

**Report on Field Demonstration on**  
**“Improved Retting Technology for Better Quality Jute Fibre”**  
**at Chakdah block, Nadia under SCSP**

Field Demonstration programme on ‘**Improved Retting Technology for Better Quality Jute Fibre**’ organized by ICAR-CRIJAF on 04 August, 2023 for the scheduled caste community of Chakdah block, Nadia district under SCSP. A total of 100 farmers from Mashra and Dudhkumar villages of Nadia district participated in the programme. During the programme, the farmers learned about the different aspects of improved retting technologies of jute particularly the importance of improved retting of jute by CRIJAF SONA, its detailed procedure, disadvantages of traditional retting practices using mud and banana stem, and essential requirements for fetching good price from sale of fibre. The farmers actively interacted with the resource persons regarding the problems faced by them in jute retting and was satisfied with the solutions advised by the experts. The jute farmers were also provided CRIJAF SONA powder for retting purpose. Field demonstrations were conducted in both the villages following farmer’s participatory approach. The programme was organized by Dr. Gouranga Kar (Convenor) and Dr. Bijan Majumdar and Dr. Ritesh Saha (Co-ordinators).



**Field Demonstration of Improved Retting Technology at Mashra, Nadia**



**Field Demonstration of Improved Retting Technology at Dudhkumar, Nadia**

