

Introduction to Precision Farming in Sahiwal

Food Security & Agriculture Center of Excellence (FACE) with joint collaboration of its partners arranged for an Introduction to Precision Farming for Potato growers in Sahiwal on 18th January 2021.



FACE team along with Sapphire Farms Services Pvt Limited, carried out on-ground demonstrations using a combination of pesticide and weedicide spray prepared by Syngenta to reveal the data analysis and precision spraying capabilities of Phantom 4 Multispectral and Agras T 16 Hexa-copters.



The local farmers were enlightened with the economic and production impacts of the agriculture drone technology. More than 60 farmers attended the session, advance bookings for drones were made, many farmers were also interested and got themselves registered to FACE. In continuation, the farmers were also oriented on the FACE led Agriculture based loans on lowest markup rates.



FFC Agri Services team along with partner Organizations arranged for an interactive session on the best practices where many queries relevant to potato cultivation were addressed.



Prior to the demonstration, FACE and Syngenta also held discussions to strategize on ways to counter the late blight of potatoes, the effectiveness of applied fungicide and dosage for weedicides for wheat crop through the hexa-copter drones. Through technology and joint collaborations, FACE envisions to reshape the future of Agriculture in Pakistan.

