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### INTRODUCTION

During Kharif 2015 Mung (*Vigna radiata* L. Wilczek) and Mash (*Vigna mungo* L. Hepper) were cultivated on an area of 113025 hectares and 16686 hectares, respectively in the Punjab. The area under Mung crop has shown a nominal decrease of 0.11% over last year. While the acreage under Mash crop has increased by 3.36 % over last year which is due to better economic returns. The production of Mung and Mash in Punjab during kharif 2015 was 89.5 thousand tons and 5.4 thousand tons, respectively. The production of Mung shows an increase of 9.85 % over the last year, which is due to favourable weather conditions at the time of growth and maturity. However Mash production shows a decrease of 8.81 % over the last year, which is due to heavy rain and blow of fast wind at the time of growth and maturity in Gujranwala Division.

The production and distribution of quality seed of pulses especially of Mung and Mash is another major limiting factor and there is dire need to encourage private seed companies for production and distribution of quality seed to the pulses growers so that pulses production can be increased and import bill of Pulses may be reduced.

This institute is also working on Cowpeas and trying hard to stream line its breeding programme. Cowpea is being used as salad and very popular among the diet conscious people due to its high protein contents.

#### Significant Achievements of Last Year's Research:-

### **Mungbean**

- Forty (40) new entries were added to the Germplasm which were collected from PGRI, Islamabad.
- Seven crosses were attempted and six were harvested.
- In advance yield trial five entries out yield the check. Maximum yield was produced by 13009 (1131 kg/ha) followed by 13002(1094 kg/ha).
- In Micro yield trial eight entries yielded higher (643-1593 kg/ha) as compared to check Azri 2006 (614 kg/ha)
- 200 kg pre basic and 6500 kg basic seed was produced by this institute.

### Mash bean

- Fifty Two (52) new entries were collected from PGRI, Islamabad and market.
- Seventy five single plants were selected from land races grown in Narowal area.
- Fifteen crosses were attempted and six were harvested.
- Four entries out yielded Arooj by giving 530-588 kg/ha yield in Preliminary Yield Trial. Maximum yield was given by 15M005.
- In advance yield trial one entry 14M007 (599 kg/ha) out yield the check. (557 kg/hec)
- In Micro yield trial Five entries out yielded the check. Maximum Yield was given by 13M001 (589 kg/ha) as compared to check (458 kg/ha)
- 300 kg pre basic and 2530 kg basic seed was produced by this institute.

### **Future Strategies**

- Broadening of genetic base of Mung and Mash crop through strengthening of germplasm.
- Development of high input responsive cultivars possessing high yield potential, wider adaptability, short duration, resistant to insect pests and diseases.
- Seed multiplication of improved varieties and its distribution to farmers.
- Dissemination of improved production technology among the growers.
- Development of drought tolerant varieties to combat with the water shortage challenges.
- Popularization of spring sowing of Mung and Mash.
- Popularization of intercropping of Mung and Mash in spring planted sugarcane.
- Popularization of mung as catch crop in rice wheat system.

## A - MUNGBEAN (Vigna radiata L. Wilczek) 2n = 22

1- Title Maintenance of Germplasm

**Objectives** Collection, maintenance and evaluation of elite lines/genotypes for their

utilization in hybridization program.

Research worker(s) Muhammad Sajjad Saeed, Dr. Aziz-ur-Rehman & Ch. Muhammad Rafiq

**Project duration** 2016 (continuous)

**Location** Faisalabad

**Treatments/** No. of Entries = 130+40 = 170

Methodology Blocks = 5

Entry / block = 34 Check = 5

Design = Augmented Plot size = 4m x 0.30m Plant spacing = 10 cm

Planting date =  $2^{nd}$  fortnight of June.

Data to be taken = Days to 50 % flowering, days to 90% maturity, plant

height, number of pods/plant, pod length, number of seeds/pod,1000 grain weight, seed yield and reaction to diseases under natural conditions.

Previous year's Results

Data was collected and maintained. The range of various characters recorded is as follows:

Characters	Range
Days to flowering,	30-52
Plant height,	42-98
Pod length,	5-13 cm
No. of pods per plant,	15-72
days to maturity	60-90

### 2- Title Hybridization Programme

**Objectives**To create genetic variability by making crosses among the elite lines/ cultivars

possessing desirable traits.

Research worker(s) Muhammad Sajjad Saeed, Dr. Aziz-ur-Rehman & Ch. Muhammad Rafiq

**Project duration** 2016 (continuous)

**Location** Faisalabad

### Treatments/ Methodology

### Number of parents = 11

Sr. No	Variety/Line	Salient Characters
1	NM-2011	High Yielding
2	Azri-M-2006	High Yielding
3	08009	High Yielding
4	13009	High Yielding
5	98006	Early maturing
6	L No.137	Crinkle & YMVR
7	M-6	Early maturing
8	L No.11	YMVR
9	M-303	Crinkle Virus Resistant
10	L No.107	YMVR
11	6144-A	Bold Seeded

### **Cross Combinations = 28**

Mung Bean New Cross Combination Kharif 2016							
Sr.#	Cross Combination		Sr.#	Cross Combin	ation	1	
1	NM-11	Х	98006	15	Azri-M-2006	Х	98006
2	"	Х	L No.137	16	"	Х	L No.137
3	"	Х	M-6	17	"	Х	M-6
4	"	Х	L No.11	18	"	Х	L No.11
5	"	Х	M-303	19	"	Х	M-303
6	"	Х	L No.107	20	"	Х	L No.107
7	"	Х	6144-A	21	"	Х	6144-A
8	08009	Х	98006	22	13009	Х	98006
9	"	Х	L No.137	23	"	Х	L No.137
10	"	Х	M-6	24	"	Х	M-6
11	"	Х	L No.11	25	"	Х	L No.11
12	"	Х	M-303	26	"	Х	M-303
13	"	Х	L No.107	27	"	Х	L No.107
14	"	Х	6144-A	28	"	Х	6144-A

= 2<sup>nd</sup> fortnight of June Date of Sowing

Planting pattern = Parential lines will be planted in paired (male and

female) 4 meter long and 60 cm apart rows to

facilitate crossing

Previous year's **Results** 

7 cross combinations were attempted and 6 successful crosses were harvested for further studies.

