

A Report on

Rose and Gladiolus Show

(From 21st to 22nd January, 2023)













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CSIR-NBRI hosted a two-day exhibition on the ROSE & GLADIOLUS show from 21 to 22 January 2023.

The ROSE & GLADIOLUS Show was inaugurated at the central lawn of CSIR-National Botanical Research Institute in Lucknow on 21 January 2023. Inderjit Singh, Lucknow Municipal Commissioner, was the chief guest while Radha Rangarajan, Director of CSIR-CDRI, and Bhaskar Narayan, Director of CSIR-IITR



were the guest of honour, on the second and final day of the show on Sunday 22 January 2023.

About 75 varieties of roses were displayed with 'Green Rose' (Rosa 'Viridiflora') in the pots and 90 varieties in a flower vase in various colors and forms catching the attention of visitors.

The CSIR-NBRI Pavilion, where cut flowers of roses and gladiolus varieties from NBRI's germplasm collection were displayed. Various herbal products including herbal lip balm, soft drinks, bathroom cleaner, herbal sanitizer, gulal, toothpaste, and cream developed by NBRI's research and development, were also displayed.

NBRI-EIACP (former NBRI-ENVIS) distributed knowledgeable products in form of newsletters and flyers to visitors. Visitors gained information regarding the green planner app and the role of plants to mitigate pollution like SO2, NOx, SPM, etc. EIACP encourage visitors to use paper and cloth bag and avoid the use of













single-use plastics. A total of 102 students/lecturers/Research Scholars interacted with team NBRI-EIACP during the flower show.



Rekha Devi from Alambagh won the 'best gladiolus' spike of the show, while Apurva Rai from Amethi won the 'best rose' award. Visitors appreciated the green planner app as they have the information to mitigate indoor air pollution using plants along with plants suitable for greenbelt and removing suspended air pollutants.

