

BANGLADESH TEA RESEARCH INSTITUTE
Srimangal-3210, Moulvibazar
Monthly Report- November, 2017

(A) Director's visit

Date	Purpose
4 th Nov	Visited Sagarnul T.E and Imam T.E for solving emergent problems of tea plantation.
7 th Nov	Visited Nahar T.E for solving emergent problems of tea plantation.
11 th – 15 th Nov	Attended audit meeting of "Extension of Small Holding Tea Cultivation in Northern Bangladesh" project at BTB, Chittagong.
	Attended the 94 th coordination meeting of BTB, Chittagong.
27 th Nov	Visited Modanmohanpur T.E for solving emergent problems of tea plantation.
27 th – 29 th Nov	Attended tender evaluation committee meeting at BTB, Chittagong.

(B) Divisional Research and services/ activities

Activities	Agro	Bot	Biochem	Ento	Plant Path	Soil Sci	Stat & Eco	Tea Tech	Total
Number of experiments	08	32	03	12	07	04	03	-	69
No. of experimental visits	10	06	-	-	06	05	-	-	27
Advisory visits	→								21
Correspondences	-	01	-	16	03	35	-	-	55
Official visits	01	-	-	-	01	03	-	-	05
Workshops	→								07
Tea Tasting Session	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tea sample Tasting	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MTC Modules (hrs)	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Publications	-	-	-	-	-	05	-	-	17
Soil analysis for nutrient	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soil analysis for nematode	-	-	-	19	-	393	-	-	393
Fertilizer analysis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19
Compost analysis	-	-	-	-	-	18	-	-	18
Water analysis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pesticide efficacy analysis	-	-	-	15	-	02	-	-	02
Fungicide efficacy analysis	-	-	-	-	04	-	-	-	15
Herbicide efficacy analysis	-	-	-	-	02	-	-	-	04
Residue analysis (Expt.)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	02
Residue analysis (garden)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
General comments: Divisional research and activities are satisfactory.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

(C) Distribution of planting materials and production of BTRI

Distribution from	Distribution of planting materials			Production		
	Fresh cuttings	Rooted cuttings	Improved seeds (kg)	Green leaves (Kg)		
				BTRI	BEF	
BTRI	25000	16000	136	9157		108889
Fatickcherri	487000	-	243	99732		
Kaliti	-	-	-			7745
Total	512000	16000	379			2918
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General comments: Distribution of planting materials depends on the demand of the tea estates/ tea growers

(D) Balance sheet of made tea (Black Tea)

Month	Reserve (Kg)			Consumption (Kg)				Present Balance
	BF	Production	Total	Local	BTB Sales Centre	Invoiced	Total	
Nov, 2017	26853	24340	51193	206	320	33000	33526	17667
Nov, 2016	50096	26980	77076	400	-	37400	37800	39276
Jan – Nov, 17	19386	206860	226246	4749	-	203830	208579	17667
Jan – Nov, 16	18097	214115	232212	3186	-	189750	192936	39276

General comments: Production and Invoice through auction is up to the mark

(E) Balance sheet of made tea (Green Tea)

Month	Received green leaf (kg)	Produced green tea (kg)	Progressive total (Kg) (Till November' 2017)
November, 2017	824.00	147.90	543.05

(E) Balance sheet of made tea (White Tea)

Month	Received green leaf bud (kg)	Produced white tea (kg)	Progressive total (Kg) (Till October' 2017)
November, 2017	10.60	2.12	8.17

(F) Weather report for meteorological station, Srimangal

Month	Temperature (°c)		Rainfall of the month (mm)	Nos. of rainy days	Total rain fall up to the month (mm)	Evaporation of the month (mm)	Sun shine Hrs	R.H. %	Dew point (°c)
	Max ^m	Min ^m							
Nov, 17	30.2	17.2	12	03	3626	87.3	7.8	76.3	19.5
Nov, 16	29.5	17.1	228	03	2517	85.4	7.4	76	19.1

General comments: Weather report varies from season to season.


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