3- Title Study of Filial Generations

**Objectives** To select the desirable recombinants from segregating generations

Research worker(s) Muhammad Sajjad Saeed, Dr. Aziz-ur-Rehman & Ch. Muhammad Rafiq

Project duration 2016 (continuous)

**Location** Faisalabad

Treatments/
Methodology

Filial generations	Crosses/progenies selected/harvested			
F <sub>1</sub>	06			
F <sub>2</sub>	12			
F <sub>3</sub>	14			
F <sub>4</sub>	10			
F <sub>5</sub>	8/120			
F <sub>6</sub>	8/90			

Row length = 4.0 mRow spacing = 30 cmPlant spacing = 10 cm

Date of sowing  $= 2^{nd}$  fortnight of June.

Previous year's Results

Methodology

Filial generations	Crosses/progenies studied	Crosses/progenies selected/harvested
F <sub>0</sub>	7	6
F <sub>1</sub>	15	12
F <sub>2</sub>	26	14
F <sub>3</sub>	14	10
F <sub>4</sub>	10	8/120
F <sub>5</sub>	8	8/90

4- Title Preliminary Yield Trial

**Objectives** To identify the promising genotypes for yield and other desirable characters

Research worker(s) Muhammad Sajjad Saeed, Dr. Aziz-ur-Rehman, Ch. Muhammad Rafiq &

Mushtaq Ahmad

**Project duration** 2016 (continuous) **Location** Faisalabad & Kallurkot

**Treatments/** Entries = 7 viz; 15001, 15002, 15003, 15004,

15005, 15006, 15007.

Standards = AZRI M-2006 & NM-2011

Design = RCB Replications = 3 Plot size =  $4m \times 1.2m$ Row spacing = 30cmPlant spacing = 10 cm

Planting date = 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> fortnight of June.

Data to be recorded = Plant Stand, Days to 50 % flowering, days to 90 %

maturity, plant height, number of pods/plant, pod length, number of seeds/pod, 1000 grain weight,

seed yield and disease incidence.

## Previous year's Results

S. #	Entries	Yield (kg/ha)		
		Faisalabad	Kallurkot	Average
1	14001	553	944	748
2	14002	475	646	560
3	14003	329	1146	737
4	14004	503	910	706
5	14005	483	944	714
6	14006	327	792	560
7	14007	415	878	560
8	AZRI-06	485	1048	767
9	NM-11	685	972	828
	L.S.D at 5%	84.29	89.00	
	C.V %	21.46	11.65	

### 5- Title Advance Yield Trial

**Objectives** To evaluate the high yielding and disease resistant genotypes.

Research worker(s) Muhammad Sajjad Saeed, Dr. Aziz-ur-Rehman, Ch. Muhammad Rafiq &

Mushtaq Ahmad

**Project duration** 2016 (continuous)

**Location** Faisalabad and Kallurkot.

**Treatments/** Entries = 7 viz; 14001, 14002, 14003, 14004,

Methodology 14005, 14006 14007

Standards = AZRI M-2006 & NM-2011

Design = RCB Replications = 3

Plot size =  $4m \times 1.2m$ Row spacing = 30cmPlant spacing = 10 cm

Planting date = 1st & 2<sup>nd</sup> fortnight of June.

Data to be recorded = Plant Stand, Days to 50 % flowering, days to 90 %

maturity, plant height, number of pods/plant, pod length, number of seeds/pod, 1000 grain weight,

seed yield and disease incidence.

### Previous year's Results

R.#	Entries	Yield kg/ha		
		Faisalabad	Kallur kot	Average
1.	13009	996	1267	1131
2.	13002	937	1250	1094
3.	13004	880	1059	969
4.	13010	630	1232	931
5.	13011	914	937	926
6.	12005	753	972	863
7.	AZRI-06	675	1042	859
8.	13001	700	920	810
9.	13005	597	903	750
10.	13006	571	833	702
11.	NM-11	550	764	657
	L.S.D at 5%	64.11	103.64	
	C.V %	10.50	12.47	

6- Title	Micro Yield Trial			
Objectives	To evaluate advance lin	advance lines for high yield potential and wider adaptability under		
	different ecological/agro	o climatic zones of the Punjab.		
Reseaearch worker(s)	• •	d, Dr. Aziz-ur-Rehman, Ch. Muhammad Rafiq &		
	Mushtaq Ahmad			
Project duration	2016 (continuous)			
Location	Faisalabad, Kallurkot, Bahawalpur, Chakwal and NARC Islamabad.			
Treatments/				
Methodology	Entries	= 9 viz; 13001, 13002, 13004, 12005, 13005,		
		13006, 13009, 13010 & 13011.		
	Checks	= AZRI M-2006 & NM-2011		
	Design	= RCB		
	Replications	= 3		
	Plot size	= 4m x 1.2m		
	Row spacing	= 30cm		
	Plant spacing	= 10 cm		
	Planting date	= 1st & 2 <sup>nd</sup> fortnight of June.		
	Data to be recorded = Plant Stand, Days to 50 % flowering, maturity, plant height, number of po			
		length, number of seeds/pod, 1000 grain weight,		
		seed yield and disease incidence.		

# Previous year's Results

Sr. #	Entries	Yield kg/ha			
		Faisalabad	Kallurkot	BWP	Average
1.	12005	597	1059	3125	1593
2.	12001	636	1212	2777	1542
3.	12009	760	920	2916	1532
4.	12002	697	1302	298	766
5.	12008	744	1173	236	718
6.	12007	683	1303	97	694
7.	12004	853	993	194	680
8.	12006	626	989	312	643
9.	AZRI-06	708	903	229	614
10.	NM-11	622	975	160	586
	L.S.D at 5%	93.25	106.45	106.37	
	C.V %	16.35	11.94	12.49	

7- 1	Title	<b>National Uniform</b>	<b>Yield Trial</b>
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**Objectives**To test the performance of candidate Mungbean cultivars of different

institutes.

Research worker(s) Muhammad Sajjad Saeed, Dr. Aziz-ur-Rehman & Ch. Muhammad Rafiq

**Project duration** 2016 (continuous)

**Location** Faisalabad

Treatments/ This Institute will contribute 3 entries viz; 12001, 12005 & 12009.

Methodology Layout = As per instructions from the National

Coordinator, Pulses, NARC, Islamabad.

Sowing date = 2<sup>nd</sup> fortnight of June

Data to be recorded = Days to 50 % Flowering, days to 90% Maturity, Plant

height, Number of pods/plant, Pod length, Number of seeds/pod, 1000 grain weight, seed yield and

disease incidence.

