## One day farmers' training programme organized at RCRS, AAU, Viramgam

Regional Cotton Research Station, Anand Agricultural University, Viramgam has organized one day farmers' training programme under the guidance of Honourable Vice Chancellor Dr. K. B. Kathiria, Anand Agricultural University, Anand in Centrally Sponsored Scheme-MIDH (Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture) on 16/03/2024. The training was initiated by registration of the farmers. Total 102 progressive farmers from different villages of Viramgam, Patdi and Mandal talukas were registered and participated. Then the programme was started with demonstration of all the recent technologies to the dignitaries and farmers during field visit. Dr. D. R. Patidar, Assistant Research Scientist, RCRS, AAU, Viramgam elaborated about importance of new technologies and low input for farming. Shri Vishnubhai Viththalbhai Patel, Work Flow Manager, Action For Food Production (AFPro), Gujarat was present as special guest and delivered talk over sustainable agriculture. Dr. T. T. Patel, Associate Research Scientist and Head, RCRS, AAU, Viramgam & Unit Head, Seed Spices Research Station, AAU, Sanand discussed modern cultivation practices of desi cotton and seed spices crops. The farmers asked questions related to crop cultivation and also shared their success stories of profitable farming. At the end, Dr. D. R. Patidar conveyed vote of thanks to chairmen of cooperative societies and farmers for their beloved presence. All the farmers highly appreciated the programme.

