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## **BOUT CICTAB**

### **PROFILE :**

At the instance of FAO CICTAB was set up by Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Govt. of India as an autonomous institution with its head quarters at Vaikunth Mehta National Institute of Cooperative Management, University Road, Pune 411 007 (India), in January, 1983.

CICTAB became operational, initially for four countries of the region, viz. Bangladesh, Nepal, Sri Lanka and India. Subsequently in the year 1991, General Council of CICTAB decided to revive the development of CICTAB activities as focal centre of HRD efforts in the relevant fields for all the countries of the SAARC region.

CICTAB was organised on the lines of the recommendations of FAO Mission on CICTAB (Chairman, B. Venkatapiah, formerly Dy. Governor of Reserve Bank of India and with endorsement of Government consultations held at Pune of four initial member countries of CICTAB, viz. Bangladesh, Nepal, Sri Lanka and India.

### **SCOPE AND FUNCTIONS**

While conceived essentially as a sub-regional centre for Nepal, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka and India, subsequently extending its scope to all the countries of SAARC Region, it is also expected that CICTAB will provide an effective forum for exchange of experience in agricultural banking and related fields between different developing countries in Asia and Africa. CICTAB's role, thus, is comprehensive and crucial but catalytic in nature.

The functions envisaged for CICTAB are defined in terms of its role and also of the countries it is expected to serve. CICTAB's functions are thus (i) training of personnel in relevant spheres and (ii) serve as a forum for exchange of experience among developmental functionaries.

### **OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES**

One of the distinguishing features of CICTAB is focus of its activities on programmes and practices relating to rural development. CICTAB, therefore, endeavors, through its programmes to help develop integrated management of organizations and institutions concerned with promoting and financing rural development.

In terms of its objectives, activities envisaged for CICTAB are:

- a. To actively promote and strengthen national systems for training in agricultural banking - credit and other organisations engaged in rural financing and development.
- b. To conduct training courses/workshops/seminars in India or other countries of the region on various aspects of Agricultural/Rural Financing and Development.

### **PROGRAMMES AND PARTICIPANTS**

CICTAB's activities relate to training personnel so as to assist them in solving the problems relating to promoting and financing rural development activities as also regarding the innovative and multi-disciplinary types of Rural Development Projects and Programmes.

The countries in the region participating in CICTAB programmes have more or less common features and comparable experience and problems in their rural economy and in the various development programmes undertaken by them. The importance of personnel development in evolving a viable institutional framework for executing rural development programmes, particularly for the benefit of the rural poor recognised by all concerned.

Participants for CICTAB's training programmes and other allied activities are senior personnel in related Departments of Government, central banks, cooperative and rural development financing institutions, Banks dealing with policies and programmes of their respective institutions and trainers from national level or regional level training institutions concerned with training of personnel from Rural Financing and Development Organisations.

### **ORGANISATION**

CICTAB is registered as an autonomous institution with promoter members as listed in Memorandum of Association and other members as detailed below:

#### **Promoter Members**

1. Ministry of Cooperation, New Delhi & Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Govt. of India, New Delhi
2. Ministry of Rural Development, Govt. of India, New Delhi
3. Ministry of Finance, Govt. of India
4. Reserve Bank of India (RBI), Mumbai
5. National Bank for Agriculture & Rural Development (NABARD), Mumbai

6. National Cooperative Union of India (NCUI), New Delhi
7. National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM), Pune
8. National Institute of Rural Development (NIRD), Hyderabad
9. Indian Banks' Association, Mumbai

#### **Other Members**

10. National Coop. Agri.& Rural Development Banks Federation, Mumbai
11. National Federation of State Cooperative Banks, Mumbai
12. National Cooperative Development Corporation, New Delhi
13. National Agri. Coop. Marketing Federation of India, New Delhi
14. Indian Farmers Fertiliser Cooperative Ltd., New Delhi
15. Krishak Bharati Co-operative Ltd., Noida
16. Managing Director, National Federation of Cooperative Sugar Factories Ltd., New Delhi
17. Institute of Rural Management Anand

#### **BANGLADESH :**

18. Bangladesh Bank (Central Bank of Bangladesh), Dhaka
19. Bangladesh Milk Producers Cooperative Union (MILK VITA), Dhaka
20. Cooperative Credit Union League of Bangladesh Ltd. (CCULB), Dhaka

#### **NEPAL :**

21. Nepal Rastra Bank (Central Bank of Nepal), Kathmandu
22. Agricultural Development Bank, Kathmandu
23. Rastriya Banijya Bank, Kathmandu
24. National Cooperative Development Board, Kathmandu
25. Sana Kisan Laghubitta Bittiyasanstha Ltd., Kathmandu
26. Nepal Federation of Savings and Credit Cooperative Union, Kathmandu, Nepal.
27. National Cooperative Bank Ltd., Lalitpur, Nepal
28. Nepal Agriculture Cooperative Central Federation Ltd. (NACCFL) Kupandole, Lalitpur
29. RMDC Laghubitta Bittiya Sanstha LTD
30. National Cooperative Federation of Nepal (NCF)

## **SRI LANKA :**

31. National Cooperative Council of Sri Lanka, Colombo
32. Cooperative Development Department, Govt. of Sri Lanka, Colombo
33. Federation of Thrift and Credit Coop. Societies- (SANASA), Colombo
34. Sri Lanka Consumer Cooperative Societies Federation, Colombo
35. National Institute of Cooperative Development, Polgolla.

## **BHUTAN :**

36. Ministry of Agriculture & Forest, Royal Govt. of Bhutan
37. Royal Monetary Authority of Bhutan / Financial Institutions Training Institute Ltd, Thimphu, Bhutan
38. Bhutan Development Bank Ltd., Thimphu

## **MALDIVES :**

39. Bank of Maldives, Male

## **MANAGEMENT**

Management of CICTAB is vested with General Council and Managing Committee consisting of representatives from member institutions in member countries.

### **(a) General Council**

The General Council of CICTAB consists of all the National level institutions of member countries in the SAARC Region who have subscribed to the membership of CICTAB. Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture, Govt.of India is the President of General Council of CICTAB. Composition of the General Council is as detailed below :

1. Secretary President  
President  
Ministry of Cooperation  
Government of India  
New Delhi
- \*2. Additional Secretary  
Member  
Ministry of Cooperation  
Government of India  
New Delhi

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|------|---|--------|
| 3.   | Deputy Governor<br>Reserve Bank of India<br>Mumbai  | Member |
| 4.   | Managing Director<br>National Bank for Agriculture and<br>Rural Development<br>Mumbai                                   | Member |
| 5.   | Joint Secretary<br>Ministry of Rural Development<br>Department of Rural Development<br>Government of India<br>New Delhi | Member |
| **6. | Joint Secretary (Banking)<br>Ministry of Finance<br>Government of India<br>New Delhi                                    | Member |
| 7.   | Director General<br>National Institute of Rural Development<br>Hyderabad  | Member |
| **8. | Chairman<br>Indian Banks' Association<br>Mumbai   | Member |
| 9.   | Chief Executive<br>National Co-operative Union of India<br>New Delhi  | Member |
| 10.  | Director<br>National Institute of Bank Management<br>Pune   | Member |
| 11.  | Executive Director<br>National Coop. Agriculture & Rural<br>Development Banks Federation Ltd.<br>Mumbai                 | Member |
| 12.  | Executive Director<br>National Federation of State<br>Co-operative Banks Ltd.<br>Mumbai                                 | Member |

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|-----|---|--------|
| 13. | Managing Director<br>National Co-operative Development<br>Corporation, New Delhi                    | Member |
| 14. | Managing Director<br>National Agricultural Coop.<br>Marketing Federation of India Ltd.<br>New Delhi | Member |
| 15. | Managing Director<br>Indian Farmers Fertiliser Cooperative Ltd.<br>New Delhi                        | Member |
| 16. | Managing Director<br>Krishak Bharati Co-operative Ltd.<br>Noida                                     | Member |
| 17. | Managing Director<br>National Federation of Cooperative<br>Sugar Factories Ltd., New Delhi          | Member |
| 18. | Managing Director<br>Institute of Rural Management<br>Anand   | Member |

### **Nepal**

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| 19. | Governor<br>Nepal Rastra Bank<br>Kathmandu, Nepal                         | Member |
| 20. | General Manager<br>Agricultural Development Bank Ltd.<br>Kathmandu, Nepal | Member |
| 21. | General Manager<br>Rastriya Banijya Bank<br>Kathmandu, Nepal              | Member |
| 22. | Director<br>National Coop. Development Board<br>Kathmandu, Nepal          | Member |
| 23. | General Manager<br>Sana Kisan Bikas Bank,<br>Kathmandu, Nepal             | Member |



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| 24. | General Manager<br>Nepal Federation of Savings and Credit<br>Cooperative Union<br>Kathmandu, Nepal.                             | Member |
| 25. | General Manager<br>Nepal Agriculture Cooperative<br>Central Federation Ltd. (NACCFL)<br>Kupandole, Lalitpur<br>Kathmandu, Nepal | Member |
| 26. | Managing Director<br>National Cooperative Bank Ltd. (NCBL)<br>Kupandol, Lalitpur, Nepal   | Member |
| 27. | Chief Executive Officer<br>RMDC Laghubitta Bittiya Sanstha LTD<br>Putalisadak, Kathmandu, Nepal                                 | Member |
| 28. | Chairman<br>National Cooperative Federation of<br>Nepal (NCF),<br>Kathmandu Pulchowk, Lalitpur, Nepal                           | Member |

### **Sri Lanka**

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| 29. | Commissioner, Coop. Development<br>Government of Sri Lanka<br>Colombo, Sri Lanka                   | Member |
| 30. | General Secretary<br>National Coop. Council of Sri Lanka<br>Colombo, Sri Lanka                     | Member |
| 31. | General Manager<br>Federation of Thrift & Credit<br>Coop. Societies (SANASA)<br>Colombo, Sri Lanka | Member |
| 32. | General Manager<br>Sri Lanka Consumers Co-operative Societies<br>Federation, Colombo, Sri Lanka    | Member |
| 33. | Director<br>National Institute of Cooperative Development<br>Polgolla, Sri Lanka                   | Member |

## Bangladesh

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| 34. | Governor<br>Bangladesh Bank<br>Dhaka, Bangladesh  | Member |
| 35. | Chairman<br>Bangladesh Milk Producers Union<br>Dhaka, Bangladesh                                | Member |
| 36. | Chairman<br>Cooperative Credit Union League of<br>Bangladesh Ltd. (CCULB),<br>Dhaka, Bangladesh | Member |

## Bhutan

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| 37. | Secretary<br>Ministry of Agriculture & Forest<br>Royal Government of Bhutan<br>Thimphu, Bhutan                       | Member |
| 38. | Governor<br>Royal Monetary Authority of Bhutan /<br>Financial Institutions Training Institute Ltd<br>Thimphu, Bhutan | Member |
| 39. | Managing Director<br>Bhutan Development Bank Ltd.<br>Thimphu, Bhutan   | Member |

## Maldives

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| 40. | Bank of Maldives, Male, Maldives | Member |
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## India

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| 41. | Director<br>Centre for International Co-operation<br>and Training in Agricultural Banking<br>Pune | Member Secretary |
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\* 2 Ex-Officio Members

\*\* 2 only promoter members

## **(b) Managing Committee**

Managing Committee of CICTAB guides the operations and activities of CICTAB. Managing Committee consists of representatives of member institutions in the member countries and works under the Chairmanship of Additional Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India. Composition of the Managing Committee is as detailed below :

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| 1. | Additional Secretary (Coop. & Credit)<br>Ministry of Cooperation<br>Government of India, New Delhi                    | Chairman |
| 2. | Joint Secretary (Credit)<br>Ministry of Cooperation<br>Government of India, New Delhi                                 | Member   |
| 3. | Director General<br>National Institute of Rural Development<br>Hyderabad  | Member   |
| 4. | Chairman<br>Indian Banks' Association, Mumbai   | Member   |
| 5. | Managing Director<br>National Bank for Agriculture and<br>Rural Development, Mumbai                                   | Member   |
| 6. | Joint Secretary<br>Ministry of Rural Development<br>Department of Rural Development<br>Government of India, New Delhi | Member   |
| 7. | Joint Secretary (Banking)<br>Ministry of Finance<br>Government of India<br>New Delhi                                  | Member   |
| 8. | Chief Executive<br>National Co-operative Union of India<br>New Delhi  | Member   |
| 9. | Director<br>National Institute of Bank Management<br>Pune   | Member   |

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| 10. | Principal<br>College of Agricultural Banking<br>Pune   | Member           |
| 11. | Director<br>Centre for International<br>Co-operation and Training in<br>Agricultural Banking, Pune | Member Secretary |

## B. MEMBERSHIP

As per the decision taken in the Managing Committee and General Council CICTAB has invited and joined two newly institutions, Institute of Rural Management, Anand, India & RMDC Laghubitta Bittiya Sanstha Ltd., Nepal from the year 2020-2021.

With the approval of the membership, CICTAB has presently 38 members who have subscribed to the membership of CICTAB with country-wise break-up as follows.

India	:	17
Bangladesh	:	3
Bhutan	:	3
Nepal	:	10
Sri Lanka	:	5
Maldives	:	<u>1</u>
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## PROGRESS OF ACTIVITIES : 1983-84 TO 2022-2023

Detailed statement of the progressive development of CICTAB activities in terms of number of programmes organized number of participants of agricultural banking, cooperative and rural development institutions and the number of countries participated are given in **Annexure I, II, III and IV**.

Fig. I: Number of programmes conducted during the years 1983-84 to 2022-23.

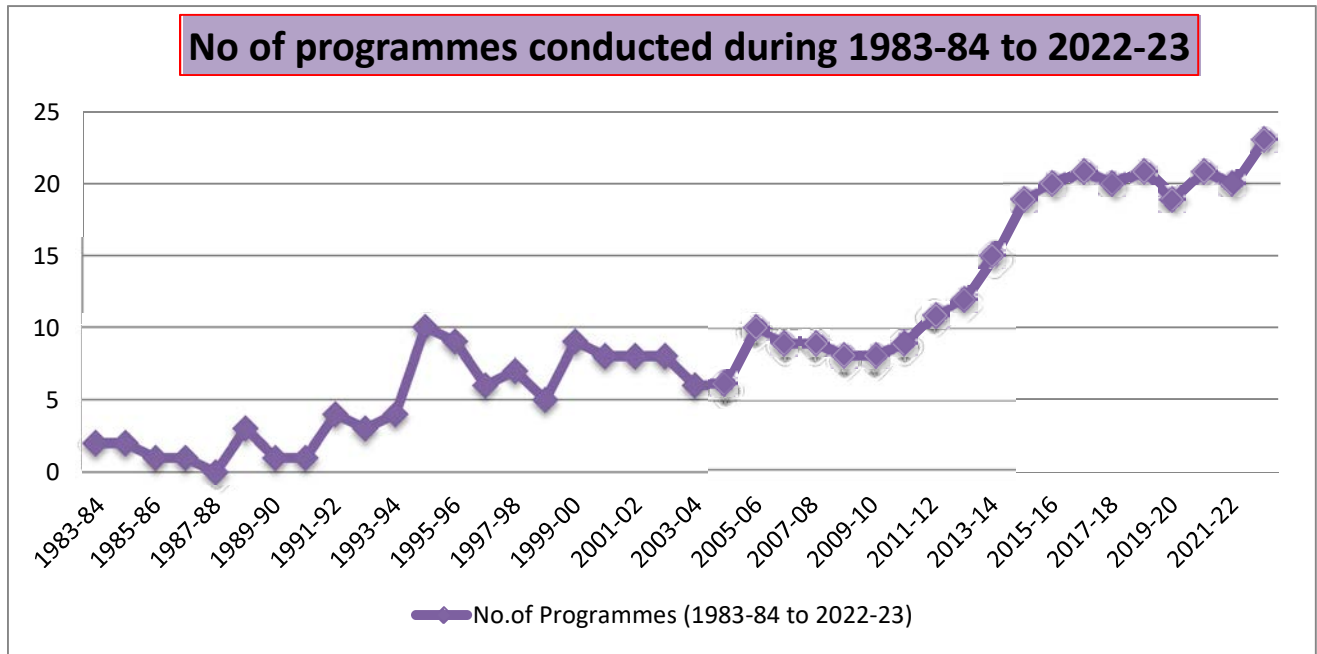


Fig. II: Number of Participants Trained during the years 1983-84 to 202-23.

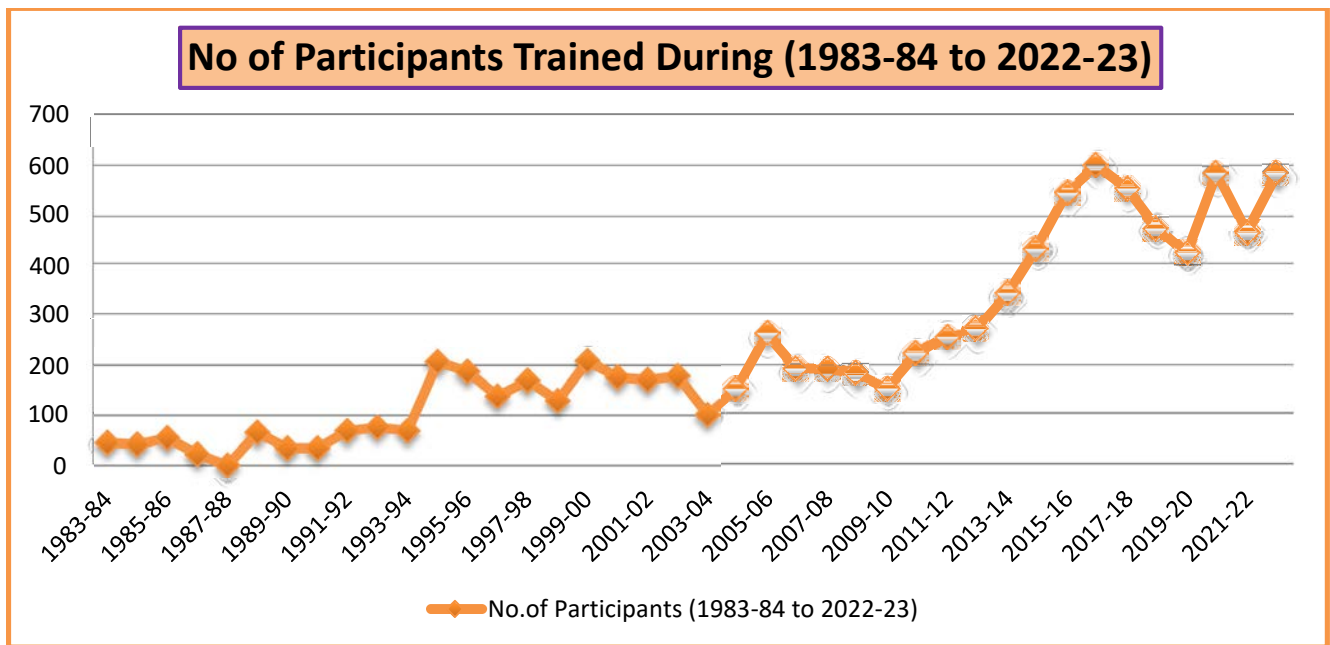
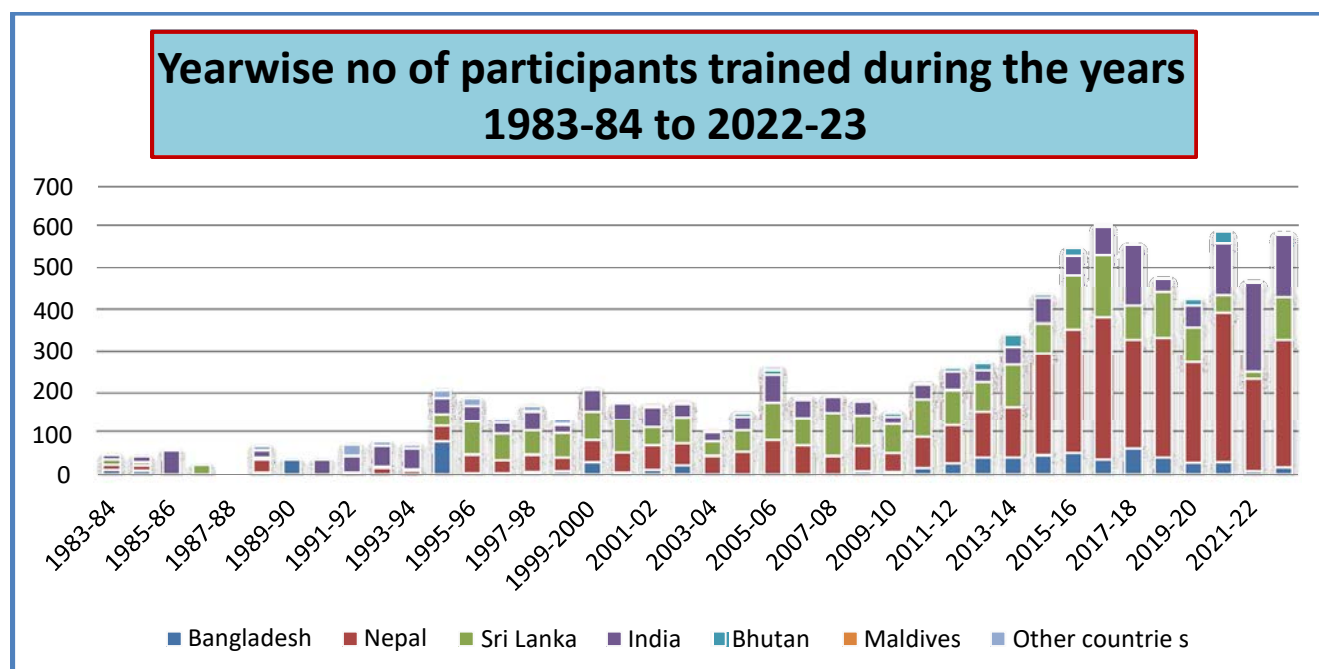


Fig. III: Yearwise number of participants trained during the years 1983-84 to 2022-23.



### C. Working paper on Road Map

The working paper on roadmap for CICTAB activities is placed at **Annexure V**.

### D. MEETINGS

#### 1. Managing Committee:

The 53<sup>rd</sup> meeting of CICTAB Managing Committee was held on 5<sup>th</sup> March, 2022 at 11.00 am in online mode – CISCO WEBEX platform. The Managing committee meeting was held under the chairmanship of Shri Vijay Kumar, IAS, Additional secretary, Ministry of Cooperation, Govt. of India, New Delhi. The minutes of the meeting are enclosed at **Annexure – VI**.

#### 2. General Council

The 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting of the General Council of CICTAB was held on 28<sup>th</sup> March 2022 at National Cooperative Development Corporation, New Delhi under the Chairmanship of Shri D.K. Singh, IAS, Secretary, Ministry of Cooperation, Govt. of India, New Delhi. The list of members who attended the meeting is at **Annexure – VII**.

## SECRETARIAT

CICTAB's Secretariat consists of Director, Consultant, and a small administrative staff, Secretariat of CICTAB is located in the premises of Vaikunth Mehata National Institute of Cooperative Management, Savitribai Phule Pune University Road, Pune 411 007 (India) (Phone :0091-20-25528164 / 25701224 Fax: 0091-20-25521642/25537735), Website: [www.cictab.ac.in](http://www.cictab.ac.in) e-mail: [cictab@hotmail.com](mailto:cictab@hotmail.com) / [cictab1983@gmail.com](mailto:cictab1983@gmail.com)

### CICTAB Administration

Sr. No.	Name	Designation
1	Dr. Hema Yadav	Director
2	Dr. D. Ravi	Consultant
3	Ms. Kalyani Sahoo	Programme Officer
4	Mrs. Smita Kadam	Research Associate
5	Mr. Sujit Kundu	Account Officer
6	Mrs. Usha Kulkarni	Jr. Stenographer
7	Mr. S. S. Shivde	LDC
8	Mr. J. B. Gaikwad	Account Assistant
9	Mr. Shivsagar Patil	Account Assistant
10	Mr. Surash Salvi	MTS
11	Mr. Nitin Koli	MTS

## **AN OVERVIEW OF PROGRESS AND GLIMPSES OF CICTAB ACTIVITIES 1983-84 to 2022-2023**

### **1. NATIONAL WORKSHOPS:**

FAO Mission Report (March 1980) had indicated a broad framework of activities for CICTAB especially with reference to the part it can play to help build up a National system of training for each of the participating countries. While discussing the measures for promoting national system of training it was indicated that one of the main responsibilities of CICTAB would be to assist and guide the countries in the sub-region for developing and strengthening their National systems of training so that cadres of trained professionals are built up to meet adequately the emerging needs of development oriented agricultural banking.

Objective was to help develop a comprehensive national system covering both cooperative and commercial banks. This would necessitate national level workshops for assessing the present gaps in training arrangements and identifying the measures to be taken to develop well-knit and purposeful national training systems. The first such workshop was held in India.