Previous year's

Results

Advance Line V- 07006 ranked 12th in NUYT -15

## **Consolidated Results of** Mung National Uniform Yield Trial 2015 across the country

	(Grain Yield Kg/ha)													
Entry	Entry Name	Source						Lo	cation	s*				
No.			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	Mean
1.	NM-16	NIAB, Faisalabad	888	428	147	167	683	140	868	2146	1711	1076	875	830
2.	NM-19	NIAB, Faisalabad	620	628	138	111	822	119	476	1771	2173	833	764	769
3.	NM-18	NIAB, Faisalabad	1272	590	97	97	1090	125	344	1885	1566	882	431	762
4.	09-TM-11	AZRI, Bhakkar	1079	389	160	125	860	119	580	1854	1608	799	681	750
5.	NIFA Mung-5	NIFA, Peshawar	1072	403	176	42	628	121	309	1792	2368	417	653	725
6.	NM-14	NIAB, Faisalabad	729	775	106	63	425	135	351	1854	2166	694	590	717
7.	NIFA Mung-4	NIFA, Peshawar	463	551	106	52	874	114	451	1625	2158	764	715	716
8.	NM-17	NIAB, Faisalabad	963	443	154	45	487	154	483	1500	1788	903	854	707
9.	AZ-MH-4	AZRI, B.pur	597	418	114	69	578	114	601	2354	1310	708	834	700
10.	AZRI Mung-06	CHECK	749	510	76	118	591	104	493	1771	1726	729	833	700
11.	12-TM-03	AZRI, Bhakkar	644	292	197	87	697	121	573	1563	2166	674	667	698
12.	07006	AARI, Faisalabad	817	504	244	111	674	117	490	1615	1493	819	709	690
13.	AZ-MH-1	AZRI, B.pur	719	551	163	153	677	129	455	1594	1482	799	653	670
14.	NM-06	CHECK	655	440	231	90	795	150	476	1802	1482	382	632	649
15.	NM-2011	CHECK	606	469	113	31	580	119	715	1479	1413	660	785	634
16.	BRM-355	RARI, B.pur	628	506	150	31	561	131	510	1240	1719	938	542	632
17.	AZ-MY-6	AZRI, B.pur	540	411	110	94	520	114	514	1646	1501	924	577	632
18.	07008	AARI, Faisalabad	740	479	135	73	465	113	420	1177	1436	646	819	591
19.	NCM-252-10	NARC,	831	185	214	56	304	104	684	1031	1207	451	514	507
20.	NCM-257-10	NARC,	782	107	129	56	217	108	462	1031	1161	521	611	471
Locatio	n Means		770	454	148	84	626	123	513	1636	1682	731	687	

Coefficient of variation=21.43% Location (L) and G x L interactions are highly significant (P<0.01)

### \*Locations:

1= NARC, Islamabad 2= AARI, Faisalabad 3= ARI, Mingora, Swat 4= ARI, Karak 8= NIAB, Faisalabad 5= AZRC, D.I Khan 6= AZRI, Bhakkar 7= BARS, Fateh Jang

9= NIFA, Peshawar 10= RARI, Bahawalpur 11= BARI, Chakwal

Note: The trial was sent to 15 locations for evaluation but yield data was received from 11 locations.

8- Title Pre-basic and Basic Seed Production

**Objectives** To maintain the genetic purity of approved cultivars.

Research worker(s) Muhammad Sajjad Saeed, Dr. Aziz-ur-Rehman, Ch. Muhammad Rafiq

and Mushtaq Ahmad

Project duration 2016 (continuous)
Location Faisalabad & Kallurkot

**Treatments/** Variety = AZRI M-2006

• Selected seed of healthy and true to type single plants will be sown in plant

to row progenies.

• Selected plant to row progeny lines will be sown in separate progeny blocks.

• Bulked seed of selected progeny blocks will be sown for the production of

pre-basic seed.

Previous year's Results

Entries/varieties	Pre-basic	Basic Seed	Total
	(Kg)	(Kg)	(Kg)
AZRI M-2006	200	6500	6700

### AIP - MUNGBEAN IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

9 - Title Demonstration of Mungbean as catch crop in rice wheat

system

**Objectives**To introduce an additional crop of Mung Bean for economic up lift of the area

of the farmers in rice wheat system.

**Research Workers** Muhammad Sajjad Saeed, Dr. Aziz-ur-Rehman & Ch. Muhammad Rafiq

**Project Duration** 5 year

**Location** Sheikhupura & Gujranwala District

Plot Size 4 kanal

Methodology Production technology of mung bean will be demonstrated among selected

farmers of the area in rice wheat system

**Data to be recorded**The whole plot will be harvested and cost benefit ratio will be calculated.

10 - Title	Demonstration of intercropping of Mungbean in February
	sown sugarcane.
Objectives	To bring an additional area under mung bean cultivation to overcome the deficiency of pulses in the country.
Research Workers	Muhammad Sajjad Saeed, Dr. Aziz-ur-Rehman & Ch. Muhammad Rafiq
Project Duration	5 year
Location	T.T. Singh District
Plot Size	4 Kanal
Methodology	Two rows of mung bean will be planted on raised bed of four feet in between two sugarcane rows. No extra inputs will be applied to mung bean crop and weeds will be managed by the use of chemicals. The mung bean crop will be harvested in the lst. week of June.
Data to be recorded	The whole plot will be harvested and cost benefit ratio will be calculated.

## B - MASH (Vigna mungo L. Hepper) 2n = 22

11- Title Germplasm Studies

**Objectives** Collection, maintenance and evaluation of germplasm accessions for utilization in

hybridization programme.

**Research worker(s)** Muhammad Amir Amin, Irfan Rasool, Muhammad Shafiq, Dr, Aziz ur Rehman and Ch.

Muhammad Rafiq

**Project duration** 2016 (continuous)

**Location** Faisalabad

Treatments/ No. of entries = 112 (60+52)

**Methodology** Plot size = 2.5 m x 0.6 m( paired rows)

Row spacing = 30cm Plant spacing = 10cm

Sowing time =  $2^{nd}$  fortnight of June to  $1^{st}$  week of July

Data to be taken = Plant stand, Plant type, Days to 50% flowering, Plant

height, Number of pods/plant, Number of seeds/pod, 1000 Grain weight, Days to maturity, Seed yield, Attack of insect pests and Disease reaction.

# Previous year's Results

Trait	Range
Plant height	19- 68 cm
No. of pods /plant	10-37
No. of seeds/ pod	4-6
1000-grain weight	35-58 g
Maturity days	95-115
Biological yield /plant	10.41-40.56 g
Grain yield / plant	2.63 – 14.28 g
Harvest index	6.87-30.32

60 entries were evaluated and maintained.

