

## Address for Communication

Applications in the prescribed format may be sent to the Course Coordinator at the given address by speed post /registered post. Training fee may be paid either by cash or Demand Draft in favour of Director, AFRI, Jodhpur. Confirmation letter for participation will be sent through email within three days from receipt of application. Training fee can also be paid at AFRI office at Jodhpur on arrival.

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## Application Form for Training on Nursery and Plantation Technology of Sandal

Applicant's Name : \_\_\_\_\_

Qualifications : \_\_\_\_\_

Postal address : \_\_\_\_\_

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E-mail ID : \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile No : \_\_\_\_\_

Training fee : \_\_\_\_\_

(DD/Cash)

Date: : \_\_\_\_\_

Place: : \_\_\_\_\_

Signature : \_\_\_\_\_

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## About us

Arid Forest Research Institute, situated at Jodhpur in Rajasthan (India), is one of the premier Institutes of the Indian Council of Forestry Research & Education (ICFRE) under the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Govt. of India.



## Mandate and objectives of Institute

AFRI was established in 1988 with a mandate to conduct "Forestry research for conservation of biodiversity and enhancement of bio productivity in Rajasthan, Gujarat and Dadra & Nagar Haveli with special emphasis on arid and semi-arid regions".

## Thrust Areas of Research

- To develop techniques for rain water harvesting in arid areas.
- To develop technology for afforestation.
- Eco-stabilization of deserts with emphasis on sand dune fixation.
- To develop techniques for production of high quality planting material.
- Provenance trial of important arid zone species.
- Studies on bio-fertilizers and bio-pesticides

➤ Studies on Non-Wood Forest Products of arid zone.

➤ Tree improvement through traditional methods, tissue culture & genetic engineering.

## Jodhpur City

Jodhpur, popularly known as Sun City or Blue City, is a place of tourist attractions and historical monuments viz. Mehrangarh fort, Umaid Bhawan Palace, Jaswant Thada, Clock tower and Market. Other places include Mandore Garden, Kailana lake, Machia Safari Park etc. The Institute is situated 10 Km from Jodhpur railway station.

## Silviculture Division: Division involved in

- **Silvicultural management aspects of forest plantations in Rajasthan ,Gujarat and Dadra nagar haveli**
- **Development of protocols for seed testing, storage and pre treatments of seeds of important species**
- **Objectives of Training**
- **To provide comprehension information for raising quality Sandal wood planting material .**
- **To make farmers/stakeholders etc self sufficient in nursery raising of Sandalwood and its scientific cultivation.**
- **Training Course**
- This programme consists of lectures and practical demonstration on Sandalwood cultivation..It will enhance the knowledge of farmers and other stake holders in the field of Sandal Cultivation.

## **❑ Overview information on Sandal**

- ❑ Seed collection processing, drying and testing germination
- ❑ Seed storage, testing viability, Sandal seed sowing and transplanting.
- ❑ Preparation of beds ,potting mixture, filling of containers and transplanting.
- ❑ Multiplication of bio-fertilizer and application to enhance seedling growth.
- ❑ Selection of container size, type, application of supplementary nutrition and quality seedling parameters for quality production for high quality seedlings.
- ❑ Plantation establishment and management along with policy issues related to Sandal
- ❑ Information on Genetic improvement ,oil estimation and marketing of sandal
- ❑ Insect pest management of Sandal

A certificate will be provided by the Institute after successful completion of training course.

## **Eligibility**

Farmers, Forest Department Officers/officials viz. RFOs, Foresters etc., SHG members, NGOs, students/officials from Universities etc.

**No. of participants per batch : 20**

**Duration : Three days**

**Training Fee : Without Boarding and lodging : Rs.4000/- (Rupees four thousand only) per participant**

**With Boarding and Lodging: Rs5000/- (Rupees five thousand only) per participant**

Fee once paid will not be refunded.

**Last Date : 05.02.2017**

The amount should be paid in advance. In addition, participants can also manage boarding and lodging at Institute on their own cost.