

Plant Genetic Resources: Awareness programme on Agri-Horticultural crops

Awareness programme on Plant Genetic Resources: Agri-Horticultural crops under NEH Scheme was jointly organised by the KVK West Khasi Hills with National Bureau of Plant Genetic Resources (NBPGR), ICAR, Umiam on 11th October, 2022 at the KVK campus. The Objective of the programme is to create awareness about the importance of Local germplasm. The programme was participated with the ICAR Scientists, KVK officials and 200 active farmers. On this day, training lectures were delivered to the farmers about the importance of local crops germplasm, their biodiversity and the need to conserve the germplasm at the grassroot level. Agricultural tools for performing crop intercultural operations were distributed to the farmers and thus the farmers were benefitted.