In view of these objectives, National Workshops designs were formulated as under:

- (i) Reviewing training arrangements obtaining in the country for personnel connected with rural banking and credit in commercial banks, cooperatives and specialised institutions.
- (ii) Consider such arrangements in light of the objectives, needs and other aspects including policies and programmes of rural development such as those concerned with larger production on the one hand and the small producer on the other.
- (iii) Suggesting framework for bringing these arrangements into a National system of training such as would adequately fulfill the objectives and policies which underlie agricultural programmes and rural development with particular reference to strengthen and develop National training system as :
  - (a) Strengthening and developing multi-level network of training arrangements/institutions with appropriate linkages and coordination at various levels(National, Intermediate and Field);
  - (b) A central arrangement to (a) to design various programmes on the basis of job analysis of different cadres and levels of banking personnel;
  - (c) to organise training of the faculty and help in the preparation of course material;
  - (d) to develop teaching methods; and (d) to evaluate training programmes.



Accordingly, CICTAB organised four National Workshop in India, Sri Lanka, Nepal and Bangladesh as under :

- (1) National Workshop to review training arrangements in India was organised from 12-15 February 1986 at VM National Institute of Co-operative Management, Pune. The Workshop was attended by 55 participants representing government departments connected with cooperation and rural development, National level training institutions, commercial banks, regional rural banks, state co-operative banks, National Cooperative Agriculture and Rural Development Banks Federation, National Council for Cooperative Training, FAO and APRACA.
- (2) National Workshop to review training arrangements in Sri Lanka was organised with Central Bank of Sri Lanka as lead institution from 31 October to 03 November 1986. The National Workshop was attended by 22 participants drawn from agricultural banks, cooperatives and government departments connected with agricultural and co-operative/rural development.
- (3) National Workshop to review training arrangements in Nepal was organised on 30-31 May 1988 with Agricultural Credit Institute of Agricultural Development Bank, Nepal as lead institution. The Workshop was attended by 23 participants representing National level training institutions, Nepal Rastra Bank, Rastriya Banijya Bank, Agricultural Development Bank and representatives of Ministry of Agricultural Finance, Rural Development and Co-operatives.
- (4) National Workshop to review training arrangements in Bangladesh was organised on 3-4 April 1989 with Training Academy of Bangladesh Bank as lead institution. 34 participants representing National level training institutions, agricultural financing banks, commercial banks, National level Rural Development Board, Bangladesh Institute of Bank Management and Government Departments connected with agricultural financing, cooperatives and rural development.

## **2. COLLABORATIVE ACTIVITIES - PROGRAMMES :**

### **(i) Survey of Self-Help Groups :**

At the instance of APRACA the member institutions of APRACA in India were to undertake survey of self-help groups with a view to establish their linkages with the financial institutions. As a part of collaborative contribution of CICTAB in conducting these surveys and join the steering committee which was to

coordinate and consolidate their survey reports of voluntary agencies/self help groups in various parts of the country CICTAB in turn had requested VAMNICOM, Pune to undertake the study on behalf of CICTAB. Accordingly, the survey of self-help groups/voluntary agencies in Tamilnadu and Kerala were undertaken by the faculty of VAMNICOM on behalf of CICTAB in 1986. The report prepared on the basis of this survey has been incorporated in the country report on the survey by NABARD for APRACA.

## **(ii) Country Plan of Study Visits by APRACA members in India :**

It was decided in the meeting of the APRACA member institutions of India held at NABARD, Bombay on 15 May 1987 that CICTAB may assist in preparing the country plan of study visits by Indian member institutions during the years 1987 and 1988. CICTAB had undertaken to prepare such programmes on behalf of the member institutions of India as a part of its collaborative efforts in APRACA activities.

CICTAB prepared a detailed plan of study institution-wise and subject-wise on the lines of the focus of study during these visits as indicated by APRACA and requested the member institutions in India to indicate the number of representatives proposed to be deputed for study visits as well as to indicate the areas/institutions and countries they would like to depute their members of study.

CICTAB compiled and classified the proposals as received in terms of the countries/institutions/areas and number of persons to visit group of countries and sent these details to NABARD for convening the meeting of the member institutions to finalise the actual programme of study visits as well as the allocation of APRACA assistance to member institutions of India for undertaking the study visits.

### **(iii) Consultation for preparing Course Outline and Material for South Asian Trainers Training Course :**

It was decided in the APRACA meeting of Indian member institutions held at NABARD, Bombay on 15 May 1987, that CICTAB should be designated as focal point in India for preparatory work for the above consultation and also for subsequently conducting South Asian Trainers Training Programme of APRACA.

In terms of the above decision and as part of collaborative efforts towards conducting APRACA activities, CICTAB had constituted a team of training experts consisting of representatives from VAMNICOM, CAB, NIBM, NABARD and SBI. CICTAB has collected training material in respect of trainers training programmes from these institutions. The compiled training material was considered at the consultation of trainers organised by APRACA in collaboration with CICTAB at CAB, Pune during the period 21-25 March 1988.

- (iv) At the instance of the Ministry of Agriculture, Government of India CICTAB provided academic collaboration in organising and conducting APRACA "Workshop on Linkages of Self-help Group with Banks" in the month of December 1990 at NIBM.

### **3. CICTAB DELEGATION'S VISITS TO MEMBER COUNTRIES**

#### **(i) DELEGATION TO NEPAL :**

As per the decision of the General Council and Managing Committee of CICTAB, the programme of visit of the CICTAB Delegation to Kathmandu, Nepal was arranged for the period 6-11 September, 1992. The objective of the delegation visit as to have an opportunity of personal dialogue and discussions with the various authorities and national level agricultural banking, cooperative and rural development institutions and their National level training organisations regarding the development of CICTAB activities in Nepal with collaborative support of these respective organisations and institutions.

CICTAB Delegation consisted of Dr. BC Sharma, IAS, the then Additional Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Chairman, Managing Committee of CICTAB as leader of the Delegation, Shri KC Srivastava, IAS, Director and Prof. (Dr.) DR Oza, Consultant, CICTAB. During the course of the programme of visit, the Delegation had very useful discussions with the authorities of Government and National level agricultural banking and rural development institutions of Nepal. During the course of discussions with these authorities and institutions the Delegation received very encouraging response to the request of CICTAB regarding the development of CICTAB activities in Nepal mainly for the human resource development of the functionaries in the spheres of agricultural banking, cooperatives and rural development institutions in Nepal.

#### **(ii) DELEGATION TO SRI LANKA :**

As per the decision of the General Council and Managing Committee of CICTAB the programme of visit of the CICTAB delegation to Colombo, Sri Lanka was arranged for the period from 6-12 February, 1994. The objective of the delegation visit was to have an opportunity of personal dialogue and discussions with the various authorities and National level agricultural banking, cooperative and rural development institutions and their National level training organisations regarding the development of CICTAB activities in Sri Lanka with collaborative support of these respective organisations and institutions.

CICTAB delegation consisted of Smt. Asha Das, IAS, Additional Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Chairman, Managing Committee of CICTAB as leader of the delegation, Shri KC Srivastava, IAS, Director, CICTAB, Bhagat Bista, representative of the Nepal Rastra Bank, Kathmandu, Nepal and Prof. (Dr.)

delegation had very useful discussions with the authorities of the Government and National level agricultural banking, cooperatives and rural development institutions of Sri Lanka.

During the course of discussions with these authorities and institutions the delegation received very encouraging response to the request of CICTAB regarding the development of CICTAB activities in Sri Lanka mainly for the human resource development of the functionaries in the spheres of agricultural banking, cooperative and rural development institutions in Sri Lanka.

### **(iii) DELEGATION TO BANGLADESH :**

CICTAB delegation to Bangladesh, consisting of Smt. Asha Das, IAS Additional Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Chairperson, Managing Committee of CICTAB as leader of the delegation, Shri KC Srivastava, IAS, Director, CICTAB, Shri MN Caffoor, Deputy General Manager, People's Bank and Prof. (Dr.) DR Oza, Consultant, CICTAB visited Bangladesh during the period 12-18 April 1994. During the course of the programme of visit, the delegation had very useful discussions with the authorities of the Government and National level agricultural banking, cooperative and rural development institutions of Bangladesh.

### **(iv) DELEGATION TO MALDIVES**

With a view to initiate efforts in the remaining countries of the SAARC region by arranging personal discussions with the authorities and National level institutions of Maldives to discuss various aspects of developing CICTAB activities in Maldives, the visit of CICTAB officials under the leadership of Shri Bhagat Singh, Additional Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture, Government of India and Chairman, Managing Committee of CICTAB was arranged from 04-09 May, 1998. The team included, besides the Chairman, Dr. MC Bhandari, Director and Prof. (Dr.) DR Oza, Consultant of CICTAB.

During the visit, CICTAB Delegation visited all the relevant authorities and institutions including Hon'ble Minister of Fisheries and Agriculture, Republic of Maldives, Director General, Ministry of Fisheries and Agriculture, General Manager, Bank of Maldives, Director, Department of External Resources, Director, Ministry of Planning and Director Maldives Centre for Management. During the course of visit the team had very useful discussions with these respective authorities, who positively responded to the initiative of CICTAB in developing HRD activities in the spheres of agricultural banking and rural development and expressed that they would explore the possibility of helping the development of CICTAB activities in Maldives and for the relevant personnel of Maldives.

#### **(v) DELEGATION TO BHUTAN :**

With a view to have personal discussions with authorities in the Government and National level financing and development institutions/agencies in Bhutan regarding the development of CICTAB activities in Bhutan and for the personnel of Bhutan, CICTAB delegation under the leadership of Shri Bhagat Singh, Additional Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India and Chairman, Managing Committee and consisting of DR. BB Barik, Director, VAMNICOM and CICTAB and Dr. DR Oza, Consultant, CICTAB visited Thimphu, Bhutan for the period from 08-11 January, 2001.

The visiting team of CICTAB officials had details discussions with the authorities in respect of various aspects relating to :

- i) deputing participants to the programme being conducted by CICTAB in different countries of the SAARC Region.
- ii) sponsoring and organising need-based programmes mainly for the development of personnel of Bhutan along with participants of CICTAB countries in Bhutan and
- iii) request for formally joining the membership of CICTAB by various authorities and institutions by paying a membership of US\$ 500 and thereby join the General Council of CICTAB to guide the future development of CICTAB activities.

The delegation had a very encouraging response from these authorities and institutions visited and as a result, CICTAB has received 3 membership from Bhutan viz. (i) Ministry of Agriculture, (ii) Royal Monetary Authority and (iii) Bhutan Development Finance Corporation.

#### **4. EXPERT GROUP TO REVIEW CICTAB PROGRAMMES :**

General Council of CICTAB constituted expert group consists of Prof Dinkar Rao of NIBM, Prof. Mohanan of NIRD and Shri Srinivasan, Chief General Manager, NABARD to review the nomenclature, design and content of all the programmes being conducted by CICTAB.

Expert group considered the tabulated suggestions of member institutions of CICTAB in member countries in detail and recommended revised format of programmes to be followed from calendar of programmes 2005-06.

## **5. Roadmap/ RESEARCH COORDINATION COMMITTEE :**

Centre for International Cooperation and Training in Agricultural Banking (CICTAB) under the guidance of Dr K K Tripathy, Director, CICTAB formed the Research Coordination committee in February 2020 to expand its scope in research. The idea behind the formation of this committee was to review research studies and evaluate project in the areas of rural financing, financial inclusion, rural development, cooperative development and related areas.

## **6. TRAINING COURSES AND OTHER PROGRAMMES - (2022-2023) :**

1. During the period 2022-23, CICTAB conducted 23 programmes, all with Inter Regional / International participation under the sponsorship of and/ or with active collaboration of member institutions in member countries of CICTAB.
2. Course design and contents of these programmes were suggested by expert group constituted by General Council of CICTAB in consultation with respective sponsoring member institutions and their lead National level training institutions - where the programmes were generally organized and conducted.
3. Programme design and contents are further being revised/modified from time to time to reflect the evaluation feedback of the participants and to make the courses more relevant to the training needs of participants, member institutions and member countries.
4. CICTAB is glad to record its grateful acknowledgement of the comprehensive support of the member institutions in member countries in sponsoring/collaborating in the successful conduct of these programmes for the benefit of participants from agricultural banking, cooperatives and rural development institutions in member countries and other countries of SAARC Region.
5. CICTAB conducted two days International Symposium on "Regenerative Ecosystems" at Xavier Institute of Management XIM University, Bhubaneswar during 29<sup>th</sup> -30<sup>th</sup> November, 2022 in collaboration with NABARD, VAMNICOM and AIESS Society Bhubaneswar.

Details of these 379 programmes in terms of period/year, sponsoring/collaborating organizations, number of participants and participating countries are elaborated in Annexure-I.

## A. TRAINING PROGRAMMES :

**CICTAB has conducted 23 training programmes during the period 01.04.2022 to 31.03.2023 and the details are as below :**

Country / Venue	Year											
	2011 - 12	2012 - 13	2013 - 14	2014 - 15	2015 - 16	2016 - 17	2017- 18	2018 -19	2019 -20	2020 -21	2021 -22	2022 -23
Bangladesh	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	--	--	--	--	--
Bhutan	--	01	01	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
India	08	09	11	15	17	18	16	18	17	20	20	20
Maldives	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Nepal	--	--	01	01	--	01	01	01	--	--	--	--
Sri Lanka	02	01	01	02	02	01	02	02	02	1	--	3
Total	11	12	15	19	20	21	20	21	19	21	20	23

**Countriwise Participants trained in 23 training programmes during the period 01.04.2022 to 31.03.2023 are as below :**

Year	Country							Total
	Bangladesh	Bhutan	India	Maldives	Nepal	Sri Lanka	Other	
2022-23	16	--	150	--	312	98	5	581



## **TRAINING PROGRAMMES :**

During period 01.04.2022 to 31.03.2023 CICTAB has conducted 23 training programmes. They have been detailed as below.

### **(1) International Programme on “Developing Managerial Skills for Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions” (06 – 10 June, 2022) at NCDC - LINACRD, Gurugram, Haryana**

International Programme on “Developing Managerial Skills for Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions” from 6<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> June, 2022 organised by CICTAB under the sponsorship of National Cooperative Development Corporation at Laxmanrao Inamdar National Academy for Cooperative Research and Development (LINACRD), of NCDC, Gurugram, Haryana, India.

Programme objectives were to enable the participants to recognize their roles and responsibilities in the development of Primary Agricultural Cooperative Societies and learn the process for providing guidance and consultancy & to apprise the participants with the various kinds of problems and deficiencies of Primary Agricultural Cooperative Societies and facilitate to acquire knowledge, skills and attitude for improving management of operational services in PACS.

Programme content covered was Cooperatives as a Business Enterprise; Agricultural Credit Cooperatives - Objectives, Operations and Legal Environment; Role of Related Federal Cooperatives and the Government; Process of Planning for Business Development; Assessment, Disbursement, Supervision and Recovery of Loans; Self-Help Groups - Concept, Functions and Linkages; Identifying New Business Opportunities; Appraising Business Alternatives; Monitoring and Control of Business; Human Resource Development for Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions.

Total 12 participants from Bangladesh 2 (CCULB), Nepal 2 (NRB) and India 8 have attended the programme.



## **(2) International Programme on “Renewable Energy Management for Cooperatives” at VAMNICOM, Pune 12th – 15th July, 2022 (CICTAB -MOC-VAMNICOM)**

The International Programme on “Renewable Energy Management for Cooperatives” was organised under the support of Ministry of Cooperation, Govt. of India at VAMNICOM, Pune during 12th – 15th July, 2022. Shri Pradip Kumar Das, Chairman & Managing Director, Indian Renewable Energy Development Agency Ltd, & Dr Hema Yadav, Director, CICTAB & VAMNICOM, inaugurated the program in presence of Dr D Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB & Faculty, VAMNICOM.

Dr Hema Yadav, Director, CICTAB & VAMNICOM welcomed all the participants and set the climate. Shri Pradip Kumar Das in his keynote address said that India's Renewable Energy (RE) sector could potentially employ around 10 lakh people by the year 2030, which would be ten times more than the existing workforce of an estimated 1.1 lakh employed by the sector. He shared that More than 90 per cent of RE projects in India have come up in rural areas, resulting in development of the rural economy. He concluded by sharing that e-mobility, green hydrogen, and offshore wind are expected to be game changers in the clean energy transition in the country in the next 5-7 years.

A total of 15 participants attended the programme from two countries viz,. Nepal (7) representing Nepal Federation of Savings and Credit Cooperative Unions Ltd. (NEFSCUN) ,Nepal Rashtra Bank(NRB) & India(08) representing National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development(NABARD) & various federations through National Cooperative Union of India(NCUI).



Group photo of the International Programme on “Renewable Energy Management for Cooperatives” at VAMNICOM, Pune 12th – 15th July, 2022

**(3) International online Faculty Development Programme on “Stakeholder Engagement: Methodology and Tools for Socio-economic Development focusing on Good Practice Documentation” (21st- 23rd July, 2022) (CICTAB -MOC-VAMNICOM)**

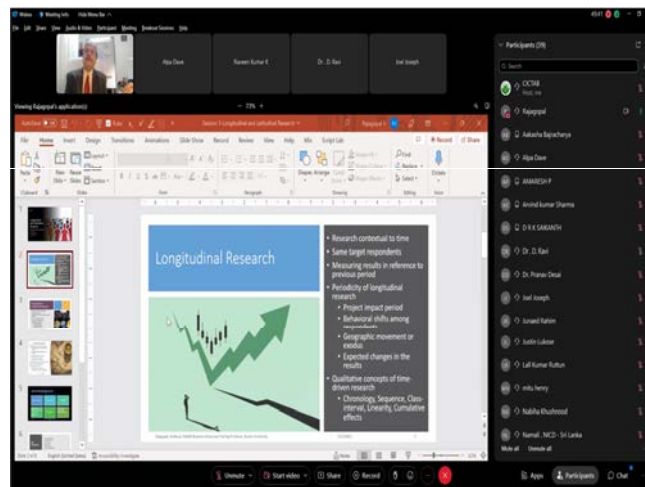
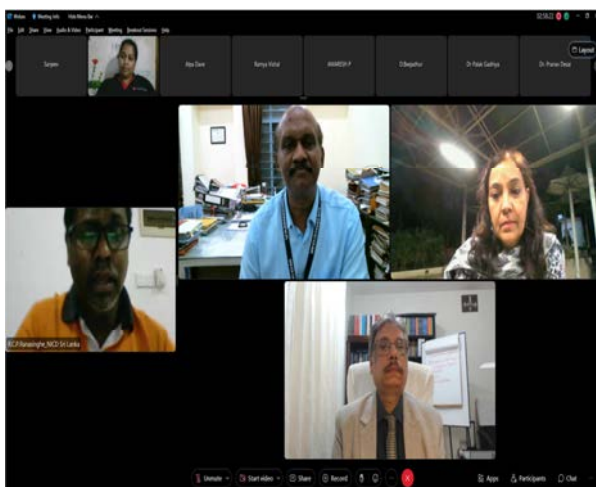
The International online Faculty Development Programme on “Stakeholder Engagement: Methodology and Tools for Socio-economic Development focusing on Good Practice Documentation” was organised from 21st - 23rd July, 2022. The programme was hosted in online mode from VAMNICOM, Pune.

Dr Hema Yadav, Director, CICTAB & VAMNICOM, inaugurated the program in presence of Dr. Rajagopal, Professor, EGADE Business School, Mexico & Visiting Faculty, Boston University, Dr D Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB & Faculty, VAMNICOM and Dr Anshu Singh, Faculty, VAMNICOM.

The Programme was organized by CICTAB under the sponsorship of Ministry of Cooperation, Government of India and collaboration with Vaikunth Mehta National Institute of Cooperative Management, Pune for the benefits of participants from member countries of CICTAB and countries of SAARC region.

A total of 72 participants registered for the programme out of which 45 attended the program online from seven countries viz,. Nepal (1) representing Nepal Rashtra Bank(NRB); Sri Lanka(7) representing National Institute of Cooperative Development(NICD),Polgolla; AARDO nominated participants from

the following countries Bangladesh (1) representing Bangladesh Academy For Rural Development, Zambia (1) representing Kafue Training Youth Resource Centre, Zambia, Nigeria (1) representing Agricultural And Rural Management Training Institute (ARMTI)- Kwara; Mauritius (3) representing National Co-Operative College, Republic of Mauritius & India(31) representing African-Asian Rural Development Organization, various federations through National Cooperative Union of India(NCUI) such as Gujarat State Women’s SEWA Coop. Federation Ltd., Karnataka State Souharda Federal Cooperative Ltd., “Souharda Sahakari Soudha”,-Bengaluru, Evengelical Social Action Forum (ESAF) Cooperative Thrissur, Kerala, The CAMPCO Ltd. PB No.223, Mengaluru, UPSGV, Lucknow, Pondicherry Institute Of Cooperative Management ,Pondicherry alongwith other institutions & organisations such as Arka Jain University, National Institute of Banking Management(NIBM, Pune),Mumbai University, RBL Bank Ltd & Charotar University of Science and Technology (CHARUSAT).



Dr Hema Yadav, Director, CICTAB & VAMNICOM, inaugurated the program in presence of Dr. Rajagopal, Professor, EGADE Business School, Mexico & Visiting Faculty, Boston University & Dr D Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB & Faculty, VAMNICOM & Dr Anshu Singh, Faculty, VAMNICOM.

#### **(4) International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) (25<sup>th</sup> - 28<sup>th</sup> July, 2022) (MOC-NIBM-VAMNICOM- CICTAB)**

The Programme on International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) was organised from 25<sup>th</sup> -28<sup>th</sup> July, 2022. The programme was conducted in physical mode in collaboration with NIBM, Pune with the financial support of Ministry of Cooperation, Gov of India at VAMNICOM, Pune.

Dr D Ravi, Faculty, VAMNICOM & Consultant, CICTAB welcomed all the participants and set the climate along with Dr Tasneem Cherawala, Faculty, National Institute of Banking Management (NIBM).

A total of 28 participants attended the programme from two countries viz., Nepal (24) representing Nepal Federation of Savings and Credit Cooperative Unions Ltd. (NEFSCUN), Nepal Rashtra Bank (NRB), RMDC Laghubitta Bittiya Sanstha Ltd, Agricultural Development Bank (ADBL) & India (4) representing Krishak Bharati Cooperative Limited (KRIBHCO).

The training programme was for Executives / Officers of Banks and Financial Institutions from Risk Management, Treasury, Finance Departments in the countries of the SAARC region. The 4-day long programme comprised of 13 sessions of 1 hour 15 mins duration each were conducted.

Apart from sessions on the above topics, the participants also made Country paper presentations with reference to their respective organizations from India & Nepal along with presentation of the Action Plan.

A one day field visit to the College of Agricultural Banking, RBI, Pune was planned to witness and understand the functioning of Financial Literacy and archival history of Reserve Bank of India along with the historical monument Aga Khan Palace, Pune.

Dr D Ravi Faculty, VAMNICOM & Consultant, CICTAB moderated the country paper presentation session. The participants from different organizations shared their experiences which was very insightful.

Valedictory Session of the training programme was graced by Dr Hema Yadav, Director, CICTAB & VAMNICOM in presence of Dr D Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB & Faculty, VAMNICOM & Dr Tasneem Cherawala, Faculty, NIBM, Pune.



Dr Hema Yadav, Director, CICTAB & VAMNICOM, inaugurated the program in presence of Dr D Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB & Faculty, VAMNICOM & Dr Naveen Kumar, NIBM.



Practicle session of the participants in computer lab of VAMNICOM





Classroom session of the participants in between the programme

Dr D Ravi, Programme Director arranged study visit of the participants to RBI Archives

**(5) International Programme on "Project Approach to Cooperative Development: Sharing Experiences of NCUI Cooperative Education Field Projects" (Focused on Trainers Training) 2nd to 6th August, 2022 at NCUI, New Delhi (CICTAB - NCUI)**

An International Programme on "Project Approach to Cooperative Development: Sharing Experience of NCUI Cooperative Education Field Projects" was jointly organised by CICTAB and NCUI from 2nd to 6th 2022. The five-day long international programme was attended by 37 participants from 17 cooperative institutions.

Total 37 participants including 12 from India and 25 from Nepal attended the programme. The participants consisted of CEOs, Board of Directors, Senior/Middle level Officers, Trainers & Potential trainers from National level Training Institutions of Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions.

During the five days training, five identified Project Officers from different region of India shared their experiences with the participants. Various issues like linkage of SHGs and their registration as cooperative societies, farm guidance activities, revitalization of weak cooperatives including PACS, income generating activities etc. were deliberated.

Qualified subject experts, academicians from premier institutions addressed the participants on the given topics. The topics covered by resource persons included Cooperative Entrepreneurship & Youth Participation in Cooperatives, collectives approach for skilling and income generating activities, Women Empowerment through Self-Help Group Approach and income generation, Farmer Producers Organization Model, Income Generating Activities for Collectives, Business Development Plan and Diversification of Coop., Business

Branding and Marketing, Role of information technology in cooperatives, Entrepreneurship & Micro Project Planning etc.

On the last day of the programme, all the participants were divided into 5 (five) teams under the supervision of the five NCUI Cooperative Education Field Projects Officers. Dr. D. Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB gave a task to each team for making a brief presentation on "What they have learnt and formulated an Action Plan".

40 minutes was given to the respective teams for making presentation. All five teams completed the task in given time frame. All the teams made presentation on the given subject and also shared their take-away from this programme in the presence of Smt. Savitri Singh, Program Director and Executive Director, Sh. Chandan Singh, Asstt Director, International Relations (NCUI) and Dr. D. Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB. The programme was conducted successfully.