12- Title Hybridization Programme

**Objectives** To create genetic variability by crossing desirable parents

Research worker(s) Muhammad Amir Amin, Anwar ul Haq, Irfan Rasool and Afzal Zahid

**Project duration** 2016 (continuous)

**Location** Faisalabad

**Treatments/** Parents: 8 viz. M-97, Arooj-2011, ES-1, 62027, 6036-21, 6065-1, 6036-24 & 6049-20

### Methodology

Cross Combinations=15					
High yield	х	ULCV Tolerant			
Arooj	Х	Mash -97			
	Х	62027			
	Х	ES-1			
6036-21	Х	Mash -97			
	Х	62027			
	Х	ES-1			
6065-1	Х	Mash -97			
	Х	62027			
	Х	ES-1			
6036-24	Х	Mash -97			
	Х	62027			
	Х	ES-1			
6049-20	Х	Mash -97			
	Х	62027			
	Х	ES-1			

Planting pattern = Paired rows of male and female parents.

Row spacing = 30cm Plant spacing = 10cm

Sowing time = 15/06, 01/07, 15/07 and 30/07

Parental lines will be sown on different dates to find

out best seed setting period

Previous year's

15 cross combinations were attempted and 3 crosses were harvested.

## Results

13- Title

## Study of Filial Generations

**Objectives** To select desirable genotypes from segregating generations.

Research worker(s)

Muhammad Amir Amin, Irfan Rasool and Muhammad Shafiq

**Project duration** 2016 (continuous)

**Location** Faisalabad.

# Treatments/ Methodology

Filial generations	Crosses/progenies selected/harvested
$F_1$	06
F <sub>2</sub>	03
F <sub>3</sub>	2/25
F <sub>4</sub>	-
F <sub>5</sub>	5/35
F <sub>6</sub>	3/11

Row Length = 4 mRow spacing = 45 cmPlant spacing = 15 cm

Sowing time =  $1^{st}$  fortnight of July.

### Previous years Results

Filial generations	Crosses/progenies studied	Crosses/progenies selected/harvested
$F_1$	3	3
F <sub>2</sub>	2	2/25
F <sub>3</sub>	-	-
F <sub>4</sub>	5/55	4/40
F <sub>5</sub>	5/45	4/32
F <sub>6</sub>	3/12	10 lines were selected

14- Title Preliminary Yield Trial

**Objectives** To evaluate promising lines for yield potential.

Research worker(s) Muhammad Amir Amin, Irfan Rasool, Dr. Aziz-ur-Rehman and

Ch. Muhammad Rafiq

**Project duration** 2016 (continuous)

**Location** Faisalabad and Kallurkot

Treatments/
Methodology

Entries = 10 viz; 16M001, 16M002, 16M003, 16M004,

16M005, 16M006, 16M007, 16M008,

16M009 & 16M010

Checks = Mash-97 & Arooj

Design = RCB Replications = 3

Plot size =  $4m \times 1.2m$ Row spacing = 30 cmPlant spacing = 10 cm

Planting date = 1<sup>st</sup> fortnight of July.

Data to be recorded = Plant stand, Growth habit, Days to 50%

flowering, Plant height, number of pods/plant, number of seeds/pod, 1000 grain weight, days to maturity, seed yield, attack of insect pests and

disease reaction.

## Previous year's Results

Rank	Entry No.	Yield	Yield Kg/ha			
		Faisalabad	Kallurkot			
1.	15M005	625	550	588		
2.	15M007	620	525	572		
3.	15M004	578	505	542		
4.	15M008	555	505	530		
5.	Arooj	557	500	529		
6.	15M001	547	505	526		
7.	M-97	573	465	519		
8.	15M010	536	485	511		
9.	15M003	531	475	503		

10.	15M009	500	465	483
11.	15M002	490	465	478
12.	15M006	453	395	424
	C.V.%	10.45	12.85	

### 15- Title Advanced Yield Trial

**Objectives** To identify high yielding lines under different agro climatic conditions.

Research worker(s) Muhammad Amir Amin, Anwar ul Haq, Irfan Rasool and Ch. Muhammad Rafiq

**Project duration** 2016 (continuous)

**Location** Faisalabad, Kallur Kot and Sahowali

**Treatments/** Entries = 9 viz, 15M001, 15M002, 15M003, 15M004,

**Methodology** 15M005, 15M007, 15M008, 15M009, 15M010.

Checks = Mash-97 & Arooj

Design = RCB Replications = 3

Plot size =  $4m \times 1.2m$ Row spacing = 30 cmPlant spacing = 10 cm

Planting date = 1<sup>st</sup> fortnight of July.

Data to be recorded = Plant stand, Growth habit, Days to 50% flowering,
Plant height, number of pods/plant, number of

seeds/pod, 1000 grain weight, days to maturity, seed yield, attack of insect pests and disease

reaction.

# Previous year's Results

Rank	Entry No.	Yield	Average	
		Faisalabad	Kallurkot	
1.	14M007	672	525	599
2.	Arooj	619	495	557
3.	14M005	578	505	542
4.	14M008	568	505	537
5.	14M002	544	500	522
6.	14M006	526	485	506
7.	14M003	526	480	503
8.	14M001	464	485	475
9.	14M004	448	460	454
10.	M-97	615	540	390
	C.V.%	8.32	11.23	

16- Title	Micro Yield Trial				
Objectives	To select better performing and well adapted lines suitable for different ecological zones of Punjab				
Research worker(s)	Muhammad Amir Amin,	Irfan Rasool, and Muhammad Shafiq.			
Project duration	2015 (continuous)				
Location	Faisalabad, Kallurkot, Sahowali, Krore, Chakwal, Fatehjang and Bhawalpur				
Treatments/ Methodology	Entries Checks	= 8 viz; 14M001, 14M002, 14M003, 14M004, 14M005, 14M006, 14M007, 15M008. = Mash-97 & Arooj			
	Design Replications Plot size Row spacing Plant spacing Planting date Data to be recorded	<ul> <li>= RCB</li> <li>= 3</li> <li>= 4m x 1.2m</li> <li>= 30 cm</li> <li>= 10 cm</li> <li>= 1<sup>st</sup> fortnight of July.</li> <li>= Plant stand, Growth habit, Days to 50% flowering, Plant height, number of pods/plant, number of seeds/pod, 1000 grain weight, days to maturity, seed yield, attack of insect pests and disease reaction.</li> </ul>			

## Previous year's Results

Rank	Entry No.		Average		
		Faisalabad	Kallurkot	Sahowali	
1.	13M001	627	550	-	589
2.	13M007	615	540	-	578
3.	13M005	601	555	-	578
4.	13M006	608	535	-	572
5.	13M008	569	485	-	527
6.	Arooj	481	435	-	458
7.	13M002	443	425	-	434
8.	M-97	458	405	-	432
9.	13M004	424	390	-	407
10.	13M003	417	395	-	406
	C.V.%	14.65	9.95		

17- Title Pre Basic/Basic Seed Production

**Objectives** To maintain the genetic purity of approved cultivars.

Research worker(s) Muhammad Amir Amin, Mushtaq Ahmad, Faryad khan and

Ch. Muhammad Rafiq

**Project duration** 2016 (continuous)

**Location** Faisalabad, Kallurkot & Sahowali

**Treatments/** Approved cultivars = Mash-97 & Arooj

• Selected seed of healthy and true to type single plants will be sown in plant to row progenies.

