Training and Visitors

Training

- Many developing countries lack trained staff and thus face problems in proper conservation and management of genetic resources.
- ICRISAT helps NARS partners in building capacity and skills to conserve plant genetic resources efficiently.
- ❖ Since the year 2000, ICRISAT genebank personnel have trained more than 43 personnel, including interns (12), research scholars (15), research fellows (12), visiting fellows (2), in-service short-term candidates (2) and several visiting scientists from national and international genebanks, NARS and universities.
- ❖ Organized ICRISAT stall at Interactive Fair for Biodiversity held during 1-5 Oct 2012 at Hyderabad, India, to display the diversity in ICRISAT mandate crops germplasm and explain the importance of PGR conservation.



Training NARS scientists on viability testing.



Training on chickpea germplasm characterization.



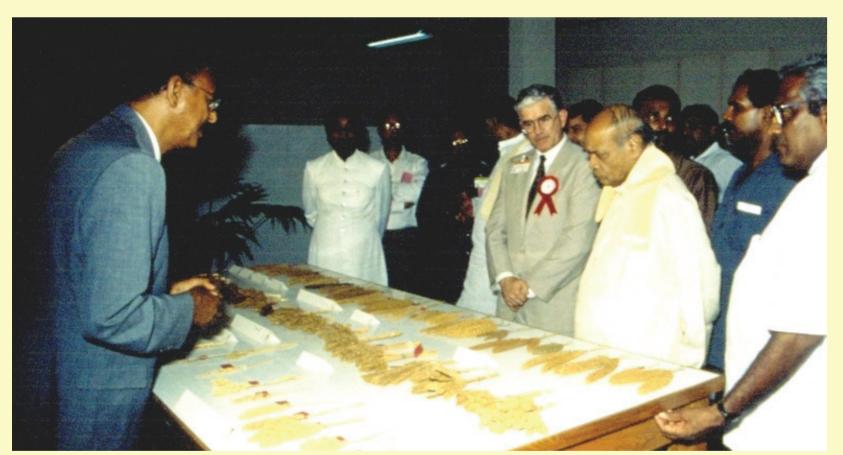


Participants of Training program held at ICRISAT genebank 7-12 Oct 2013.



Course contents of training program on Plant Genetic Resources and Genebank Management, 7-12 Oct 2013, ICRISAT, India.

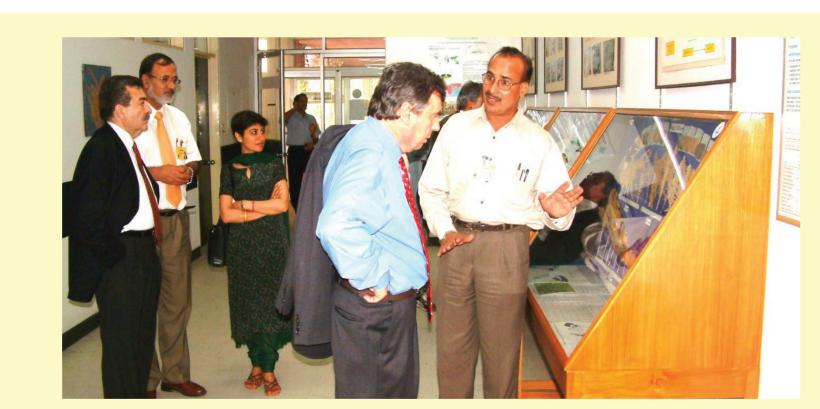
Visitors



Mr PV Narasimha Rao (Late), Honorable Former Prime Minister of India, visiting the ICRISAT genebank



Mr Tarun Gogoi, Honorable Former Chief Minister of Assam, India, visiting the ICRISAT genebank.



Senior Vice-President of the World Bank keenly observes the diversity in germplasm collections.



Executive Directors of Agriculture from the Philippines visiting ICRISAT genebank India.

International Crops Research Institute

for the Semi-Arid Tropics





External Program and Management Review panel members visiting the field genebank.



Mr Syed Muyej, Permanent Secretary for Agriculture, Tanzania visiting ICRISAT genebank.



ICRISAT Stall at COP 11 Interactive Fair for Biodiversity 1-5 October, 2012.

