

## **GVT-Dahod organized Exposure Visit & Training Program for Farmers on Capacity Building for Adaptation of Farming Technology**

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GVT-Dahod planned Exposure Visit cum Training Program on Capacity Building for Adaptation of Farming Technology for farmers of Dahod (Gujarat) from 17 – 19 December, 2013. The objective of the visit and training was to facilitate adaptation of new farming technology by progressive farmers of Dahod District such as Micro-irrigation system and motivate them towards processing of fruits and vegetables and benefit from horticultural plants.

Around 30 farmers attended the program that was oriented on following:

- Drip Irrigation Systems, Sprinkler Irrigation Systems, Fertigation System & Chemigation Equipment
- Cultivation & Supply of Agricultural Crops - Agricultural & Horticultural Products, Nursery Raising, and Agro Forestry
- Processing of Agricultural Produce - Onion & Vegetable Dehydration, Banana, Mango & Fruit Processing
- Green Houses, Plant Tissue Culture, and Nursery Plants and Systems
- Solar Water Heating System
- Wasteland Reclamation & Soil Conservation, Water Harvesting and Storage
- Vermi compost & Vermi wash production

After the visit, a short interaction was arranged for the participants to understand the level of Adaptation of technology. Around 24 farmers showed interest in doing micro irrigation system and they were introduced with Netafem Irrigation Company, Jain Irrigation System. Farmers also learnt about Horticultural produce processing and same technique can be later adopted for Wadi produce also.

**Some Snapshots of the Visit cum Training are attached as below:**



Mr. Rajesh Dave, PMU Incharge, NABARD- Dahod addressing Wadi Farmers before Exposure Visit



Incharge, PMU giving green signal to Wadi Farmers for Exposure Visit



Mango Orchard with drip irrigation at Jain Irrigation System



Understanding complete mechanism behind Drip Irrigation System at Jain Irrigation System



Visiting poster visual library at Jain Irrigation System



Group photo of beneficiaries of NABARD Wadi Project during Exposure Visit