• Selected plant to row progeny lines will be sown in separate progeny blocks.

 Bulked seed of selected progeny blocks will be raised for the production of pre-basic seed.

Previous year's Results

S #	Entries/Lines	Pre-Basic (Kgs)	Basic Seed (Kgs)
1.	Arooj-2011	200	1695
2.	Mash-97	100	840
	Total	300	2530

## 18- Title Sowing date effect on yield and yield components

Objectives To ascertain the optimum sowing time for different Mash varieties

Research worker(s) Muhammad Amir Amin, Irfan Rasool and Muhammad Shafiq

Project duration 2016 (continuous)
Location Faisalabad and Sahowali

Treatments/ Entries = 3 Viz, Mash-97, ES-1 & Arooj

Methodology D1 = 1<sup>st</sup> June

 $\begin{array}{lll} \text{D1} & = 1^{\text{st}} & \text{June} \\ \text{D2} & = 15^{\text{th}} & \text{June} \\ \text{D3} & = 1^{\text{st}} & \text{July} \\ \text{D4} & = 15^{\text{th}} & \text{July} \\ \text{D5} & = 30^{\text{th}} & \text{July} \\ \text{Design} & = \text{Factorial} \end{array}$ 

Replications = 3

Plot size =  $4m \times 1.2m$ Row spacing = 30cmPlant spacing = 10cm

Data to be taken = Plant stand, Days to 50% flowering, Plant height, number of

pods/plant, number of seeds/pod, 1000 grain weight, days to maturity, seed yield, attack of insect pests and disease

roaction

reaction.

19- Title National Uniform Yield Trial

**Objectives** To test the performance of candidate Mashbean cultivars of different institutes.

Research worker(s) Muhammad Amir Amin, Irfan Rasool and Muhammad Shafiq

**Project duration** 2016 (continuous)

**Location** Faisalabad

**Treatments/** Entries will be provided by Pulses Coordinator.

**Methodology** Layout = As per instructions from the National Coordinator, Pulses,

NARC, Islamabad.

Sowing date = 2<sup>nd</sup> fortnight of June to 1<sup>st</sup> week of July

Data to be taken = Plant stand, Plant type, Days to 50% flowering, Plant height,

Number of pods/plant, Number of seeds/pod, 1000 Grain weight, Days to maturity, Seed yield, Attack of insect pests and

Disease reaction

### **Previous year's Results**

Entry No.	Entry Name	Source		Locations			Mean	
				Grain Yield Kg/ha				
			1	2	3	4	5	
1.	10CM-707	BARI, Chakwal	182	705	313	825	1306	666
2.	10CM-703	BARI, Chakwal	167	855	601	883	819	665
3.	11CM-707	BARI, Chakwal	154	640	559	998	657	602
4.	10CM-702	BARI, Chakwal	118	717	361	869	755	564
5.	Arooj	Check	160	592	438	984	418	518
6.	NARC MASH-014	NARC, Islamabad	381	480	420	1013	223	503
7.	Mash-010-2	NARC, Islamabad	145	490	389	854	560	488
8.	Mash-010-1	NARC, Islamabad	238	586	378	1013	162	475
<b>Location Means</b> 193 633 432 930 613								

Coefficient of variation=20.10% Location (L) and G x L interactions are highly significant (P<0.01)

### **Locations:**

1= NARC, Islamabad

2= AARI, Faisalabad

3= BARS, Fateh Jang

4= BARI, Chakwal

5= AZRC, D.I Khan

Note: The trial was sent to 15 locations for evaluation but yield data was received from 05 locations.

## C - COWPEAS (Vigna sinensis) 2n = 22

20- Title Germplasm Studies

**Objectives** Collection, maintenance and evaluation of elite lines / genotypes for their utilization

in hybridization programme.

Research worker(s) Anwar-ul-Haq, Muhammad Sajjad Saeed and Ch. Muhammad Rafiq

**Project duration** 2016 (Continuous)

**Location** Faisalabad

Treatments/

**Methodology** Entries = 67

Plant spacing

Check = S.A. Dandy, CP-037 and JK-101

Design = Augmented
Plot size = 5 m x 1.5m
Row spacing = 75cm

Planting time = 2<sup>nd</sup> fortnight of june

Data to be taken = Plant stand, Days to 50 % flowering, plant type, days to

maturity, disease incidence, number of pods/plant, flower colour, number of seeds/pod, 100 grain weight and seed

yield.

= 20cm

Previous year's Results

Trait	Range
Plant type	Erect to Spreading
Flower colour	White and Purple
Leaf colour	Light green to Dark green
No. of pods /plant	35 -80
Days to 50% flowering	50-69
Maturity days	112-126
100-grain weight	12- 23 g

67 entries were evaluated and maintained

21- Title Hybridization

**Objectives** To create genetic variability for incorporation of desirable traits.

Research worker(s) Anwar-ul-Haq, Muhammad Sajjad Saeed, Muhammad Amir Amin, Muhammad

Shafiq and Ch. Muhammad Rafiq

**Project duration** 2015 (continuous)

**Location** Faisalabad

### Treatments/ Methodology

**Parents:** = 6 viz. CP-002, CP-017, CP-030, CP-034, CP-037& CP-72

High yield		Erect type
CP-012	Х	CP-002 (Semi Erect)
	Х	CP-030 (Spreading)
	Х	CP-034 (Semi Spreading)
CP-017	Х	CP-002 (Semi Erect)
	Х	CP-030 (Spreading)
	Х	CP-034 (Semi Spreading)
CP-037	Х	CP-002 (Semi Erect)
	Х	CP-030 (Spreading)
	Х	CP-034 (Semi Spreading)
CP-072	Х	CP-002 (Semi Erect)
	Х	CP-030 (Spreading)
	Х	CP-034 (Semi Spreading)

Planting pattern = Paired rows of male and female parents.

