



Mevedir: Inspiring Future Horticulture Leaders Through Dalle Khursani Exposure Visit

Academic Visit by Agricultural Students to Mevedir, South Sikkim

On 3rd September 2025, Mevedir — a leading Dalle Khursani (Akabare Khursani) exporter from Sikkim — had the honor of hosting a group of 20 B.Sc. (Hons.) 4th year students and 3 M.Sc. scholars from the College of Horticulture, Central Agricultural University (Imphal), Bermiok, South Sikkim.

The visit was organized as part of the students' academic exposure and experiential learning programme, aimed at bridging classroom knowledge with real-world agricultural practices.

The team was accompanied by respected faculty members:

<u>Dr. Nangsol Dolma Bhutia, Assistant Professor, Department of Vegetable Science</u>

<u>Dr. Yamuna Pandey, Assistant Professor, Department of Fruit Science</u>

Practical Learning on Dalle Khursani Post-Harvest Handling

The students received hands-on training in post-harvest management of Dalle Khursani (Akabare Khursani), one of the most prized and

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- Packaging Operations Learning eco-friendly and international standard practices that preserve freshness.
- Labeling and Quality Standards Observing how compliance with global norms helps Dalle Khursani reach international markets.
- ☑ Value Addition Techniques Insights into transforming raw produce into high-value products such as pickles, powders, and sauces

This real-time exposure helped students connect theory with practice while gaining insights into how **Mevedir maintains its reputation as a** <u>trusted exporter</u> of **Dalle Chilli from Sikkim**.

Students' Perspective: Bridging Classroom Knowledge with Real-World Practice

The students shared that the **visit was highly impactful** in enriching their academic journey. They appreciated the **systematic packaging processes**, **hygiene measures**, and **quality control systems** followed at Mevedir.

For many, the experience opened up new perspectives on:

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- Tentrepreneurship opportunities in spice value chains.
- ▲ Future research possibilities in post-harvest technology.
- Professional development in horticultural exports and agribusiness.

Such experiential learning opportunities prepare the next generation of professionals to enhance India's horticultural exports, particularly from regions like Sikkim that are rich in organic and traditional crops.

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Why Mevedir is a Leading Dalle Khursani Exporter from Sikkim

Mevedir has established itself as a **trusted name in the export of Dalle Khursani (Akabare Khursani)** — also known as the "fireball chili of Sikkim."

Our strength lies in:

- Strict quality assurance and adherence to international standards.
- Sustainable packaging and handling practices.
- Focus on organic and traditional farming values of Sikkim.



• Strong farmer network ensuring fair trade and empowerment.

As global demand for **Dalle Chilli exports** rises, Mevedir continues to support farmers, train students, and maintain its leadership in the **niche spice export industry**.

Conclusion: Shaping the Future of Dalle Khursani Exports

The visit by agricultural students and scholars marked another milestone in Mevedir's journey of blending education, sustainability, and international trade. By offering practical exposure in post-harvest handling, packaging, and value addition, Mevedir not only strengthens its role as a Dalle Khursani exporter from Sikkim but also inspires the next generation to pursue careers in horticulture and agribusiness.

At Mevedir, we believe that every fiery red Dalle Khursani is more than just a spice — it's a symbol of Sikkim's rich agricultural heritage, finding its way to kitchens across the globe.

Mevedir in the News

"Sikkim-based agro-startup Mevedir flagged off its second consignment of dehydrated Dalle chillies from the Melli Integrated Pack House on June 20." - The Telegraph

"Through its extensive procurement network, Mevedir sourced about 15,000 kg of fresh Dalle Chilly from farmers and Farmer Producer Organizations (FPOs) in South Sikkim." - <u>Deccan Herald</u>

"The consignment was flagged off from Melli, South Sikkim, by Mevedir in the presence of senior government officials" - NorthEast India

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