

ICAR-NBFGR organized Live Broadcast of Hon'ble Prime Minister's launch of PM Dhan-Dhaanya Krishi Yojana and Dalhan Aatmanirbharta Mission

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ICAR–National Bureau of Fish Genetic Resources, organized the live broadcast of the national-level programme wherein Hon'ble Prime Minister of India, Shri Narendra Modi Ji launched agricultural initiatives worth over ₹42,000 crore for the farming community across the country. The major highlights of the event included the launch of the Prime Minister Dhan-Dhaanya Krishi Yojana (₹24,000 crore) and the Dalhan Aatmanirbharta Mission (₹11,440 crore), aimed at transforming India's agriculture landscape through enhanced productivity, diversification, value chain strengthening, and sustainable farming practices. The Prime Minister also inaugurated and laid the foundation stone for over 1100 projects in agriculture, animal husbandry, fisheries, and food processing sectors, symbolizing a major stride toward achieving the goals of Atmanirbhar Bharat and Viksit Bharat @2047. At ICAR-NBFGR, the live telecast of the Prime Minister's event was witnessed by 529 persons including of 319 farmers, and other stakeholders, who enthusiastically participated in the session. At PAGR, Centre of ICAR-NBFGR 27 persons joined the event virtually. Dr. Kajal Chakraborty, Director, ICAR-NBFGR, welcomed the Chief Guest, Hon'ble Prof. Dinesh Sharma, Member of Parliament (Rajya Sabha) and Former Deputy Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh. Dr. Chakraborty, in his welcome address about the significance of the event, highlighted the Bureau's ongoing efforts towards aquatic genetic resource conservation, technology dissemination, and farmer capacity building aligned with the vision of "Krishi Se Samridhi". Chief Guest, Hon'ble Prof. Dinesh Sharma Ji in his address, Prof. Dinesh Sharma Ji lauded the visionary leadership of Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi Ji for spearheading transformative initiatives in the agriculture and allied sectors. He emphasized that the PM Dhan-Dhaanya Krishi Yojana and the Dalhan Aatmanirbharta Mission would significantly enhance agricultural productivity, income diversification, and national food and nutritional security. Prof. Sharma commended the efforts of ICAR and its constituent institutes, particularly ICAR-NBFGR, for their contribution to scientific innovations, conservation of aquatic biodiversity, and farmer-oriented technological outreach. He reiterated that the integration of modern science with traditional agricultural wisdom will play a crucial role in realizing the vision of a self-reliant and prosperous rural India. On the occasion, Prof. Sharma also planted a sapling on the NBFGR campus, symbolizing the commitment to "Green Growth and Sustainable Agriculture." Prof. Sharma emphasised that the event reflected the national commitment toward strengthening the agriculture and fisheries sectors through innovation, inclusivity, and sustainability — in true spirit of '*Jai Jawan, Jai Kisan, Jai Vigyan, Jai Anusandhan*'. The event coordinated by Dr. Kajal Chakraborty, Dr. P. K. Pradhan, Dr. Rajeev K. Singh, Dr. Ravindra Kumar, Dr. Sharad Kumar Singh.







Details of participation on 11.10.2025 at ICAR Institutes

Name of State/ UT	No. of ICAR Institutes organized the programme	No. of male farmers participated	No of female farmers participated	No. of other participants					Total Participants	Google drive link for Photographs of the event
				No of Ministers of Central Govt .	No of Ministers of State Govt .	No of MPs	No of ML As	No of others		
Uttar Pradesh	ICAR-NBFGFR	298	21			1		209	529	https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/18ws0ciYVGLMuFTvanNEo2N_waHZMx7t?usp=drive_link