

## ICAR-CIFA organizes direct telecast of Hon'ble Prime Minister's address to the farmers

Hon'ble Prime Minister of India inaugurated two days long Kisan Samman Sammelan being held at New Delhi on 17th October 2022. He also visited the exhibition put up as a part of Agri-startup conclave. On this occasion a direct live



telecast programme was organised by ICAR-CIFA, Kausalyaganga and KVK, Khordha for the farmers, students, staff and other stakeholders. At the outset of the programme Shri A K Dash, Sr Scientist & Head, KVK, Khordha welcomed the farmers and other stakeholders. Dr. Saroj Kumar Swain, Director, ICAR-CIFA also spoke on this occasion



and urged to go for modern farming practices. He appreciated the efforts of Maheera Farmer Producers Company, Khordha that has brought together over two thousand farmers and farm women under one umbrella for

aggregation and collectivization. A farmer-scientist's interaction was also held and the queries related to agriculture and allied sectors were addressed. Over 250 farmers and farmwomen from Baliana and Balipatna block of Khordha district of Odisha gathered at the Institute and watched the live telecast of the Prime Minister's address to the farmers. Besides, the employees of the Institute Headquarters and Regional Research Stations too joined the programme virtually through [www.pmindiawebcast.nic.in](http://www.pmindiawebcast.nic.in).

