

ICAR-National Bureau of Plant Genetic Resources

About ICAR-NBPGR

The National Bureau of Plant Genetic Resources (NBPGR) is unit under Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR), Department of Agricultural Research and Education (DARE), Ministry of Agriculture, Government of India. It was established in the year 1976 as full-fledged Institute. The NBPGR has its headquarters at New Delhi and having 10 Regional Stations across the country.

- Director is Head of the Institute. He exercises all the powers related to administrative, financial and disciplinary as delegated by ICAR.
- Head of Departments (HoDs) (5) – Plant Quarantine Division, Germplasm Conservation Division, Germplasm Evaluation Division, Plant Exploration & Germplasm Collection Division & Division of Genomic Resources.
- Senior Administrative Officer
- Senior Finance & Accounts Officer

Mandate

The mandate of National Bureau of Plant Genetic Resources is:

To act as nodal Institute at national level for acquisition and management of indigenous and exotic plant genetic resources for food and agriculture, and to carry out related resources and human resource development for sustainable growth of agriculture.