

ICAR-NRC on Yak in collaboration with ICAR-NINFET, Kolkata organized a Six Days Training on “Yak Fibre Based Fabric Making”

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ICAR-National Research Centre on Yak in collaboration with ICAR-National Institute of Natural Fibre Engineering and Technology, Kolkata organized a **Six days Training on “Yak Fibre Based Fabric Making”** in Dirang during 31st October, 2022 to 5th November, 2022.

The programme started on 31st October, 2022. Dr. Sanjoy Debnath, Principal Scientist and Mr. Anant Das, Trainer on Textile Manufacture, from ICAR-NINFET, Kolkata participated in the programme. Dr. D. Medhi, PS, ICAR-NRCY cum, Convener of the programme welcomed all the participants and briefed the importance of yak fibres and detailed about the training. Dr. Debnath in his remarks told about the quality and prospects of yak fibres, the techniques on textile manufacture and designing.

In the technical session, held on 31st October, 2022 two lectures followed by an interactive session was arranged. In the first lecture, Dr. Medhi told about the prospects of yak fibre based technologies and its commercialization aspects. Dr. Sanjay Debnath enlightened the participants on business aspect of yak fibre based products. Showcasing of technologies of ICAR-NRCY and hands on was followed from the post lunch session of the inaugural day till the end of the programme on 5th November, 2022. The programme ended with a valedictory programme and Dr. Mihir Sarkar, Director, ICAR-NRCY, Dirang graced the occasion. Director, in his deliveration explained the benefits of designs in textile manufacture to get fibre based products more remunerative. He also suggested the trainees to implement their learning in the training and asked to come forward for development of yak fibre based entrepreneurships for overall development of yak husbandry in the country. All trainees were rewarded with Certificates of Training.

Fourteen (14) persons were actively participated and completed the training showing their full enthusiasm.