Row spacing = 75cm Plant spacing = 20cm

Planting time = 1<sup>st</sup> fortnight of September

# Previous year's Results

Harvested (6) successful crosses

## 22- Title Study of Filial Generations

**Objectives** To evaluate various segregating generations for selecting desirable genotypes.

Research worker(s) Anwar-ul-Haq, Muhammad Sajjad Saeed, Muhammad Amir Amin and Muhammad

Shafiq

Project duration 2016 (continuous)

**Location** Faisalabad.

### Treatments/ Methodology

Filial generation	Crosses/	progenies

F1 = 6 crosses F2 = 2 crosses

No of rows = Single and four rows of  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  crosses respectively

Row spacing = 75cm Plant spacing = 20cm

Row Length

Planting time =  $2^{nd}$  fortnight of June.

= 4m

## Previous year's

Two F<sub>1</sub> crosses were harvested

Results

23. Title	<b>Preliminary Yiel</b>	ld Trial		
Objectives	To evaluate promisir	To evaluate promising lines for high yield potential.		
Research worker(s)	Anwar-ul-Haq, Muha Ch. Muhammad Rafi	ammad Sajjad Saeed, Muhammad Shafiq iq		
Project duration Location	2016 (continuous) Faisalabad.			
Treatments/ Methodology	Check Design Replications Plot size Row spacing Plant spacing Planting time Data to be taken	<ul> <li>= 9 viz; CP-016, CP-027, CP-039, CP-040, CP-043, CP-044, CP-050, CP-076, CP-099</li> <li>= S.A. Dandy</li> <li>= RCB</li> <li>= 3</li> <li>= 5 m x 3.0m</li> <li>= 75cm</li> <li>= 20cm</li> <li>= 2<sup>nd</sup> fortnight of june</li> <li>= Plant stand, Days to 50 % flowering, plant type, to maturity, disease incidence, number of pods/plant, flower colour, number of seeds/pod, 100 grain weight and seed yield.</li> </ul>		

### Previous year's Results

Rank	Entry	Yield kg/ha
1.	CP-009	1129
2.	CP-021	1102
3.	CP-025	933
4.	S.A.Dandy(Check)	918
5.	CP-005	900
6.	CP-006	844
7.	CP-041	822
8.	CP-035	796
9.	CP-038	733
10.	CP-008	684
	LSD 5%	66
	CV %	4.34

24- Title	Advanced Yield	Trial		
Objectives	To select high yieldin	To select high yielding, well-adapted and disease resistant lines.		
Research worker(s)	Anwar-ul-Haq, Muha	mmad Sajjad Saeed and Muhammad Shafiq		
Project duration	2016 (Continuous)			
Location	Faisalabad			
Treatments/ Methodology	Check Design Replications Plot size Row spacing Plant spacing Planting time Data to be taken	<ul> <li>= 09 viz; CP-005,CP-009, CP-021, CP-025, CP-030, CP-032,CP-036, CP-049, CP-091</li> <li>= S.A. Dandy</li> <li>= RCB</li> <li>= 3</li> <li>= 5 m x 4.5m</li> <li>= 75cm</li> <li>= 20cm</li> <li>= 2<sup>nd</sup> fortnight of june</li> <li>= Plant stand, Days to 50 % flowering, plant type, to maturity, disease incidence, number of pods/plant, flower colour, number of seeds/pod, 100 grain weight and seed yield.</li> </ul>		

Previous year's results

Rank	Entry	Yield kg/ha
1.	CP-030	1148
2.	CP-012	1086
3.	CP-041	1077
4.	CP-009	1004
5.	S.A. Dandy (Check)	975
6.	CP-001	953
7.	CP-093	927
8.	CP-005	822
9.	CP-065	812
10.	CP-038	804
	LSD 5%	80
	CV %	4.87

25. Title	Micro Yield Trial
Ohiectives	To select high violding well-adapted an

To select high yielding, well-adapted and disease resistant lines. Objectives

Anwar-ul-Haq, Muhammad Sajjad Saeed and Muhammad Shafiq Research worker(s)

**Project duration** 2016 (Continuous)

Faisalabad, Kallurkot, Sahowaliand Fateh Jang Location

Treatments/
Methodology

Entries = 07 viz. CP-009, JK-101, CP-030, CP-041, CP-037,

CP-034 & CP-072

Check = S.A. Dandy

Design = RCB Replications =3

Plot size = 5 m x 6 mRow spacing = 75 cmPlant spacing = 20 cm

Planting time =  $2^{nd}$  fortnight of june

Data to be taken = Plant stand, Days to 50 % flowering, plant type, to

maturity, disease incidence, number of pods/plant, flower colour, number of seeds/pod, 100 grain weight

and seed yield.

Previous year's Results

Rank	Entry No.		Location			
		Faisalabad	Kallurkot	Fatehjang	kg/ha	
1.	CP-037	11022	1026	1240	1132	
2.	CP-072	1070	1032	1021	1036	
3.	CP-034	1050	963	795	901	
4.	S.A.Dandy (Check)	942	986	774	889	
5.	CP-029	933	983	681	820	
6.	CP-012	912	833	674	749	
7.	CP-002	842	828	639	737	
8.	CP-065	920	771	545	696	
	LSD (5%)	77	NS	75		
	CV %	4.55	17.29	11.55		

26- Title	Sowing	<b>Date</b>	<b>Trials</b>
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**Objectives** To find out the optimum time of sowing of the crop.

Research worker(s) Anwar-ul-Haq, Muhammad Sajjad Saeed and Muhammad Shafiq

**Project duration** 2016 (continuous)

**Location** Faisalabad

**Treatments/** Entries = CP-037, CP-065 and JK-101

Methodology D1 =  $15^{th}$  May D2 =  $1^{st}$  June

D3 = 15<sup>th</sup> June
D4 = 1<sup>st</sup> July
D5 = 15<sup>th</sup> July

Design = Split Plot

Replications = 3

Plot size = 5 m x 3.0 mRow spacing = 75 cm

Plant spacing = 20cm

Previous year's

**Results** 

First year of the trial.

### D. PLANT PATHOLOGY

27. Title EVALUATION OF MUNGBEAN (Vigna radiata (L.) Wilczek)

PROMISING LINES/ VARIETIES FOR RESISTANCE/ TOLERANCE TO MUNGBEAN YELLOW MOSAIC VIRUS (MYMV) AND URDBEAN LEAF

CRINKLE VIRUS (ULCV)

**Objectives**To select mungbean cultivars/lines resistant/tolerant to Mungbean Yellow

Mosaic Virus and Urdbean Leaf Crinkle Virus for use in hybridization

programme.