Classroom sessions International Programme on "Project Approach to Cooperative Development: Sharing Experiences of NCUI Cooperative Education Field Projects"

**Group discussion on topic "What they have learnt and formulated an Action Plan" conducted by Dr. D. Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB**



**Group-I**



**Group-II**



**Group-III**



**Group-IV**



**Group-V**



**Group-VI**





Validation of the programme and certificate distribution



Group photo of the International Programme on "Project Approach to Cooperative Development: Sharing Experiences of NCUI Cooperative Education Field Projects"

**(6) International Programme on "AgriValue Chain Financing" (9th -12th August, 2022) At VAMNICOM, Pune (CICTAB-MOC-VAMNICOM)**

International Programme on "AgriValue Chain Financing" was organised under the financial support of Ministry of Cooperation, Govt. of India at VAMNICOM, Pune during 9th -12th August, 2022 at VAMNICOM, Pune



The International programme was inaugurated by Dr Hema Yadav, Director, CICTAB & VAMNICOM in presence Mr Yogesh Thorat, Managing Director, MAHA Farmer's Producer Company. Mr Rahul Godse, MAHA Farmer's Producer Company & Dr. D. Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB.

Mr Yogesh shared that MAHAFPC is the umbrella body for more than 780 farmers producers companies (FPCs) and 2.5 Lakh farmers in Maharashtra. He stressed on the importance of easy availability of finance for the farmers for sustainable value chain management. He also shared that other factors such as market linkages, innovative procurement channels, value chain mapping & models to assess the financing contribute holistically to the overall agricultural value chain financing.

Dr Hema Yadav, Director, VAMNICOM and CICTAB shared in her inaugural address the relevance of conducting the particular training programme and advised the participants to utilise the CICTAB platform to interact with each other and have the maximum takeaways from the sessions designed. She agreed with Mr Yogesh and also stressed that to understand the agricultural value chain financing, the value chain mapping has to be done at a very early stage of the particular commodity.

A total number of 29 participants attended the programme from two countries viz. India & Nepal. There were 2 participants from India representing Ministry of Rural Development, Government of India, New Delhi & 27 participants from Nepal representing (2) Nepal Rashtra Bank (NRB) ; (3) Nepal Agriculture Cooperative Central Federation Ltd. (NACCFL) ; (22) Nepal Federation of Savings and Credit Cooperative Unions Ltd. (NEFSCUN).



Programme was inaugurated by Dr Hema Yadav, Director, CICTAB & VAMNICOM in presence Mr Yogesh Thorat, Managing Director, MAHA Farmer’s Producer Company. Mr Rahul Godse, MAHA Farmer’s Producer Company & Dr. D. Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB



Group photo of International Programme on “AgriValue Chain Financing” (9th -12th August, 2022) At VAMNICOM, Pune

**(7) International Training Program on “Adopting Area based Integrated approach for Cooperative Development – An Experience of NCDC’s ICDP scheme in Indian context” 19th – 23rd September, 2022**

International Programme was organized at Laxmanrao Inamdar National Academy for Cooperative Research and Development (LINAC), Gurugram in collaboration with Centre for International Co-operation and Training in Agricultural Banking (CICTAB)

on "Adopting Area based Integrated approach for Cooperative Development – An Experience of NCDC’s ICDP scheme in Indian context” for participants from member

institutions of CICTAB in SAARC region during 19th – 23rd September, 2022.

A total of 23 participants from various cooperative organizations of Nepal (NRB-2, NEFSCUN-12, RMDC-3, NCF-2, NACCFL-4) participated in the training program.

Programme was inaugurated by Lt. Col.(Dr.) Baljit Singh, Chief Director, LINAC, Gurugram. Objectives of the programme are state the concept, strategy and unique features of integrated cooperative development approach, learn the process for developing area specific integrated projects including funding pattern, explain the role and responsibilities of project functionaries in implementation and state the achievement and impact of projects on indian cooperatives.

A study visit to Ujoli Primary Cooperative Society, Alwar District, Rajasthan was organized on 20th September, 2022. During the visit, the participants were briefed about the society and its various activities. Followed by this, a cultural visit to New Delhi was organized for the participants to have a glimpse of the rich heritage of New Delhi.

Valedictory Address was given by Dr. D. Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB.



A study visit of participants to Ujoli Primary Cooperative Society, Alwar District, Rajasthan was organized on 20th September, 2022

**(8) International Programme on Women's Empowerment through Income Generating Activities (September 26 - 29, 2022) at NIBM campus. (CICTAB-NIBM-VAMNICOM)**

International Programme on Women's Empowerment through Income Generating Activities was organised in collaboration with VAMNICOM during September 26 - 29, 2022 at NIBM campus, Pune.

The programme was inaugurated by Dr Hema Yadav, Director VAMNICOM and CICTAB. Dr Naveen Kumar, Programme Director welcomed Dr Hema Yadav, Dr Ravi Consultant CICTAB and the participants. Dr Yadav in her address mentioned about the need for income generating activities for women and role of banks and financial institutions in delivering the same. The role of fintechs and agrotech's are widely changing the spectrum of development and women are going to benefits from these developments, Further, she also requested the participants, to do the trainers training activities in their respective organisations.

A one day field visit to Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Baramati was arranged to demonstrate various farm and non-farm enterprise/income generating activities. This visit was relevant for the participants as KVK has been functioning as Knowledge and Resource Centres of agriculture technology supporting initiatives of public, private and voluntary sector for improving the agricultural economy of the district and are linking with various national and international institutions for farm and non-farm sector development.

Ttal 15 participants participated in the program from Nepal - NCBL, NEFSCUN, RMDC and NRB.





Inoguration of the programme by Dr. Hema Yadav, Direcror, VAMNICOM & CICTAB



Classroom session of the participants in the programme



Group discussion of the participants



Virtual Session on digitising the enterprises



Validictory session of International Programme on Women's Empowerment through Income Generating Activities





Group photo of an International Programme on Women's Empowerment through Income Generating Activities

**(9) International Programme on "Agriculture and Rural Development through Cooperative Business Model" for four days in FMDI, Gurgaon (17<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> October, 2022) CICTAB-VAMNICOM-IFFCO-FMDI**

International Programme on "Agriculture and Rural Development through Cooperative Business Model" was organized in collaborative with Indian Farmers Fertilizer Cooperative Limited (IFFCO), New Delhi at Fertilizer Marketing Development Institute (FMDI) of IFFCO, Gurugram, Haryana, India during 17th – 20th October, 2022.

Objectives of the programme are to sensitize the participants to the concept of Co-operative Business Model and to visit and understand the role and functions of Co-operatives in India. Content of the programme was Cooperative Business Model Concept, Experiences of CICTAB members on co-operative business model, Agriculture and Rural Development through Cooperative Business Model, Challenges before co-operatives in the globalised economy.

Total 31 participants participated in the programme from Nepal- 26 (NEFSCUN 18, NRB 3, NCBL 5); India- 5 (NCUI 4, IFFCO 1)

## **(10) International Programme on “Integrated Treasury Management” 9th - 12th November, 2022 (CICTAB-MOC-VAMNICOM-NIBM)**

The International Programme on “Integrated Treasury Management” organized during 9th - 12th November, 2022 at VAMNICOM, Pune. The programme was conducted in physical mode in collaboration with NIBM and under the financial support of Ministry of Cooperation, Gov of Indai at VAMNICOM, Pune.

Dr Hema Yadav, Director, CICTAB & VAMNICOM, inaugurated the program in presence of Dr D Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB & Jt. Programme Director, VAMNICOM & Dr. Kedarnath Mukharjee, Faculty, NIBM, Pune.

Dr Hema Yadav, Director, CICTAB & VAMNICOM welcomed all the participants and set the climate by sharing that Treasury Management services can streamline business finances by managing cash, investments, and other financial assets. It's a management system that optimizes your business's liquidity, while also mitigating its financial, operational, and reputational risk.

A total of 20 participants have attended the programme from two countries viz,. Nepal (15) representing Nepal Rastra Bank (NRB), National Cooperative Bank Ltd. (NCBL), National Cooperative Federation of Nepal (NCF) & India (5) representing National Cooperative Union of India (NCUI), National Cooperative Agriculture and Rural Development Banks Federation Ltd., (NAFCARD)



Dr Hema Yadav, Director, CICTAB & VAMNICOM, inaugurated the program in presence of Dr D Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB & Jt. Programme



Director, VAMNICOM & Dr. Kedarnath Mukharjee, Faculty, NIBM, Pune



Study visit of participants to Financial Inclusion digital room and RBI Archived at CAB, RBI Pune



Validation and certificate distribution of the programme

**(11) International Programme on “Exposure Visit Programme in SHG, JLG and Farmers Collectives” (For CEOs and Senior Executives) at College of Agricultural Banking CAB, Pune (22nd to 25th November, 2022) (CICTAB-CAB-RBI)**

The International Programme on “Exposure Visit Programme in SHG, JLG and Farmers Collectives” (For CEOs and Senior Executives) was conducted in collaboration of RBI during 22nd to 25th November, 2022 at College of Agricultural Banking CAB, Pune.

Shri. V G Sekar, Chief General Manager & Principal, CAB inaugurated the programme in the presence of Dr D Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB & Faculty, VAMNICOM; Shri. Narayan, Deputy General Manager & Mrs. Puja Sharma, Assistant General Manager Faculty, CAB, Pune.

Shri. V G Sekar, Chief General Manager & Principal, CAB welcomed all the participants and set the climate by sharing his views about the SHGs & JLGs.



He briefed the structure of SHGs & JLGs in India and also asked the Nepal participants to share structure & functions of SHGs & JLGs at their places.

The field visit to BAIF was organized with an interaction to provide an exposure to the participants to the functioning, issues and challenges etc. of a SHG through a visit to one of the SHGs/NGOs/SHPis.

Dr. Hema Yadav, Director, VAMNICOM & CICTAB was present for valediction of the programme. She guided the participants. Dr. D. Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB & Jt. Programme Director, VAMNICOM also interacted with participants.

A total of 16 participants have attended the programme from two countries viz,. Nepal (11) representing Nepal Federation of Savings and Credit Cooperative Unions Ltd. (NEFSCUN) & National Cooperative Federation of Nepal (NCF) & India (5) representing National Cooperative Union of India (NCUI), National Cooperative Agriculture and Rural Development Banks Federation Ltd., (NAFCARD)



Shri. V G Sekar, Chief General Manager & Principal, CAB inaugurated the program in presence of Dr D Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB Shri. Narayan, DGM & Mrs. Puja Sharma, AGM, Faculty, CAB, Pune.



Dr. Hema Yadav, Director, VAMNICOM & CICTAB delivered the valedictory address of the programme in presence of Principal, CAB inaugurated the program in presence of Dr D Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB Shri. Narayan, DGM & Mrs. Puja Sharma, AGM, Faculty, CAB, Pune.

**(12) International Programme on “Business Plan Development for Agri Business Enterprise for the Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions” (5 – 9 December 2022 Online and 12 – 17 December 2022 Offline at VAMNICOM campus)” (CICTAB-MOC-VAMNICOM-LJ University)**

The International Programme on “Business Plan Development for Agri Business Enterprise for the Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions” during 5 – 9 December 2022 online mode on Cisco WebEx platform and 12 – 17 December 2022 physical mode in collaboration with LJ University and under the financial support of Ministry of Cooperation, Gov of India at VAMNICOM campus, Pune.

On 5th December 2022 Dr D Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB & Jt. Programme Director, VAMNICOM inaugurated the program on online platform in presence of Prof. Jignasu Yagnik, LJ University, Ahmedabad, Prof. Pranav Desai, LJ University, Ahmedabad & CICTAB team. Dr. D. Ravi the brief outline of the programme and set the climate. Prof. Jignasu Yagnik and Prof. Pranav Desai shared the idea behind the conduct of programme with participants.

The programme was conducted with the following objectives to provide insights into basics of Agri-Business Entrepreneurship and expose the participants to various business opportunities in the sector; to Explain concepts of business opportunity identification, estimation of demand and developing a market plan; Provide clarity on different constituents of a Business Plan; to provide inputs for preparing a business plan of the project opted by the learner so that he can venture into agri-business in a systematic manner.

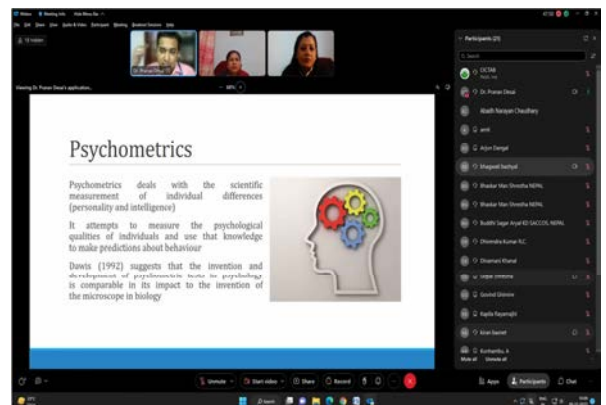
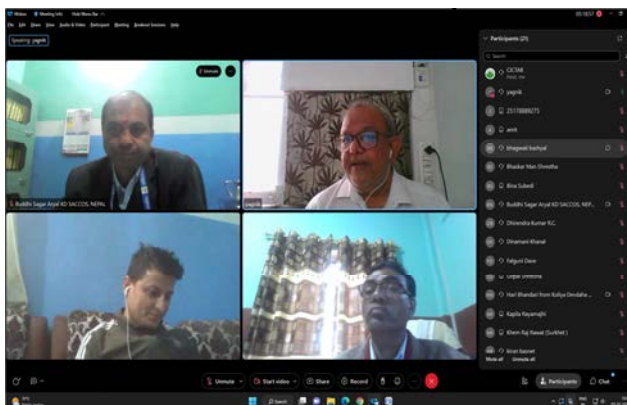
In online sessions experts from LJ University covered the topics regarding the Introduction to agribusiness, introduction to entrepreneurship, agribusiness Value Chain, psychometric assessment and personal SWOT, determinants of entrepreneurial success, business opportunity identification, creativity and innovation, importance of entrepreneurship for economic development, agribusiness science and research, entrepreneurial competencies, business ideation - business model canvas, barriers and driver of entrepreneurship, agri processing sector, agriculture and agribusiness value chains, new product development, technology in agribusiness, planning and establishing a business.

Offline sessions were practice based classroom sessions. One day study visit was arranged to KVK Baramati.

A total of 30 participants have attended the programme from two countries viz., Nepal (22) representing Nepal Federation of Savings and Credit Cooperative Unions Ltd. (NEFSCUN) (11), RMDC Laghubittiya Bittiya Sanstha Ltd. (2), Nepal Rashtra Bank NRB (4), National Cooperative Bank Ltd NCBL (5) and India (8) representing National Cooperative Union of India (NCUI)



Inauguration of the International Programme on “Business Plan Development for Agri Business Enterprise for the Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions” at VAMNICOM





## Snapshots of online sessions conducted in first three days



Study Visit to KVK Baramati



Group photo of an International Programme on "Business Plan Development for Agri Business Enterprise for the Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions" (5 - 9 December 2022 Online and 12 - 17 December 2022 Offline at VAMNICOM campus)"

### **(13) International Programme on “Innovation and Application of Financial Technology in Rural Financial Institutions” 6th – 10th December, 2022 (CICTAB-MOC-VAMNICOM)**

The International Programme on “International Programme on Innovation and Application of Financial Technology in Rural Financial Institutions” organized in collaboration with VAMNICOM Pune and under the financial support of Ministry of cooperation, Gov of India during 6th – 10th December, 2022 at VAMNICOM, Pune.

Dr D Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB & Faculty, VAMNICOM inaugurated the program in presence of CICTAB team. Dr. D. Ravi asks all the participants to introduce themselves. He shared the brief outline of the programme and set the climate.

Dr Hema Yadav, Director, CICTAB & VAMNICOM welcomed all the participants and made informal discussion with participants regarding the stay arrangements, food, expectations from programme. She interacted with every group of same organization of Nepal & Gujarat.

The overall objectives of the programme were to discuss the role of Financial Technology for improving the business performance of cooperative and rural financing institutions, to create awareness about Financial Technology need and its implementation in co-operative and Rural Financing Institutions and to brief the latest developments on Financial Technology

A total of 29 participants have attended the programme from two countries viz,. Nepal (27) representing Nepal Federation of Savings and Credit Cooperative Unions Ltd. (NEFSCUN) (25), RMDC Laghubittiya Bittiya Sanstha Ltd. (2) & National Cooperative Agriculture and Rural Development Banks Federation Ltd., (NAFCARD)





Dr Hema Yadav, Director, CICTAB & VAMNICOM made informal discussion with participants regarding the stay arrangements, food, expectations from programme in the presence of Dr. D. Ravi, Programme Director

**Group Discussion of the participants on allowed topics by Dr. D. Ravi, Programme Director**



Group-I : Cooperative Management Training (CMT)

Group-II: Financial Risk Management in Cooperatives



Group-III: Making women Entrepreneurs

Group-IV: CBS implementation & cyber security



Group-V: Liquidity crises management



Certificate Distribution to participants

**(14) International Programme on “Management Strategies for Sustainability of Cooperative Financial Institutions” 20th – 23rd December, 2022 (CICTAB-MOC-NCCSL)**

The International Programme on “Management Strategies for Sustainability of Cooperative Financial Institutions” during 20<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> December, 2022 at NCC campus, Colombo, Sri Lanka in collaboration with NCCSL, Sri Lanka and under the financial support of Ministry of cooperation, Gov of India.

The overall objectives of the programme were to familiarize the participants with the use of management strategies for sustainability of cooperative financial institutions; to sensitize the participants about the regulatory mechanism of cooperative financial societies and strategic management processes and to share the best practices of governance.

A one day field visit on 21<sup>st</sup> Dec 2022 to Bingiriya Multipurpose Cooperative Society & Merawala Sanasa Society was planned to witness and understand the implantation and application of the classroom sessions

A total of 26 participants have attended the programme from three countries viz,. Nepal (3), India (3) and Srilanka (20).





Inauguration of an International Programme on “Management Strategies for Sustainability of Cooperative Financial Institutions”



Classroom session on Sri Lankan Best Practices of Financial Cooperatives by Mr L A Abeyasinghe, Lecturer Consultant



Study visit of participants to Bingiriya Multipurpose Cooperative Society and Merawala Sanasa Society on 21st December 2022.





Group photo of an International Programme on "Management Strategies for Sustainability of Cooperative Financial Institutions"

**(15) International Programme on "Business Development Plan for Primary Agricultural Cooperative Society" at VAMNICOM, Pune (3rd - 6th January, 2023) (CICTAB-MOC-VAMNICOM)**

The International Programme "Business Development Plan for Primary Agricultural Cooperative Society" At VAMNICOM, Pune from 3rd - 6th January, 2023. In collaboration with NAFSCOB & Vaikunth Mehta National Institute of Cooperative Management, Pune with the financial support of Ministry of cooperation, Gov of India. The programme was conducted in physical mode in VAMNICOM, Pune.

Shri G S Rawat, CGM, NABARD, Pune inaugurated the programme in presence of Dr. Hema Yadav, Director, CICTAB & Dr. D. Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB. Participants from NRB, NAFSCUN and RMDC, Nepal were attended the programme.

Director, CICTAB in delivered the inaugural speech and highlighted that "Market is nothing but the Demand". "Retail marketing instead of wholesale marketing will add value in PACs". "There is gap between fund availability and fund utilization of PACs"

CGM, NABARD in his key note address shared that the "assets created for Business Development made to be utilized for enhancing value of products."

“Resources planning through deposit mobilized can be taken place with better business plan & profit planning.” “Business diversification in non credit sector will bring profitability in PACs”

Dr. D. Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB & Faculty, VAMNICOM also interacted with participants. He briefed about the programme. On behalf of CAB, RBI Pune and CICTAB, the Programme Director conveyed gratitude to the guests and participants.

Dr. D. Ravi, Programme Director arranged presentations on successful PACs session in consultation of Lt. Col. Vinit Narayan, Regional Director, NCDC and Shri G S Rawat, CGM, NABARD, Pune. Our Director Dr. Hema Yadav approved for this session. We invited five NCDC award winning Primary Cooperative Societies recomanded by NCDC Pune. Four cooperatives sent their CEOs / Chairman’s / Representatives for four days programme.

Idea behind this session is- CEOs / Chairman’s / Representatives of PACs will share their experiences with other participants and also get the idea for successful running of PACs. Nepal participants also get benefited with the experiences of Indian participants.

A total of 22 participants have attended the programme from two countries viz,. Nepal (11) Nepal Rashtriya Bank Ltd. (NRB), RMDC Lagubitta Bittiya Sanstha Ltd. (RMDC) & Nepal Federation of Savings and Credit Cooperative Unions Ltd. (NEFSCUN) and India (11) representing members of Prise winning PACs from Maharashtra: (i) Mhasurne Vikas Seva Seva Society Ltd. , Tal. Khatav, Satara (ii) Ganesh Sahakari Dudh Vyavsayik Sanstha Maryadit, Rajuri, Pune (iii) Yogiraj Sahakari Pat Sanstha, Pune (iv) Mahalaxmi Mahila Nagari Sahakari Patsanstha, Belapur, tal. Srirampur, Ahmednagar.



Shri G S Rawat, CGM, NABARD, Pune inaugurated the programme in presence of Dr. Hema Yadav, Director, CICTAB & Dr. D. Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB. Participants from NRB, NAFSCUN and RMDC, Nepal attended the programme



Mr. Tapkir Dnyaneshwar, Chairman, Yogiraj Nagai Sahakari Patsanstha Ltd., Baner shared the journey of his organization



Ms. Vasudeo Kale, Chairman, Mahalaxmi Mahila Nagari Sahakari Patsanstha Ltd., Ahmednagar shared the journey of his organization



Shri Pradip Mane, Chairman, Mharsune Vividh Karykari Seva Sahakari Society, Mhasurne shared the journey of his organization



Shri Balasaheb Hadawale shared that Ganesh Sahkari Dudh Vyavsaik Sanstha in Pune is one of the leading Milk Manufacturers.





Study visit of participants to Mahatma Gandhi Vikas Seva Society Ltd. Ozarde

**(16) International Programme on “Agri Export Procedures and Documentation for Cooperatives” at VAMNICOM, Pune (4th – 6th January, 2023) (CICTAB-MOC-VAMNICOM)**

The International Programme on “Agri Export Procedures and Documentation for Cooperatives” was organized At VAMNICOM, Pune during 4th – 6th January, 2023. The programme was conducted in collaboration with Vaikunth Mehta National Institute of Cooperative Management, Pune with the financial support of Ministry of cooperation, Gov of India.

Mr. Prakash Naiknavare, Managing Director, Maharashtra State Co-operative Sugar Factories Federation Ltd. inaugurated the programme in presence of Dr. Hema Yadav, Director, CICTAB & Dr. D. Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB. Participants from Nepal and India have attended the programme.

Dr. Hema Yadav, Director, CICTAB welcomed all the participants and set the climate by sharing his views about the “Agri Export Procedures and Documentation for Cooperatives.

Mr. Prakash Naiknavare, MD, National Co-operative Sugar Factories Federation Ltd in his key note address shared that “India during last 10 years has emerged a major player in the Global Agri Exports”. “India’s performance in exports of Rice, Wheat & Sugar has been stupendous”. “On sugar exports, all past records are broken when Indian sugar industry exported 112 LTs during last year”. “Due to timely steps taken jointly by Food Ministry, Commerce Ministry & Sugar industry, India successfully penetrated major sugar importing markets viz, Indonesia, China, Bangladesh, Korea, Malaysia, Middle East & Africa”. “Net foreign exchange worth ₹ 44000 Cr has been earned by India via Sugar exports last year. Cooperative share in this has been robust of 55%”. “India is fully geared to export allotted 60 LTs sugar exports this year”

Dr. D. Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB & Jt. Programme Director, VAMNICOM also interacted with participants.

A total of 13 participants have attended the programme from two countries viz,. Nepal (6) Nepal Rashtriya Bank Ltd. (NRB), Rural Microfinance Development Centre Ltd. (RMDC) & India (7) representing National Federation of Cooperative Sugar Factories Limited (NFCSF), National Agricultural Cooperative Marketing Federation of India Ltd.(NAFED).



Mr. Prakash Naiknavare, MD, Maharashtra State Co-operative Sugar Factories Federation Ltd. inaugurated the programme in presence of Dr. Hema Yadav, Director, CICTAB & Dr. D. Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB.



The field visit was arranged on 5th January 2023 for the participants to Inland Container Depot, Talegaon in collaboration with Pune Customs, Department of Revenue, GOI, Ministry of Finance.





Certificate distribution to the participants



Group photo of the programme

**(17) International Programme on “Management Strategies to develop Consumer Cooperatives” 23rd - 26th January, 2023 (CICTAB-VAMNICOM-NICD)**

International training program on Management Strategies for Developing Consumer Co-operatives” was organized at NICD, Polgolla, Kandy, Sri Lanka during 23<sup>rd</sup> -26<sup>th</sup> January 2023 in collaboration with Vaikunth Mehata National Institute of Cooperative Management, Pune. It was a four day programme attended by 27 participants out of which 22 were from Sri Lanka representing Department of Co-operative Development, Govt of Sri Lanka various Multi Purpose Cooperative Societies; 3 were from Nepal representing Nepal Rastra Bank & RMDC Lagubitta Bittiya Sanstha Ltd and 2 were from India representing National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) and Reserve Bank of India.

