Annual Review Workshop on Insect Management Program of NARS Institutes

Moments of the Inaugural Session

The annual review workshop on Insect Management Program of NARS institutes (BARI, BRRI, BJRI, BINA, BSRI, BWMRI, BTRI and CDB) was held at BARC on 06 October 2024. The workshop aimed to assess the research progress for the year 2023-24 and the research program for 2024-25 of NARS institutes. Its objectives were to prevent research duplication, address research needs on climate change issues, and initiate future research programs in alignment with various vision documents and research priorities. The workshop featured the participation of scientists and academicians from relevant research institutes and agricultural universities, serving as expert members. They offered valuable insights and suggestions to guide the formulation of future research programs. The inaugural session was graced by Dr. Nazmun Nahar Karim, Executive Chairman, BARC, as chief guest. Dr. Md. Abdus Salam, Member Director (Crops), BARC, chaired the session. Dr. Md. Jamal Uddin, Principal Scientific Officer (Crops), BARC, welcomed the participants and provided an overview of the recommendations from the last year. Six expert members attended the workshop, namely Mr. Md. Yousuf Mian, Former DG, BARI; Dr. Khandakar Shariful Islam, Former Professor, Dept. of Entomology, BAU; Prof. Dr. Md. Ramiz Uddin Miah, Dept. of Entomology, BSMRAU; Prof. Dr. Masum Ahmad, Dept. of Entomology, BAU; Dr. Mainul Haq, Ex-CSO and Head, Entomology Division, BRRI; and Prof. Dr. Md. Razzab Ali, Dept. of Entomology, SAU, and followed by gave their valuable comments and suggestions. During the workshop, two technical sessions were chaired by Mr. Md. Yousuf Mian, Former DG,

BARI and Dr. Md. Abdus Salam, Member Director (Crops), BARC, respectively, and followed by recommendation session was prepared based on the views, comments, and suggestions provided by the participants and experts.

The Panel of Experts