Research worker(s) Dr. M. Azhar Iqbal, M. Umar Shahbaz and Javed Anwar Shah

**Project duration** 2016

**Location** Faisalabad (PRI)

**Treatments** Varieties/ lines

Methodology Each entry will be planted in 3 meter long and 30cm apart single row

during the 1<sup>st</sup> week of July in three replications. A highly susceptible variety

Mung Kabuli will be sown as spreader after every two test entries.

Observations on the incidence of MYMV and ULCV will be recorded under field conditions at Seedling stage and Maturity according to disease rating

scale (Bashir, 2005 and Khalid et al., 2011).

#### **Previous Years Results**

REACTION	LINES / VARIETIES (MYMV)
Highly Resistant	-
Resistant	-
Moderately Resistant	7006, 8009, 1009, AZRI-06 and NM-11.
Moderately Susceptible	-
Susceptible	11002 and 7008.
Highly Susceptible	-

**Note:** Urdbean Leaf Crinkle Virus was not observed on the Mung bean lines.

28. Title EVALUATION OF MASH (Vigna mungo (L.) Hepper) LINES/

VARIETIES FOR RESISTANCE/ TOLERANCE TO URDBEAN LEAF CRINKLE VIRUS (ULCV) AND MUNGBEAN YELLOW MOSAIC VIRUS

(MYMV)

**Objectives**To select mash cultivars/lines, resistant/tolerant to Urdbean Leaf Crinkle

Virus and Mungbean Yellow Mosaic Virus for use in hybridization

programme.

Research worker(s) Dr. M. Azhar Iqbal, Javed Anwar Shah and M. Umar Shahbaz

**Project duration** 2016

**Location** Faisalabad (PRI)

Treatments Varieties/ lines

Methodology Each entry will be planted in 3 meter long and 30cm apart single row

during the 1<sup>st</sup> week of July in three replications. A highly susceptible variety **Kandhari Mash** will be sown as spreader after every two test entries. Observations on the incidence of ULCV and MYMV will be recorded under field conditions at Seedling stage and Maturity according to disease rating

scale (Bashir, 2005 and Khalid et al., 2011).

#### **Previous Years Results**

REACTION	LINES/ VARIETIES (MYMV)
Highly Resistant	-
Resistant	13M002 and 13M003.
Moderately Resistant	13M001, 13M007, 13M008, 14M001 and 15M006.
Moderately Susceptible	14M002, 15M002 and 15M007.
Susceptible	
Highly Susceptible	-

**Note:** Urdbean Leaf Crinkle Virus was not observed on the Mash bean lines.

29. Title EVALUATION OF COWPEAS (Vigna sinensis) PROMISING LINES FOR

RESISTANCE/ TOLERANCE TO COWPEA YELLOW MOSAIC VIRUS

(CYMV)

Objectives To select cultivars/lines, resistant/tolerant to CYMV

Research worker(s) M. Umar Shahbaz, Dr. M. Azhar Iqbal and Javed Anwar Shah

Project duration 2016

LocationFaisalabad (PRI)TreatmentsVarieties/ lines

### Methodology

Each entry will be planted in 3 meter long and 30cm apart single row during the 1<sup>st</sup> week of July having three replications. A highly susceptible **Desi Arvan** will be sown after every two test entries. Observations on the virus incidence will be recorded under field conditions at seedling and maturity, according to disease rating scale (Bashir, 2005 and Khalid *et al.*, 2011).

### **Previous Years Results**

REACTION	LINES/ VARIETIES
	CP-01, CP-03, CP-05, CP-07, CP-09, CP-010,
Highly Resistant	CP-012, CP-013, CP-015, CP-017, CP-038,
	CP-041, CP-049, CP-065.
Resistant	-
Moderately Resistant	-
Moderately Susceptible	-
Susceptible	-
Highly Susceptible	-

30. Title	Evaluation of Mungbean (Vigna radiata (L.) Wilczek)
	Lines for Resistance/ Tolerance to Cercospora leaf spot

Objectives To select Mungbean cultivars/ lines resistant/ tolerant to Cercospora

canesens for use in hybridization programme.

Research worker(s) Dr. M. Azhar Iqbal, M. Umar Shahbaz and Javed Anwar Shah

Project duration 2016)

**Location** Faisalabad (PRI)

Treatments / Methodology

**Previous Years Results** 

During the 1st week of July in two replication. A highly susceptible variety  $C_2$ -94-4-36 will be sown as spreader after every two test entries. Observations on Percentage Disease Index (PDI) and Infection Percentage (PI) will be recorded according to disease rating scale.ach entry will be planted in 3 meter long and 30cm apart single row

Out of 150 lines/ varieties, no line was highly resistant, resistant or moderately resistant, 77 moderately susceptible, 62 susceptible and 11 were found highly susceptible.

31. TITLE MANAGEMENT OF CERCOSPORA LEAF SPOT

(Cercospora canescens) in MUNG BEAN (Vigna radiata (L.) Wilczek)

BY USING CURATIVE FUNGICIDES

**Objectives**To see the effect of different spray fungicides for the management of

Cercospora leaf spot (Cercospora canescens) in Mungbean.

Research worker(s) M. Umar Shahbaz, Dr. M. Azhar Iqbal and Javed Anwar Shah

Project duration 2016

**Location** Faisalabad (PRI)

**Treatments** Variety =  $C_2$ -94-4-36

T<sub>1</sub> Daconil (Chlorothalonil) (600ml/ Acre)

T<sub>2</sub> Ridomil Gold (Mancozeb+Metalaxyl) (250g/ Acre)

T<sub>3</sub> Bavistin (Carbendazim) (200ml/ Acre)

 $T_0$  Control ( $H_2$  O)

Methodology Cercospora leaf spot (CLS) susceptible variety C<sub>2</sub>-94-4-36 will be sown in

RCBD having 3 replications with 1x4m subplots. The inoculum will be sprayed after 40-45 days of sowing to create disease epidemic. The test fungicides will be sprayed after the appearance of the disease. Observations on Percentage Disease Index (PDI) and Infection Percentage

(PI) will be recorded after 7 days interval.

