

Joint Inspection Team of National Horticultural Mission Visits CIAE

A Joint Inspection Team (JIT) of National Horticultural Mission consisting of Dr. R. P. Upadhya, Chief consultant, NHM, Shri R.R. Sharma, Assistant Director, NHM, Dr R.K. Namdev, ADH, Shri. Rajendra Kumar Rajouria, ADH, and other officers from state horticulture department visited CIAE, Bhopal on 21.11.2011. The team witnessed tomato plantation in Poly house, capsium plantation in shade net structure, guava & mango orchard with plastic mulching, canopy management and drip irrigation with ring method. They also observed technology of planting onion on raised bed. The JIT was very much impressed by the activities of PFDC at CIAE, Bhopal. JIT team advised to State Horticultural Department officials to arrange visits of farmers and other officials to the PFDC, CIAE and get training on various aspects. The JIT also visited Krishi Vigyan Kendra (KVK) at CIAE and discussed various issues related to implementation of horticultural cluster development. The team sensitized In-charge KVK about various schemes available under NHM through which funding can be provided to CIAE for popularization of horticulture among farmers, especially the farmers in peri-urban areas.



