



7th Annual Conference of the India Section of AOAC INTERNATIONAL

Parallel Session

Day 1 28th February, 2020

11:00-13:00 hrs

Joint AOAC - FSSAI – NVWA parallel session ‘Food safety standards, monitoring, analysis, certification and traceability for fresh fruits and vegetables’ (11:00 – 13:00 hrs)

Duration

Keynote address : Importance of consuming sufficient safe fruits and vegetables and opportunities for doubling farmers’ incomes and agricultural exports

120 mins

Government panel (FSSAI, NVWA, JS MIDH/director NHB): developments in fruit/vegetable safety and policy/standards/monitoring in India and NL

Market panel: Developments, challenges and opportunities for food safety in production and consumption of fruits and vegetables (innovative NL horticulture companies) and certification/traceability in India

The session might end with a common pledge.

11:00 – 11:10	Opening and keynote address
11:10 – 11:50	Safety of fruits and vegetables in NL/EU: Mr. Henk van der Schee and Mr. Paul Bontenbal, Netherlands Food and Consumer Product Safety Authority
11:50 – 12:10	Safety of fruits and vegetables in India: Dr. Debabrata Kanungo, Former Chairman- FSSAI Scientific Panel on Pesticides and Antibiotic Residues. FSSAI sector specialist (TBC)
12:10 – 12:50	Panel discussion: Opportunities and challenges in food safety of fruits and vegetables: APEDA: Mr. Devendra Prasad, DGM IARI: Dr. K. K. Sharma, Coordinator- All India Network Project on Pesticide Residues ICAR: Dr. Rajan, ADG PP, ICAR Mother Dairy: Mr. Pradipta Sahoo, Business Head (Horticulture) GrapeNet: Dr. Ahammed Shabeer T.P., NRL, Senior Scientist, ICAR-NRC Grapes Mr. René Zwinkels, Advisor, TwinsYeald
12:50 – 13:00	Closing of the session

<i>Day 2</i>	29th February, 2020		
<i>9:00-10:45</i>	Technical Session -1	Session /Panel members	Duration
	Generic approach for the method validation : Method Validation Vs Matrix , SLV-Level 1 & 2, MLV	Dr Balasubramanian	45 mins
		Dr Vishal Arora	30 mins
	Role of Public (FCC) Standards in Protecting Supply Chain Integrity	Dr Mrunal Jayawant- USP, Hyderabad	30 mins
<i>10:45-11:15</i>	Tea Break		
<i>11:15-13:00</i>	Introduction to Food Industry Operations and Role of the Analytical Function	Rajesh Girdhar, Abbott	45 mins
	Good Laboratory Practices - Key Elements and Approaches	Dr K. Balasubramanian	60 mins