

Release of mobile application (android) on important tree pests of south India

The ENVIS Centre on Forest Genetic Resources and Tree Improvement at the Institute of Forest Genetics and Tree Breeding (IFGTB) has developed a mobile application named “**Tree Pests of India**”. It was released by the Secretary of MoEF&CC Shri. Ajay Narayan Jha, IAS, in the presence of Senior Economic Advisor Dr Anandi Subramanian, IES, Economic Advisor Shri. Yashvir Singh and officials from Govt. of Gujarat during the ‘Summary Evaluation and Roll-out of the Revamped ENVIS Scheme’ held at Gandhinagar on 17th March 2017. The mobile application (android) provides basic information on the major insect pests of important tree species of south India. It also includes the various symptoms of diseases and control measures to be followed in each case. The mobile application can be downloaded from the link given below:

<https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=treepest.treepest>

