## Visit of Dr. S.P. Datta, Director, ICAR-IISS to ICAR-IIWM, Bhubaneswar

Director, ICAR-IISS, Bhopal visited ICAR-IIWM, Bhubaneswar on request by Director, ICAR-IIWM on 27-07-2023 and interacted with the Scientists of ICAR-IIWM in the committee room of the Institute under the chairmanship of Dr. Arjamadutta Sarangi. At the outset Director, ICAR-IIWM welcomed all the participants and felicitated Director, ICAR-IISS, Bhopal. The following are the highlights of the interaction: (1) alignment of research project with the Govt. programmes (2) need of multidisciplinary approach in solving the problems (3) basic research in convergence with the application in farmers' field (4) enhancing water and nutrient use efficiency, (5) development of novel fertilizer product, (6) site specific nutrient and water management, (7) one health concept involving soil, human and environment, (8) research on nutrient mining, (9) research related to dynamics and pathways of water and nutrient movement under different root structure of plants, (10) research related to replacement of chemical fertilizer and use of organic fertilizer, (11) climate change and nutrient dynamics, etc. The interaction ended with vote of thanks given by Dr. A. Maity, SS of ICAR-IIWM.

