



Report

TSP-Sponsored Training Programme
on
“Scientific Pig Production for Livelihoods and Nutritional Security of Tribal Farmers”

Date: 5th -7th October, 2026
Venue: ICAR-NRC on Pig, Rani, Guwahati, Assam

Organized by

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ICAR–National Research Centre on Pig, Rani, Guwahati, successfully organized a three-day Tribal Sub Plan (TSP) sponsored residential training programme on “Scientific Pig Production for Livelihoods and Nutritional Security of Tribal Farmers” from 5th to 7th October 2026 under the guidance of Dr. Vivek Kumar Gupta, Director, ICAR–NRC on Pig.

A total of 25 participants attended the training programme, including 2 participants from Odisha, 1 each from Chhattisgarh and Manipur, and participants from Udalguri, Kamrup, Hojai, Nalbari, Goalpara, Lakhimpur and Dima Hasao districts of Assam. The participants included 21 males and 4 females.

The training programme covered various aspects of scientific pig production, including breed selection, breeding and reproductive management, feeding and nutrition, housing and farm management, piglet management, health care and disease prevention, biosecurity and hygienic pork production. The programme included technical lectures, practical demonstrations and interactive sessions conducted by scientists and technical experts of ICAR–NRC on Pig. The participants were provided with practical knowledge and guidance on improved pig production practices for enhancing livelihood opportunities and nutritional security among tribal farmers.

The valedictory session, held on 7th October 2026, marked the successful conclusion of the three-day training programme. The participants expressed their gratitude to ICAR–NRC on Pig for organizing an informative and

practically oriented training programme. Certificates were distributed to the participants, and the session concluded with a vote of thanks, acknowledging the valuable guidance and support of Dr. Vivek Kumar Gupta, Director, ICAR–NRC on Pig, along with the contributions of the coordinators, resource persons, supporting staff and participants.

Glimpses of the programme



