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## Programme Evaluation Meetings of 2015

**“TAGEM (General Directorate of Agricultural Research and Policy) Programme Evaluation Meetings of 2015 ” was held in Antalya between 08 February—07 March 2015.**

“TAGEM Programme Evaluation Meetings of 2015” organized by General Directorate of Agricultural Research and Policy was held in Antalya between 08 February—07 March 2015. There were participants from IARTC to Agricultural Irrigation and Land Reclamation Research, Soil and Plant Nutrition Research, Climate Change and Catchment Research, Agricultural Mechanization and Information Research, Agricultural Economics Research and Organic Agriculture groups.

In Agricultural Irrigation and Land Reclamation Research Group, 3 progress reports and 1 result report were presented by



4 participants from IARTC. With the participation of 4 staff members to the Soil and Plant Nutrition Research Group, it was decided to continue with 3 projects of which progress reports were presented and one externally sourced project was presented. With the participation of 4 technical personnel from IARTC to the Climate Change and Catchment Research group, 3 progress

and result projects were presented. To the Agricultural Mechanization and Information Research and Organic Agriculture group 1 staff was participated for each and 1 progress project was presented to the Organic Agriculture group. Four staff members to Agricultural Economics Research groups participated with a presentation of one progress project. In the meeting, participants shared their opinion about new Project proposals, status of ongoing projects, completed projects with exchanging information and made predictions regarding the coming project.

## 9 International Trainings will be held in 2015

| Subject   | Date                   | Deadline          |
|---|------------------------|-------------------|
| 6 <sup>th</sup> International Course on Sustainable Management of Soil and Water Resources                              | 27 July-07 August 2015 | 29 May 2015       |
| 4 <sup>th</sup> International Course on Gene Bank Management and Biodiversity Conservation                              | 17-21 August 2015      | 19 June 2015      |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> International Course on Plant Nutrition and Soil Management   | 07-11 September 2015   | 10 July 2015      |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> International Course on Agricultural Irrigation   | 14-18 September 2015   | 20 July 2015      |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> International Course on Food Safety and Additives   | 19-23 October 2015     | 21 August 2015    |
| 4 <sup>th</sup> International Course on Watershed Hydrology and Soil Conservation                                       | 02-06 November 2015    | 04 September 2015 |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> International Course on Agricultural Mechanization and Information Technologies                         | 09-13 November 2015    | 11 September 2015 |
| 5 <sup>th</sup> International Course on Integrated Pest Management "Alternative Methods for Reduction of Pesticide Use" | 16-20 November 2015    | 18 September 2015 |
| 4 <sup>th</sup> International Course on Organic Farming   | 07-11 December 2015    | 09 November 2015  |

For detailed information on international trainings you may visit <http://arastirma.tarim.gov.tr/izmirutaem>

## AGROEXPO EURASIA 10<sup>th</sup> International Agriculture, Greenhouse and Animal Husbandry Exposition



IARTC participated to AGROEXPO EURASIA 10<sup>th</sup> International Agriculture, Greenhouse and Animal Husbandry Exposition with a stand of its own. Farmers, farm owners and experts of the agriculture, particularly from Aegean Region sector showed great interest.

Shareholders within the sector visited IARTC stand and had the opportunity to acquire information about on-going projects, national and international trainings and soil, water and fertilizer analyses run in IARTC laboratories.

## Training on Explication of Digital Aerial Photographs for Soil Mapping

First training on "Explication of Digital Aerial Photographs for Soil Mapping" for the 2<sup>nd</sup> group organized by General Directorate of Agricultural Reform was held in IARTC between 16-20 February 2015 with 23 experts and 10 operators from Department of Farmland Assessments and 5 professors from Ege and Akdeniz Universities. The same meeting was also organized on 23-27 February for the first group to continue from the previous meeting, on 23-27 March for the 2<sup>nd</sup> group to continue from the previous meeting and on 4-11 April for the members of ZMO (Agricultural Engineers Chamber).



## ABOUT US...

IARTC works under the General Directorate of Agricultural Research and Policy of Ministry of Food, Agriculture and Livestock. The Center aims to carry out national/international research projects for increasing the agricultural productivity, conservation and sustainable management of natural resources and to hold national/international courses, workshops seminars etc. according to the needs and demands of public sector, private sector, professional organizations and non-governmental organizations. Besides its scheduled programs and projects, IARTC is open to any kind of activities of training programs and research projects on demand from national/international organizations. IARTC adopts sharing the agricultural studies, experience and knowledge in international platform as principle and is one of the leading organizations in this regard.

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