



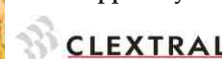
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Creating a flourishing opportunities and Promoting consumption among masses

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Facts & Focus

Ready to Eat Foods Industry can be a potential hub for the sustainable growth of new entrepreneurial opportunities; creating a flourishing opportunities; and Promoting consumption of RTE foods among masses.

1. A strong and effective food processing sector plays a significant role in diversification of agricultural activities improving value addition opportunities and creating surplus for export of agro food products.
2. The most important point in the food processing industry is that a substantial portion being rural based it has a very high employment potential with significantly lower investment.
3. The Indian processed food industry has shown a tremendous potential for exports.

4. The fruits and vegetable farming for processing is not only employment intensive, but also enhances the gross as well as net return of the farmers.
5. Cereal Processing one of highest grow sector to ensure nutritious foods
6. Emerging modern bakeries ensure best employment opportunities.
7. Food processing industry generates new demand as the farm sector for more and different agricultural outputs. The development of these industries would relax wage goods constraints to economic growth by enhancing the supply of their products.
8. Effective storage is the best food security for the poor people.

Agenda of the Conference

Monday, August 4, 2014

Inaugural Session

Session - I : On the robust: emerging technologies and products

Ever increasing demand for variety, novel and nutritious processed and packaged foods, has been challenging. There is strong need to make available latest technologies and development of new products.

Net working lunch

Session - II : Meet eyeball-to-eyeball For growth and sustainability

An expert panel discussion on the opportunities and challenges to market Development

Net working Tea

Session - III : Building Sector-Based Consensus: A Review on Status, Policies and Opportunities.

- Milk and Dairy Products
- Snack, Confectionery and Bakery Products.
- Beverage and Health Drinks
- Indian Traditional – Ready to eat foods.
- Seafood's and meat products

Concluding remarks

Confirmed Guests/Speakers

- ▶ **Shri Jagdish Prasad Meena, IAS**, Additional Secretary
Ministry of Food Processing & Industry
Govt. of India
- ▶ **Dr. K. Alagusundaram**, Director
Indian Institute of Crop Processing
Tech. Ministry of Food Processing Industries
- ▶ **Dr. William D. Dar**, Director General
International Crops Research Institute for the Semi-Arid Tropics
- ▶ **Dr. A.K. Shrivastava**, Director
National Dairy Research Institute
- ▶ **Dr. Sudhanshu**, Deputy General Manager
Agricultural & Processed Food Products Export Dev. Auth. (APEDA)
Ministry of Commerce & Industries, Govt. of India
- ▶ **Mr. N.L. Mehta**, Sr. General Manager
(Modern Foods Division) Hindustan Unilever Ltd.
- ▶ **Mr. Subhas Bhattacharjee**, Executive Director
North Eastern Regional Agricultural Marketing Corporation Ltd.
- ▶ **Dr. H. N. Mishra**, Professor of Food Technology
Agricultural and Food Engineering Department
Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur
- ▶ **Dr B Dayakar Rao**, Principal Scientist & Consortium
PI (NAIP-Millet Value chain)
Directorate of Sorghum Research
- ▶ **Mr. Sumit Saran**, Head - International Foods
Future Consumer Enterprise Ltd
- ▶ **Mr. Vikram Mulmule**, Sales Manager
John Bean Technologies India Pvt. Ltd.
- ▶ **Mr. Naveen Ganotra**, Area Sales Manager
Clextral, France
- ▶ **Dr Saikat Datta Mazumdar**, Chief-Operating Officer (COO)
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- ▶ **Ms. Priyadarshini Muley-Lotankar**
Glanbia.com
- ▶ **Mr. Paresh Parekh**, Partner
Ernst & Young LLP
- ▶ **Prof.(Dr.) Sabu Thomas**, Professor of Polymer Sci. & Tech.
Hon. Director, Centre for Nanoscience and Nanotechnology
School of Chemical Sciences, Mahatma Gandhi University
- ▶ **Mr. Ashwin Bhadri**, Head of Business Relations
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- ▶ **Mr. R.D. Shenoy**, Chairman
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- ▶ **Mr. Sanjay Khajuria**, Head of Corporate Communications
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