

NITRA Participates at Textile India 2017

NITRA has participated in the recently concluded 3-day Textile India 2017 at Gandhi Nagar, Gujarat during 30th June – 2nd July 2017. Ministry of Textiles, Government of India, has organized this mega event in order to exhibit the textile value chain of India to the world. The aim of the event was bringing global and Indian T&A and allied services industry leaders together on one platform; showcasing India's strength in textile and apparel value chain i.e. from farm to fibre to fabric to fashion, and also establishing India as a global sourcing and investment destination. Hon'ble Prime Minister of India **Sh. Narendra Modi** inaugurated the show in presence of many central and state ministers as well as Indian and international business leaders and buyers. It is a matter of great pride that NITRA, being a pioneering textile research organization in the country, had a very significant presence in this event as it set its own pavilion in the exhibition, organized a round-table conference and signed some important MoUs with leading organizations.

NITRA Pavilion at Textile India 2017

At the pavilion, NITRA showcased its various R&D works, its outcome and products developed in the areas of both general textiles and technical textiles through their research activities spanning for years. NITRA also displayed and sold its big basket of useful technical publications that has been helping the T&A professionals for many decades. **Sh. Nitin Gadkari**, Union Minister for Road Transport, Highways & Shipping, GoI, **Sh. Ajay Tamta**, Union MoS, Textiles, GoI and a large no. of Indian and international delegates thronged NITRA pavilion and appreciated its works during the exhibition.

