture, Horticulture, Animal Husbandry and Other Line Departments

Junagadh Agricultural University planned and organized various extension education programmes

/activities in coordination with different line departments of the state. The structural linkages exist under T & V system by constituting the technical committee at district, zonal and state level. The agricultural programmes of All India Radio as well as Doordarshan were finalized by such coordinated efforts. In AGRESCO, the officers of other departments are the members and they contribute in formulation of technical programmes as well as in finalizing the recommendations for the farmers. The functional linkages also exist under T & V system through bimonthly workshops, pre-seasonal workshops, fortnightly training, diagnostic team, state level crop seminars/workshop, etc. The coordination exists in follow-up programmes as well as in planning of farm trials. For transfer of technologies to the farmers, the farmer's day, krushi mela, group discussion, film show, etc. were organized through collaborative efforts.

5.6 Orientation Training Programme

During the year under report, 25 scientists/ teachers of the university were deputed for participating in the orientation training programmes / seminar / workshop / symposium, etc. organized within and outsite the state to upgrade knowledge and skill for improving their faculty competence in respective disciplines.

Krushi Mahotsav-2015

Government of Gujarat is celebrating *Krushi Mahotsav* since 2005-06. In the *Krushi Mahotsav*-2015, Junagadh Agricultural University has spared services of about 300 scientists/ officers to advise the farming community about the latest agricultural technologies.

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5.4 Publication of Extension Education Literature

No	Name of Office	Publication		Total	
		Pemplets	Folder	Booklet/Book	
1	Sardar Smruti Kendra, Junagadh	-	-	06	06
2	DEE Office, Junagadh	-	22	-	22
	Total	-	22	06	28

Kharif Krushi Mahotsav-2015

No.	Date	Places	Beneficiaries
1.	22/04/15	Amreli, Jamnagar, Devbhumi Dwarka, Bhavanagar, Botad,	
	to	Junagadh, Gir Somnath, Porbandar, Surendranagar,	1,88,324
	11/05/15	Rajkot, Morbi	

Mega Event during Krushi Mahotsav-2015

No.	Date	Places	Beneficiaries
1.	05-06 May 2015	Shihor	26,321

Seminars organized during the Krushi Mahotsav-2015

No.	Subject				Place	Date	Beneficiaries Farmers/ Farm women
1.	Scientific	Cultivation	of	Main	Shihor	06/05/2015	302
	Horticulture Crops in Saurashtra Region				Simoi	00/03/2013	302

$E-Literature\,(CD/DVD)\,distributed\,during\,the\,Krushi\,Mahotsav-2015$

- Scientific Cultivation of Mango
- Scientific Cultivation of Pomegranet
- Scientific Cultivation of Onion & Garlic
- ❖ Scientific Cultivation of Cumin & Coriender

Rabi Krushi Mahotsav-2015

No.	Date	Places	Beneficiaries
1.	31/12/15	Amreli, Jamnagar, Devbhumi Dwarka, Bhavanagar, Botad,	
	to	Junagadh, Gir Somnath, Porbandar, Surendranagar, Rajkot,	75,315
	04/01/16	Morbi	



GLIMPSES OF VARIOUS EXTENSION ACTIVITES CARRIED OUT BY UNIVERSITY



Hon'ble VC Dr. A.R. Pathak & Agri. Minister Shri Babubhai Bokhiria Wel coming to Hon'ble Chief Minister Shrimati Anandiben Patel at Shihor



Hon'ble VC Dr. A.R. Pathak giving inaugural speech in the Krishi Mela- 2015 held at Shihor



Hon'ble Chief Minister Shrimati Anandiben Patel giving inaugural speech in the Krishi Mela- 2015 held at Shihor



A large number of Farm women remain present in the Krishi Mela- 2015 held at Shihor



Beneficiaries of Seminar organized during Krishi Mela- 2015 held at Shihor



Farmers visit different Agri. stalls in the Krishi Mela- 2015 held at Shihor





Celebration of Technology Week at KVK Nana Kandhasar



Hon'ble VC Dr. A.R. Pathak addressing the members in SAC meeting at KVK, Khapat



Field Day Organized by KVK, Pipaliya (Dhoraji)



Hon'ble VC Dr. A.R. Pathak attended the SAC meeting at KVK, Amreli



Celebration of Technology Week at KVK Amreli



Celebration of Technology Week at KVK Khapat





Shri Mohanbhai Kundariya, Hon'ble Minister of Agriculture (State), Govt. of India, Inaugurating "Junagadh Janavani-91.2 FM" Community Radio Station, JAU, Junagadh.



Hon'ble V.C. Dr. A.R. Pathak giving inaugural speech in MOU between JAU, Junagadh & Dhanuka Agritech Ltd. for Diploma in Agril.Ext. Services for input dealers.



Dr. A.M.Parakhia, DEE, giving Inaugurating speech in ATMA Farmer's Friend Training Programme for the "Control of Pink Ballworm in Cotton"



Registration & Literature distributed in ATMA Farmer's Friend Training Programme for the " Control of Pink Ballworm in Cotton"



Shri Bhupendrasinh Chudasma, Hon'ble Minister of Education, Higher and Technical Education, Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer affairs, inaugurate the World Soil Health Day at KVK, Nana Kandhasar



Shri Jasabhai Barad, Hon'ble Minister of Agriculture, Civil aviation (State) & Dr. A.R. Pathak, Hon'ble VC, JAU, Junagadh inaugurate the World Soil Health Day at KVK, Pipalia









