Research Advisory Group Meeting, ICFRE-TFRI, Jabalpur
(23rd September, 2024)

Evaluation of projects by RAG Member

01. **Project proposal titled** "Exploration of Kairomone Signals for the Eco-friendly Management of Defoliator Pests in Teak Nurseries and Plantations".

S. No	Technical Criteria for Project Assessment ↓	Max. Score	Grading of Technical Criterias (Based on the criteria covered in the project proposal), RAGs are to tick mark in the appropriate box				Score by RAG Member
			Not covered (0-5)	Marginally covered (6-10)	Moderately covered (11-15)	Fully covered (16-20)	
I	Comprehensiveness of literature review – whether gaps in knowledge on the issue have been clearly brought out	20				✓	17
II	Objectives – clarity towards meeting knowledge gaps and measurability	20				✓	18
III	Methodology – appropriateness in meeting the objectives	20			✓		15
IV	Statistical design and analysis tools – whether robust enough to support project methodology and to help in meeting project objectives	20				✓	18
V	Forward-backward linkages – how strongly the proposed project is based on the ongoing institutional programme and how the outputs are proposed to be integrated into the same for future programme / adoption of research by stakeholders / technology development	20				✓	16
VI	**Total (Overall grading):**	100					84
VII	Remarks if any by RAG members for Improvement of the project	Add cost-effective parameter in the project.					

Note: The projects scoring 80 or more on the above technical parameters (based on average of scores by the RAG members present) are to be recommended by the institute RAGs to the RPC. The minimum criteria can be changed and fixed before the conduction of each year RPC.

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