

Appendix- II

Attitude of women farmers regarding organic farming

Statement	Marginal (n=17)			Small (n=47)			Medium (n=33)			Large (n=23)			Total (n=120)		
	A	U	D	A	U	D	A	U	D	A	U	D	A	U	D
Use of organic manure (cowling, agricultural waste) is not the best traditional practice of India (-ve)	11.76	-	88.24	21.27	-	78.73	15.15	3.03	81.82	8.70	-	91.30	15.83	0.83	83.34
Organic manure is not a complete supplement of chemicals and pesticides (-ve)	64.71	11.26	23.53	44.68	14.89	40.43	60.61	12.12	27.27	32.18	21.74	26.08	53.33	15.00	31.67
Use of organic manure increases the yield of crops (+ve)	58.82	18.65	23.53	74.47	21.27	4.26	48.48	24.25	27.27	47.83	34.78	17.39	60.00	24.17	15.83
Since use of organic manure is expensive everyone can not Aphrodite (-ve)	29.47	-	70.58	23.04	-	76.60	15.15	-	84.85	17.39	4.35	78.26	20.84	0.83	78.33
For production crop use of organic manure by itself is not sufficient (-ve)	52.94	11.76	35.30	46.81	23.40	29.79	51.52	18.18	30.30	4.48	17.39	39.13	40.33	19.17	32.50
Use of chemical fertilizer and pesticides can not be avoided (-ve)	52.94	5.88	41.18	57.45	14.89	27.66	54.55	9.09	36.36	48.48	13.04	43.48	53.33	11.67	35.00
Use of chemical fertilizer pesticides are harmful for the health family members (+ve)	52.94	5.88	41.18	72.34	-	27.66	93.94	3.03	3.08	86.96	-	13.04	78.33	1.63	20.00
Use of chemical fertilizers pesticides are essential for good quality of crop. (-ve)	70.58	17.65	11.77	59.27	12.77	27.66	45.46	12.12	42.42	56.53	17.39	26.08	56.66	14.17	29.17
Yield of crop produced by organic manure is light than by chemical fertilizers and pesticides (+ve)	52.94	17.65	29.41	57.45	31.91	10.64	54.55	24.24	21.21	34.78	34.78	30.44	51.67	28.33	20.00
Organic manure is not available in local market (-ve)	47.06	-	52.94	38.30	2.13	59.57	36.36	3.08	60.61	52.17	-	47.83	41.66	1.67	41.66

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No monetary cost is required for producing organic manure (-ve)	29.41	-	70.59	40.43	-	59.57	39.39	3.03	57.58	39.14	-	60.86	38.33	0.38	60.8
Crop produced by applying organic manure require less amount of water (+ve)	76.47	17.65	5.88	78.72	12.77	8.51	51.52	33.33	15.15	56.52	30.43	13.04	66.67	22.50	10.83
Quality of crop produced by the use of organic manure is higher. (-ve)	82.36	11.76	5.88	82.98	17.02	-	66.67	27.27	6.06	86.96	8.69	4.35	79.17	17.50	3.33

A = Agree U = Undecided D = Disagree