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A Report on International Day of Forests (IDF) on 21.03.2022 at Institute of Forest Biodiversity (IFB), Hyderabad.

World Forestry Day or International Day of Forests (IDF) is celebrated worldwide every year on the 21st of March, around the globe, in order to increase the public awareness among communities about the values, significance, and contributions of the forests to balance the life cycle on the earth.

The Institute of Forest Biodiversity (IFB) celebrated International Day for Forests (IDF) on 21.03.2022 as a part of 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav' 55th Week. This year the theme is "Forests and sustainable production and consumption". A total of 28 members of officials from IFB participated in the program.

On this occasion, Dr. Ratnaker Jauhari, IFS, Director, IFB gave a speech on the importance of forestry day and sustainable production and consumption methods, etc.

The session was initiated with a presentation lecture by Shri. N. Yuvaraj Praveen, Technical Assistant. The presentation contains a brief history of IDF, Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), Seven secrets of forests, the roles of forests in our lives and future, India State of Forest Reports (ISFR-2021), etc.

The program is continued by Shri E. Venkat Reddy, IFS, Head Extension, explained in detail such as the importance of Forestry Day, Various forest types and biodiversity, different forest certifications, the message, Sustainable Forest Management units and operations, Joint Forest Management (JFM) system, Forest operations (legal and illegal), Forest corporations, Wood-based industries and importance of timber, Poaching, Wildlife curling operations, Working plans, IUCN guidelines, Importance of Production and Protection forests, Monoculture systems, regeneration, Soil nutrients, and management practices, etc.

At the end of the program, Dr. S. Chakrabarti, Sc-G, and Head FRCCE explained a few things about IDF and Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), etc.

The overall program was coordinated by Shri. E. Manikanta Reddy, Technician, and Shri Varun Singh, Technician, Extension Division, IFB, Hyderabad.



Glimpses of the program

