

## Report of Demonstration Programme Conducted at Somvarpet, Coorg

A demonstration and training programme on Sandalwood, other Forestry and Wood Science Technology was organized at Somvarpet, Coorg on 12<sup>th</sup> September, 2016. A total of 150 farmers participated in the programme. Dr. K.T. Chandrashekar welcomed the participants. **Sri. Surendra Kumar, IFS, Director, IWST** inaugurated the programme. Sri. Surendra Kumar in his address highlighted the importance of such venture and opined that the training will benefit end user in general and farmers in particular. **Mr. K.T. Paramesh**, Former member of ICFRE Society, was of the opinion that such type of endeavors should be organized on a regular basis. **Dr. Pankaj Aggarwal, Extension Officer, IWST** coordinated the programme. Dr. K.T. Chandrashekar and **Dr. P.V. Somashekar, Research Officers, IWST** interacted with farmers and imparted training on Sandalwood harvesting and related aspects. Farmers raised many questions which were answered by IWST officers.



















