

TFRI organizes training programmes on Lac cultivation and its management

Four training programmes on **Lac cultivation and its management** were organized from 14th to 15th Nov., 16th -17th Nov., 20th to 21th Nov., and 28th to 29th of Nov. 2017, respectively by the Agroforestry division of Tropical Forest Research Institute, Jabalpur (M.P.). In the first training programme, Director, TFRI emphasized on importance of Lac cultivation and its management to generate additional income. Dr. Nanita Berry, Course Director briefed about the two days training programme. The course/ training material on **Lac cultivation** was released by the Director, TFRI during the programme. The target group included eleven women Self help groups of Mandla and Jabalpur district. The main objective of the training was to extend technology of cultivation of lac and its processing for additional income generation and to ultimately empower the beneficiaries. The inaugural programme was attended by all the officers upto Assistant Technical Officer level. The Course Director acknowledged the cooperation received from all the staff of the agroforestry division, besides the committee members for successful organization of the programme. The programme was efficiently conducted by Ms. Anjali Shrivastav, Field assistant and Mrs. Nikita Rai, Sr. Technician.



Inaugural session of training programme



Release of booklet of Lac cultivation by the Director, TFRI Dr. Nitin Kulkarni during the training .

Glimpses of Training



Address by the Director, TFRI during the session



Address by the Ex-Director Dr. N.roychoudhury



Dr. Nanita Berry ,course director explaining about the training on 14/11/2017



Dr. R.K.Verma, Scientist G during the training.



Demonstration of processing of Lac for beneficiaries at TFRI



Manufacturing of lac products during practical session at TFRI.



Processing of raw lac for making its granules



Participant showing lac products as prepared by them during the valedictory practical session



Distribution of certificate to the beneficiaries during the valedictory programme



A group of women SHGs during the training at TFRI