

2. INTRODUCTION

2.1 : Brief History

The ICAR-Central Institute for Cotton Research (CICR) was established at Nagpur in 1976. The two

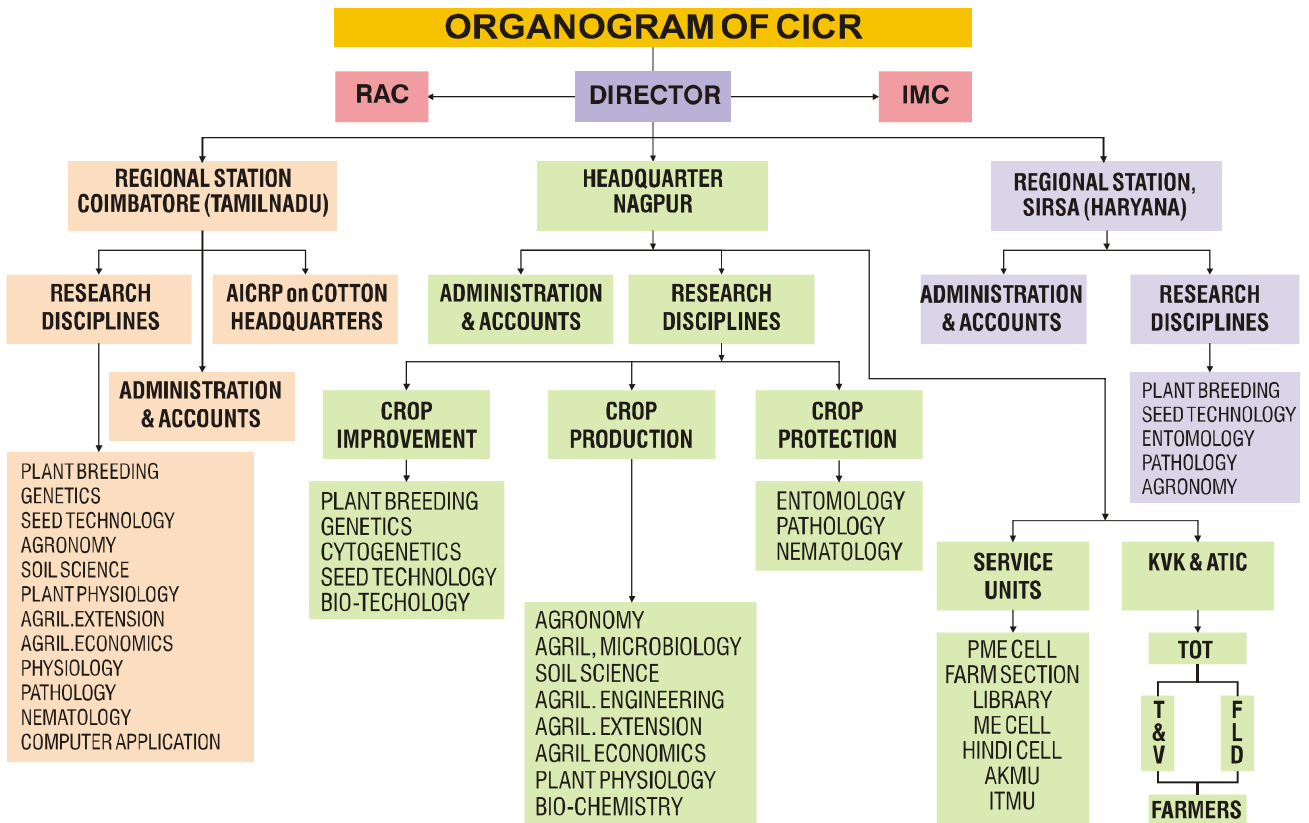
regional stations of IARI located at Sirsa (Haryana) and Coimbatore (Tamil Nadu) were transferred to CICR to cater to the needs of north and south India, respectively.

Location of the of ICAR-CICR Institute

Center	Latitude	Longitude
ICAR-CICR, Head Quarters, Nagpur, Maharashtra	21.037	79.056
ICAR-CICR, Regional Station, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	11.014	76.929
ICAR-CICR, Regional Station, Sirsa, Haryana	29.543	75.038

2.2 : Mandate

- Basic, strategic and adaptive research on production, protection, fibre quality and by-products of cotton
- Creation of new genetic variability for location-specific adoption in cotton-based cropping systems.
- Coordination and monitoring of applied research on national and regional issues to develop improved varieties and technologies
- Dissemination of technologies and capacity building



2.3 : Staff Position (as on 31st March, 2018)

Name of the Post	Sanctioned Cadre Strength				Post Filled Up			
	NGP	CBE	Sirsa	Total	NGP	CBE	Sirsa	Total
Director (RMP)	1	--	--	1	--	--	--	--
Scientific	51	21	8	80	44	21	8	73
Technical	46	16	10	72	24	13	9	46
Administrative	34	9	5	48	22	6	5	33
Supporting	43	17	10	70	30	11	8	46
Krishi Vigyan Kendra								
Training Organizer	1	--	--	1	--	--	--	--
Technical	11	--	--	11	8	--	--	8
Administrative	2	--	--	2	1	--	--	1
Supporting	2	--	--	2	--	--	--	--

NGP - Nagpur; CBE - Coimbatore

2.4 : Financial Statement

The budget grant and actual expenditure for the year 2017-18 are furnished below:

(Rs. in Lakhs)

Name of Scheme	2017-18	
	Sanction	Expenditure
Plan Scheme	1932.80	1918.88
Deposit Scheme	757.66	648.13
Revolving Fund	15.16	16.79
Govt. Grants (Non-Plan & Plan merged from 2017-18)	3966.33	3947.72
Total (in lakhs)	6671.95	6531.52
Revenue Generation (Revenue Receipts)	64.48	0.00

