

2nd Webinar Meeting of AICRP on PET:

The second webinar meeting of AICRP on PET was conducted on 22/05/2020 with all Research engineers, Principal invigilator & associated staff of fourteen cooperating centres. Around 35 no of participants were participated in the webinar meeting. Dr. R K Singh, PC PET conveyed all the centres to follow Central and State government guidelines issued in time to time in prevention in spread of COVID-19 and assist stakeholders in all possible ways at their location. Directed all the centres to continue services of the contractual in the scheme, utilize funds and send AUC/SOE for efficient utilization and allocation of budget. Also motivated all the REs/PIs to find innovative solution or ways to execute planned R & D activities of the scheme during lockdown. AICRP on PET conducted trainings through digital platform such as YouTube, whatsapp etc. on plasticulture activities and issued advisories for the farmers. Project coordinating appreciated efforts of centres (ICAR-VPKAS-Almora, CAEPHT-Gangtok, BAU Ranchi & ICAR-CIPHET, Abohar) who developed technologies/ innovation to fight COVID-19 and help stakeholders. Major innovation includes Mechanized hand sanitizers, liquid sanitizers, solar operated PCM vending chamber to store fruit and vegetables etc.

