

21 Days Winter School

ON

**"Modern Practices of Plant and Animal Nutrition for Sustainable Agriculture
Production and Intensive Livestock Development"
(Through Virtual Mode)**

During: 02-02-2021 to 22-02- 2021



Organized by



**ICAR-Indian Grassland and Fodder Research Institute
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ABOUT ORGANIZATIONS

ICAR-Indian Grassland and Fodder Research Institute, Southern Regional Research Station, Dharwad, Karnataka Indian Grassland and Fodder Research Institute, Jhansi constituent of Indian Council of Agricultural Research, New Delhi is a unique institute of Asia. Our country is bestowed with diverse climate. Fodder Technological needs of South India are addressed by its southern Regional Research Station located in Dharwad of Karnataka. It houses and works on (exceptional collection of) grasses and forage legumes that could be grown in low (500 mm) to high (3500 mm) rainfall regimes/low to high fertile soils. Its technologies have received wider adoptability and appreciation from many. High yielding soft textured low oxalic content Bajra Napier Hybrid variety DHN-6, non-competitive land use through horti-pasture in farmers' mango and coconut orchards and participatory forage seed production have fetched accolades to it. It's a trusted source of information and forage seed for many. Its popularity could be witnessed by its reach to State Agricultural Universities, milk federations, forest departments, animal husbandry departments, and national highways authorities of different states of India besides livestock farmers of southern India. A key contributor, since 1987, in enhancing livestock productivity of farmers in particular and south India at large, today it has the distinct recognition of a dynamic regional research station in the service of livestock farmers and the nation.

University of Agricultural Sciences, Raichur was started during the academic year 2008-09. Raichur also privileged to have the oldest establishment for agricultural research. In 1932, an Agriculture Research station was established by the Nizam's Government of Hyderabad with a mandate to carry research on dry land farming. Agricultural Engineering Institute (AEI) was added to Raichur campus during 1969 to offer Diploma courses and later in 1987 was upgraded to status of College of Agriculture was started at Raichur, Bheemarayan gudi and Kalburgi respectively. The Post-graduate degree programme leading to Master's degree and Doctoral degree programme was started in major 15 departments of which 12 in Agriculture and 3 in Agricultural Engineering and thus completing all the necessities of Teaching, Research and Extension at the University.

The Kalia Karnataka region (North Karnataka) comprising Bidar, Kalburgi, Yadgir, Bellary and Koppal districts is an agrarian region with an irrigation potential of 12 lakh hectares through Tungabhadra, Krishna, Karanja, Mullamari, Hirehalla, Bennethore and other irrigation projects, spanning 44.96 lakh hectares accounting 33.60 per cent of the total geographical area of the state, of which nearly 68 per cent is under cultivation. This region has unique combination of medium (32.42 %) large (36.69 %) farmers and had rich natural resources especially for agriculture development.

National Agriculture Development Co-operative Ltd. (NADCL) was established under Self Reliant Co-operative Act, 1999: under Ministry of Cooperatives with a mission to promote, disseminate and mutual exchange of scientific information of Agricultural Science among the scientific diaspora and stakeholders. NADCL already organized a number of awareness programs, international conferences and national training courses. The NADCL was primarily established to serve as a bridge for communication between agriculture scientists, extension workers and farmers. Blending of the influences of these three, bring an effective result in the doubling of farmer's income.

About the 21 Days Winter School Both plants and animals need nutrients for the same reasons. They need them to, grow, fight off diseases and pests and to reproduce. Plants and animals need nutrients in larger, smaller or trace amounts to stay healthy. Scientific plant and animal nutrition is the most important factor for sustainable agriculture production, improved livestock health, productivity and ultimately for intensive livestock development. Profitability of the commercial agriculture and animal husbandry depends on quality and quantity of nutrients applied to field / fed to livestock.

Despite the superior varieties of crops and superior breeds of livestock available with the farmer, the performance of such varieties and breeds is poor and unable to produce optimal result. This is due to their non-seriousness towards "scientific plant and animal nutrition".

Keeping in view the above cited complex background, the 21-day winter school is being organized that will facilitate and provide training cum awareness programme to the scientists, teachers and students of agriculture, animal husbandry, forestry and allied sectors; regarding modern practices of plant and animal nutrition for sustainable agriculture production and intensive livestock development; which is being converged for the ultimate benefit of the farmers.

Participants & Eligibility: The 21 Days Winter School is open for the scientists, teachers, growers, students, and marketing personals.

Important Dates:

Last date for receipt of registration form:	27-01-2021
Selection notification:	31-01-2021
Confirmation of participation:	01-02-2021
Commencement of training:	02-02-2021

Venue: The 21 Days Winter School will be organized through virtual lecture/ class.

Requirement for Training:

The aspirants should be proficient in the following:

- Basic computer skills
- Sending/receiving email
- Sending and receiving attachments via email
- Using a web browser
- Finding web resources through search engines
- Downloading and installing software and/or viewing electronic files
- Familiarity with using browser plug-ins (e.g. PDF reader, video, audio)
- Using a word processing, presentation software, or other productivity applications
- Experience/familiarity with a variety of file formats such as: .rtf "Rich Text Format", .doc or .docx "Microsoft Word Document", and .txt "Text document"
- The ability to be self-directed in learning new technology skills (for example, following a handout, a step-by-step tutorial, online video help, or access to support to learn necessary skills)

Mode of Participation:

The training will be organized in 4 quadrants i.e.,

1. Lecture through video conference,
2. Preparing delivered material that can be downloaded /printed,
3. Self-assessment tests through google classroom assignment/tests/quizzes,
4. An online discussion forum for clearing the doubts.

The above cited steps have to be taken to enrich the learning experience by using audio-video and multi-media state of art pedagogy/technology. In order to ensure that best quality content lecture is delivered course director and his coordinators will monitor the whole training course.

All such candidates who will participate in this 21-day winter school through [video conferencing](#) will be deemed to have attended the 21 Days Winter School and as per the course guideline will be provided certificate of participation.

How to Apply:

Participants can submit online registration form on the site: www.nadcl.org

Registration Fee

Registrations fees include training documents, participation certificate, postal charges and published training compendium that will be send to all the candidates through speed post. Non-refundable standard registration fee for Indian participants is given below:

Category	Registration fee before 27-01-2021	Registration fee after 27-01-2021
Students/ Research Fellows	Rs. 2500/=	Rs. 3500/=
Faculties/Scientists/In-service participants	Rs. 3500/=	Rs. 4500/=
Private Organizations/Industries/etc.	Rs. 4000/=	Rs. 5000/=

Non-refundable standard registration fee for foreign participants is given below:

Category	Registration fee before 27-01-2021	Registration fee after 27-01-2021
Students/ Research Fellows	\$ 550	\$ 650
Faculties/Scientists/In-service participants	\$ 1000	\$ 1300
Private Organizations/Industries/etc.	\$ 1300	\$ 1600

Mode of Payment: Registration fee can be paid while submitting on line registration form on the site: www.nadcl.org

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