Mrs Dileepa Rupani Piyadasa, Director General & Chief Executive Officer, National Institute of Co-operative Development, Sri Lanka welcomed the participants at the inaugural session of the Training Programme where she shared with the participants the requirement and necessity of such practical oriented programme. Further Dr D Ravi, Faculty, VAMNICOM & Consultant, CICTAB appreciated the efforts of NICD for arranging the programme. He also advised the participants to utilise the CICTAB platform to interact with each other. Mr D Jeewanadan, Additional Secretary, Ministry of Trade, Commerce & Food Security, Commissioner of Co-Operative Development & Co-Operative Society also interacted with the participants and encouraged them to focus on the learning objectives. Mr Ajith Amarakeerthi, Director, (Academic & Development), NICD, Sri Lanka also addressed the participants.

A total of 27 participants have attended the programme from three countries viz,. Nepal (3), India (2) and Srilanka (22)



Inauguration of programme by Dr. D. Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB in the presence of Mrs Dileepa Rupani Piyadasa, DG & CEO, NICD, Sri Lanka and Mr Chetan Singoi, Managing Director, Sarvodaya Market, Mumbai



Group discussion of the participants



Study visit to Warakapola Multi-Purpose Cooperative Society Srilanka.





Study visit of participants to Wayamba Cooperative Rural Bank Union Ltd, Srilanka.



Certificate distribution in International Programme on "Management Strategies to develop Consumer Cooperatives" 23rd - 26th January, 2023 (CICTAB-VAMNICOM-NICD)

**(18) International Programme on "Training Techniques for Trainers of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions" (6th – 10th February, 2023) (Focused on Trainers Training) at NCUI, New Delhi, India, (CICTAB - NCUI)**

International Programme on "Training Techniques for Trainers of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions" (Focused on Trainers Training) was organised in collaboration with National Cooperative Union of India during 6th – 10th February, 2023 at NCUI, New Delhi, India



Total 30 participants of CICTAB members from Nepal 18 (NEFSCUN 9, NRB 2, RMDC 2, NCF 5) and India 12 (NCUI 10, NCDC 2) participated in the five-day long ToT. The participants consisted of Trainers / Potential Trainers from Cooperative institutions from pan India & Nepal participated in the training programme.

14 sessions were arranged for the participants from Resource Persons of premier institutions like NABARD, NCDC, VAMNICOM and NCUI. The Management Consultant & Professional Trainers also took the sessions. The topics covered includes Implementation & Evaluation of Training Programmes, Digitalization in Cooperative & Rural Financing Institutions, Role of SHGs / JLGs in Microfinance towards Youth & Women Empowerment, Cooperative Rural & Micro Financing Institutions, Cooperatives as a Business Model, Concept & Strategies of HRD for Personnel of Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions towards Sustained Economic Development, Adult psychology, Learning Principles & Environment, Training Need Analysis, Training Techniques & Methods, Role of NABARD for promotion & development of Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions in India, Cooperative Entrepreneurship for Youth, Governance of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institution, Group Exercise on conduct of Training Programme & Country paper presentations by participants on Training System & Use of Training Techniques in respective Institutions / Countries etc. The ToT was conducted successfully.



Dr. Hema Yadav, Director, CICTAB Inaugurated an International Programme on "Training Techniques for Trainers of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions"



Group photo clicked at NCUI campus New Delhi



Group photo clicked at Tajmahal, Agra



Validation of an International Programme on "Training Techniques for Trainers of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions"

## **(19) International Exposure Visit Programme on “Cooperative Business Model and Cooperative Governance” at VAMNICOM, Pune (21st – 24th February, 2023) (CICTAB-MOC-VAMNICOM)**

International Exposure Visit Programme on “Cooperative Business Model and Cooperative Governance” was organized in collaboration with Vaikunth Mehta National Institute of Cooperative Management, Pune under the financial support of Ministry of cooperation, Government of India at VAMNICOM, Pune from 21st–24th February, 2023. This programme was very special for the CICTAB because after the two years of long period participants from Sri Lanka and Bangladesh were physically participated in the programme.

Dr. Hema Yadav, Director, CICTAB & VAMNICOM inaugurated the programme in presence of Dr. D. Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB and CICTAB team. Participants from Member institutions from Sri Lanka, Bangladesh, Nepal and India had attended the programme.

Director, CICTAB in delivered the inaugural speech and highlighted that Development of cooperatives is most important irrespective of the country. After covid the responsibility of each country is increased towards the cooperatives in respect to socioeconomic solutions, grass root level solutions, social welfare schemes and consumer cooperative formations.

Having a profitable business model is the need of cooperatives. There is little conflict about the business model in the cooperatives. In cooperatives members are promoters and users and at same time they are not depend upon demand and supply. On the other side in companies produce is for good margin and on economic principles of market. There is need to change this situation.

New PACs should have their business model and their own warehouse. One PACs one warehouse is needed to be implemented. PACs can think about the organic production and marketing. They can do their own seeds production for their member farmers. Sri Lanka cooperatives can enter into the tea export.

Dr. D. Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB & Jt. Programme Director, VAMNICOM also interacted with participants. He briefed about the programme. On behalf of CICTAB, the Programme Director conveyed gratitude to the guests and participants.

A total of 52 participants have attended the programme from four countries viz,. Srilanka (26), Nepal (16), Bangladesh (7) and India (3)





Dr. Hema Yadav, Director, CICTAB& VAMNICOM inaugurated the programme in presence of Dr. D. Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB and CICTAB team. Participants from Member institutions from Sri Lanka, Bangladesh, Nepal and India had attended the programme.



Dr. Hema Yadav, Director, CICTAB& VAMNICOM welcomed all the participants in programme

Dr. D. Ravi, Programme Director introduced Mr. Shantilal Hajari with the participants



Participants visit to Pune DCC bank



Participants visit to Mahatma Gandhi Ozarde Primary Agriculture Co-op Society Ltd.. Ozarde



Group photo of International Exposure Visit Programme on "Cooperative Business Model and Cooperative Governance"



**(20) International programme on "Cooperative Governance for CEOs and Senior Executives of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions" at North Eastern Regional Centre of the National Institute of Rural Development & Panchayati Raj (NIRDPR-NERC), Guwahati, Assam from 27 Feb - 03 March, 2023 (CICTAB-NCUI)**

International programme on "Cooperative Governance for CEOs and Senior Executives of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions" was organized in collaboration with National Cooperative Union of India, New Delhi at North Eastern Regional Centre of the National Institute of Rural Development & Panchayati Raj (NIRDPR-NERC), Guwahati, Assam from 27 Feb - 03 March, 2023.

Total 25 participants from [India 12 (NCUI), Nepal 13 (NCBL 5, NEFSCUN 8)] comprising of CEOs, Senior/Middle level officers, Trainers & Potential trainers from Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions from India and Nepal participated in the five-day long programme.

14 sessions were arranged for the participants from Resource Persons of premier institutions like NIRDPR. The Management Consultant & Professional Trainers also took the sessions. The topics covered includes Role of NIRD I Rural Development & its objectives, e-Governance Application in Cooperatives & Rural Financing Institutions (RFI), Conduct of Board Meetings, Self-Help Groups and Joint Liability Groups for Financial Inclusion of Poor, Managerial Decision-Making Tools, HR Issues in Decision Making, Good Practices of Cooperative Governance, Training Technique Methods, Group Exercise on Conduct of Training Programme and Country Paper Presentation.

The training programme was inaugurated by Shri Dileep Sanghani, President NCUI in the presence of Smt. Savitri Singh, Deputy Chief Executive of NCUI, Dr. R. Murugesan, Director, NIRDPR-NERC, Shri Dwipen Baishya, General Secretary, Assam State Cooperative Union and Shri Samsuddin Ahmad, Chief Executive Officer, Assam State Cooperative Union.



Inauguration of programme by Shri Dileep Sanghani, President NCUI in the presence of Smt. Savitri Singh, Deputy Chief Executive of NCUI, Dr. R. Murugesan, Director, NIRDPR-NERC, Shri Dwipen Baishya, General Secretary, Assam State Cooperative Union and Shri Samsuddin Ahmad, Chief Executive Officer, Assam State Cooperative Union.



Programme validation and certificate distribution graced by Dr. D. Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB in the presence of Smt. Savitri Singh, Deputy Chief Executive of NCUI, Dr. R. Murugesan, Director, NIRDPR-NERC



Group photo of International programme on "Cooperative Governance for CEOs and Senior Executives of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions" at NIRDPR-NERC, Guwahati, Assam

**(21) International Training Programme on "Skilling, Livelihoods and Financial Inclusion" (February 27 – March 3, 2023) at NIRDPR, Hyderabad (CICTAB-NIRDPR)**

International Training Programme on "Skilling, Livelihoods and Financial Inclusion" was organized in collaboration with National Institute of Rural Development and Panchayati Raj, Hyderabad during 27<sup>th</sup> February to 3<sup>rd</sup> March, 2023 at NIRDPR, Hyderabad.

The programme was inaugurated by Dr. M. Srikanth, Registrar & Director (Admn), NIRDPR & Course Coordinator and Dr. C. Kathiresan, Associate Professor and Head, Centre for Research & Training Coordination & Networking (CRTCN). Dr. Venkatamallu Thadaboina, Research Officer, NIRDPR & Course Co-coordinator welcomed the participants and gave a brief overview of the programme and conducted a self introductory session. Dr. C. Kathiresan made a presentation on NIRDPR activities and explained the role played by NIRDPR in last six decades. Dr. M. Srikanth spelt out the programme objectives and made a presentation on "Financial Inclusion – An Evaluation".



A total number of 17 participants from Bangladesh (6), Nepal (8) and India (3) participated in the programme, which was partly sponsored by CICTAB, Pune.

To impart practical knowledge and reinforce the learning made in the classroom, the participants along with Dr. Venkatamallu Thadaboina visited GMR Varalakshmi Foundation (GMRVF) on March 2, 2023. Since 1991 GMRVF has been working with communities around the Group's business operations in the quest to improve lives and livelihoods. Major areas of the GMRVF intervention includes Education; Health, Hygiene and Sanitation; Community-based programmes; and Empowerment & Livelihoods. The participants of the programme were interacted with the staff and trainees of GMRVF and they were very impressed with the activities taken up by the GMRVF.

All participants felt that the training was useful in many ways. They were delighted about the field visit, which helped them to gain practical knowledge in dealing with livelihoods issues in rural areas. The programme was coordinated by Dr. M. Srikanth, Associate Professor & Head, CEDFI and Dr. Venkatamallu Thadaboina, Research Officer, CRTCN, NIRDPR.



Visit of participants to NIRD-PR Campus



Visit of participants to GMR Varalakshmi Foundation (GMRVF)



Programme validation and certificate distribution graced by Dr. D. Ravi, Consultant, CICTAB in the presence of Dr. M. Srikanth, Associate Professor & Head, CEDFI NIRDPR and Team



Group photo of International programme on "Skilling, Livelihoods and Financial Inclusion"

**(22) International Faculty Development Programme on Research Methodology and Data Analysis 7th to 17th March 2023 (Three days Online 7th to 9th March and Five days offline 13th to 17th March in VAMNICOM Campus, Pune) (CICTAB-MoC-VAMNICOM-LJ University)**

International Faculty Development Programme on Research Methodology and Data Analysis was organized in collaboration with Vaikunth Mehata National Institute of Cooperative Management, Pune with the financial support of Ministry of Cooperation. Eight days programme was organized on hybrid mode - Three days 7th to 9th March programme was arranged through online



mode on CISCO Webex platform. Remaining five days programme was arranged physically in the VAMNICOM Campus from 13th to 17th March 2023.

In first three days the faculties from LJ university explained about the theory of the research. The topics covered were Programme Introduction: Objectives/ Inputs/ Clarifications, Expectations; What is Research? & Why Research?; Research Objectives, Questions / Hypothesis and Ethics; Research Design; Literature Review-identifying research issues and problems; Measurement Scales; Data Collection (Primary and Secondary Data) & Presentation; Testing of Hypothesis; Design of Questionnaire; Fundamentals of Statistics; Sampling techniques and size; Tests of Normality & Parametric tests

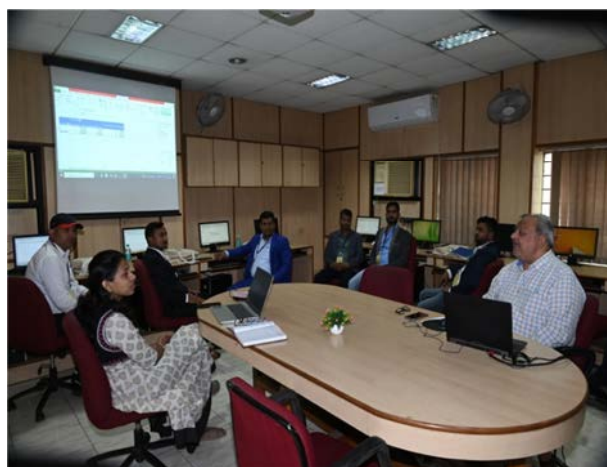
Remaining five days sessions were conducted physically at VAMNICOM. All the sessions were practical sessions and conducted in the computer lab of the VAMNICOM.

Valedictory session was graced by Dr. Hema Yadav, Director, VAMNICOM & CICTAB in the presence of Dr. D. Ravi, Programme Director, Dr. Jignasu Ygnik, Fulty, LJ University and Dr. Anitha Sunil, Fulty, LJ University. Dr. Hema yadav in her valedictory address shared the overview of the Cooperative sector. Some societies are working, some are liquidated and some are nonworking. She advised participants that they can analyse the status of cooperatives.

Dr. D. Ravi delivered the vote of thanks and ensured the Director that participants will utilize the analysis technique to simplify the data of their respective organizations. Total 12 participants attended the programme from two countries Nepal-7 and India-5.



Dr. Hema Yadav, Director, VAMNICOM & CICTAB interacted with the participants and LJ University faculties regarding the understanding of programme



Practicle sessions were arranged in the computer lab of the VAMNICOM



Group photo of the International Faculty Development Programme on Research Methodology and Data Analysis

**(23) International Faculty Development Programme on “Developing Case Studies for Teaching and Learning Process” at National Institute of Cooperative Development, Polgolla, Sri Lanka during 27 – 29 March, 2023. (CICTAB-VAMNICOM-NICD)**

International Faculty Development Training program on "Developing Case Studies for Teaching & Learning Process" was organized during 27th – 29th March 2023 at NICD Sri Lanka in collaboration in collaboration with NICD, Sri Lanka and VAMNICOM, Pune.



Programme was inaugurated by Mr. A M P M B Atapattu, Secretary, Ministry of Trade, commerce & Food Security in presence of Mrs. Dileepa Rupani Piyadasa Director General & Chief Executive Officer- NICD, Dr D. Ravi, Faculty Member, VAMNICOM Consultant -CICTAB, Pune India (Guest of Honor) and Mr.Ajith Amarakeerthi, Director (Academic & Development), NICD, Sri Lanka.

In Three days programme comprised of the sessions- Role of a teacher in teaching & learning process, Adult learning & application of adult learning principles, Training Need Analysis-Introduction, Methods of Training Need Assessments, Teaching with case methods, Analyzing a Teaching case-Do's & Don'ts, Caselet Vs case & Developing a Teaching case, Developing a Teaching notes, Feedback & Valediction



The NICD staff did the registration of participants along with the faculties



Inauguration of the programme by the dignitaries



Mrs. Dileepa Rupani Piyadasa Director General & Chief Executive Officer- NICD delivered her speech at time of inauguration and interacted with participants





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 (NICD - CICTAB - VAMNICOM)



1<sup>st</sup> Row : Mr.S.K.U.B Wickremasinghe (Senior Lecturer), Mr.I.P.A. Amarakeerthi(Director- Academic & Development), Prof. Ajith Jayaweera, Dr.D.Ravi(Consultant,CICTAB), Mrs.Dileepa Ruani Piyadasa(Director General & CEO), Dr. Jignasu Yagnik, Dr. Umesh Menon, Mr. K.H.Nandana Bandara ( Senior Lecturer & Course Supervisor), Mr.R.C.P.Ranasinghe (Assistant Lecturer & Program Coordinator).  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Row : Mrs.R.M.N.S.Dissanayake, Mrs.H.V.I.N.Nanayakara, Ms. H.M.D.Rishanthi Dissanayaka, Miss.Shalika Kalpani Wedagedara, Ms. R.K.R.N.Madushani, Mr. R.Ganapathy, Mr. V. Nitharshan, Mr. A.Amalarajah, Mr.Madhav Raj Dhakal, Mr. R.P.Paudel, Ms. D.M.Sujeewa Priyadarshani, Mrs. K.P.R.Ratnasiri, Mrs. R.N.Wickramasinghe, Mrs. R.M.D.H. Rathnayake.  
 3<sup>rd</sup> Row : Mr.P.W.G.D Weerakoon, Mr. Bendang Aier, Mr.S.Arulnathan, Mr. L.P.W. Anjana Vishva Kumara, Mr. I. Athuraliyage, Mr. K.Krishanthan, Mr.P.Kuruparan, Mr. K.Velventhan, Mr.W.D.C. Prasanga Amarasekara, Mr. D.M.D.D.N.Dissanayake.

Group photo of the International Faculty Development Programme on Developing Case Studies for Teaching and Learning Process

**International Symposium on “Regenerative Ecosystems” at Xavier Institute of Management XIM University, Bhubaneswar during November 29-30, 2022**

CICTAB conducted two days International Symposium on “Regenerative Ecosystems” at Xavier Institute of Management XIM University, Bhubaneswar during 29<sup>th</sup> -30<sup>th</sup> November, 2022 in collaboration with NABARD, VAMNICOM and AIESS Society Bhubaneswar.

Participants of this symposium included senior scholars, academics, practitioners, & policy makers to deliberate on the science of Regenerative-ness & causes of degeneration that human race - societies are facing today in different ecosystems: industrial, urban, rural, indigenous, and natural Ecosystems from the countries India, UK, Nepal, USA, Germany, Belgium, Canada, Africa, South America, Japan, & Australia. In addition to a total of six Plenary Sessions, there were two Technical Paper presentations over a two-day period. The Plenary sessions include (1) Science of Regenerative-ness, (2)



Institutions & Governance for Regenerative Ecosystems, (3) Socio-cultural aspects of Regenerativeness, (4) Regenerative Industrial Clusters, (5) Regenerative Urban Clusters, and (6) Regenerative Rural Clusters. Most importantly the focus of our multidisciplinary research, analysis, policy formulation, and action-interventions was at the level of GP or Ward or Commune, or GN, etc., the basic unit of governance of any country across the world and the optimal ecosystem for study and for collective action. Given the dynamic nature of change and increasing complexities, this basic unit of ecosystem could be the optimal unit for both holistic analysis and the synthesis to reverse the degenerative process and systems in different ecosystems across geographies.

Inaugural Session were delivered by Antony R Uvari, Biswa Swarup Misra, Amar KJR Nayak and S. Antony Raj.



**Relational science of Regenerativeness - panel and participants**



**Socio-Cultural aspects of Regenerativeness - panel and participants**



**Plenary Session 5: Urban Ecosystems - panel and participants with Mr. Prkash Pokharel, CEO, NEFSCUN**

## ANNEXURE-I

### PROGRAMMES/COURSES DURING 1983-84 TO 2022-23

S. No	Programme and Period	Organization with which collaborated	No. of participants	Participating countries
<b>1983-84</b>				
1.	Project Finance for Rural Poor (05-24 Dec.1983)	College of Agricultural Banking, RBI, Pune (India)	23	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
2.	Production Finance with Focus on rural Poor (13-24 Feb.1984)	- do -	22	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
		Total	45	
<b>1984-85</b>				
3.	Management of Base-level Bank level Cooperative for Rural Development (10-22 Dec.1984)	VAMNICOM, Pune (India)	22	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
4.	Developing Training system for Cooperative and Rural Development Personnel (07-19 Jan.1985)	- do -	20	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
		Total	42	
<b>1985-86</b>				
5.	National Workshop in India (12-15 Feb.1986)	National Council for Coop. Training, New Delhi (India)	55	NABARD, RBI, Commercial Banks, Coop. Institutions & Federations, Coop. & Rural Dev. Deptts., CAB, NIBM & Trg. Institutions, NIRD & Trg. Institutions
		Total	55	
<b>1986-87</b>				
6.	National Workshop in Sri Lanka (31 Oct. to 03 Nov.1986)	Central Bank of Sri Lanka, Colombo At Colombo	22	Central Bank of Sri Lanka, Commercial Banks, Coops., Rural Dev. Departments & Training Institutes
		Total	22	

S. No	Programme and Period	Organization with which collaborated	No. of participants	Participating countries
<b>1988-89</b>				
7.	National Workshop In Nepal (30-31 May 1988)	Agricultural Dev. Bank, Nepal at Agricultural Credit Training Institute of ADB, Kathmandu	23	Nepal Rastra Bank, Agricultural Dev. Bank of Nepal, Agril. Credit Training Institute, Banijya Bank, Coop. Rural Dev. Agencies/ Deptts. & Training Institutions
8.	South Asian Rural Banking Trainers Training Course (14 Nov. to 03 Dec. 1988)	APRACA, College of Agricultural Banking, Pune (India).	27	1. Bangladesh 2. India 3. Indonesia 4. Iran 5. Nepal 6. Pakistan 7. Philippines 8. Sri Lanka
9.	Faculty Development Programme on Training Methodology & Techniques (02-12 Jan.1989)	State Bank Institute of Rural Development, Hyderabad at SBIRD, Hyderabad	16	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
Total			66	
<b>1989-90</b>				
10.	National Workshop in Bangladesh (03-04 April 1989)	Bangladesh Bank at Bangladesh Bank Training Academy, Dhaka	34	Bangladesh Bank, Bangladesh Institute of Bank Management, Gramin Bank, Coop. Banks, Coop. Institutions, Rural Dev. Agencies & Trg. Institutions
Total			34	
<b>1990-91</b>				
11.	Workshop on Linkages of SHGs with Banks (28-29 Dec.1999)	Govt. of India, NABARD	34	National Institute of Bank Management, Pune, India.
Total			34	
<b>1991-92</b>				
12.	Training Programme on Watershed Project Management (01-15 Sept.1991)	UNDP & Govt. of India At VAMNICOM, Pune	08	1. Thailand 2. Sri Lanka 3. Afghanistan 4. Bhutan 5. China 6. Nepal 7. Burma 8. India



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13.	Workshop Module on Management of Agricultural Cooperatives (09-19 December 1991)	International Cooperative Alliance, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune At VAMNICOM, Pune	15	1. Bangladesh 2. China 3. India 4. Indonesia 5. Iran 6. Rep. of Korea 7. Malaysia 8. Pakistan 9. Philippines 10. Sri Lanka 11. Thailand 12. Vietnam
14.	Management Development Programme for Cooperators from Russia and Uzbekistan (10 March to 01 April 1992)	Govt. of India, NCUI, New Delhi & VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	10	1. Russia 2. Uzbekistan
15.	National seminar on Promotion of Linkages of Self-help Groups with Credit Cooperatives and other Financing Institutions (16-18 March 1992)	National Institute of Bank Management, Pune & VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	36	1. Public Sector Banks 2. Cooperative Banks 3. Cooperative Deptts. 4. SHGs/SHPs
		Total	69	
		<b>1992-93</b>		
16.	National Seminar on Adopting SHG Approach for Revitalization of PACS through Business Development Plan (16-18 July, 1992)	National Coop. Development Corporation, National Council for Coop. Training & VAMNICOM at VAMNICOM, Pune	37	1. State Coop. Banks 2. Dist. Central Coop. Banks 3. ICMs 4. NCDC 5. Coop. Departments
17.	Workshop Module on Management of Agricultural Cooperatives (14-22 Dec., 1992)	International Coop. Alliance, New Delhi and VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	15	1. Bangladesh 2. India 3. Indonesia 4. Iran 5. Rep. of Korea 6. Malaysia 7. Pakistan 8. Philippines 9. Sri Lanka 10. Thailand 11. Vietnam
18.	Sub-Regional Workshop on Strengthening Training Arrangements for the Personnel of Agricultural Banking, Cooperatives and Rural Development (16-18 March, 1993)	Ministry of Agriculture, HMG of Nepal, Nepal Rastra Bank & Agril. Dev. Bank of Nepal at Agri. Training & Research Institute of ADBN.	24	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. Bhutan 5. India
		Total	76	

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		<b>1993-94</b>		
19.	National Seminar on Non-Farm Activity Financing by Coop. Banks (5-7 Oct. 1993)	National Federation of State Coop. Banks, Bombay and National Coop. Agri. & Rural Dev. Banks Federation, Bombay at VAMNICOM, Pune	18	1. State Coop. Banks 2. Dist. Central Coop. Banks.
20.	Faculty Development Programme on Training Methodology & Techniques for Trainers of Agri. Banking, Cooperatives and Rural Development (25-30 Oct. 1993)	TOPIC Centre of National Coop. Development Corporation, New Delhi and VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	20	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
21.	Workshop Module on Management of Agricultural Cooperatives (05-13 Dec. 1993)	International Coop. Alliance, New Delhi and VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	15	1. Bangladesh 2. India 3. Indonesia 4. Iran 5. Korea 6. Malaysia 7. Myanmar 8. Pakistan 9. Sri Lanka 10. Thailand 11. Vietnam
22.	National Seminar on Business Development Planning by Agricultural Credit Cooperatives (01-03 March, 1994)	National Coop. Development Corporation, New Delhi, National Bank for Agri. & Rural Development, Bombay, Indian Instt. Of Management, Ahmedabad & VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	16	1. State Coop. Banks 2. Dist. Central Coop. Banks
		Total	69	
		<b>1994-95</b>		
23.	Faculty Development Programme on Training Techniques and Methodology for Trainers of Coop. Agri. Banking and Rural Development Institutions (22-27 August, 1994)	TOPIC Centre, NCDC, New Delhi & VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	16	1. Nepal 2. India

