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Conducting the 7th JTF Meeting in MoA meeting hall:

The 7th JTF meeting in the MoA meeting room, to display the achievements for the activities under EVAP project, in the presence of EVAP project experts, field extensionists from the governorates of Jericho, Tubas and Nablus, And NARC. The meeting included a brief presentation on the extension plans and the achievements during the previous period, the presentation were about all the applied agricultural techniques in the fields.



Opening a nursery for producing grafted vegetable seedlings in Bardalah, Kardalah and Ein Al-Beida:

The Minister of Agriculture in cooperation with JICA opened a nursery for producing grafted vegetable seedlings in Bardalah, Kardalah and Ein Al-Beida Nursery, this activity in under the framework of the continuous efforts of the MoA and JICA to apply the technique of grafting in Palestine. This technical support is being implemented through training programs for the estensionists and increase farmers awareness for necessity of using high disease resistant seedlings, through this, we managed to achieve many satisfactory results..



Conducting a training workshop on transferring compost making techniques in Japan to the MoA extensionists:

A training workshop on transferring compost making techniques in Japan to the MoA extensionists was conducted, this workshop included detailed explanations of the most important aspects of the training in Japan, like: Importance of Compost, Advantages of Using Compost, in addition, methods and techniques of compost making in Japan and matching with the compost making methods applied in Palestine.



Field visits to follow up with the activities in the targeted areas:



Preparation of packaging house plan- Jeftlik



Training on farm records keeping



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Grafted & non-grafted tomato Demo. – Jericho



Land preparation-Flower Demo- F.B.D



Using machine in harvesting farm waste

Conducting a field day on the grafted vegetable seedlings:

A field day on the importance of cultivating grafted vegetable seedlings was conducted in Ein Al-Beida, while group of Ein Al-Beida Cooperative participated in this field day. This field day aimed to train the farmers in the targeted areas on the methods and practices of cultivating grafted vegetable seedlings.



Practical training on silage making in Beit Hasan:

A field day on silage making from farm waste was conducted in Beit Hasan, in the presence of group of farmers and in cooperation with EVAP Project. This Field day aimed to train the farmers in the targeted areas on the methods of silage making from farm waste, to produce cheaper and high quality animal fodder.

