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TRAINING REPORT

Short Term Training on ‘Wood Protection’ was conducted from 3-7 February 2020. Seven trainees attended the training programme. The trainees were from Private wood industries and academia.



The inaugural programme was conducted on 3rd February 2020 and was attended by Head and Scientists of WP Division. The trainees introduced themselves and were briefed what they could look forward in the training programme. Dr. Shakti Singh Chauhan, Head WP and Course Director presented the research activities of the institute.

The trainees were provided the training course material prior to course commencement. The training consisted a series of lectures on various aspects of wood protection viz., wood anatomy, wood properties, wood biodegradation, wood seasoning, wood preservation, modification of wood, wood composites etc. These were followed by practical classes on seasoning and wood preservation. The trainees visited the facilities at Indian Plywood Industries and Training Institute, Bengaluru and Karnataka State Forest Industries Corporation to understand the seasoning and preservative treatment methods, and also to get an experience of industrial scale seasoning kiln, preservation plant and their operations. The trainees were taken to all the divisions of the institute and were explained about the activities of the various divisions and Advance Wood Working Training Centre and Museum.



The valedictory programme was conducted on 7th February 2020 and was attended by Dr. V.P. Tewari, Group Co-ordinator (Research) and Director-in-charge, Resource persons, trainees and officials from WP Division. Course Training Certificate was distributed to the trainees by GCR. Trainees were requested to provide their inputs about the training. Feed back was also collected from the trainees

