

Learn with CAI
“Cotton - Quality Assessment & Marketing in Present Scenario”
(17th September 2025 to 19th September 2025– CAI Mumbai)

| Date: 17th September 2025 | | |
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| Time | Topic Name | Trainer Name |
| 9.30 to 10.00 | Registration & Breakfast | - |
| 10.00 to 10.15 | Welcome Address | Mr. Atul Ganatra (President, CAI) |
| 10.15 to 10.30 | Address by Chief Guest | ----- |
| 10.30 to 11.00 | TEA BREAK | |
| 11.00 to 12.00 | Cotton scenario in India | Mr. Pankaj Mepani (Director, CAI) |
| 12.00 to 12.30 | Roles of CAI in assisting Cotton Industry | Mr. Amar Singh, CAI |
| 12.30 to 13.00 | LUNCH | |
| 13.00 to 14.30 | Quality Assessment, traceability and Contamination Control/Free Cotton | Dr Pradeep Mandhyan (CEO, Research & Cotton Testing, CAI) |
| 14.30 to 15.00 | Procurement, Ginning practices & storage of cotton | Mr. Girish Nagsee (Proprietor, Hameer Cotton) |
| 15.00 to 16.00 | BCI for Indian Ginners: Real-World Benefits of Participation | Mr. Amit Shah |
| 16.00 to 17.00 | MCX Hedging Tools for Cotton Bales: A Practical Approach to Price Risk Management | Mr. Badruddin, MCX |
| Date: 18th September 2025 | | |
| 10.30 to 11.15 | Methodology of Kasturi Cotton Branding | Mr. Uday Kharat (Joint Director, TEXPROCIL) |
| 11.15 to 11.45 | TEA BREAK | |
| 11.45 to 12.15 | Demonstration on HVI, Trash machine and Moisture measurement | Mr. Rintu Pandya (Hon. Treasurer, CAI & MD, Siddhi Sales Corporation) |
| 12.15 to 13.15 | Price Risk Management in Kapas and COCUD | NCDEX |
| 13.15 to 14.00 | LUNCH | |
| 14.00 to 15.30 | Production, Processing, Conversion and Certification Process of Organic Cotton | ECOCERT/GOTS |
| 15.30 to 15.45 | TEA BREAK | |
| 15.45 to 17.00 | Indian Cotton in Global Perspective | Mr. Vinay Kotak (Addl. Vice-President, CAI & Director, Kotak Ginning & Pressing Industries Pvt Ltd) |
| Date: 19th September 2025 | | |
| 10.00 to 11.15 | Types of Contracts in trading of cotton bales prevailing in India & Risk Management (Hedging) | Mr. Rajabhai Gokulgandhi (Director, CAI & Managing Partner, Pravinkumar Ramdas & Co.) |
| 11.15 to 11.30 | TEA BREAK | |
| 11.30 to 12.30 | Purity of Cotton & its impact on marketing | Mr. Dharmendra Goyal (MD, Shreedhar Cotsyn Pvt. Ltd) |
| 12.30 to 13.00 | Requirement And Methodology Of Insuring The Goods In Cotton Trade | Rathin Varaiya (Suyash Insurance Broking LLP) |
| 13.00 to 13.30 | QCO - BIS Registration Process | Mr. Sanket Shingote (Technical Officer, CAI) |
| 13.30 to 14.30 | LUNCH | |
| 14.30 to 15.30 | Evaluation & Valedictory Function | Training Committee |
| 16.00 to 17.00 | HIGH TEA | |