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24.	National Seminar on Promotion of Linkages of Self-help Groups with Financial Institutions(17-18 Sept. 1994)	Bangladesh Bank, Dhaka At Dhaka, Bangladesh	52	Bangladesh
25.	Faculty Development Programme on Training Techniques and Methodology (22-26 Sept. 1994)	Bangladesh Jatiya Samabaya Union, Dhaka and Coop. Training College, Comilla, Bangladesh	22	Bangladesh
26.	Programme on Integrated Development Approach in the Management of Agricultural Co-operatives for Rural Development (14-19 November, 1994)	Ministry of Agriculture And VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	17	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
27.	Executive Development Programme for Officers connected with Promotion and Development of Financial Institutions and Agricultural Cooperatives for Rural Development (12-17 December, 1994)	Nepal Rastra Bank & Agril. Dev. Bank of Nepal at Agri. Training & Research Institute of ADBN	20	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka
28.	Programme on strengthening Management of Agricultural Cooperatives - Workshop Module (21-26 December, 1994)	International Coop. Alliance, New Delhi and VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	15	1. Bangladesh 2. Indonesia 3. Korea 4. Myanmar 5. Philippines 6. Vietnam 7. India
29.	Faculty Development Programme on Training Techniques and Methodology (02-07 January 1995)	Coop. Dev. Deptt., Sri Lanka, Instt. Of Coop. Management, National Coop. Council of Sri Lanka and People's Bank of Sri Lanka at Colombo	26	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
30.	Programme on Project Finance for Development of Cooperative Agro-Processing Activities (31 <sup>st</sup> Jan. to 4 <sup>th</sup> Feb. 1995)	Ministry of Agriculture, GOI, NABARD, Bombay & NCDC, New Delhi At VAMNICOM, Pune	27	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
31.	Regional Seminar on Integrated Cooperative Development through Agro-processing (27 Feb. to 18 <sup>th</sup> March, 1995)	International Coop. Alliance, New Delhi, VAMNICOM & CICTAB At VAMNICOM, Pune	07	1. Myanmar 2. Philippines 3. Rep. of Korea 4. Sri Lanka 5. India
32.	Training Manager's Meeting (02 March, 1995)	At CICTAB, VAMNICOM, Pune	05	India
		Total	207	
		<b>1995-96</b>		

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33.	Programme on Integrated Management for Managers of Rural Banks and Rural Financing Institutions (07-14 June, 1995)	People's Bank of Sri Lanka, Colombo At Colombo, Sri Lanka	21	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka
34.	Faculty Development Programme on Training Techniques and Methodology (17-22 July, 1995)	TOPIC Centre of NCDC, New Delhi and VAMNICOM, Pune At VAMNICOM, Pune	24	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
35.	Executive Development Programme for Financial and Cooperative Institutions in Rural Development (21-27 August, 1995)	Nepal Rastra Bank Agricultural Dev. Bank, Nepal, Nepal Bank Ltd. & Rastriya Banijya Bank, Nepal At Kathmandu, Nepal	26	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
36.	Programme on Integrated Approach in the Management of Agricultural & Rural Development Financing Institutions (08-17 November, 1995)	Ministry of Agriculture, GOI, New Delhi & VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	25	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
37.	ICA-Japan Training Course for Strengthening Management of Agricultural Cooperatives in Asia- Workshop Module & Field study visits (04-13 December, 1995)	International Coop. Alliance, New Delhi & VAMNICOM at VAMNICOM, Pune	15	1. Bangladesh 2. China 3. India 4. Indonesia 5. Korea 6. Malaysia 7. Myanmar 8. Pakistan 9. Philippines 10. Sri Lanka 11. Thailand 12. Vietnam
38.	Seminar on Linkages of Self-help Groups with Banks and Rural Financial Institutions (19-22 December, 1995)	National Bank for Agri. And rural Development Mumbai at Bankers Institute of Rural development, Lucknow	23	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
39.	Programme on Project Finance for Development of Cooperative Agro-processing Activities (08-17 January, 1996)	Ministry of Agriculture, GOI, New Delhi & VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	22	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
40.	Programme on Management of Change in Rural Banks and Financial Institutions (11-15 March, 1996)	College of Agricultural Banking , Reserve Bank of India, Pune & VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	19	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bhutan 4. India



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41	Programme on Developing Consultancy Skills in improving Management of Primary Agricultural Cooperative Societies (25-30 March, 1996)	National Coop. Dev. Corporation, New Delhi & VAMNICOM at TOPIC Centre of NCDC, Gurgaon	13	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bhutan 4. Egypt 5. Sudan 6. India
		Total	188	
<b>1996-97</b>				
42.	Management Development Programme for Officers/Executives of Cooperative, Agricultural Banking and Rural Development Institutions (27 June to 02 July, 1996)	National Co-operative Council of Sri Lanka, Colombo At Kandy, Sri Lanka	34	1. Sri Lanka 2. Nepal 3. Mauritius 4. India
43.	Executive Development Programme for Promotion and Development of Cooperative and Rural Development Institutions (22-27 Sept. 1996)	Agri. Dev. Bank, Nepal Nepal Bank Ltd. & Rastriya Banijya Bank At Kathmandu, Nepal	24	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bhutan 4. India
44.	Programme on Integrated Approach in the Management of Agricultural & Rural Development Financing Institutions (23 Oct. to 01 Nov. 1996)	Ministry of Agriculture, GOI, New Delhi & VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	22	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
45.	Programme on Management of Strengthening Agricultural Cooperatives in Asian Pacific Countries – Workshop module and field visit (18-27 Nov. 1996)	International Coop. Alliance, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune At VAMNICOM, Pune	15	1. Bangladesh 2. China 3. India 4. Indonesia 5. Malaysia 6. Myanmar 7. Pakistan 8. Philippines 9. Sri Lanka 10. Vietnam
46.	Programme on Project Finance for Development of Cooperative Agro-processing Activities (09-17 January, 1997)	Ministry of Agriculture, GOI, New Delhi & VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	23	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 3. Bhutan 4. India
47.	Programme on Developing Consultancy Skills for improving Management of Primary Agricultural Cooperative Societies (10-14 March, 1997)	National Coop. Dev. Corporation, New Delhi & VAMNICOM at TOPIC Centre of NCDC, Gurgaon	20	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Taiwan 4. Egypt 5. Philippines 6. Malaysia 7. India
		Total	138	

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		<b>1997-98</b>		
48.	Executive Development Programme for Promotion and Development of Cooperative and Rural Development Institutions (22-27 July. 1997)	Nepal Rastra Bank Agri. Dev. Bank Nepal Bank Ltd. & Rastriya Banijya Bank At Kathmandu, Nepal	21	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Maldives 4. India
49.	Programme on Integrated Management of Rural Financing Institutions and Credit Cooperatives (19-25 August, 1997)	Coop. Dev. Deptt. & National Coop. Council of Sri Lanka At Kandy, Sri Lanka	28	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
50.	Programme on Developing Consultancy Skills in improving Management of Primary Agricultural Cooperative Societies (16-22 Sept., 1997)	National Coop. Dev. Corporation, New Delhi & VAMNICOM at TOPIC Centre of NCDC, Gurgaon	20	1. Nepal 2. Bangladesh
51.	Programme on Integrated Management Approach in the Management of Agricultural & Rural Development Financing Institutions (20-25 Oct. 1997)	Ministry of Agriculture GOI, New Delhi & VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	26	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. Maldives 5. India
52.	Programme on Management of Strengthening Agricultural Cooperatives in Asian Pacific Countries – Workshop module and field visit (13-20 Dec. 1997)	International Coop. Alliance, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune At VAMNICOM, Pune	15	1. Bangladesh 2. China 3. India 4. Indonesia 5. Malaysia 6. Myamar 7. Pakistan 8. Philippines 9. Sri Lanka 10. Vietnam
53.	Programme on Project Finance for Development of Cooperative Agro-processing Activities (19-24 January, 1998)	Ministry of Agriculture, GOI, New Delhi & VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	22	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
54.	Seminar on Linkages of Self-help Groups with Rural Financing Institutions (25-28 Feb. 1998)	National Bank for Agri. And rural Development Mumbai at Bankers Institute of Rural development, Lucknow	29	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Maldives 4. India
		Total	170	

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		<b>1998-99</b>		
55.	Programme on Integrated Management of Rural Financing Institutions and Credit Cooperatives (21-26 July, 1998)	National Coop. Council of Sri Lanka & Wayamba Rural Banks Union, Sri Lanka At Wayamba Rural Banks Training Centre, Kurunegala	27	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. Bhutan 5. Maldives 6. India
56.	Executive Development Programme for Promotion and Development of Cooperative and Rural Development Institutions (16-21 August, 1998)	Nepal Rastra Bank Agri. Dev. Bank Nepal Bank Ltd. Rastriya Banijya Bank National Coop. Dev. Board, Nepal At Kathmandu, Nepal	31	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Maldives 4. Bhutan 5. India
57.	Programme on Developing Consultancy Skills in improving Management of Primary Agricultural Cooperative Societies (08-14 Oct. 1998)	National Coop. Dev. Corporation, New Delhi & VAMNICOM at TOPIC Centre of NCDC, Gurgaon	20	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. Mauritius 5. India
58.	Programme on Integrated Management Approach in the Management of Agricultural & Rural Development Financing Institutions (09-14 Nov. 1998)	Ministry of Agriculture GOI, New Delhi & VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	24	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
59.	Programme on Project Finance for Development of Cooperative Agro-processing Activities (04-09 January, 1999)	- do -	27	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. Mauritius 5. Bhutan 6. India
		Total	129	
		<b>1999-2000</b>		
60.	Seminar on Harnessing Rural Cooperatives and Financing Institutions as prime mover of Socio-economic Development at Dhaka (18-20 May, 1999)	Bangladesh Milk Producers Coop. Union & Bangladesh Jatiya Samabaya Union, Dhaka, Bangladesh	25	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. India
61.	Programme on Integrated Management of Rural Financing Institutions (28 <sup>th</sup> June to 3 <sup>rd</sup> July, 1999)	National Coop. Council of Sri Lanka At Wayamba Rural Banks Training Centre, Kurunegala	30	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
62.	Programme on Restructuring & Strengthening Rural /Agricultural Financing Institutions (18-24 July, 1999)	College of Agricultural Banking (CAB) RBI, Pune At CAB, Pune	29	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India

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63.	Executive Development Programme for Promotion and Development of Cooperative and Rural Development Institutions (15-20 August, 1999)	Nepal Rastra Bank Agri. Dev. Bank Nepal Bank Ltd. Rastriya Banijya Bank National Coop. Dev. Board, Nepal At Kathmandu, Nepal	23	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
64.	Seminar on Promotion & Linkages of Self-help Groups with Rural Financial Institutions (06-09 Sept. 1999)	National Bank for Agri. And rural Development Mumbai at Bankers Institute of Rural development, Lucknow	20	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
65.	Programme on Developing Consultancy Skills in improving Management of Primary Agricultural Cooperative Societies (12-18 October, 1999)	National Coop. Dev. Corporation, New Delhi & VAMNICOM at TOPIC Centre of NCDC, Gurgaon	19	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
66.	Programme on Human Resource Dev. For Coop. Banks & Agricultural Financing Institutions (25-28 October, 1999)	National Fedn. Of State Coop. Banks, Mumbai & West Bengal State Coop. Bank, Calcutta at Institute of Coop. Management of Agri. & Rural Development, Calcutta	18	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
67	Programme on Integrated Approach in the Management of Agricultural & Rural Development Financing Institutions (22-27 Nov. 1999)	Ministry of Agriculture GOI, New Delhi & VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	25	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
68.	Programme on Project Finance for Development of Cooperative Agro-processing Activities (17-22 January, 2000)	- do -	20	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
		Total	209	
		<b>2000-01</b>		
69.	Management Development Programme for Agricultural and Cooperative Banking (12-17 June, 2000)	Coop. Development Deptt. Govt. of Sri Lanka At School of Cooperation, Polgolla, Sri Lanka	31	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
70.	Executive Development Programme for Cooperatives & Rural Financing Institutions (28 Aug to 01 Sept. 2000)	Nepal Rastra Bank Agricultural Dev. Bank Nepal Bank Ltd. Rastriya Banijya Bank National Coop. Development Board, Nepal At Kathmandu, Nepal	32	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India



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71.	Seminar on Promotion of Linkages of Self-help Groups with Rural Financial Institutions (03-06 Oct. 2000)	National Bank for Agri. And rural Development Mumbai at Bankers Institute of Rural development, Lucknow	19	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
72.	Programme on Restructuring & Strengthening Rural /Agricultural Financing Institutions (06-11 November, 2000)	College of Agricultural Banking (CAB) RBI, Pune At CAB, Pune	17	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
73.	Programme on Integrated Approach in the Management of Agricultural & Rural Development Financing Institutions (11-16 December, 2000)	Ministry of Agriculture GOI, New Delhi & VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	20	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
74.	Seminar on Micro-Finance and Women's Empowerment (04-06 January, 2001)	National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM) At NIBM, Pune	15	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
75.	Programme on Project Finance for Development of Cooperative Agro-processing Activities (26 Feb. to 03 March, 2001)	Ministry of Agriculture GOI, New Delhi & VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	18	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
76.	Programme on Developing Consultancy Skills in improving Management of Primary Agricultural Cooperative Societies (21-27 March, 2001)	National Coop. Dev. Corporation, New Delhi & VAMNICOM at TOPIC Centre of NCDC, Gurgaon	24	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
		Total	176	
		<b>2001-02</b>		
77.	Management Development Programme for Agricultural and Cooperative Banking (11-16 June, 2001)	National Coop. Council of Sri Lanka At Sri Lanka	19	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
78.	Executive Development Programme for Cooperatives & Rural Financing Institutions (26-31 August, 2001)	Nepal Rastra Bank Agricultural Dev. Bank Nepal Bank Ltd. Rastriya Banijya Bank National Coop. Development Board, Nepal At Kathmandu, Nepal	31	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India 5. Bhutan 6. Maldives
79.	Seminar Linkages of SHGs with Rural Financing Institutions (25-28 September, 2001)	National Bank for Agri. And rural Development, Mumbai at Bankers Institute of Rural development, Lucknow	26	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
80.	Programme on HRD for Cooperative Banks and Agricultural Financing Institutions (4-10 October, 2001)	National Coop. Dev. Corporation, New Delhi & VAMNICOM at TOPIC Centre of NCDC, Gurgaon	20	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India

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81.	Seminar on Micro-Finance and Women's Empowerment (26-29 November, 2001)	National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM) At NIBM, Pune	18	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
82.	Programme on Integrated Approach in the Management of Agricultural & Rural Development Financing Institutions (10-15 December, 2001)	Ministry of Agriculture GOI, New Delhi & VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	17	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
83.	Programme on Restructuring & Strengthening Rural /Agricultural Financing Institutions (07-12 January, 2002)	College of Agricultural Banking (CAB) RBI, Pune At CAB, Pune	18	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
84.	Programme on Project Finance for Development of Cooperative Agro-processing Activities (18-23 February, 2002)	Ministry of Agriculture GOI, New Delhi & VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	22	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India 5. Bhutan
		Total	171	
		<b>2002-03</b>		
85.	Programme on Financing of Non-farm Activities by Agricultural Bank, Cooperatives & rural Financial Institutions (10-15 June, 2002)	College of Agricultural Banking (CAB) RBI, Pune At CAB, Pune	20	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
86.	Management Development Programme for Agricultural and Cooperative Banking (15-20 July, 2002)	National Coop. Council of Sri Lanka At Sri Lanka	17	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
87.	Executive Development Programme for Cooperatives & Rural Financing Institutions (14-19 August, 2002)	Nepal Rastra Bank Agricultural Dev. Bank Nepal Bank Ltd. Rastriya Banijya Bank National Coop. Development Board, Nepal At Kathmandu, Nepal	25	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. Bhutan 5. India
88.	Seminar on Development of Professional Management for Cooperatives and other Rural Financing Institutions and Agencies (16-19 September, 2002)	Bangladesh Bank & Bangladesh Milk Producers Coop. Union At Dhaka, Bangladesh	23	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. Bhutan 5. India

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89.	Programme on Consultancy for Management of Agricultural Cooperatives and RFI's (3-9 October, 2002)	National Coop. Dev. Corporation, New Delhi & VAMNICOM at TOPIC Centre of NCDC, Gurgaon	17	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
90.	Programme on Micro-Credit and Women's Development (28-31 October, 2002)	National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM) At NIBM, Pune	24	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. Bhutan 5. India
91.	Programme on Integrated Approach in the Management of Agricultural & Rural Development Financing Institutions (23-28 December, 2002)	Ministry of Agriculture GOI, New Delhi & VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	26	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
92.	Programme on Project Finance for Development of Cooperative Agro-processing Activities (10-15 February, 2003)	- do -	27	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. Bhutan 5. India
		Total	179	
		<b>2003-04</b>		
93.	Programme on Restructuring of Rural Financing Institutions for Effective Performance (09-14 June, 2003)	College of Agricultural Banking (CAB) RBI, Pune At CAB, Pune	15	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
94.	Management Development Programme for Agricultural and Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions (25-30 July, 2003)	National Coop. Council of Sri Lanka At NICD, Sri Lanka	15	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
95.	Executive Development Programme for Cooperatives & Rural Financing Institutions (08-12 September, 2003)	Nepal Rastra Bank Agricultural Dev. Bank Nepal Bank Ltd. Rastriya Banijya Bank National Coop. Development Board, Nepal At Kathmandu, Nepal	23	1. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 3. Bhutan 4. India
96.	Seminar on Micro-Finance and Women's Development (22-25 September, 2003)	National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM) At NIBM, Pune	12	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Maldives 4. India

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97.	Programme on Consultancy for Management of Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (28 <sup>th</sup> Oct. to 3 <sup>rd</sup> Nov. 2003)	National Coop. Dev. Corporation, New Delhi at TOPIC Centre of NCDC, Gurgaon	15	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
98.	Seminar on Linkages of Self-help Groups with Banks & Rural Financing Institutions (28-31 January, 2004)	National Bank for Agri. And rural Development, Mumbai at Bankers Institute of Rural Dev., Lucknow	21	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
		<b>Total</b>	<b>101</b>	
		<b>2004-05</b>		
99	Programme on Micro-Finance and Women's Development (31 <sup>st</sup> May to 3 <sup>rd</sup> June, 2004)	National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM) At NIBM, Pune	25	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bhutan 4. India
100.	Programme on Restructuring & Strengthening Rural Financing Institutions (21-26 June, 2004)	College of Agricultural Banking (CAB) RBI, Pune At CAB, Pune	32	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bhutan 4. Maldives
101.	Management Development Programme for Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (15-20 July, 2004)	National Co-operative Council of Sri Lanka At NICD, Sri Lanka	20	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
102	Executive Development Programme for Rural Financing Institutions & agencies (09-13 August, 2004)	Nepal Rastra Bank Rastriya Banijya Bank Agricultural Dev. Bank, National Coop. Dev. Board, Sana Kisan Bikas Bank, Nepal Fedn. Of Savings & Credit Coop. Union Ltd. At Kathmandu, Nepal	26	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bhutan 4. India
103	Programme on Developing Consultancy Skills for improving the Management of Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (27 Oct. to 2 <sup>nd</sup> Nov. 2004)	National Coop. Dev. Corporation, New Delhi at TOPIC Training Centre, Gurgaon	19	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bhutan 4. India
104	Programme on Linkages of Self-help Groups with Banks and Rural Financing Institutions (1-4 March, 2005)	National Bank for Agri. And rural Development Mumbai at Bankers Institute of Rural Dev., Lucknow	31	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
		<b>Total</b>	<b>153</b>	



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		<b>2005-06</b>		
105	Programme on Training Techniques for Trainers of Co-operatives & Rural Financing Institutions (13-18 June, 2005)	NCUI , New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune	25	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
106	Programme on Micro-Finance and Women's Development (27-30 June, 2005)	National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM), Pune	25	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bangladesh 4. India
107	Management Development Programme for Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (14-19 July, 2005)	National Co-operative Council of Sri Lanka At NICD, Sri Lanka	28	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India 4. Maldives
108	Programme on Development of Rural Financing Institutions & Cooperatives (14-18 Aug., 2005)	Nepal Rastra Bank Rastriya Banijya Bank Agricultural Dev. Bank, National Coop. Dev. Board, Sana Kisan Bikas Bank, Nepal Fedn. Of Savings & Credit Coop. Union Ltd. At Kathmandu, Nepal	25	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bhutan 4. India 5. Maldives
109.	Programme on Management of Rural Financing Institutions and Cooperatives for Rural Development (12-17 Sept., 2005)	National Institute of Rural Development (NIRD) At NIRD, Hyderabad	27	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
110.	Programme on Development of Managerial Skills for Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (17-22 Oct., 2005)	National Coop. Dev. Corporation, New Delhi at TOPIC Training Centre, Gurgaon	26	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bhutan 4. India 5. Maldives
111.	Programme on Integrated Management Approach in the Development of Co-operative & Rural Financing Institutions (5-10 December, 2005)	Ministry of Agriculture, GOI, VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	34	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bhutan 4. India
112.	Programme on Restructuring & Strengthening Rural Financing Institutions (23-28 January, 2006)	College of Agricultural Banking (CAB) RBI, Pune	25	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. China 4. Indonesia 5. Philippines 6. Bhutan 7. India
113	Programme on Financing and Development of Co-operative and Agro-processing Projects (27 <sup>th</sup> Feb. – 4 <sup>th</sup> March, 06)	Ministry of Agriculture VAMNICOM		1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bhutan 4. Malaysia 5. India

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114	Programme on Financing Self Help Groups (14-17 March, 2006)	National Bank for Agri. And rural Development Mumbai at Bankers Institute of Rural development, Lucknow	22	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bhutan 4. India
		<b>Total</b>	<b>262</b>	
		<b>2006-07</b>		
115.	Programme on Development of Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions & Agencies (20-25 July, 2006)	National Co-operative Council of Sri Lanka Coop. Dev. Deptt. Govt. of Sri Lanka & CO-OPFED At Colombo, Sri Lanka	18	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
116.	Programme on Management of Rural Financing Institutions and Cooperatives for Rural Development (7-12 August, 2006)	National Institute of Rural Development, (NIRD) Hyderabad At NIRD, Hyderabad	21	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
117.	Programme on Development of Rural Financing Institutions & Cooperatives (18-22 Sept. 2006)	Nepal Rastra Bank Agricultural Dev. Bank, Rastriya Banijya Bank, Sana Kisan Bikas Bank, Nepal Fedn. Of Savings & Credit Coop. Union Ltd., National Coop. Dev. Board, At Kathmandu, Nepal	24	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bhutan 4. Maldives 5. India
118.	Programme on Training Techniques for Trainers of Co-operatives & Rural Financing Institutions (25-30 Sept. 2006)	NCUI , New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune	32	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bhutan 4. India
119.	Programme on Development of Managerial Skills for Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (11-17 Oct. 2006)	National Coop. Dev. Corporation, New Delhi at TOPIC Training Centre, Gurgaon	14	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
120.	Programme on Restructuring & Strengthening Agricultural/ Rural Financing Institutions (20-24 November, 2006)	College of Agricultural Banking (CAB) RBI, Pune	33	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bangladesh 4. India
121.	Programme on Integrated Management Approach in the Development of Co-operative & Rural Financing Institutions (08-13 January, 2007)	Ministry of Agriculture VAMNICOM	20	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
122.	Programme on Financing Self Help Groups (12-15 March, 2007)	National Bank for Agri. And rural Development Mumbai at Bankers Institute of Rural development, Lucknow	13	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India

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123.	Programme on Financing and Development of Co-operative Agro-Processing Projects (19-24 March, 2007)	Ministry of Agriculture VAMNICOM	17	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bhutan 4. India
		<b>Total</b>	<b>192</b>	
		<b>2007-08</b>		
124.	Programme on Training Techniques for Trainers of Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (21-26 May, 2007)	NCUI, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune	26	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
125.	Programme on Management of Rural Financing Institutions and Cooperatives for Rural Development (18-22 June, 2007)	National Institute of Rural Development, Hyderabad	27	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India 4. Maldives
126.	Programme on Development of Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions and Agencies (19-24 July, 2007)	National Co-operative Council of Sri Lanka & Deptt. of Coop. Development, Govt. of Sri Lanka, Colombo Sri Lanka	19	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
127.	Programme on Restructuring and Strengthening Agricultural /Rural Financing Institutions (27-31 August, 2007)	College of Agricultural Banking (CAB) RBI, Pune	25	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
128.	Programme on Development of Managerial Skills for Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (23-29 October, 2007)	National Coop. Dev. Corporation, New Delhi at TOPIC Training Centre, Gurgaon	18	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka
129.	Programme on Financing Self-Help Groups (19-22 November 2007)	National Bank for Agri. And rural Development Mumbai at Bankers Institute of Rural development, Lucknow	23	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
130.	Programme on Development of Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (10-15 December, 2007)	National Cooperative Council of Sri Lanka & Deptt. of Coop. Development, Govt. of Sri Lanka At Galle, Sri Lanka	16	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
131.	Programme on Micro-Finance and Women's Development (2 - 5 January, 2008)	National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM), Pune	20	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Maldives 4. India
132.	Programme on Integrated Management Approach in the Development of Co-operative & Rural Financing Institutions (4 - 9 February, 2008)	Ministry of Agriculture VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	20	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
		<b>Total</b>	<b>194</b>	

