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1.	Year of Start	:	1908																
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3.	Objectives/Mandates	:	• To evaluate varieties of bast fibre crops. Ambadi, Sunhemp, Jute, Agave • To evolve cultivation practices • To conduct yield trials of improvement varieties of above crops.																
4.	Infrastructure	:																	
	Land	:	4.12 ha																
	Irrigation facility	:	Well																
	Laboratories	:	Plant Breeding Laboratory , Genetics Laboratory, Seed Technology laboratory																
	Advance facilities	:	Tissue Culture Laboratory																
5.	Human Resource	:																	
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6.	Research Achievements	:	Released following varieties of fiber crops. 1)Ambadi: MT-102 and HC-583 2) Sunhemp: Deogad 3) Roselle: RT:1 4) Jute: Kalyani Tosa																
7.	Ongoing Research	:	---																