

## **RFRI, JORHAT CONDUCTS DAY-LONG SKILL DEVELOPMENT TRAINING ON BAMBOO**

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Shri Kumud Borah, Technical Officer, RFRI, Jorhat delivered the first Technical Session on bamboo nursery management, propagation, commercial cultivation, fertilizer management, spacing, harvesting and disease and pest management. He also gave practical demonstrations during his deliberation.

Dr. Pranab Nath, Officer from Assam Bio Refinery Private Limited, Golaghat (Assam) detailed about the Bio Refinery. He sensitized the participants on various issues related bamboo procurement, payment, delivery etc.

Shri Rajarshi Bhattacharyya, Technical Officer, RFRI, Jorhat delivered a presentation on Low cost technique for production of quality compost for application in nursery. He put emphasis on waste to wealth process i.e. conversion of waste material to useful composts/vermicomposts.

At the Valedictory Session, Shri R. K. Kalita appealed to all participants to take the advantage offered by the BioRefinery and sensitized them to become economically more benefitted. Certificates were distributed to the participants at the Valedictory Session. The programme ended with vote of thanks by Dr. Pranab Nath.

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## GLIMPSES OF THE TRAINING PROGRAMME





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