S. No	Programme and Period	Organization with which collaborated	No. of participants	Participating countries
		<b>2008-09</b>		
133.	Programme on Management of Rural Financing Institutions and Cooperatives for Rural Development (16-20 June, 2008)	National Institute of Rural Development, Hyderabad	26	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India 4. Maldives
134.	Programme on Training Techniques for Trainers of Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (14-19 July, 2008)	NCUI, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune	20	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
135.	Programme on Development of Rural Financing Institutions and Cooperatives (22-26 Sept. 2008)	Nepal Rastra Bank, NCDB, Agricultural Dev. Bank, RRB, SKBB, NAFSCUN at Bode, Bhaktapur, Nepal	24	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
136.	Programme on Development of Managerial Skills for Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (15-21 October, 2008)	National Coop. Dev. Corporation, New Delhi at TOPIC Training Centre, Gurgaon	22	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
137.	Programme on Restructuring and Strengthening Agricultural/Rural Financing Institutions (24-28 November, 2008)	College of Agricultural Banking (CAB) RBI, Pune	23	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
138.	Programme on Integrated Management Approach in the Development of Co-operative & Rural Financing Institutions (12-17 January, 2009)	Ministry of Agriculture VAMNICOM	24	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
139.	Programme on Micro-Finance and Women's Development (10-13 February, 2009)	National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM), Pune	22	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
140.	Programme on Financing Self-Help Groups (02-05 March, 2009)	National Bank for Agri. And rural Development Mumbai at Bankers Institute of Rural development, Lucknow	23	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
		<b>Total</b>	<b>182</b>	



S. No	Programme and Period	Organization with which collaborated	No. of participants	Participating countries
<b>2009-10</b>				
141.	Programme on Development of Co-operatives and Rural Financing Institutions and Agencies (21-25 April, 2009)	National Coop. Council of Sri Lanka, Dept. of Coop. Development & COOPFED At Colombo, Sri Lanka	25	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bhutan 4. India
142.	Programme on Training Techniques for Trainers of Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (11-16 May, 2009)	NCUI, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune At VAMNICOM, Pune	16	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
143.	Programme on Management of Rural Financing Institutions and Cooperatives for Rural Development (15-19 June, 2009)	National Institute of Rural Development, Hyderabad At NIRD, Hyderabad	22	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. Bhutan 5. India
144.	Programme on Restructuring and Strengthening Agricultural/Rural Financing Institutions (20-24 July, 2009)	College of Agricultural Banking (CAB) RBI, Pune At CAB, Pune	17	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
145.	Programme on Development of Managerial Skills for Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (05-09 October, 2009)	National Coop. Dev. Corporation, New Delhi at TOPIC Training Centre, Gurgaon	11	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
146.	Programme on Integrated Management Approach in the Development of Co-operative & Rural Financing Institutions (07-12 December, 2009)	Ministry of Agriculture & VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	27	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. Bhutan 5. India
147.	Programme on Micro-Finance and Women's Development (15-18 March, 2010)	National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM), Pune	22	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bhutan 4. Maldives
148.	Programme on Skill Development of Trainers in the area of Promotion and Financing of SHGs & JLGs for Financial inclusion of Rural Poor (22-25 March, 2010)	National Bank for Agri. And rural Development Mumbai at Bankers Institute of Rural development, Lucknow	14	1. Nepal 2. India
<b>Total</b>			<b>154</b>	

S. No	Programme and Period	Organization with which collaborated	No. of participants	Participating countries
		<b>2010-11</b>		
149	Programme on Training Techniques for Trainers of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions (Focused on Trainers Training)(7-12 June, 2010)	NCUI/NCCT/ VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	21	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
150	Programme on Restructuring and Strengthening Agricultural / Rural Financing Institutions (Focused on Trainers Training)(23-27 Aug. 2010)	College of Agricultural Banking, RBI, Pune At CAB, Pune	28	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka
151	Programme on Development of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions & Agencies(9-13 Aug. 2010)	NCC of Sri Lanka At Colombo, Sri Lanka	27	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
152	Programme on Development of Rural Financing Institutions and Cooperatives (20-24 September, 2010)	Agricultural Dev. Bank with NRB, RBB, NCDB, SKBBL & NEFSCUN At Kathmandu, Nepal	24	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. Bhutan 5. India
153	Trainers Training Programme (11-15 October, 2010)	CICTAB, Pune At Colombo, Sri Lanka	23	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
154	Programme on Development of Managerial Skills for Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (25-29 October, 2010)	National Coop. Development Corporation, New Delhi at TOPIC Trg. Centre, Gurgaon	24	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India 4. Maldives
155	Programme for Trainers in Management of Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions / Micro Finance Institutions (Focused on Trainers Training) (29 <sup>th</sup> November to 3 <sup>rd</sup> December, 2010)	Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune	23	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
156	Programme on Skill Development of Trainers in the area of Promotion and Financing of Self-Help Groups & Joint Liability Groups for Financial Inclusion of Rural Poor (Focused on Trainers Training) (21-24 Feb. 2011)	National Bank for Agri. & Rural Development (NABARD) at BIRD, Lucknow.	29	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. Bhutan 5. India
157	Programme on Training Techniques for Trainers of Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (14-18 March, 2011)	CICTAB, Pune at Kathmandu, Nepal	24	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
		<b>Total</b>	<b>223</b>	

Sr. No.	Programme and Period	Organization with which collaborated	No. of participants	Participating countries
		<b>2011-12</b>		
158	Programme on Development of Co-operatives and Rural Financing Institutions (25-29 April, 2011)	at Colombo, Sri Lanka	25	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bhutan 4. India
159	Trainers Training Programme on Restructuring and Strengthening Agricultural/Rural Financing Institutions (18-22 July, 2011)	College of Agricultural Banking, RBI, Pune At CAB, Pune	24	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
160	Programme on Micro Finance and Women's Development (29 <sup>th</sup> August to 1 <sup>st</sup> September, 2011)-	National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM), Pune at NIBM, Pune	29	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
161	Programme on Training Techniques for Trainers of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions (26-30 September, 2011)	NCUI/NCCT/ VAMNICOM At VAMNICOM, Pune	18+1 inter- pretor	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bhutan 4. India
162	Trainers Training Programme on Agricultural Financing & Rural Development at Dhaka, Bangladesh (23-27 October, 2011)	Bangladesh Bank Training Academy Bangladesh Bank Dahak	29	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. India
163	Programme on Development of Managerial Skills for Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (31 <sup>st</sup> October to 4 <sup>th</sup> November, 2011)	National Coop. Development Corporation, New Delhi at TOPIC Trg. Centre, Gurgaon	15	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
164	Programme on Management of Rural Financing Institutions and Co-operatives for Rural Development – (14-18 November, 2011)	NCUI/NCCT at ICM, Hyderabad.	22	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
165	Programme on Application of Information Technology for Development of a Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financial Institutions (focused on Trainers Training) – (19-23 December, 2011).	Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune at VAMNICOM, Pune	28	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India

S. No	Programme and Period	Organization with which collaborated	No. of participants	Participating countries
166	Programme on Women's Development through Income Generation Activities (focused for Trainers Training) (30 <sup>th</sup> January, to 2 <sup>nd</sup> February, 2012)	National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM), Pune At NIBM, Pune	25+1 inter-pretor	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
167	Trainers Training programme (13 <sup>th</sup> - 17 <sup>th</sup> February, 2012)	CICTAB, Pune At Colombo, Sri Lanka	27	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
168	Programme on Skill Development of Trainers in the area of Promotion and Financing of Self-Help Groups & Joint Liability Groups for Financial Inclusion of Rural Poor (Focused on Trainers Training) (20-23 February, 2012) - at BIRD (NABARD), Lucknow	National Bank for Agri. And rural Development Mumbai at Bankers Institute of Rural development, Lucknow	17	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India 4. Bhutan
		<b>Total</b>	<b>259</b>	
		<b>2012-13</b>		
169	Trainers Training Programme on Restructuring and Strengthening Agricultural/Rural Financing Institutions (04 <sup>th</sup> - 08 <sup>th</sup> June, 2012)	College of Agricultural Banking, RBI, Pune At CAB, Pune	16	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
170	Training Programme on Management of Rural Financing Institutions and Cooperatives For Rural Development (16 <sup>th</sup> - 20 <sup>th</sup> July, 2012)	National Institute of Rural Development Hyderabad At NIRD, Hyderabad	19	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
171	Programme on Development of Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions and Agencies (17 <sup>th</sup> - 21 <sup>st</sup> September, 2012)	NCC, Colombo Sri Lanka.	20	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
172	Programme on Development of Managerial Skills for Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (15 <sup>th</sup> - 19 <sup>th</sup> October, 2012) at Topic Haryana	National Coop. Development Corporation, New Delhi at TOPIC Trg. Centre, Gurgaon	19	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India



S. No	Programme and Period	Organization with which collaborated	No. of participants	Participating countries
173	Programme on Application of Information Technology for Development of Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financial Institutions (focused on Trainers Training) – (20 <sup>th</sup> – 24 <sup>th</sup> November, 2012)	Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune at VAMNICOM, Pune	24	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
174	Exposure Visit Programme in SHG / JLG Farmers, Club, etc. for CICTAB member Institutions. (3 <sup>rd</sup> – 7 <sup>th</sup> December, 2012)	College of Agricultural Banking, RBI, Pune At CAB, Pune	22	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka
175	Programme on Women's Development through Micro Finance (10 <sup>th</sup> -13 <sup>th</sup> December, 2012)	National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM), Pune At NIBM, Pune	23	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka
176	Trainers Training Programme on Agricultural Financing & Rural Development (6 <sup>th</sup> -10 <sup>th</sup> January, 2013)	Bangladesh Bank Training Academy Bangladesh Bank Dahak	30	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
177	Programme on Training Techniques for Trainers of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions (11-15 February, 2013)	NCUI/NCCT/ VAMNICOM at NCUI, New Delhi.	22	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. India
178	Programme on Skill Development of Trainers in the area of Promotion and Financing of Self-Help Groups & Joint Liability Groups for Financial Inclusion of Rural Poor (Focused on Trainers Training)- (18 <sup>th</sup> -21 <sup>st</sup> February, 2013)	National Bank for Agri. And rural Development Mumbai at Bankers Institute of Rural development, Lucknow	21	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka
179	Programme on Women's Development through Income Generation Activities (focused on Trainers Training) (25 <sup>th</sup> – 28 <sup>th</sup> February, 2013)	National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM), Pune At NIBM, Pune	31	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka
180	Programme on Development of Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (04 <sup>th</sup> – 08 <sup>th</sup> March, 2013)	Royal Monetary Authority Thimphu, Bhutan at RMA, Bhutan	24	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. India
		<b>Total</b>	<b>271</b>	

S. No	Programme and Period	Organization with which collaborated	No. of participants	Participating countries
		<b>2013-14</b>		
181	Programme on Developing Managerial Decision Making Skills for Marketing Co-operatives at VAMNICOM, Pune (Sponsored by NCUI, New Delhi) ( 03-07 June, 2013 )	NCUI/VAMNICOM	19	1.Bangladesh 2.Nepal 3.India 4.Sri Lanka
182	Capacity Building Programme on Financial Inclusion ( 01-04 July, 2013 )	NABARD at BIRD, Mangalore	8	1. Bangladesh 2. India 3.Nepal
183	International TOT Programme on Restructuring and Strengthening of Rural Financial Institutions ( July 15-19, 2013 )	RBI, at CAB, Pune	28	1.Bangladesh 2.Nepal 3.Sri Lanka
184	"Management of Rural Financing Institutions and Cooperatives for Rural Development" ( 19 - 23 August, 2013 )	NIRD, Hyderabad	17	1. Bhutan 2. Bangladesh 3.Nepal 4.Sri Lanka 5.India
185	International Training Programme on "Development of Managerial Skills for Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions " ( 21 - 25 October, 2013 )	NCDC At TOPIC Institute, Gurgaon	26	1.Bangladesh 2.Nepal 3.India 4.Sri Lanka
186	Exposure Visit Programme on Cooperative Business Model in Sri Lanka ( 26 - 29 November, 2013 )	COOPFED, at Colombo, Sri Lanka	20	1.Bangladesh 2.Nepal 3.India
187	Programme on Application of Information Technology for Development of Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions ( Focused on Trainers Training) ( 2 - 6 December, 2013 ) at VAMNICOM, Pune.	MOA, Govt. of India, at VAMNICOM, Pune	28	1.Bangladesh 2.Nepal 3.Sri Lanka
188	Exposure Programme in SHG JLG Farmers Club etc. for CICTAB (16-20 December, 2013 )	RBI, at CAB, Pune	15	1.Bangladesh 2.Nepal 3.India 4.Sri Lanka
189	Women's Development through Micro-Finance (CICTAB) ( January 6-9, 2014 )	NIBM, Pune	22	1.Nepal 2.India 3.Sri Lanka

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190	International Programme on Training Techniques for Trainers of Cooperatives & Rural Financing Institutions in the SAARC Region ( 27-31 January, 2014 )	NCUI, at NCUI, New Delhi	26	1.Bangladesh 2.Nepal 3.India 4.Sri Lanka
191	Programme on Financial Inclusion through Micro Finance at RMA, Bhutan Thimphu, Bhutan ( 04 - 07 February, 2014 )	RMA at Thimpu, Bhutan	26	1.Bhutan 2.India 3.Nepal
192	Programme on Women's Development through Income Generating Activities (exclusively for Women participants) - at NIBM, Pune ( 17 <sup>th</sup> - 21 <sup>st</sup> February, 2014)	at NIBM, Pune	28	1.Bangladesh 2.Sri Lanka 3.Nepal 4.India
193	Programme on Agricultural Financing & Rural Development at Dhaka, Bangladesh (2 <sup>nd</sup> - 6 <sup>th</sup> March, 2014)	Bangladesh Bank, at BBTA, Dhaka	28	1.Bangladesh 2.Nepal 3.Sri Lanka 4.India
194	Programme on Skill Development of Trainers in the area of Promotion and Financing of SHGs & JLGs for Financial Inclusion of Rural Poor ( Focused on Trainers Training ) at BIRD, Lucknow ( 18 - 21 March, 2014 )	NABARD, at BIRD, Lucknow	19	1. Bangladesh 2. India 3. Nepal 4. Sri Lanka
195	Programme on Development of Rural Financing Institutions and Cooperatives ( 14 - 18 April, 2014)	Agricultural Dev. Bank with NRB, RBB, NCDB, SKBBL & NEFSCUN At Kathmandu, Nepal	31	1.Bangladesh 2.Bhutan 3.India 4Sri Lanka 5. Nepal
		Total	341	
		<b>2014-15</b>		
196	Programme on Cooperative Governance for the Board of Directors of Rural Financing Institutions and Cooperatives (23-27 June, 2014)	VAMNICOM & CICTAB, Pune	30	1. Bangladesh 2. Bhutan 3. Nepal 4. Sri Lanka 5. India
197	Programme on Restructuring and Strengthening of Agricultural / Rural Financial Institutions sponsored by CAB, Pune (14-18 July, 2014)	CAB, Pune	14	1. Bhutan 2. India 3. Nepal

<b>S. No</b>	<b>Programme and Period</b>	<b>Organization with which collaborated</b>	<b>No. of participants</b>	<b>Participating countries</b>
198	Programme on Database Management for Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financial Institutions (25 – 29 August, 2014)	CICTAB at VAMNICOM, Pune	20	1. Nepal 2. India
199	Programme on “Management of Rural Financing Institutions and Cooperatives for Rural Development” (1 – 5 September, 2014) - at NIRD, Hyderabad	NIRD, Hyderabad	21	1. Nepal 2. Bhutan 3. India.
200	Programme on “Women Development through Income Generating Activities” (6 – 9 October, 2014) - at NIBM, Pune	NIBM, Pune	22	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bangladesh 4. India
201	Programme on Financial Inclusion (9 – 11 October, 2014) - at BIRD, Mangalore	NABARD, Mumbai	11	1. Nepal
202	“Adopting Area Based Integrated Approach for Cooperative Development – An Experience of NCDC’s ICDP Scheme in Indian Context” - at Wennappuwa, Sri Lanka (13 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> October, 2014)	NCDC and NCC, Sri Lanka	11	1. Nepal
203	“Developing Managerial Skills for Agricultural Cooperative and Rural Financing Institution” (10-14 November, 2014) at TOPIC Institute, Gurgaon, Haryana	NCDC, Gurgaon	20	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka
204	Programme on Bench Marking Micro Finance and Micro Enterprise practices in cooperatives (10-13 November, 2014)	KIIT, Bhubaneswar	17	1. Nepal 2. Bangladesh
205	Exposure Visit Programme on Cooperative Business Model (8-11 December, 2014) - at NICD, Polgolla, Sri Lanka	NICD, Polgolla, Sri Lanka	34	1. Bangladesh 2. India 3. Nepal 4. Sri Lanka
206	Exposure programme in SHG JLG Farmers Club etc. for CICTAB (15-19 December, 2014) - at CAB, Pune	CAB, Pune	20	1. Nepal 2. India 3. Bangladesh



S. No	Programme and Period	Organization with which collaborated	No. of participants	Participating countries
207	Programme on Application of Information Technology for Development of Agricultural Cooperatives & Rural Financing Institutions (Focused on Trainers Training) (22 – 26 December, 2014) at VAMNICOM, Pune	VAMNICOM, Pune	25	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. India 4. Sri Lanka
208	International Programme on Inclusive Banking for Rural and Agricultural Development (05 – 08 January, 2015) - at ISEC, Bangalore	ISEC, Bangalore and NIBM, Pune	18	1. Bangladesh 2. India 3. Sri Lanka 4. Nepal
209	Programme on Women's Development through Micro Finance (12 <sup>th</sup> – 16 <sup>th</sup> January, 2015) - at NIBM, Pune	NIBM, Pune	21	1. Bangladesh 2. India 3. Nepal 4. Sri Lanka
210	Programme on Training Techniques for Trainers of Cooperatives & Rural Financing Institutions in the SAARC Region (19 – 23 January, 2015) at NCUI, New Delhi	NCUI, New Delhi	28	1. Sri Lanka 2. Nepal 3. Bangladesh 4. Bhutan 5. India
211	Programme on Agricultural Financing & Rural Development (8 – 12 February, 2015) at BBTA, Dhaka	BBTA, Bangladesh	10	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
212	Programme on Skill Development of Trainers in the area of Promotion and Financing of SHGs and JLGs for Financial Inclusion of Rural Poor – CICTAB (16 – 19 March, 2015) at BIRD, Lucknow	NABARD, Mumbai	28	1. Bangladesh 2. India 3. Nepal and 8 from Sri Lanka
213	Programme on "Development of Rural Financing Institutions and Cooperatives" at Kathmandu, Nepal (25 Feb. – 1 March, 2015)	ADBL, NRB, SKVB, NEFSCUN, RBB & NACCFL, Nepal	26	1. Bangladesh 2. India 3. Nepal
214	Programme on "Developing Managerial Decision Making Skills for Marketing Cooperatives (25-28 March, 2015) at VAMNICOM, Pune	VAMNICOM, Pune	23	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. from India
		Total	399	
		<b>2015-16</b>		
215	Programme on Women's Development through Micro Finance.( 20 – 23 April, 2015)	National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM) Pune, Maharashtra, India	32	1. Bangladesh 2. Bhutan 3. Nepal 4. Sri Lanka 5. India

<b>S. No</b>	<b>Programme and Period</b>	<b>Organization with which collaborated</b>	<b>No. of participants</b>	<b>Participating countries</b>
216	Programme on Decentralization and Development approach of Panchayats Raj institutions for Cooperative and Rural Development (25 – 29 May, 2015)	In collaboration with VAMNICOM & Institute for Social and Economic Change (ISEC) Bangalore, Karnataka, India	20	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka
217	Programme on Cooperative Governance for Board of Directors of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions (15 – 19 June, 2015)	VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra, India	22	1. Nepal 2. Bhutan 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
218	Programme on Restructuring and Strengthening Agricultural/ Rural Financing Institutions (Focused on Trainers Training) (6 – 10 July, 2015)	College of Agricultural Banking, RBI, Pune, Maharashtra, India	23	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka
219	Programme on Management of Rural Financing Institutions and Cooperatives for Rural Development (13 – 17 July, 2015)	National Institute of Rural Development (NIRD), Hyderabad, India	24	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
220	Programme on Cooperative Governance for Board of Directors of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions (27 – 31 July, 2015)	NCC, Sri Lanka	19	1. Sri Lanka 2. Nepal 3. Bhutan 4. India
221	Programme on Database Management for Cooperative Rural Financing Institutions (10 – 14 August, 2015)	VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra, India	30	1. Sri Lanka 2. Nepal 3. India
222	Programme on H R & Legal Aspects of Business for Cooperatives & Rural Financing Institutions (14 – 18 September, 2015)	NCUI, New Delhi, India	38	1. Sri Lanka 2. Nepal 3. India
223	programme on “Developing Managerial Decision Making Skills for Marketing Co-operatives” (12 – 15 October, 2015)	VAMNICOM, Pune, India	21	1. Sri Lanka 2. Nepal 3. India
224	Programme on Agriculture & Rural Development through Cooperative Business Model (14 – 19 November, 2015)	Indian Farmers Fertilizer Cooperative Limited (IFFCO), India	28	1. Sri Lanka 2. Bhutan 3. Nepal 4. Bangladesh 5. India
225	Programme on Development of Managerial Skills for Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (16 – 20 November, 2015)	National Cooperative Development Corporation (NCDC) New Delhi , India	30	1. Bangladesh 2. India 3. Nepal 4. Sri Lanka

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226	Exposure visit Programme on Cooperative Business Model in Sri Lanka (7 – 10 December, 2015)	NICD, Sri Lanka	28	1. India 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka
227	Programme on Application of Information Technology for Development of Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financial Institutions. (Focused on Trainers Training) (14 – 18 December, 2015)	Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra, India	33	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka
228	Programme on Financial Inclusion (7 – 9 January, 2016)	National Bank for Agri. & Rural Development (NABARD), India	30	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Bhutan 4. Sri Lanka 5. India.
229	Programme on Training Techniques for Trainers of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions (Focused on Trainers Training) (18 – 22 January, 2016)	NCUI, New Delhi, India	33	1. Nepal 2. Bhutan 3. Bangladesh 4. Sri Lanka 5. from India
230	Exposure visit Programme in SHG/JLG Farmers Club (1 – 5 February, 2016)	Reserve Bank of India	17	1. Nepal 2. India 3. Sri Lanka
231	Programme on Agricultural Financing & Rural Development. (28 February – 3 March, 2016)	Bangladesh Bank Training Academy, Dhaka / Bangladesh Milk Producers Cooperative Union Ltd., (MILKVITA)	29	1. Nepal 2. India 3. Bangladesh
232	Programme on Women's Development through Income Generating Activities (Focused on Trainers Training) (7 – 11 March, 2016)	National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM), Pune, Maharashtra, India	33	1. Nepal 2. Bangladesh 3. Bhutan 4. Sri Lanka.
233	Programme on "Good Governance for the Women Board of Directors of Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (Exclusively for the women participants) (8 – 12 March, 2016)	VAMNICOM, Pune, India	25	1. Nepal
234	Programme on Skill Development of Trainers in the area of Promotion and Financing of Self-Help Groups & Joint Liability Groups for Financial Inclusion of Rural Poor (Focused on Trainers Training) (14 – 18 March, 2016)	National Bank for Agri. & Rural Development (NABARD), India	32	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bhutan 4. Bangladesh
		Total	547	
		<b>2016-17</b>		

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235	Programme on Cooperative Governance for Board of Directors of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions (Focused on Trainers Training) (4-8 April, 2016)	VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra, India	26	1. Sri Lanka 2. Nepal
236	Programme on Women's Development through Income Generating Activities (Focused on Trainers Training) (9 - 13 May, 2016)	National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM) Pune, Maharashtra, India	24	1. Nepal 2. Bangladesh 3. Sri Lanka 4. India
237	Programme on Good Governance for Board of Directors of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions (6-10 June, 2016)	NCUI, New Delhi, India	48	1. Nepal 2. India 3. Sri Lanka
238	Programme on Restructuring and Strengthening Agricultural/Rural Financing Institutions (Focused on Trainers Training) (4 - 8 July, 2016)	College of Agricultural Banking, RBI, Pune, Maharashtra, India	20	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka
239	Programme on Database Management for Cooperative Rural Financing Institutions (18 - 22 July, 2016)	VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra, India	32	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
240	Programme on Cooperative Governance for Board of Directors of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions (20 - 24 July, 2016)	NCC, Sri Lanka	31	1. Sri Lanka 2. Nepal 3. India
241	Programme on Management of Rural Financing Institutions and Cooperatives for Rural Development (22 - 26 August, 2016)	National Institute of Rural Development (NIRD), Hyderabad, India	34	1. Sri Lanka 2. Bangladesh 3. India
242	Development of Managerial Decision making Skills for Marketing Cooperatives (7 - 10 September, 2016)	VAMNICOM, Pune, India at KIIT	24	1. Sri Lanka 2. Nepal 3. India
243	Programme on Development of Rural Financing Institutions and Cooperatives (26 - 30 September, 2016)	ADB, NRB, RBB, NCDB, SKBBL, NACCF, NEFSCUN	23	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. India
244	Programme on Agri Value Chain Financing (5-8 October, 2016)	VAMNICOM, Pune	27	1. Sri Lanka 2. Nepal 3. Bangladesh 4. India