Previous Years Results New experiment

#### **ENTOMOLOGY STUDIES** E.

32 - TITLE	EFFICACY OF SOME INSECTICIDES AGAINST WHITE FLY ON MUNG CROP.		
Objectives	To find out the most effective and economical insecticide for the control of white fly.		
Research worker(s)	Zubair Ahmad, Dr. Aziz- ur- Rehman and Ch.Muhammad Rafiq		
Project duration	2016		
Location	Faisalabad and Dist. Sheikhupura		
Treatments	<ol> <li>Mospilan 20 SP (Acetamiprid) @ 125 gram/acre</li> <li>Priority 10.8 EL (Pyriproxyfen) @ 500 ml/acre</li> <li>Pyramid 10 % SC (Nitenpyram) @ 200 ml/ acre</li> <li>Confidor 200 % SL (Imidacloprid) @ 250 ml/acre</li> <li>Priority 10.8 EL (Pyriproxyfen) @ 500 ml/acre + Mospilan 20 SP (Acetamiprid) @ 125 gram/acre</li> <li>Priority 10.8 EL (Pyriproxyfen) @ 500 ml/acre + Confidor 200 % SL (Imidacloprid) @ 250 ml/acre</li> <li>Check</li> </ol>		
Methodology	Layout = RCBD  Replications = 3  Row spacing = 30 cm  Plant spacing = 10 cm  Plot size = 5.0 m x 6.0m (Line per plot 20)  Data to be taken = The Whitefly population will be recorded on per leaf before spray and then after 3 and 7 days of spray from 15 randomly selected leaves of 15 plants from each plot. The experiment will be conducted as an activity of PARB project 532.		

**Previous Years Results** First Year

33 - TITLE	MANAGEMENT OF COWPEA POD BORER HELICOVERPA ARMIGERA
Objectives	To find out the effective control strategy on Cowpea pod borer.
Research worker(s)	Zubair Ahmad, Dr. Anwar ul Haq and Ch. Muhamamd Rafiq
Project duration	2016
Location	Faisalabad

**Treatments** 

- 1. Weed control at 3 and 6 weeks after sowing
- 2. Intercropping of Sorghum (One line in between plot)
- 3 .Neem oil/aqueous @ 500 ml/acre
- 4. Eucalyptus oil/aqueous @ 500 ml/acre
- 5. Emmamectin Benzoate 1.9 EC @ 200 ml/acre
- 6. T1+T2+T3+T5
- 7. Check

Methodology

Layout = RCBD Replications = 3

Row spacing = 75cm Plant spacing = 20 cm

Plot size = 5.0 m x 6.0 m (line per plot=8)

Data to be taken = Five plants from each plot will be selected

randomly for recording data. Pod borer infestation %age will be recorded after 10 days interval upto

maturity.

**Previous Years Results** 

34- Title SCREENING OF MUNG BEAN ADVANCE LINES AGAINST STORED GRAIN

PEST CALLOSOBRUCHUS ANALIS (FAB) IN LABORATORY.

**Objectives** To find out the advance lines tolerant to stored grain pest.

**Research workers** Zubair Ahmad and Ch. Muhammad Rafiq

First Year

**Project duration** 2016

**Location** Faisalabad

**Treatments / Methodology** 

100 gram grains each of 50 advance lines along with checks of mung will be placed in a chamber covered with muslin cloth. Experiment will be replicated thrice. Five pairs per 100 gram grains of C.analis adults will be released in the

chamber.

After completion of one generation, the weight of damaged grains will be taken after removing all dust and insects. The difference between initial and final weight will be recorded to assess the loss of weight in grains. Percentage of damaged grains will also be recorded by counting damaged and

undamaged grains in the whole sample replication wise.

First Year

**Previous Years Results** 

First Year

## F. BACTERIOLOGY

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35. Title	IMPACT OF COTTON SOIL HEALTH.	I MUNG BEAN INTERCROPPING ON YIELD AND	
Objectives	To study <b>the</b> impact of cotton Mung bean intercropping on yield and soil		
Objectives	·	i cotton witing bean intercropping on yield and soil	
	health.		
Research workers	Muhammad Aslam Avais, Dr. Azhar Iqbal in collaboration with Soil		
	Bacteriology Section, AARI, FSD		
Project duration	2016		
Location	Faisalabad		
Treatments/	Variety:	= FH-142 (Cotton), AZRI-2006 (Mung Bean)	
Methodlogy	Treatments:	= 4	
	T1-	Cotton	
	T2-	Mung	
	T3-	Cotton + Mung(One row of cotton alternating	
		with one row of mung bean)	
	T4-	Cotton + Mung(One row of cotton alternating	
		with two rows of mung bean)	
	Layout:	= RCBD	
	Replication:	= 5	
	Plot size:	= 4.5m x 3m	
	Row spacing:	= Cotton (75 cm), Mung Bean (30cm)	
	Plant spacing:	= Cotton (45cm), Mung Bean (10cm)	
	Sowing date:	= First week of May	
	Recommended	dose of fertilizer will be added to the soil prior to	

Recommended dose of fertilizer will be added to the soil prior to sowing. Data for Plant height, No. of branches and No. of pods/ plant, 1000 grain weight (Mung Bean), No. of bolls per plant, boll weight (Cotton) and yields will be recorded. Pre sowing and post-harvest soil analysis for NPK, Organic-C and microbial count will be carried out. Costbenefit ratio will be calculated.

Previous year's

Results

Location

First Year

Faisalabad

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36. TITLE	USE OF RHIZOBIUM AND PGPR COINOCULATION FOR MUNG
	BEAN PRODUCTION
Objectives	To identify the best suited Rhizobium-PGPR co inoculation for optimum
	mung bean production
Research workers	Muhammad Aslam Avais, Dr. Azhar Iqbal in collaboration with Soil
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Treatments/
Methodology

Variety: = AZRI-2006

Treatments: = 6

T1- Control (25-60-0)

T2- Rhizobium sp. Of mung bean

T3- Azoto bacter (PGPR<sub>1</sub>)

T4- Bacillus (PGPR<sub>2</sub>)

T5- Rhizobium + PGPR<sub>1</sub>

T6- Rhizobium + PGPR<sub>2</sub>

Layout: = RCBD

Replication: = 3

Plot size:  $= 3m \times 5m$ Row spacing: = 30 cmPlant spacing: = 10 cm

Sowing date: = First week of July

Recommended dose of fertilizers will be added to the soil prior to sowing. Rhizobium as well as PGPR culture as per treatment will be applied to seed before sowing. Data for Plant height, No. of branches and No. of pods per plant, 1000 grain weight and grain yield will be recorded. Pre sowing and post-harvest soil analysis for NPK, Organic-C and microbial count will be carried out

Previous year's Results

First Year