



Farmer awareness workshop on PM - KUSUM (Component -A)

RASS - Krishi Vigyan Kendra (KVK), Karakambadi, in collaboration with the Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) and Agricultural Skill Council of India, (ASCI), New Delhi has organized an awareness program for farmers on the "P.M. Kusum Yojana - Component-A " at KVK on 18.11.2024 with an objective of creating awareness on the role of renewable energy resources in agriculture and allied sectors. 32 farmers from various mandals in Chittoor and Tirupati districts were participated in this program.

Dr. S. Srinivasulu, Senior Scientist and Head, RASS - KVK, in his address he said that solar energy is very important among the renewable energy sources used in the current agricultural sector. He said that farmers can use this energy for agricultural needs and sell the surplus energy to government electricity companies to earn additional income. He also explained about various activities of Krishi Vigyan Kendra towards the all stakeholders in the operational area.

Shri Banu Ghana Shyam, Training Coordinator, German Agency for International Cooperation, explained to farmers about various solar energy devices, their usage, installation cost, maintenance cost, benefits, additional income, etc., through a PowerPoint presentation. Later, the farmers who attended the program clarified their doubts regarding different renewable energy resources.

Dr. S. Srinivasulu, Senior Scientist and Head, KVK, Sri Banu Ghana Shyam, Sri Suhas, Training Coordinators, German Agency for International Cooperation, KVK Scientists Padmaja, Sudhakar, Divya, Ramu Kumar, Anusha, other staff and 32 farmers participated in this program.

