

NSTIAM

Newsflash



Message form the Chief Editor

We have just completed one of most dynamic quarters of the current financial year.

Apart from enduring the **two-weeks Post Harvest Management** training for the FPCs of the State, NSTIAM has completed all the trainings on **e-NAM** as were allocated by the Department for this financial year through online as well as offline mode within this third quarter.

A good number of Regulated Market Committees also have helped NSTIAM to complete the **basic entrepreneurship training** as the outreach program of this Institute very successfully.

In continuation to the last quarter, we could able to organize another four-day **workshop cum training program** of West Bengal State Rural Livelihood Mission in association with District Mission Management Unit, Hooghly.

Additionally, during this quarter, NSTIAM has also published the **second edition of Directory of Farmer Producer Companies** of West Bengal.

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Two-weeks residential training on Post-Harvest Management



The Institute continued the Two-weeks residential training on Post-Harvest Management, Preservation and Marketing of Fruits and Vegetables in this quarter also exclusively for the Farmer Producer Organizations (FPOs) and the Farmer Producer Companies (FPCs) nominated from different districts and Sufal Bangla.

During this period, two (2) FPCs representing two districts, i.e. Notunhat Farmers Producer Co. Ltd. From South 24 Parganas and Masmad Farmers Producer Co. Ltd. from Bankura have successfully completed the training.

Total 34 trainees from the two FPCs participated in the training.



Training on e-National Agricultural Marketing (NAM)

During this quarter, NSTIAM has completed six (06) e-NAM trainings, each of 02-days, for the stakeholders through online mode. Total 77 participants representing five (05) e-NAM markets from Nadia, Bankura, North 24 Parganas, Malda and Purba Bardhaman took part in the training program.

Additionally, the Institute organized two (02) trainings on e-NAM for the officials of fifteen (15) RMCs/ZRMCs during the month of November'22. Total 34 officials from 18 e-NAM markets took part in the three (03) days offline training program.



Workshop of West Bengal State Rural Livelihood Mission



The Institute arranged a four (04) day visioning-1 residential workshop for the MCLFs under NRLM for all BOD members along with members of Sangha, Upa-sangha, Sangha Coordinator & CPSs of West Bengal State Rural Livelihood Mission under P&RD Department in association with District Mission Management Unit, Hooghly.

Total forty-five (45) participants along with trainers took part in the workshop held in the institute campus from 19th October to 22nd October 2022.

Upcoming training programs of NSTIAM for the next quarter

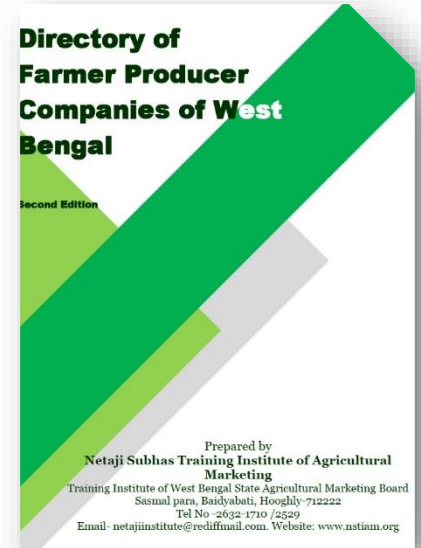
Sl No	Training name	Duration	Participants	Training months
1	Basic Entrepreneurship Development training as outreach program of NSTIAM	06 days	Farm Family Youths from different blocks of the State	January, February
3	Training under NIAM Fund	03 days	Farm Women and Farmer Producer Companies nominated by RMCs	January, February
4	Post-Harvest Management Training	02 Weeks	Farmer Producer Companies nominated by RMCs and Sufal Bangla	January, February

Directory of Farmer Producer Companies of West Bengal

After obtaining an overawed response from the FPCs on the First Edition of Directory of Farmer Producer Companies of West Bengal, published by the Institute earlier this year and also as a good number of new FPCs has come up since the last edition, NSTIAM took the initiative for publication of the Second Edition of the Directory.

The information for this second edition of Directory of Farmer Producer Companies of West Bengal was compiled **up to the month of August'2022**. This directory now contains **district-wise detailed information of 514 FPCs of the State**, which means that information of around **175 new FPCs has been added up** in this latest edition. The **address, contact details, company registration details, activities, and member status** of each FPCs can be found in this **district wise database** of the Farmer Producer Companies.

The softcopy of the directory is **freely available in the Publication section of the website of NSTIAM** (www.nstiam.org) and **WBSAMB** (www.wbagrimmarketingboard.gov.in).



Basic Entrepreneurship Development training as outreach program of NSTIAM



the State-wide **06-days Basic Entrepreneurship Development** trainings as outreach program of NSTIAM **have been conducted in eight (8) blocks of five (05) districts of the State during the month of November and December'22**.

Total 240 trainees have been covered by five (05) different Zilla RMCs, viz: Jhargram, Murshidabad, Bankura, Purba Bardhaman and Howrah during this quarter.

Review Meeting on Formation and Promotion of FPOs

During the month of December, the Institute organized one review meeting on Implementation of the scheme for 'Formation and promotion of 10,000 Farmer Producer Organizations (FPO) throughout the country' for the Cluster Base Business Organizations (CBBOs) of Hooghly District in presence of Deputy Director of Agriculture (Admin.), Hooghly; Deputy Director of Horticulture, Hooghly; Assistant Director of Agricultural Marketing, Hooghly and other Officials. Assistant Director of Agriculture of all the **18 blocks of Hooghly district** were present virtually in the meeting.

Representatives of **six (06) CBBOs** presented their progress and plan for upcoming months in front of the members of District Level Monitoring Committee (D-MC) of the scheme.





Basic Entrepreneurship Development Training as Outreach Program of NSTIAM Conducted Throughout the Year by Different Regulated Market Committees at Different Blocks of West Bengal

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