

Skill Development Training on Cereals, Spices, and Honey Processing Organized at ICAR-CIPHET, Ludhiana

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A three-day Skill Development Training Programme on “Cereals, Spices, and Honey Processing” was organized at ICAR–Central Institute of Post-Harvest Engineering and Technology (CIPHET), Ludhiana, from September 30 to October 4, 2025, under the Scheduled Caste Sub-Plan (SCSP) scheme. The programme benefited 50 farmers from Gumti and Asphal Kala village of Barnala district.

The training focused on developing practical and technical skills in key post-harvest areas, including beekeeping, honey processing, quality evaluation, drying and storage, value addition, and cereal and spice processing. Experts from CIPHET demonstrated innovative technologies and provided hands-on sessions to help participants understand the scientific methods involved in each operation.

Participants were also informed about various government schemes and initiatives aimed at promoting food processing, value addition, and entrepreneurship development among farmers. To encourage practical adoption, seed material was distributed to the participants for further use in farming and processing activities.

