

**TRAINING CUM WORKSHOP ON “ESSENTIAL OILS, PERFUMERY & AROMATHERAPY” from 07<sup>th</sup> - 11<sup>th</sup> June, 2022**

**REPORT**

A 5 days Training cum Workshop on “Essential Oils, Perfumery & Aromatherapy” was jointly organized by Forest Research Institute (FRI), Dehra Dun and Fragrance and Flavour Development Centre (FFDC), Kannauj from 7- 11 June, 2022 at FRI. All together 33 participants from different corners of India representing diverse fields attended the training cum workshop. The Training cum Workshop was inaugurated on June 07, 2022 by Dr. Renu Singh, Director, FRI, Dehradun who presided over the function as Chief Guest. Shri Rohit Seth, President, Sugandh Vypar Sangh, Delhi was the special guest on this occasion. Plenary & Valedictory session of the Training cum Workshop was organized on June 11, 2022 and chaired by Dr. Renu Singh, Director, FRI, Dehradun as Chief Guest. Shri Kamlesh Shah, Proprietor, BBK Specialties, Mumbai and Former Secretary, FAFAI, Mumbai was the special invitee in this session. During these five days, detailed exposure towards fundamental and applied aspects of processing, quality assessment and therapeutic benefits of essential oils and their applications in perfumery and aromatherapy was provided to the participants through six technical sessions comprising of 20 lectures and 05 practical demonstrations by experts from aroma industry, scientists from FRI, FFDC and Centre for Aromatic Plants, Selaqui (Dehradun) and practicing aroma therapists for advancements of their scientific knowledge, skills and entrepreneurship.

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Group photo



June 07, 2022: Inaugural Session



Chief Guest Dr. Renu Singh, Director FRI delivering the inaugural address



Special Guest Shri Rohit Seth, President Udhog Vyapar Sangh, Delhi addressing the gathering in the inaugural session



June 11, 2022: Plenary & Valedictory session



Chief Guest Dr. Renu Singh, Director FRI delivering the valedictory address



**Distribution of certificates to the participants**