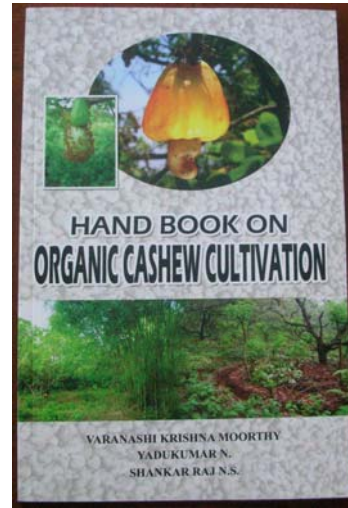
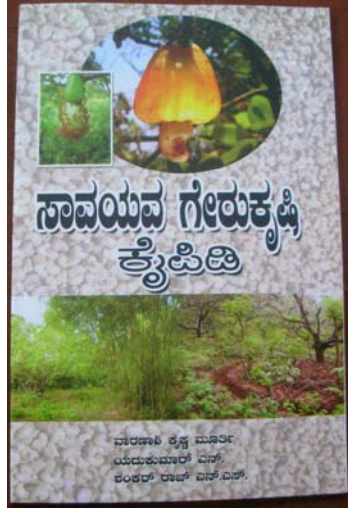


Varanashi Publications

Handbook on organic Cashew Cultivation

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Handbook on organic cashew nut cultivation, the most informative book on production of cashew is published by Varanashi Research Foundation, a well known institution working for the promotion of eco friendly organic agriculture. The book is in demi 1/8 size with 71 pages. The highlight of the book is simple narration about the sequences of events in the cultivation of cashew. It is a modified package of practices for cashew with a new outlook. The beautiful color photographs and neat drawings totaling 48, perfectly match the illustrations. Mixed crops and inter crops have been explained with layout plans. Utilisation of organic inputs in the place of chemical inputs and the resultant benefits have been explained.



The authors have taken pains in gathering information on every minute aspect of organic cashew production. Facts regarding soil and water conservation and organic plant protection means have been effectively discussed. The Book has many tips to boost the cashew production and to achieve sustainability. It intends to create awareness among the farmers, students, Scientists and public about the eco friendly organic agriculture. The book is the outcome of an advisory project at Cambodia financed by GTZ, Germany. four editions have come out in a short period of 1½ years !!

Highlights of the review in 'Krishimithra' Kannada Agricultural journal:

- This book gives practical guidelines to those who engage in growing cashew or people who wish to begin.
- Reading this book would definitely help in boosting the cashew yields.

Price:

1. English Indian version Rs. 150/- (for Indian Buyers)
US \$ 35/- (for International buyers)
2. English International version US \$ 35/-
3. Kannada Rs. 75/-

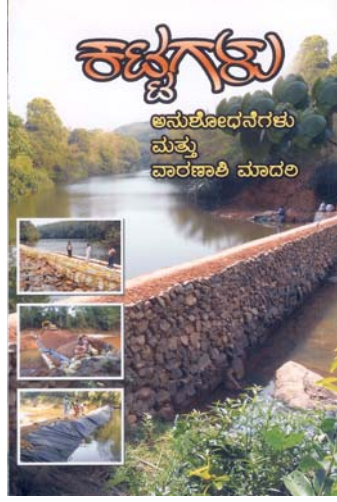
ಕಟ್ಟುಗಳು, ಅನುಶೋಧನೆಗಳು ಮತ್ತು ವಾರಣಾಶಿ ಮಾದರಿ

ಸಂಪಾದಕರು :

ಶ್ರೀ ಪಡೆ, ಖ್ಯಾತ ಜಲತಜ್ಞ, ಪತ್ರಕರ್ತರು ಮತ್ತು ಡಾ. ವಾರಣಾಶಿ ಕೃಷ್ಣಮೂರ್ತಿ, ಸಂಶೋಧಕರು.

