Brief Profile

1. Name of the Scientist: Ram Dhiraj Singh

2. Personal Bio-data

A) Designation: Principal Scientist

B) Contact Details.

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C) Joining date:

I) ICAR; 21..1.1992

II) IISR: 27.12.192

D) Discipline: Farm Machinery and Power

E) Training;

| Advances in seeding and harvesting | 21/5/2001 | 19/6/2001 |
|---|-----------|-----------|
| machinery at PAU, Ludhiana | | |
| Wear Characteristics and selection of | 04/9/2001 | 24/9/2001 |
| materials for agricultural machinery at | | |
| CIAE, Bhopal | | |

F) Contribution:

i) Research Projects

- Modern jaggery plant for production of Quality Jaggery at IISR, Lucknow,
- Forced draft system in two pan Furnace for fuel saving,
- Estimation of Post Harvest Losses in crops and commodities,
- Solar dryer for jaggery drying,
- Value addition of jageery with natural source of Vitamin -C

- Study of losses of Vitamin-c during storage of value added jaggery
- Evaporator for sugarcane juice for automation of jaggery production
- Packaging study of jagggery under shrink wrap, stretch wrap and modified atmosphere condition

ii) Books

| Title | Authors | Year |
|--|---------------------|------|
| Processing, Handling | Singh, J and Singh, | 2008 |
| and Storage of | R.D. | |
| Sugarcane Jaggery, | | |
| Mechanization of | Singh, J., Yadava, | 2010 |
| Sugarcane Cultivation, | D.V., Singh, A.K. | |
| IISR, Lucknow. | and Singh, R.D. | |

- iii) Product: Value Added jaggery with Vitamin-C
- iv) **Process :** Process for production of Value added jaggery with natural source of vitamin-c

v) Equipment

- Solar Dryer for jaggry drying
- Evaporator for Sugarcane juice

3. Future planning of work:

• Development of Energy efficient Trash management Technology

4. Publications

| Authors, Year of publication, Title | Journal Name, | NAAS |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|--------|
| of the paper | Volume and Page | Rating |
| | No. | |
| 1. Singh RD, Ram RB and Prasad | AMA, Vol29,No.2 | 6.01 |
| N1998. Performance Indices of | | |
| manually operated maize shellers. | | |
| 2Singh, R.D., and Tiwari | Energy Conversion | 10.38 |
| G.N.2000.Thermal heating of | and management | |
| controlled environment greenhouse: | | |

| a transient analysis | 41(2000)505-522 | |
|---|---|-------|
| 3. Tiwari, G N, Nayak S, Dube S, Solanki S C and Singh R D 2009. Performance analysis of a conventional PV/T mixed mode dryer under no load condition. | International journal of Energy research, 33:919-930 | 8.42 |
| 4. Singh R D and G.N.Tiwari 2010. Energy conservation in the greenhouse system: a stead state analysis. | ENERGY – the International journal, (35):2367- 2373. | 10.84 |
| 5.Singh J, Singh R D, Anwar SI and Solomon S 2011. Alternative Sweeteners Production from Sugarcane in India :Lump Sugar(Jaggery) | Sugar Tech, 13(4):366-371 | 6.58 |
| 6.Singh, A.K., Baboo, B., Singh, RD. 2008. Performance Evaluation of Two Pan Furnace with forced draft system for Jaggery Making. | Journal of Agril. Engg. 45(2):29-33 | 4.27 |
| 7.Anwar, S.I. Singh, R.D . and Singh, J. 2009. Value addition of jaggery (<i>gur</i>) through natural source of vitamin C. | Indian J of Sugarcane Technology, 24 (1 & 2): 48-51 | 3.16 |
| 8. Singh, R.D. , Srivastava, A.C. and Shahi, H.N. 2009. Performance evaluation of seeder-cum-sugarcane cutter planter . | Agricultural Engineering Today, 33(1): 3- 6. | 3.66 |

5. Other relevant Activities of the Scientist

• IMC member of the institute for three years