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## **Ongoing Research Projects**

 Evaluation of new and brand name fungicides / formulations against plant diseases funded by fungicide companies for ₹ 78.88 lakhs (2022-2023) from January 1985 to long term (Co-PI).

## **Important Research Publications**

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- Singh D, Bhatia HS, Sharma SD, Sharma NC, Kumar P and Kumari N. 2019. Foliar and soil N fertilization as a function of cropping behavior of Royal Delicious apple (*Malus domestica*). *Indian Journal of Agricultural Sciences* 89(4): 596-603.
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