ನೀರಿನ ಕಟ್ಟುಗಳ ಬಗೆಗಿನ ಸಮಗ್ರ ಮಾಹಿತಿಯ ವಿವರಗಳುಳ್ಳ 'ಕಟ್ಟುಗಳು, ಅನುಶೋಧನೆಗಳು ಮತ್ತು ವಾರಣಾಶಿ ಮಾದರಿ' ಪುಸ್ತಕವನ್ನು ಅಡ್ಡನಡ್ಡದ ವಾರಣಾಶಿ ಸರವು ತೋಟದಲ್ಲಿ ಇದೇ ಮೇ 18 ರಂದು ನಡೆದ ಕಟ್ಟುಗಳ ಕಾರ್ಯಾಗಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ಪತ್ರಕರ್ತ ಶ್ರೀ ಮಲ್ಲಿಕಾರ್ಜುನ ಹೊಸಪಾಳ್ಯ ಅವರು ಬಿಡುಗಡೆಗೊಳಿಸಿದರು. ಬೆಂಗಳೂರಿನ ಅರ್ಜುನ್ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯ ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ಸಹಕಾರದೊಂದಿಗೆ ಈ ಪುಸ್ತಕ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆಯನ್ನು ವಾರಣಾಶಿ ಸಂಶೋಧನಾ ಪ್ರತಿಷ್ಠಾನವು ಕೈಗೊಂಡಿದೆ. ಈ ಪುಸ್ತಕದಲ್ಲಿ ನೆಲ-ಜಲ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಕಳಕಳಿ ಹೊಂದಿರುವ ಪತ್ರಕರ್ತರು ಹಾಗೂ ಸಂಶೋಧನಾ ನಿರತರು ಕಟ್ಟದ ಕುರಿತಾದ ಅಪರೂಪದ ಮಾಹಿತಿಗಳನ್ನು ಸಂಗ್ರಹಿಸಿ ಆಕರ್ಷಕ ಚಿತ್ರಗಳೊಂದಿಗೆ ಒಂದೇ ಕಟ್ಟಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಕಲೆ ಹಾಕಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಒಟ್ಟಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಕಟ್ಟುಗಳ ಕುರಿತಾದ ಪ್ರಥಮ ಪುಸ್ತಕ ಇದಾಗಲಿದೆ. ಆಕರ್ಷಕ ಮುಖಪುಟದ 112 ಪುಟಗಳುಳ್ಳ ಈ ಪುಸ್ತಕದಲ್ಲಿ ಪಾರಂಪರಿಕ ಜಲ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣಾ ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥೆಗಳಾದ ಈ ಕಟ್ಟುಗಳು ಕಟ್ಟಿ ಕೊಡಬಲ್ಲ ಸುಸ್ಥಿರತೆಗೆ ಒತ್ತು ನೀಡಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಆಸಕ್ತರು ತಮ್ಮ ಭೌಗೋಳಿಕ ಹಾಗೂ ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ಪರಿಸ್ಥಿತಿಗೆ ಹೊಂದಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವ ಕಟ್ಟುಗಳನ್ನು ಹೇಗೆ ಆಯ್ಕೆ ಮಾಡಬೇಕೆನ್ನುವ ಒಳಗುಟ್ಟುಗಳೂ ಇದರಲ್ಲಿ ಅಡಕವಾಗಿದೆ. ಕಟ್ಟುಗಳ ಯಶೋಗಾಥೆಗಳ ಜೊತೆ ಅವುಗಳ ನಿರ್ಮಾಣದಲ್ಲಿನ ಸಮಸ್ಯೆಗಳು ಹಾಗೂ ಪರಿಹಾರಗಳನ್ನು ಈ ಪುಸ್ತಕದಲ್ಲಿ ಚರ್ಚಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಒಟ್ಟಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಜಲಸಂರಕ್ಷಣೆಯ ಕುರಿತು ಕಾಳಜಿಯುಳ್ಳ ಪ್ರತಿಯೊಬ್ಬರೂ ಓದಲೇ ಬೇಕಾದ ಪುಸ್ತಕವಿದು. ನದಿ, ತೊರೆ, ಹಳ್ಳಗಳನ್ನು ಹೊಂದಿರುವ ಪ್ರದೇಶದ ರೈತರಿಗಿದು ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಕಣಜ.

ಬೆಲೆ : ರೂ . 120/-



Kattagalu – Book

A most informative book on traditional water harvesting structures called Kattas is released in Kannada entitled 'Kattagalu, Anushodhanegalu Mattu Varanashi Madari'. The book was released as a part of the workshop held at Varanashi Farms on 18th May 2008. The book is edited by noted water journalist Shree Padre of Jalakoota and Dr. Varanashi Krishna Moorthy of the Varanashi Research Foundation, Adyanadka. The financial assistance for its publication has been given by Arghyam Trust of Bangalore. The book has a collection of articles written by eminent developmental journalists, researchers and katta builders. The book is first of its kind with respect to water conservation and harvesting. The handy 112 page book has got beautiful photographs, sketches and simple narration. Innovations in traditional kattas over a period of time, and tips to choose the right kind have been discussed along with economics of its construction. The book is very useful for farmers, water activists, officials of watershed development departments, students and the policy makers.

Price: Rs.120/-

Other publications

1. CD containing two power point presentations on organic cashew in Kannada and English containing over 100 slides Price : Rs. 150/-
2. Savayava Varanashi – Handbook in Kannada: A small booklet with articles on organic farming, composting, organic rice cultivation, water harvesting and success stories of organic farmers. Price Rs. 20/-
3. Moodambail Savayava Gramada Savayava Krishikara Yashoghathegalu (in Kannada). Price Rs. 20/-
4. Varanashi Story : CD containing following power point presentations; Composting methods, Water harvesting, one cow dairy, rice cultivation etc: Price : Rs. 100/-
5. Vanilla world : Power point presentation on organic vanilla cultivation – Price : Rs. 100/-
6. Moodambail Savaya Grama: A 20 min. Video Documentary in Kannada – Price Rs. 60/-
7. Moodambail Organic Village: A 20 min. Video Documentary in English – Price Rs. 60/-

All the above publications are a must for the library in the educational institutions, Research centres, the farmers, students, Scientists interested in Cashew nut. These could be also used to give as prize to the students. 20% discount is allowed on orders above Rs. 75/- . Delivery will be made by post without extra charges. In case of Regd. Post add Rs. 20/-.

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