

Training programme under NAIF project organized

A training programme ‘Technologies for sustainable management of ground water’ was organized at ICAR-IIWM, Bhubaneswar on 30-09-2022 to sensitize farmers about present and future challenges of ground water utilization and give them exposure to technologies for better management of ground water resources. Thirty (30) bore well owners from Chanarapada GP of Nimapara block in Puri district, Odisha attended the programme. During the training programme, emphasis was given on topics such as scientific water management in agriculture, aquifer systems and ground water management in Odisha, land modification and diversification for effective use of ground water, micro-irrigation systems for efficient management of ground water, use of solar power for pumping of ground water and available government scheme such as PM-KUSUM and scope of ground water market development in the area. Participants also shared their experiences on ground water related issues. Scientists of the institute- Dr. S. K. Rautaray, Dr. S. Mohanty, Dr. R. R. Sethi, Dr. P. Panigrahi, Dr. H. K. Dash, Dr. S. K. Mishra and Shri Biswaranjan Behera were the resource persons for the training. The programme was organized under National Agricultural Innovation Fund (NAIF) Project of ICAR.

