

## IFGTB-IPMA Collaborative Project

The official launch of a collaborative project between IFGTB and Indian Paper Manufacturers Association (IPMA) was held at IFGTB on 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2012. This project is on Rapid Improvement of Casuarina and Leucaena to Enhance Pulpwood Production from Farm Forestry Plantations and is the first collaborative venture between IPMA and ICFRE. Senior officials from International Paper, JK Paper Ltd, Ballarpur Industries Limited (BILT), Tamil Nadu Newsprint and Papers Limited (TNPL) and West Coast Paper Mills (WCPM) participated in the meeting chaired by Dr. N. Krishna Kumar, Director, IFGTB. The project is for a period of two years with an outlay of 45.68 lakhs.