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245	Programme on Agriculture & Rural Development through Cooperative Business Model (21 - 24 November, 2016)	Indian Farmers Fertilizer Cooperative Limited (IFFCO), India	19	1. Nepal 2. India 3. Bangladesh
246	Programme on Development of Managerial Skills for Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (21 - 25 November, 2016)	National Cooperative Development Corporation (NCDC) New Delhi , India	24	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bangladesh 4. India
247	Programme on Application of Information Technology for Development of Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financial Institutions (Focused on Trainers Training) (19 - 23 December, 2016)	Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra , India	25	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka
248	Exposure visit Programme on Cooperative Business Model in Sri Lanka 3 - 6 January, 2017	NICD, Sri Lanka	28	1. Nepal 2. Bangladesh 3. India
249	Programme on Training Techniques for Trainers of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions (Focused on Trainers Training) (16 - 20 January, 2017)	NCUI, New Delhi, India	34	1. Nepal 2. Bangladesh 3. Bhutan 4. from India
250	Exposure visit Programme in SHG/JLG Farmers Club (31 <sup>st</sup> January - 3 <sup>rd</sup> Feb, 2017)	CAB, Reserve Bank of India	14	1. Nepal 2. India 3. Bangladesh
251	Programme on Agricultural Financing & Rural Development (26 <sup>th</sup> Feb - 2 <sup>nd</sup> March, 2017)	Bangladesh Bank Training Academy, Dhaka/ Bangladesh Milk Producers Cooperative Union Ltd., (MILKVITA)	25	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
252	Programme on Women's Development through Income Generating Activities (06-9 March, 2017)	National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM), Pune, Maharashtra, India	38	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal
253	Programme on Good Governance for the Women Board of Directors of Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (08-11 March, 2017)	VAMNICOM, Pune	36	1. Nepal

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254	Programme on Skill Development of Trainers in the area of Promotion and Financing of Self-Help Groups & Joint Liability Groups for Financial Inclusion of Rural Poor (Focused on Trainers Training) (14 – 17 March, 2017)	National Bank for Agri. & Rural Development (NABARD), India at BIRD, Lucknow	31	1. India 2. Nepal
255	Programme on “Cooperative Governance for the Board of Directors of Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions” (20 <sup>th</sup> – 24 <sup>th</sup> March, 2017)	NCUI, New Delhi and Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Govt. of India at VAMNICOM, Pune	38	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka
		<b>Total</b>	<b>601</b>	
	<b>2017-2018</b>			
256	Programme on Adopting Area Based Integrated Approach for Inclusive Cooperative Development of NCDC’s ICDP Scheme in Indian Context (17 – 21 April, 2017)	National Cooperative Development Corporation (NCDC), Gurgaon	39	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. India 4. Sri Lanka
257	“Agri Value Chain Financing” (22 <sup>th</sup> – 26 <sup>th</sup> May, 2017)	Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Government of India at Vaikunth Mehta National Institute of Co-operative Management (VAMNICOM), Pune	33	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. India 4. Sri Lanka
258	“Cooperative Governance for the Board of Directors of Rural Financing Institutions and Cooperatives (24 – 28 July, 2017) at NCC, Colombo, Sri Lanka	National Cooperative Council of Sri Lanka (NCC), Sri Lanka	29	1. Nepal 2. India 3. Sri Lanka
259	“Women’s Development through Micro Finance” (28 <sup>th</sup> to 31 <sup>st</sup> August, 2017) – at NIBM, Pune	NIBM, Pune	34	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. India 4. Sri Lanka
260	Development of Rural Financing Institutions and Cooperatives ( 10 <sup>th</sup> – 14 <sup>th</sup> September, 2017 ) – at NEPAL	Nepal Rastra Bank (NRB) , Agricultural Development Bank of Nepal (ADB), National Co-operative Development Board of Nepal (NCDB), SKVB, NEFSCUN, RBB, NACCFL and NCBL	20	1. Bhutan 2. Nepal 3. India 4. Sri Lanka

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261	Management of Rural Financing Institutions and Co-operatives for Rural Development (18 – 22 September, 2017) – at NIRD & PR, Hyderabad	National Institute of Rural Development & Panchayati Raj (NIRD & PR), Hyderabad	24	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. India 4. Sri Lanka
262	Development of Managerial Skills for Agricultural Co-operatives and Rural Financing Institutions (09 – 13 October, 2017) at NCDC – TOPIC Institute, Gurgaon, Haryana	National Co-operative Development Corporation (NCDC) and TOPIC Institute of NCDC, Gurgaon (Haryana).	28	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. India
263	Agriculture & Rural Development through Cooperative Business Model (10 – 13 October, 2017) at FMDI-IFFCO, Gurgaon, Haryana (VAMNICOM-CICTAB-IFFCO)	Indian Farmers Fertilizer Cooperative Limited (IFFCO)	28	1. Nepal 2. India 3. Sri Lanka
264	Digitalization and Financial Inclusion (Focused on Trainers Training) (13 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> November, 2017) – at, CAB, Pune, India	College of Agricultural Banking (CAB), Pune	21	1. Nepal 2. India 3. Sri Lanka
265	Exposure Visit Programme on Co-operative Business Model in Sri Lanka (27 – 30 November, 2017) at NICD, Polgolla, Sri Lanka	with National Institute of Cooperative Development (NICD), Sri Lanka	19	1. Nepal 2. India 3. Sri Lanka
266	International Programme on Dairy Development through Cooperative Business Model (5-8 December, 2017) at NDDDB, Anand, Gujarat, India (NDDDB-CICTAB-IRMA-VAMNICOM)	National Dairy Development Board (NDDDB), Anand, Vaikunth Mehta National Institute of Cooperative Management, Pune and Institute of Rural Management, Anand at NDDDB, Anand, Gujarat	21	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. India 4. Sri Lanka
267	Application of Information Technology for Development of Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (Focused on Trainers Training) (18 – 22 December, 2017) at VAMNICOM, Pune	Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Govt. of India	22	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. India 4. Sri Lanka

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268	"Cooperative Governance for the Board of Directors of Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions" (05 – 09 March, 2018)	Vaikunth Mehta National Institute of Cooperative Management (VAMNICOM), Pune, National Cooperative Union of India and Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Government of India	34	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. India 4. Sri Lanka
269	"Skill Development of Trainers in the area of Promotion and Financing of SHGs & JLGs for Financial Inclusion of Rural Poor" (Focused on Trainers Training) at BIRD, Lucknow (8 <sup>th</sup> – 11 <sup>th</sup> January, 2018)	National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) at Bankers Institute of Rural Development, (BIRD), Lucknow	36	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka
270	Exposure Visit Programme in SHG/JLG and Farmers Club, etc.(29 <sup>th</sup> January – 2 <sup>nd</sup> February, 2018) at RBI-CAB, Pune, India	RBI-CAB, Pune	29	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
271	Financing Small Enterprises for Rural Development (12 – 16 February, 2018) – at NIRD & PR, Hyderabad	National Institute of Rural Development & Panchayati Raj (NIRD & PR), Hyderabad	36	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. India 4. Sri Lanka
272	Agricultural Financing & Rural Development (25 <sup>th</sup> February – 1 <sup>st</sup> March, 2018) - at Dhaka, Bangladesh	Bangladesh Bank and Milkvita at Bangladesh Training Academy (BBTA) of Bangladesh Bank	27	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. India 4. Sri Lanka
273	Cooperative Governance for the Board of Directors of Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (05 – 09 March, 2018)	Vaikunth Mehta National Institute of Cooperative Management (VAMNICOM), Pune, National Cooperative Union of India and Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Government of India	22	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka
274	"Women's Development through Income Generating Activities" (19 – 22 March, 2018) – at NIBM, Pune	National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM), Pune	26	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka



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275	"Developing Managerial Decision making Skills for Co-operatives and Rural Financing Institutions" at VAMNICOM, Pune, India (26 <sup>th</sup> - 29 <sup>th</sup> March, 2018)	Vaikunth Mehta National Institute of Cooperative Management (VAMNICOM), Pune	36	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. India 4. Sri Lanka
<b>Total</b>			<b>554</b>	
<b>2018-19</b>				
276	Programme on "Adopting Area Based Integrated Approach for Cooperative Development - An Experience of NCDC's ICDP Scheme in Indian Context" (07 <sup>th</sup> - 11 <sup>th</sup> May, 2018) at NCDC, Gurgaon, Haryana	National Cooperative Development Corporation (NCDC) New Delhi, India	27	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India
277	Exposure Visit Programme on Co-operative Business Model in Sri Lanka (15 <sup>th</sup> - 18 <sup>th</sup> May, 2018) at NICD, Polgolla, Sri Lanka	NICD, Polgolla, Sri Lanka	22	1. Nepal 2. India.
278	International Programme on "Agri Value Chain Financing" (21 <sup>st</sup> - 25 <sup>th</sup> May, 2018) at VAMNICOM, Pune	Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra, India	37	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal
279	International Programme on "Cooperative Governance for the Board of Directors of Cooperative & Rural Financing Institutions (23 <sup>rd</sup> - 27 <sup>th</sup> July, 2018) - at NCC, Colombo, Sri Lanka	NCC, Colombo, Sri Lanka	26	1. Sri Lanka 2. Bangladesh 3. Nepal
280	International Programme on "Renewable Energy Management for Cooperatives" (20 <sup>th</sup> - 24 <sup>th</sup> August, 2018) at VAMNICOM, Pune	Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra, India	21	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka
281	International Programme on Management of Rural Financing Institutions and Co-operatives for Rural Development (17 <sup>th</sup> - 21 <sup>st</sup> September, 2018) - at NIRD & PR, Hyderabad	National Institute of Rural Development & Panchayati Raj (NIRD & PR), Hyderabad	23	1. Sri Lanka 2. Nepal 3. Bangladesh

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282	International Programme on Digitalization and Financial Inclusion (Focused on Trainers Training) (24 <sup>th</sup> - 28 <sup>th</sup> September, 2018) - at CAB, Pune, India	College of Agricultural Banking, RBI, Pune, Maharashtra, India	16	1. Nepal 2. India 3. Sri Lanka
283	International Programme on Development of Managerial Skills for Agricultural Co-operatives and Rural Financing Institutions (01 <sup>st</sup> - 05 <sup>th</sup> October, 2018) at NCDC - LINACRD, Gurgaon, Haryana	National Cooperative Development Corporation (NCDC) New Delhi, India	19	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka 3. India.
284	International Programme on Agriculture & Rural Development through Cooperative Business Model (03 <sup>rd</sup> - 06 <sup>th</sup> October, 2018) at FMDI-IFFCO, Gurgaon, Haryana (VAMNICOM-CICTAB-IFFCO)	Indian Farmers Fertilizer Cooperative Limited (IFFCO), India	20	1. India 2. Sri Lanka 3. Nepal
285	International Programme on Development of Rural Financing Institutions and Cooperatives (08 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup> October, 2018) - at Nepal	ADB, NRB, RBB, NCDB, SKBBL, NACCF, NEFSCUN	25	1. India 2. Sri Lanka 3. Bhutan 4. Nepal 5. Bangladesh
286	International Programme on Rural Entrepreneurship and Micro Finance: Connecting the dots in Financial Inclusion (12 <sup>th</sup> - 16 <sup>th</sup> November, 2018) - at NIRD, Guwahati	National Institute of Rural Development & Panchayati Raj (NIRD & PR), Hyderabad	23	1. Bangladesh 2. Sri Lanka 3. Nepal
287	International Programme on Dairy Development through Cooperative Business Model (10 <sup>th</sup> - 13 <sup>th</sup> December, 2018) at NDDB, Anand, Gujarat, India (NDDB-CICTAB-IRMA-VAMNICOM)	National Dairy Development Board / Institute of Rural Management Anand	21	1. India 2. Sri Lanka 3. Nepal

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288	International Programme on Application of Information Technology for Development of Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (Focused on Trainers Training) (17 <sup>th</sup> - 21 <sup>st</sup> December, 2018) at VAMNICOM, Pune	Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra, India	24	1. India 2. Bangladesh 3. Sri Lanka 4. Nepal
289	International Programme on Financing Small Enterprises for Rural Development (7 <sup>th</sup> -11 <sup>th</sup> January 2019) at NIRD&PR, Hyderabad	National Institute of Rural Development & Panchayati Raj (NIRD & PR), Hyderabad	16	1. India 2. Nepal
290	International Programme on Cooperative Governance for Board of Directors of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions (15 <sup>th</sup> - 19 <sup>th</sup> January, 2019) CICTAB-NCUI-VAMNICOM	National Cooperative Union of India (NCUI), New Delhi, India	34	1. Sri Lanka 2. Nepal
291	Exposure Visit Programme in SHG/JLG and Farmers Club (28 <sup>th</sup> January to 1 <sup>st</sup> February, 2019) at CAB-RBI, Pune	College of Agricultural Banking, RBI, Pune, Maharashtra, India	7	1. India 2. Nepal
292	International Programme on Training Techniques for Trainers of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions (Focused on Trainer's training) 29 <sup>th</sup> January - 2 <sup>nd</sup> February, 2019 at NCUI New Delhi	National Cooperative Union of India (NCUI), New Delhi, India	28	1. India 2. Bangladesh 3. Bhutan 4. Sri Lanka 5. Nepal
293	International Programme on Agricultural Financing & Rural Development (24 <sup>th</sup> - 28 <sup>th</sup> February, 2019) - at Dhaka, Bangladesh	Bangladesh Bank Training Academy, Dhaka / Bangladesh Milk Producers Cooperative Union Ltd., (MILKVITA)	21	1. Nepal 2. Bangladesh
294	Programme on Cooperative Governance for Women Board of Directors of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions 5 - 8 March, 2019	Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra, India	23	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka

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295	Programme on Women's Development through Income Generating Activities (Focused on Trainers Training) 11 – 14 March, 2019	National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM), Pune, Maharashtra, India	21	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka
296	Programme on Skill Development of Trainers in the area of Promotion and Financing of Self-Help Groups & Joint Liability Groups for Financial Inclusion of Rural Poor (Focused on Trainers Training) 12– 15 March, 2019	National Bank for Agri. & Rural Development (NABARD), India	24	1. Bangladesh 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka
		<b>Total</b>	<b>476</b>	
<b>2019-20</b>				
297	Exposure visit Programme on Cooperative Business Model in Sri Lanka (3-6 September, 2019)	NICD, Sri Lanka	18	1. Nepal 2. Bangladesh 3. India
298	Programme on "Adopting Area Based Integrated Approach for Cooperative Development – An Experience of NCDC's ICDP Scheme in Indian Context" (20 -24 May 2019)	National Cooperative Development Corporation (NCDC) New Delhi , India	17	1. Nepal 2. Bangladesh 3. India
299	Financing Small Enterprises for Rural Development (10-14 June, 2019)	National Institute of Rural Development & Panchayati Raj (NIRD & PR), Hyderabad	16	1. Nepal 2. Bangladesh 3. Sri Lanka
300	Programme on Development of Managerial Skills for Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (24 – 28 June 2019)	National Cooperative Development Corporation (NCDC) New Delhi , India	20	1. Nepal 2. Bangladesh
301	Renewable Energy Management for Cooperatives (15 -19 July, 2019)	Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra , India	22	1. Nepal 2. Bangladesh 3. Sri Lanka
302	Programme on Cooperative Governance for Board of Directors of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions (22-26 July, 2019)	NCC, Sri Lanka	22	1. Nepal 2. Bangladesh 3. Sri Lanka



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303	Programme on Agri Value Chain Financing (19-23 August, 2019)	Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra	22	1. Nepal 2. Bangladesh 3. Sri Lanka
304	Programme on Agri Value Chain Financing (30 Sept - 4 Oct, 2019)	Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra	26	1. Bhutan 2. Bangladesh 3. Sri Lanka
305	Programme on Agriculture & Rural Development through Cooperative Business Model (15 - 18 October, 2019)	Indian Farmers Fertilizer Cooperative Limited (IFFCO), India	21	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka
306	Programme on Digitalization and Financial Inclusion (For CEOs and Senior Executives) (18 - 22 November, 2019)	College of Agricultural Banking, RBI, Pune, Maharashtra, India	18	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka
307	Programme on Dairy Development through Cooperative Business Model (25 -28 November, 2019)	NDDDB / IRMA	25	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka
308	Programme on Training Techniques for Trainers of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions (Focused on Trainers Training) (2 - 6 December, 2019)	NCUI, New Delhi, India		
309	Programme on Application of Information Technology for Development of Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financial Institutions (Focused on Trainers Training) (16 -20 December, 2019)	Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra , India	23	1. India 2. Nepal 3. Bangladesh
310	Programme on Training Techniques for Trainers of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions (Focused on Case Writing) (6 - 8 January, 2020)	NCUI, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune	25	1. Nepal 2. Bangladesh 3. India
311	Exposure visit Programme in SHG/JLG Farmers Club (For CEOs & Senior Executives) (27 -31 January, 2020)	Reserve Bank of India	17	1. Nepal 2. Sri Lanka
312	Programme on Cooperative Governance for Board of Directors of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions (11-15 February,2020)	NCUI, New Delhi, India	29	1. Sri Lanka 2. Nepal 3. India
313	Rural Entrepreneurship and Micro Finance: Connecting the dots in Financial Inclusion' (24 -28 February, 2020)	National Institute of Rural Development & Panchayati Raj (NIRD & PR), Hyderabad	22	1. Nepal 2. Bangladesh 3. India

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314	Programme on Women's Development through Income Generating Activities (2 - 5 March, 2020)	National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM), Pune, Maharashtra, India	24	1. Sri Lanka 2. Nepal
315	Programme on Skill Development of Trainers in the area of Promotion and Financing of Self-Help Groups & Joint Liability Groups for Financial Inclusion of Rural Poor (Focused on Trainers Training) (2 - 5 March, 2020)	National Bank for Agri. & Rural Development (NABARD), India	26	1. Sri Lanka 2. Nepal
<b>2020-2021</b>				
316	International Online Programme on "Renewable Energy Management for Cooperatives" (22nd - 24th July, 2020)	VAMNICOM,Pune	20	1. India 2. Nepal
317	International Online Programme on "Agri Value Chain Financing" (10th - 12th August 2020) - (MoA-VAMNICOM-CICTAB) at VAMNICOM,Pune	VAMNICOM,Pune	21	1. India 2. Nepal
318	International Online Programme on "Adopting Area Based Integrated Approach for Inclusive Cooperative Development of NCDC's ICDP Scheme" on 24 - 28 August, 2020	LINACRD, Gurgaon, Haryana	12	1.Nepal
319	International Online Programme on "Development of Managerial Skills for Agricultural Co-operatives and Rural Financing Institutions" ( 21st-25th Sept 2020) at NCDC - LINACRD, Gurgaon, Haryana	NCDC - LINACRD, Gurgaon, Haryana.	39	1.Nepal 2. India 3. Sri Lanka
320	International Online Programme on "Skilling Livelihood and Financial Inclusion" (19th-22nd October 2020) at NIRD,Hyderabad	NIRD Hyderabad.	33	1.Nepal 2.Bangladesh 3.India
321	International Online Programme on "Cooperative Governance for the Board of Directors of Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions" (2nd- 4th Nov,2020) (CICTAB-NCUI-VAMNICOM)	Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra , India	36	1.Nepal 2.India
322	International Online Programme on "Digitalization and Financial Inclusion" (for CEOs and Senior Executives) (9th-11th Nov 2020) at (CICTAB-RBI-CAB)	Reserve Bank of India	57	1.Nepal 2.India
323	International Online Programme on "Project Approach to Cooperative Development: Sharing of NCUI Cooperative Education Field Projects" (24th-27th Nov, 2020	NCUI, Delhi	38	1.Nepal 2.India

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324	International Online Programme on Application of Information Technology for Development of Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (Focused on Trainers Training) (1 - 4 December, 2020)	VAMNICOM, Pune	26	1.Nepal 2.Sri Lanka
325	International Online Programme on "Women's Development Through Income Generating Activities" (7th - 9th December, 2020)	NIBM, Pune	34	1.Nepal 2.India 3.Bangladesh 4.Sri Lanka
326	International Online Programme on "Agriculture and Rural Development through Cooperative Business Model" during (18th-20th January, 2021)	FMDI - Gurgram Haryana	21	1.Nepal 2.Bangladesh 3.India
327	International Online Programme on Cooperative Governance for board of Directors of Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions" during (21st - 23rd January, 2021)	NCC,Sri Lanka	19	1.Sri Lanka 2.Nepal 3.Bangladesh
328	International Online Programme on "Training Techniques for Trainers of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions" during (27th - 30th January, 2021)	National Cooperative Union of India	50	1.India 2.Nepal 3.Bangladesh 4.Sri Lanka
329	International Online Programme "Exposure Visit Programme on Cooperative Business Model" (2nd - 5th February 2021) in collaboration with	Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Govt. of India, Vaikunth Mehta National Institute of Cooperative Management (VAMNICOM), Pune and Yashwantrao Chavan School of Rural Development (YCSR) of Shivaji University at YCSR, Kolhapur	23	1.India 2.Nepal 3.Bangladesh
330	International Online Programme on "Financing SHGs, JLGs and Farmers Collectives" India during 10th to 12th February, 2021	Reserve Bank of India	12	1.India 2.Bangladesh
331	International Online Programme on "Developing Managerial Decision Making Skills for Marketing Cooperative Societies" during 17th to 19th February, 2021	VAMNICOM, Pune	22	1.Nepal 2.India 3.Bangladesh 4.Sri Lanka
332	International Online Programme on "Frugal Innovation and Rural Entrepreneurship: Connecting the Dots in Financial Inclusion" organized in during 22nd - 24th February, 2021 (CICTAB -NIRDPR)	NIRD PR,Hyderabad		
333	International Online Training Programme on "Women Empowerment through Micro-Finance", (3 - 5 March, 2021)	NIBM,Pune	16	1.Nepal 2.Sri Lanka

S. No	Programme and Period	Organization with which collaborated	No. of participants	Participating countries
334	International Online Training Programme on "Agri-Business Entrepreneurship" Organized under the financial assistance during 5th March, 2021 to 7th August, 2021	VAMNICOM, Pune and Charotar University of Science and Technology (CHARUSAT)		1.India 2.Nepal 3.Bhutan 4.Sri Lanka
335	International Online programme on "Skill Development of Trainers in the area of Promotion and Financing SHG/JLGs for financial inclusion of Rural power" hosted from during 8th - 10th March, 2021.	Bankers Institute of Rural Development (BIRD), Lucknow		1.India 2.Nepal 3.Bhutan 4.Sri Lanka
336	International Online programme on "Dairy Development through Cooperative Business Model, during 22nd-24th March, 2021	NDDDB, Anand,Gujarat, India		
<b>2021-2022</b>				
337	International Online Programme on "Adopting Area Based Integrated Approach for Inclusive Cooperative Development of NCDC's ICDP Scheme" on 26 - 30 April, 2021	National Cooperative Development Corporation (NCDC) New Delhi , India	17	1. India 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka
338	International Online Programme on "Development of Managerial Skills for Agricultural Co-operatives and Rural Financing Institutions" Daily three sessions in the forenoon from 10th – 13th May, 2021 and 17th May, 2021	National Cooperative Development Corporation (NCDC) New Delhi , India	15	1. India 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka
339	International Online Programme on "Renewable Energy Management for Cooperatives" (22nd – 24th July, 2021) at VAMNICOM, Pune.	Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra	24	1. India 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka
340	International Online Programme on "Project Approach to Cooperative Development: Sharing of NCUI Cooperative Education Field Projects" (2nd – 5th August, 2021) (Focused on Trainers Training) hosted from NCUI, New Delhi	NCUI, New Delhi, India	61	1.Nepal 2. India
341	International Online Programme on "Agri Value Chain Financing" (9th - 11th August, 2021) – (MoA-VAMNICOM - CICTAB)	Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra	31	1.Nepal 2. India
342	International Online Training Programme on "Agri-Business Entrepreneurship" Organized under the financial assistance of Ministry of Cooperation, Government of India, and in collaboration with VAMNICOM, Pune, Charotar University of Science & Technology (CHARUSAT) and Lok Jagruti Kendra University, Ahmedabad during 1st Sep, 2021 to 10th Feb, 2022. Programme was hosted from VAMNICOM, Pune	Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Charotar University of Science and Technology (CHARUSAT), Anand and Lok Jagruti Kendra University, Ahmedabad	11	1.Nepal 2.Bangladesh 3.India 4. Sri Lanka 5. Bhutan



