ICAR-DCFR Field Centre, Champawat organized World Soil Day at vill-Katharh on 05.12.2016

For the celebration of World Soil Day, one day program for farmers was organized at vill-Katharh, Champawat on 05.12.2016. Total of 10 farmers including 2 female farmers participated in the program. Mr. Abhay Kumar Giri, Scientist and Dr. Raghvendra Singh, Scientist coordinated the program. The program was inaugurated by Mr. Abhay Kumar Giri, Scientist who briefed to the farmers about the aims and objectives of the program. During the inaugural session, Mr. Giri also described about the importance of soil for any kind of farming practice as soil is the ultimate base component and kitchen house of the farm. In addition to this, he informed the participant farmers about the eagerness of Director, ICAR-DCFR, Dr. A.K. Singh for the celebration of this kind of program which would provide base line data to the farmers for escalating their farm production. The farmers were being demonstrated with the test of soil parameters such as pH, organic C, nitrate, phosphate etc. as well as provided information regarding the optimum range of basic soil quality parameters for their crop improvement. At the end, Dr. Raghvendra Singh conveyed the vote of thanks.





Participant farmers on the occasion of World Soil Day celebration





Demonstration of basic soil parameters testing method to the farmers