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KVK training

ITANAGAR, Jun 23: A district level farmers training cum farmer-scientist interaction program was conducted by Agriculture Technology Management Agency (ATMA), Lohit in collaboration with Krishi Vigyan Kendra (KVK), Lohit at Namgo Mishimi village recently.

ATMA Project Director M Chowlu made the farmers known about the problems and prospects of kharif crops cultivated in the area while the subject matter specialist in agronomy thoroughly discussed about scientific cultivation of maize, ginger, integrated nutrient management, its importance for better production, types of manures and fertilizers and their judicious utilization.

The farmers were also explained about insect and disease management practices of ginger, maize and their related problems.

The farmers took active part in interaction program where the scientists answered their various questions on different crops, like gourds, vegetables, citrus, mustard etc.

A total of 100 farmers attended the program.

Another training program on integrated nutrient management (INM) of maize for farmers was also conducted by KVK Lohit at Napatia village recently.

The concept of INM, its importance for better crop production was explained in details before the farmers by the subject matter specialist (agronomy). He also explained before the farmers the details of INM in maize. Discussion on various other agriculture related problems frequently faced by the farmers was also held.

Twenty-eight participants, including the gaon bura, panchayat members attended the training.