<b>S. No</b>	<b>Programme and Period</b>	<b>Organization with which collaborated</b>	<b>No. of participants</b>	<b>Participating countries</b>
343	International Online Programme on "Digitalization and Financial Inclusion" (for CEOs and Senior Executives) (20th to 23rd September, 2021) at (CICTAB-RBI-CAB)	College of Agricultural Banking, RBI, Pune, Maharashtra, India	35	1.Nepal 2.India 3. Bangladesh
344	International Online Programme on "Effective Decision Making Skills for Consumer Cooperatives" (5th – 7th October, 2021) (CICTAB – VAMNICOM - NAFED)	National Agriculture Cooperative Marketing Federation Ltd. (NAFED), New Delhi	44	1.Nepal 2.India 3. Sri Lanka
345	International Online Programme on "Cooperative Governance for the Board of Directors of Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions" (20th to 22nd October, 2021) (CICTAB-NCUI-VAMNICOM)	NCUI, New Delhi, India	37	1. India 2.Sri Lanka
346	International Programme on Application of Information Technology for Development of Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions (Focused on Trainers Training) 3rd - 7th January, 2022 at VAMNICOM, Pune	Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India, New Delhi	15	1.India 2.Nepal
347	Faculty Development Programme on Research Methodology and Data Analysis 3rd – 6th January, 2022 – (4 days Online) and Second Phase of Programme 3 days 9th to 11th March 2022 physically in VAMNICOM Campus, Pune, India	Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India, New Delhi	12	1.Nepal
348	International Online Programme "Exposure Visit Programme on Cooperative Business Model" (30th November, 2021 – 3rd December, 2021) in collaboration with Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Govt. of India, Vaikunth Mehta National Institute of Co-operative Management (VAMNICOM), Pune and Yashwantrao Chavan School of Rural Development (YCSR) of Shivaji University at YCSR, Kolhapur	Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Govt. of India, New Delhi, VAMNICOM, Pune & Shivaji University, Kolhapur	15	1.Nepal 2.Bangladesh
349	International Online Training Programme on "Project Formulation and Appraisal for the Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions" 21 – 23 February, 2022 – (CICTAB-VAMNICOM-LJ University)	Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Charotar University of Science and Technology (CHARUSAT), Anand and Lok Jagruti Kendra University, Ahmedabad	15	1.Nepal

S. No	Programme and Period	Organization with which collaborated	No. of participants	Participating countries
350	International Online Programme on "Agriculture and Rural Development through Cooperative Business Model" during (2nd – 5th March, 2022) – at FMDI – Gurgram Haryana.	Indian Farmers Fertilizer Cooperative Limited (IFFCO), India	10	1.India
351	Induction Program on "Fundamentals of Cooperatives" for the Officials of Ministry of Cooperation during 4th to 6th March, 2022 at VAMNICOM, Pune.	Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India, New Delhi	13	1.India
352	International Online Programme on "Cooperative Governance for the Board of Directors of Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions" (8th - 11th March, 2022) (CICTAB-NCUI-VAMNICOM)	NCUI, New Delhi, India	17	1.Nepal
353	International Programme on "Women Empowerment through Micro Finance" (8th – 11th March, 2022) (CICTAB-NIBM- VAMNICOM) arranged on hybrid mode.	National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM), Pune	20	1.Nepal
354	International Programme on "Special Refinance Facility from NABARD- Transformation of Primary Agriculture Cooperative Society (PACS) as Multi Service Centre (MSC)" on 14th -16th March 2022 at BIRD, Lucknow	BIRD, Lucknow	15	1.Nepal
355	International Programme on "Cooperative Governance for the CEOs and Senior Executive of Cooperatives & Rural Financing Institutions" at Sikkim State Cooperative Union (SICUN), Assam Lingzey, Sikkim, from 22nd – 25th March 2022	NCUI, New Delhi, India	35	1.India 2.Nepal
356	International Online Programme on "Skilling Livelihood and Financial Inclusion" conducted on 28th March to 1st April 2022) at NIRD, Hyderabad	NIRD PR, Hyderabad, India	26	1.India 2.Nepal
<b>2022-2023</b>				
357	International Programme on "Developing Managerial Skills for Agricultural Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions" (06 – 10 June, 2022) at NCDC - LINACRD, Gurugram, Haryana	National Cooperative Development Corporation (NCDC) New Delhi , India	12	4. India 5. Nepal 6. Bangladesh
358	International Programme on "Renewable Energy Management for Cooperatives" at VAMNICOM, Pune 12th – 15th July, 2022	Ministry of Cooperation, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra	15	4. India 5. Nepal

<b>S. No</b>	<b>Programme and Period</b>	<b>Organization with which collaborated</b>	<b>No. of participants</b>	<b>Participating countries</b>
359	International online Faculty Development Programme on "Stakeholder Engagement: Methodology and Tools for Socio-economic Development focusing on Good Practice Documentation" (21st- 23rd July, 2022)	Ministry of Cooperation, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra	45	4. India 5. Nepal 6. Sri Lanka 7. Bangladesh 8. Nigeria 9. Mauritius 10. Zambia
360	International Programme on International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) (25th - 28th July, 2022)	National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM), Pune	28	1.Nepal 2. India
361	International Programme on "Project Approach to Cooperative Development: Sharing Experiences of NCUI Cooperative Education Field Projects" (Focused on Trainers Training) 2nd to 6th August, 2022	NCUI, New Delhi, India	37	1.Nepal 2. India
362	International Programme on "AgriValue Chain Financing" (9th - 12th August, 2022) At VAMNICOM, Pune	Ministry of Cooperation, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra	29	1.Nepal 2.India
363	International Training Program on "Adopting Area based Integrated approach for Cooperative Development – An Experience of NCDC's ICDP scheme in Indian context" 19th – 23rd September, 2022	National Cooperative Development Corporation (NCDC) New Delhi , India	23	1.Nepal
364	International Programme on Women's Empowerment through Income Generating Activities (September 26 - 29, 2022) at NIBM campus.	National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM), Pune	15	1.Nepal
365	International Programme on "Agriculture and Rural Development through Cooperative Business Model" for four days in FMDI, Gurgaon (17th – 20th October, 2022) CICTAB-VAMNICOM-IFFCO-FMDI	Indian Farmers Fertilizer Cooperative Limited (IFFCO), India	31	1. India 2. Nepal
366	International Programme on "Integrated Treasury Management" 9th - 12th November, 2022 (CICTAB-MOC-VAMNICOM-NIBM)	Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India, New Delhi, National Institute of Bank Management (NIBM), Pune & VAMNICOM Pune	20	1.India 2.Nepal
367	International Programme on "Exposure Visit Programme in SHG, JLG and Farmers Collectives" (For CEOs and Senior Executives) at College of Agricultural Banking CAB, Pune (22nd to 25th November, 2022)	College of Agricultural Banking (CAB) RBI, Pune At CAB, Pune	16	1.Nepal 2. India

S. No	Programme and Period	Organization with which collaborated	No. of participants	Participating countries
368	International Programme on "Business Plan Development for Agri Business Enterprise for the Cooperatives and Rural Financing Institutions" (5 – 9 December 2022 Online and 12 – 17 December 2022 Offline at VAMNICOM campus)"	Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Govt. of India, New Delhi, VAMNICOM, Pune & LJ University, Gujarat	30	1.Nepal 2. India
369	International Programme on "Innovation and Application of Financial Technology in Rural Financial Institutions" 6th – 10th December, 2022	Ministry of Cooperation, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra	29	1.Nepal 2. India
370	International Programme on "Management Strategies for Sustainability of Cooperative Financial Institutions" 20th – 23rd December, 2022 (CICTAB-MOC-NCCSL)	Ministry of Cooperation, New Delhi & National Cooperative Council of Sri Lanka (NCCSL)	26	1.India 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka
371	International Programme on "Business Development Plan for Primary Agricultural Cooperative Society" at VAMNICOM, Pune (3rd – 6th January, 2023)	Ministry of Cooperation, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra	22	1.India 2. Nepal
372	International Programme on "Agri Export Procedures and Documentation for Cooperatives" at VAMNICOM, Pune (4th – 6th January, 2023) (CICTAB-MOC-VAMNICOM)	Ministry of Cooperation, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra	13	1.India 2. Nepal
373	International Programme on "Management Strategies to develop Consumer Cooperatives" 23rd - 26th January, 2023 (CICTAB-VAMNICOM-NICD)	Ministry of Cooperation, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra & National Institute of Cooperative Development, Sri Lanka	27	1.India 2. Nepal 3. Sri Lanka
374	International Programme on "Training Techniques for Trainers of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions" (6th – 10th February, 2023) (Focused on Trainers Training) at NCUI, New Delhi, India	Ministry of Cooperation, New Delhi & NCUI, New Delhi, India	30	1.India 2. Nepal
375	International Exposure Visit Programme on "Cooperative Business Model and Cooperative Governance" at VAMNICOM, Pune (21st – 24th February, 2023) (CICTAB-MOC-VAMNICOM)	Ministry of Cooperation, New Delhi & VAMNICOM, Pune, Maharashtra	52	1.India 2.Nepal 3.Sri Lanka 4.Bangladesh
376	International programme on "Cooperative Governance for CEOs and Senior Executives of Cooperative and Rural Financing Institutions" at North Eastern Regional Centre of the National Institute of Rural Development & Panchayati Raj (NIRDPR-NERC), Guwahati, Assam from 27 Feb - 03 March, 2023	Ministry of Cooperation, New Delhi & NCUI, New Delhi, India	25	1.India 2.Nepal



<b>S. No</b>	<b>Programme and Period</b>	<b>Organization with which collaborated</b>	<b>No. of participants</b>	<b>Participating countries</b>
377	International Training Programme on "Skilling, Livelihoods and Financial Inclusion" (February 27 – March 3, 2023) at NIRDPR, Hyderabad	NIRDPR, Hyderabad	17	1.India 2.Nepal 3.Bangladesh
378	International Faculty Development Programme on Research Methodology and Data Analysis 7th to 17th March 2023 (Three days Online 7th to 9th March and Five days offline 13th to 17th March in VAMNICOM Campus, Pune) (CICTAB- MoC- VAMNICOM- LJ University)	Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Govt. of India, New Delhi, VAMNICOM, Pune & LJ University, Gujarat	12	1.India 2.Nepal
379	International Faculty Development Programme on "Developing Case Studies for Teaching and Learning Process" at National Institute of Cooperative Development, Polgolla, Sri Lanka during 27 – 29 March, 2023. (CICTAB-VAMNICOM-NICD)	Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Govt. of India, New Delhi, VAMNICOM, Pune & National Institute of Cooperative Development (NICD) Sri Lanka	27	1.India 2.Nepal 3.Sri Lanka

**ANNEXURE-II****ABSTRACT OF YEARWISE PROGRAMMES AND PARTICIPANTS 1983-84 TO 2022-23**

<b>Year(1)</b>	<b>No.of Programmes(2)</b>	<b>No.of Participants(3)</b>
1983-84	2	45
1984-85	2	42
1985-86	1	55
1986-87	1	22
1987-88	-	-
1988-89	3	66
1989-90	1	34
1990-91	1	34
1991-92	4	69
1992-93	3	76
1993-94	4	69
1994-95	10	207
1995-96	9	188
1996-97	6	138
1997-98	7	170
1998-99	5	129
1999-00	9	209
2000-01	8	176
2001-02	8	171
2002-03	8	179
2003-04	6	101
2004-05	6	153
2005-06	10	262
2006-07	9	192
2007-08	9	194
2008-09	8	182
2009-10	8	154
2010-11	9	223
2011-12	11	259
2012-13	12	271
2013-14	15	341
2014-15	19	435
2015-16	20	546
2016-17	21	601
2017-18	20	555
2018-19	21	476
2019-20	19	424
2020-21	21	586
2021-22	20	468
2022-23	23	581
<b>Total</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>9083</b>

**ANNEXURE-III****ABSTRACT OF YEAR-WISE NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS FOR THE PROGRAMMES CONDUCTED DURING THE YEARS 1983-84 TO 2022-23**

Year	Bangladesh	Nepal	Sri Lanka	India	Bhutan	Maldives	Other countries	Total
1983-84	10	12	12	11	-	-	-	45
1984-85	8	12	9	13	-	-	-	42
1985-86	-	-	-	55	-	-	-	55
1986-87			22					22
1987-88								
1988-89	4	30	5	16	-	-	11	66
1989-90	34	-	-	-	-	-	-	34
1990-91				34				34
1991-92	1	1	2	38	-	-	27	69
1992-93	1	14	3	48	-	-	10	76
1993-94	1	7	3	48	-	-	10	69
1994-95	76	38	35	40			18	207
1995-96	2	44	79	44			19	188
1996-97	2	31	62	26	-	-	17	138
1997-98	5	40	58	52	-	3	12	170
1998-99	6	34	56	20		2	11	129
1999-2000	28	52	76	53				209
2000-01	4	46	85	41	-	-	-	176
2001-02	10	58	42	56	4	1	-	171
2002-03	21	51	70	32	5			179
2003-04		43	34	21	1	2		101
2004-05	-	51	52	41	8	1	-	153
2005-06	1	79	97	66	10	2	7	262
2006-07	1	66	73	44	5	3	-	192
2007-08		42	111	38		3		194
2008-09	6	60	80	34	-	2	-	182
2009-10	5	44	69	26	8	2	-	154
2010-11	14	74	97	35	2	1		223
2011-12	26	90	91	44	8			259
2012-13	40	116	70	27	18	-	-	271
2013-14	40	126	101	44	30	-	-	341
2014-15	44	251	72	60	8	-	-	435
2015-16	49	303	130	46	18			546
2016-17	34	346	150	67	4	-	-	601
2017-18	59	269	80	146	1	-	-	555
2018-19	40	293	108	32	3	-	-	476
2019-20	27	246	85	51	15			424
2020-21	28	363	43	124	28	-	-	586
2021-22	7	226	17	215	3	-	-	468
2022-23	16	312	98	150	-	-	5	581
<b>Total</b>	<b>650</b>	<b>3870</b>	<b>2277</b>	<b>1938</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>9083</b>

## ANNEXURE-IV

### DETAILS OF PARTICIPATION IN CICTAB PROGRAMMES BY MEMBER COUNTRIES, OTHER COUNTRIES OF SAARC REGION AND COUNTRIES IN ASIA PACIFIC REGION AND OTHER DEVELOPING COUNTRIES

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#### SAARC REGION COUNTRIES

- Bangladesh
- Bhutan
- Nepal
- Pakistan
- Maldives
- Sri Lanka
- India

#### ASIA-PACIFIC AND OTHER DEVELOPING COUNTRIES

- Philippines
- Indonesia
- Thailand
- Afghanistan
- China
- Myanmar
- Iran
- Rep. of Korea
- Malaysia
- Vietnam
- Russia
- Uzbekistan
- Mauritius
- Egypt



**ANNEXURE-V****List of Nodal Officers for CICTAB Research Coordination Committee**

<b>S.No</b>	<b>Member Institution</b>	<b>Name of the Nodal Officer</b>
<b>India</b>		
1	National Cooperative Union of India (NCUI)	Dr V.K.Dubey, Director, NCUI
2	National Institute of Bank Management(NIBM)	Dr K Naveen Kumar, Assistant Professor
3	National Cooperative Agriculture & Rural Development Banks' Federation Ltd (NCARDB Federation)	Shri V.I. Ganesan Senior Consultant, NCARDB Federation Ltd.
4	National Federation of State Cooperative Banks	Dr J.S. Hanamashetti, Deputy Director
5	College of Agricultural Banking, Pune	Mr. Ashutosh Upadhyay, Assistant General Manager / Faculty
6	National Agricultural Cooperative Marketing Federation of India (NAFED)	Ms. Veena Kumari, General manager – Consumer Marketing Division
7	National Federation of Cooperative Sugar Factories Ltd., New Delhi	Dr. R.B. Doule, Chief Sugarcane Advisor
<b>Nepal</b>		
8	Agricultural Development Board Ltd., Nepal	Mr. Prakash Aryal,Acting Section Chief
9	National Cooperative Bank Limited, Nepal	Mr. Rambabu Acharya,Manager
10	Sana Kisan Bikas Laghubitta Bittiya Sanstha Ltd.	Mrs. Suman Giri, Agriculture Officer
11	Nepal Federation of Savings and Credit Cooperative Unions Ltd (NEFSCUN)	Mr. Ballav Timalsina, Senior Officer
12	RMDC Laghubitta Bittiya Sanstha Ltd., Nepal	Ms. Gyanu Maya Bhandari,Manager
<b>Sri Lanka</b>		
13	National Cooperative Council of Sri Lanka (NCCSL)	Dr. Asanka Thilakarathna General Secretary, NCCSL
14	SANASA Federation Ltd , Sri Lanka	Mrs A. M. A. N. M.P. K. Abanwala CEO
15	Sri Lanka Consumer Cooperative Societies Federation Limited (COOPFED)	Mr. B.S.C. Kumara Human Resource Manager
16	National Institute of Cooperative Development	Mr. K H A Nandana Bandara Assistant Lecturer
<b>Bangladesh</b>		
17	Bangladesh Bank	Md. Shahid Reza, Agricultural Credit Department
18	The Cooperative Credit Union League of Bangladesh Ltd (CCULB)	Mr Vincent Chisim ,Senior Manager

**Road map for CICTAB Activities****1 Introduction and Background**

1.1 Centre for International Cooperation and Training in Agricultural Banking (CICTAB), on the basis of recommendation of the Food & Agriculture Organization (FAO) was set up by the Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Govt. of India in January 1983 as a society under the Societies Registration Act, 1860. The Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare decided to place the CICTAB within Vaikunth Mehta National Institute of Co-operative Management, (VAMNICOM) Pune.

1.2 The objectives of CICTAB were to establish administer and manage activities for promoting international cooperation for training in Agricultural banking and facilitating exchange of experience and information on national systems of finance and banking for agriculture and rural development with special reference to rural poor in developing countries particularly those covered by Asian and Pacific Regional Agricultural Credit Association (APRACA) and African Regional Agricultural Credit Association (AFRACA).

Keeping in view the vast area of operation of CICTAB, the Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. Of India decided in one of its meeting held in 1991 that CICTAB needs to be a focal centre for undertaking human resource development activities for the executives connected with rural development, agricultural banking and cooperatives in the countries of the SAARC Region. Since then CICTAB is implementing its activities with the help of member institutions in the SAARC Region.

1.3 Management of CICTAB is vested with the General Council and Managing Committee. While General Council is headed by the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. Of India the Managing Committee is chaired by the Additional Secretary (Credit & Coop), Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. Of India. Copy of Memorandum of Association with Rules and Regulation for conduct of business in CICTAB is at Annexure – I.

The first Managing Committee of CICTAB consisted of 10 members excluding Chairman. Additional Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture was the Chairman whereas Ministry of Rural Development, Ministry of Finance, RBI (College of Agricultural Banking), NABARD, National Institute of Bank Management, NIRD, NCUI, Indian Bank Association were the member institution. The first meeting was convened on 2nd March, 1983.

Due to concerted efforts of CICTAB Secretariat, its membership has now risen to 35. The list of CICTAB member organisations may be seen at Annexure – II. So far, General Council of CICTAB has met 21 times and the Managing Committee has convened 48 meetings. The last meetings of General Council and Managing Committee were held on 23rd February, 2018 in Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi. The minutes of the last meetings of General Council and Managing Committee are at Annexure – III. In the meeting while reviewing the activities of CICTAB the General Council and the Managing Committee felt the need of revamping CICTAB considering the present development scenario and required financial and administrative assistance to implement the mandated activities.

## 2. CICTAB Activities and present Status

2.1 CICTAB has only concentrated on one activity viz., imparting training to invited participants on Agri banking. No other mandated activities like convening National / International Workshop, contemporary research studies, instituting awards, fellowship, prizes, scholarships, preparation of case studies on public policies and programmes, conducting special courses for institutions financed by International Finance Organisations, etc. could be taken up.

From 1983 till March, 2018, CICTAB has successfully conducted 275 programmes in consultation with its member institutions. A review of programmes conducted so far by CICTAB reveals that training programmes conducted by it are primarily based on themes like Rural credit, Micro finance, Cooperation, Trainers Training and Rural Development.

2.2 In the recent years, new training programmes on Information Technology, Database Management, Digitalization in Rural Financing Institutions, Exposure visit programme on SHG/JLG, Exposure visit programme on Cooperative Business Model, Governance of Rural Financing Institutions, Agri Value Chain Financing, and Renewable Energy Management have been introduced.

## 3. Need for revamp of CICTAB Activities and Potential Activities

3.1 Over the years, CICTAB's role has been limited to only imparting training to select participants drawn from member institutions. Attempts have not been made to expand its scope as per the mandate of CICTAB where 15 member institutions are from India and 20 from outside India. Hence the need has arisen to review the existing activities of CICTAB vis-à-vis the provision contents in the MoU establishing the institution.

3.2 A review of the provision as content in memorandum of Association establishing CICTAB indicates that the purpose of establishment of such a platform would be fulfilled if the following activities are undertaken:

- a) Conduct of Seminars (National and International) on the thematic areas relating to agriculture finance and rural development.
- b) Documentation and publication of success stories and reach experiences of member institutions in the field of agriculture and rural developments.
- c) Institute research studies and evaluation project in the areas of rural financing, financial inclusion, rural development, cooperative development and related areas.
- d) Start of courses leading to award of certificate, diploma and other distinctions.
- e) Establishment of a query based Electronic Solution Exchange Platform

#### 4. Financial position of CICTAB

4.1 Initially, FAO had contributed US\$38,500 (Rs. 4.71 lakhs US\$1 = Rs. 12/-) to initiate mandated activities of CICTAB during the years 1984 to 1986. Subsequently it was felt that CICTAB need a financial support to enrich its corpus and make it sustainable for implementation of future activities. Accordingly, 11 member institutions contributed 95.5 lakhs to strengthen the corpus over the years from December, 1991 till June, 2006. List of institutions contributed one time assistance to the corpus is at Annexure – IV.

Further, The CICTAB has the corpus of Rs. 400 Lakhs and other savings in Fixed Deposit Rs. 30 Lakhs.

4.2 As per the current rate of Interest, income from Fixed Deposits mentioned in 4.1 yields Rs. 28.69 Lakhs per annum.

4.3 CICTAB charges Membership fee of Rs. 39,000 per annum from Indian Member Institutions and US \$ 600 from other Member Institutions in SAARC Countries. Further Government of India provides a meagre budgetary support of Rs. 3.36 Lakhs for conduct of three programmes at VAMNICOM. NCUI also provides financial assistance Rs. one Lakh for the conduct of one programme at VAMNICOM. Further CICTAB Member Institutions - IFFCO provides full assistance to conduct one programme at FMDI, Gurgoan. NCDC, RBI-CAB, NIRDPR, NIBM NABARD-BIRD, NCUI and VAMNICOM offers programmes with minimum financial support of CICTAB. The Membership fee and financial assistance so collected per annum varies from 10 to 15 lakhs per annum as a number of members have stopped contributing annual membership fee. List of member institutions who have not paid their membership fees may be seen at Annexure – V.

4.4 The CICTAB training programmes are approved by General Council and Managing Committee and are sponsored programmes. Hence, the participants from member institutions are not charged for the course fee, study visits, lodging and boarding. Depending upon the location, institution, duration and number of

participants the training cost has over the years risen from Rs. 1.50 lakh to Rs. 3.00 lakhs (for 5 days programme with 25 participants at normal rates excluding faculty support charges each).

4.5 The present demand from BIRD, Lucknow and NIBM, Pune who are our promoter institutions varies from 10.00 lakhs to 12.00 lakhs. Copies of the demand notes received from NIBM, Pune and BIRD, Lucknow are at Annexure – VI.

Since 1983, CICTAB has managed to build a corpus of Rs. 400 lakhs with another additional saving in FDR of Rs. 30 lakhs. The annual interest receipt out of corpus and other savings of CICTAB is Rs. 28.69 lakhs. If one considers other income like receipt from membership fee, TDS refund receivable and grant from Ministry of Agriculture & NCUI the total annual receipt inclusive of interest income comes to Rs. 49.5 lakhs. The annual approved budget 2018-19 for conducting only the training programmes and meeting minimal administrative expenditure comes to Rs. 81.20 lakhs. This indicates that there is deficit of Rs. 31.70 lakhs to undertake only training activities during the year 2018-19.

## 5. Proposed activities to revive CICTAB

5.1 The following are the summarised activities which need to be undertaken to revive the CICTAB activities and to make it a vibrant platform for exchanging ideas relating to agriculture finance and rural development.

- a) Conduct of 30 approved training programmes of 5 days each with 25 participants
- b) Conduct of at least two Seminars one in India and the other in one of the SAARC countries
- c) Documentation and publication of best practices and case studies pertaining to agriculture finance and rural development
- d) Establishing a query based E-solution Exchange platform to collect experiences and compile such experiences for e-sharing between amongst 34 member institutions
- e) Instituting at least two research projects on thematic areas covering agriculture, agriculture finance and rural development
- f) Recruiting a full time resource person on deputation either from RBI or NABARD or on contract basis to strengthen CICTAB secretariat.
- g) One time assistance for renovation of CICTAB office at VAMNICOM

5.2 The estimated total cost per annum would be Rs. 126.4 lakhs. Activity-wise financial requirement for undertaking CICTAB activities may be seen at Annexure – VII.



## 6. Financing revived CICTAB

The present deficit amount for undertaking limited CICTAB activities is Rs. 31.70 lakhs. In order to implement the activities for revival of CICTAB, the strength of the corpus should be Rs. 20 Cr. Considering simple bank rate of 6.5% to 7%, the annual interest earning would be sufficient to meet the expenses of the proposed activities.

Since CICTAB has already raised the corpus of Rs. 4.25 Cr., the remaining 15.75 Cr. could be contributed as one time contribution from various member institutions. An indicating share of promoter member institutions and other member institutions towards one time contribution may be seen at Annexure – VIII.

Contributing Organization will have the privilege of getting their nominated trainees (not more than 60 in a year) trained by CICTAB free of cost. Further they will be exempted in payment of membership fee for five years.