

All India Conference

Livestock and Dairy Development

at

Mahatma Mandir, Gandhinagar, Gujarat during June 11-12, 2013

Detailed Report:

The All India Conference on Livestock and Dairy Development organized by Department of Animal Husbandry and Gujarat Livestock Development Board, Gandhinagar in collaboration with various Govt Departments, Dairies and NGOs and other organizations at Mahatma Mandir, Gandhinagar during 11-12 June 2013. The Inaugural function was presided over by Hon'ble Chief Minister of Gujarat, **Shri Narendra Modi**, in august presence of Shri Babubhai Bokhria, Minister of Agriculture, Shri Liladhar Vaghela , Minister of State (A H), Shri Giriraj Singh, Minister (A H), Bihar, Ambassador of Denmark, Dr Amarjit Singh Nanda, Animal Husbandry Commissioner of India, New Delhi, Shri Vijaypat Singhania, Chairman, JK Trust and various other dignitaries from India and abroad. All Vice Chancellors of SAUs of Gujarat were also present.

There were Five parallel Technical sessions on different themes.

The responsibility of Technical Session in Seminar Hall 2 at Mahatma Mandir on the Theme " Productivity Enhancement in Dairy Animals " was entrusted to **Dr. P H Vataliya**, Principal & Dean, Veterinary College, JAU, Junagadh.

DAY-I (11/6/2013)

Technical Session Part I: Productivity Enhancement in Dairy Animals

Chief Guest : **Dr A. S. Nanda**, Animal Husbandry Commissioner, GOI, New Delhi

Chairman : **Dr M L Madan**, Ex-DDG(AS), Karnal

Co- Chairman : **Dr. P H Vataliya**, Principal & Dean, Veterinary College, Junagadh

Rapporteur : **Dr P B Patel**, Professor of Surgery, Vet College, JUNagadh

There were four lectures on different aspects by DR R N Prasad, Gandhinagar, Mr R S Sodhi,MD, GCMME, Anand Dr N S R Sastri, Ret Prof, Andhra Pradesh and Ms Josephine Verhaeghe, Nehterlands. Honourable Chief Minister of Gujarat, Shri Narendrabhai Modi alccompanied by Chief Secretary Dr Varesh Sinha, Secretaries Shri Rajiv Kumar Gupta and Dr Dinesh H Brahmbhatt attended this Session for about 20 minutes. Hon'ble Chief Minister addressed the participants and also discussed on the concept of Animal Hostel with participants.

Technical Session Part II: Productivity Enhancement in Dairy Animals

Chief Guest : **Mr R S Sodhi**, MD, GCMMF, Anand

Chairman : **Dr. N C Patel**, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, JAU, Junagadh

Co- Chairman : **Mr R N Mishra**, IAS, Jt Secretary, AH, Govt of Odisha

Rapporteur : **Dr J S Patel**, Professor of Medicine, Vet College, Junagadh

There were seven presentations by different speakers including Mr Andres Adamsen, Minister Counselor, Denmark, Dr Hita Patel, CEO, GLDB, Gandhinagar, Dr M K Jhala, Professor, Vet College, Anand, Mr Banerjee, Afimilk India, Dr N K Khurana, Haryana Livestock Development Board, Hissar, Dr G K Sharma, NDDDB, Anand and Dr S V Shah, Prof, Anand on various aspects of productivity enhancement issues.

In the Technical Session in Seminar hall 2 there were more than 500 participants (veterinarians and para vets) from all over the country which included senior officials of Govt departments, State Agricultural Universities, Co-Operative Dairies and NGOs.

DAY-II (12/06/2013) Field Visits

There were 14 delegates from JAU, Junagadh. The overall participants in the All India Conference were more than 7500 from all over the country which represented 18 States and about 200 districts of the country.

This All India Conference was very useful to JAU from the point of view of planning and implementation of future programmes on productivity enhancement in dairy animals in the region.

Name of Participant: **Dr. P H Vataliya**, Principal & Dean, **Dr. J S Patel**, Professor, **Dr. P B Patel**, Professor, **Dr. K Ravikala**, Professor, **Dr. H H Savsani**, Associate Professor, **Dr. Shivaji Talekar**, Associate Professor, **Dr. H B Patel**, Assistant Professor and **Dr. A M Patel**, Assistant Professor, College of Veterinary Science & A H, JAU, Junagadh

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Inaugural session of conference



Dr. N C Patel, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, JAU, Junagadh as Chairman for the Technical Session Part II : Productivity Enhancement in Dairy Animals



Shri Narendra Modi, Chief Minister, Gujarat, attending Technical session



Dr. P H Vataliya, Principal & Dean, Veterinary College, Junagadh as Co- Chairman in Technical Session Part I: Productivity Enhancement in Dairy Animals



Shri Narendra Modi, Chief Minister, Gujarat addressing the scientists.



Participation of Dr. NC Patel , Hon'ble Vice Chancellor and other officers & scientists in conference.

