

**Report on Farmers' training programme on
“Post-harvest management in sisal for improving fibre quality &
higher profit” under TSP
on 27th October, 2022 at Sisal Research Station,
Bamra, Dist.-Sambalpur, Odisha**



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A one day training programme on “Post-harvest management in sisal for improving fibre quality and higher profit” was organized on 27th October, 2022 for ST farmers at Sisal Research Station, Bamra, Dist.-Sambalpur, Odisha under TSP. In the training a total of thirty farmers from four villages i.e. Nuagaon and Topogunja of Jharsuguda district and Khokopada & Sadhopada of Bamra block of Sambalpur district participated. Dr. R.K. Naik, Senior Scientist welcomed the participants and briefed them about the objectives of the training programme. In this training programme, resource persons from ICAR-CRIJAF, Barrackpore and Govt. of Odisha delivered lectures and oriented the farmers about the importance of sisal cultivation, field management, harvesting and fibre extraction process. Field visit was also organised for the farmers to demonstrate the sisal harvesting and mechanical fibre extraction process. During the concluding session, Dr. M.S. Behera, Principal Scientist, ICAR-CRIJAF, Barrackpore & headquarter In-charge, SRS, Bamra interacted with the farmers and highlighted the significance of post-harvest management in sisal for improving fibre quality and fetching higher income and profits to meet living expenses. The programme was organized by Dr. R.K. Naik (Course Director). The tribal farmers were highly satisfied and motivated to adopt the improved production technology of sisal.



Resource person delivering the lecture



Field visit of trainees



Visit of trainees to fibre extraction shed



Valedictory session



Feedback of farmers during Valedictory session



Distribution of certificates to the trainees