

Model training course on “**Supply Chain Management and Marketing of Cereals, Legumes and Horticulture Produce in Indian Dry Land**” organized at CAZRI

A five days model training course on “**Supply Chain Management and Marketing of Cereals, Legumes and Horticulture Produce in Indian Dry Land**” sponsored by World Bank assisted Maharashtra Agricultural Competitiveness Project of Vasantrao Naik State Agriculture Extension Management Training Institute, Government of Maharashtra, Nagpur was organized at CAZRI from 6-10 November, 2017.



Thirty officers of Maharashtra State including Director ATMA, Project Directors, ATMA, Agriculture Market Experts, Agribusiness Specialists, Marketing Coordinators, Monitoring and Evaluation Experts, Dy. Directors SAMETI participated in the training programme. Dr. O. P. Yadav, Director CAZRI, emphasized the importance of marketing, policy reforms and sustaining enhanced production for doubling farmer's income in dry lands. Sh S. B. Khemnar Director ATMA, Government of Maharashtra, elaborated the advancement in agriculture in Maharashtra through development of Farmer Interest Groups to a Farmer Producer Company with specific business plans. Dr Pratibha Tewari, Head of Division, Transfer of Technology and Course Director briefed about training course design.



Dr L N Harsh former Vice Chancellor, Agriculture University, Jodhpur, chief guest in Valedictory function, shared his views about Supply chain management of *Prosopis juliflora*. Dr. Vijay Avinashilingam, N.A., Sr. Scientist and Dr. B. L. Manjunata, Scientist conducted the training programme.

