

A) Breed Recognized –

1. National Bureau of Animal Genetic Resources (NBAGR), Karnal vide letter dated 19.06.2012 has recognized Berari as 23rd goat breed of India with accession number INDIA_GOAT_1100_BERARI_0623. The ‘Berari Goat’ is breed of central region of India which is low yielding goat mainly used for meat purpose.



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3. Purnathadi, a unique buffalo germplasm from Western Vidarbha of Maharashtra has been registered as India's 20th recognized buffalo breed by Indian Council of Agricultural Research, New Delhi and National Bureau of Animal Genetics, Karnal with accession number - INDIA_1100_PURNATHADI_01020. With this registration Purnathadi became 4th registered breed of the state after Nagpuri, Pandharpuri and Marathwadi.



4. The proposal submitted by KNPCVS, MAFSU, Akola for registration of new pig breed Karkambi Pig has been approved by ICAR Breed Registration Committee in its meeting held on 06/01/2025 with Accession number INDIA_PIG_1100_KARKAMBI_09016. First pig breed of Maharashtra.



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B) Proposal submitted for Breed Recognition

The proposal towards registration of Umarda Cattle & Melghati buffalo has been submitted to ICAR-NBAGR, Karnal on 20/02/2025 for approval.

C) ICAR Breed Conservation Award 2023 to Dr. S.A. Amrutkar, COVAS, Parbhani for Red Kandhari cattle conservation



Dr. Suhas Amrutkar while receiving award from Dr. G.K. Gaur, ADG, ICAR, New Delhi, Dr. Gyanendra Singh, Director, ICAR-IIWBR, Karnal, Dr. A.K Mohanty, Director, ICAR-CIRC, Meerut and Dr. B.P. Mishra, Director, BAGR, Karnal, Haryana