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Date : 19th Nov, 2026 | Day 1 **Time : 10:00 - 17:00** **Seminar Hall**

Advancing Dairy, RTE & Allied Industries Through Cold Chain Innovation

GUEST OF HONOUR | KEYNOTE SPEAKER



Mr Nikhil Chitale
Partner, B. G. Chitale

Helping carry forward the group's 87+ year legacy in dairy, food and agriculture. Based in Bhilawadi, Maharashtra, he works across Chitale Dairy, Chitale Agro and Chitale Genetics, with responsibilities spanning engineering, finance, supply chain and business development. With an undergraduate degree in Mechanical Engineering and a master's in Systems Engineering from New York, Nikhil brings an analytical, systems-led approach to building efficient and scalable operations, from farmer and procurement networks to manufacturing, distribution and retail. He supports financial planning and long-term growth across the group's businesses, while driving opportunities in dairy innovation, value-added foods and fruit processing for domestic and international markets.

INTRODUCTION SESSION - LED BY THE MODERATOR (14:00 - 14:10)



Mr. Jayant Joshi
Founder and Chief Consultant,
J J Project Consultancy, Pune

Extensive experience in turnkey consultancy for modern dairy farms, dairy and milk processing plants, cold storage, fruit pre-cooling, ripening chambers, refrigeration and biogas plants. Previously associated with Katraj Dairy, Dairy Tops (Baskin Robbins), Filtron Engineers and Rawat Dairy. Has commissioned numerous projects across India and Kenya, including export facilities for bananas and pomegranates for the Maharashtra State Agricultural Marketing Board and a 500-buffalo high-tech dairy farm with biogas-based power generation in Andhra Pradesh.

AMMONIA APPLICATIONS WITH SCREW COMPRESSORS: SUSTAINABLE, EFFICIENT & SAFE (14:30 - 15:00)



Dirk Granici-Oschetzke, GEA
Senior Director of Product Management & Automation, Heating and Refrigeration Technologies

With more than 15 years of experience, his expertise covers screw compressor technology, industrial refrigeration, and heat pump applications. His background combines engineering, product management, and sales, with a strong focus on innovative and sustainable solutions.

CHOOSING THE RIGHT EQUIPMENT FOR DAIRY REFRIGERATION SYSTEMS (15:00 - 15:30)



R P Paranjpey
Fellow and Life Member of ASHRAE and ISHRAE

Mr. Ramesh Parashuram Paranjpey is a highly respected veteran in the HVAC&R industry, with over five decades of experience in refrigeration, air conditioning and cold storage engineering. An M.Tech graduate in Refrigeration from IIT Bombay, he has held senior positions at reputed organisations including Kirloskar Pneumatics, Carrier Refrigeration and Voltas Air International. He has received several prestigious industry honours, including the ASHRAE 50-Year Distinguished Award (2020) and ISHRAE Fellow Award (2025). An accomplished author, researcher and mentor, he has published over 90 technical papers, authored several books and conducted more than 120 professional training programmes.

KNOWLEDGE PARTNER SESSION - WILO MATHER AND PLATT PUMPS PVT. LTD. (15:30 - 15:40)

NEW TRENDS IN THE DAIRY INDUSTRY, INNOVATIVE PRODUCTS AND BUSINESS MODELS (15:50 - 16:20)



Mr. Vibhakar Ghoda
Director,
Perfect Solutions

Dr. Vibhakar Ghoda is a distinguished professional with over 43 years of extensive experience in the dairy and food-processing industry, specialising in project management, engineering, production, administration and industrial development. He has held senior leadership positions at the National Dairy Development Board (NDDB) and Amul, where he played a pivotal role in conceptualising, designing and executing several prestigious large-scale dairy and food-processing projects across India and overseas. Since 2007, he has been serving as Director of Perfect Solutions, providing technical consultancy and turnkey project solutions. His expertise spans industrial automation, plant modernisation, energy and water conservation, process optimisation and sustainable industrial practices.

READY TO EAT (RTE) TECHNOLOGIES AND ITS CONNECT WITH COLD CHAIN (16:20 - 16:50)



Mr. Mahabir Singh
Founder,
Scoville Tech WorX

Mahabir Singh is a seasoned Food Processing Industry professional with over 25 years of experience in process engineering, manufacturing, product development, sourcing and project management. As the Founder of Scoville Tech WorX™, he specialises in retort, frozen and dehydrated food technologies, offering end-to-end solutions for greenfield and brownfield projects, from concept development to turnkey execution. His expertise includes process optimisation, operational excellence, product innovation, packaging development, food safety systems and industrial expansion. He has held senior leadership positions with reputed food companies, including Neo Foods, VKL Food Solutions, Kohinoor Foods and Tasty Bite Eatables. He holds an M.Sc. in Food Science and Technology and an MBA in Human Resource Management, and is currently pursuing a Ph.D. in Food Science and Technology.



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Transition Towards Clean Systems Applying Natural Refrigerants

INTRODUCTION & WELCOME NOTE

INDEE3 PROJECT: SUSTAINABLE HEATING AND COOLING IN INDIA (10:00 - 10:10)



Dr. Kristina N. Widell
Senior Research Scientist
SINTEF Ocean, Norway

Kristina N. Widell is a Senior Research Scientist at SINTEF Ocean in Trondheim, Norway, working within the Department of Fisheries and New Biomarine Industry. She holds a PhD in Energy and Process Engineering from the Norwegian University of Science and Technology (NTNU).

BEYOND HFOS: WHY INDIA SHOULD LEAPFROG TO NATURAL REFRIGERANTS (10:10 - 10:20)



Dr. Sheetal Jain
Programme Associate
Council on Energy, Environment and Water (CEEW)

Dr Sheetal Jain is a Programme Associate with the Climate Resilience team at CEEW, focusing on India's transition towards sustainable cooling. Her work involves research on policy mechanisms, lifecycle refrigerant management, and low-GWP alternatives to support India's phase-down of high-GWP refrigerants under the Kigali Amendment. She holds a Ph.D. and M.Sc. in Energy Science and Engineering from IIT Bombay.



Ms. Mitsuko Komada
Senior Adviser
Norwegian Environment Agency (NEA)

Mitsuko Komada is a Senior Adviser in the Climate Department at the Norwegian Environment Agency (NEA) in Oslo. She works with the Montreal Protocol and environmental regulations concerning ozone-depleting substances and fluorinated greenhouse gases.

INDUSTRIAL HEAT PUMPS FOR FOOD PROCESSING

SEPARATING MYTHS FROM REALITY ON COST, SAFETY AND EFFICIENCY (10:20 - 10:35)



Mr. Apurva Bose, PMP®
General Manager & Head – New Technology Triveni Turbines Limited

A highly experienced professional with three decades of expertise in refrigeration and thermal systems, turbo machinery and the automotive domain. Extensive knowledge of driving new product development programmes from concept to launch. Certified PMP and Lean Six-Sigma Black Belt professional. Proven expertise in the design, new product development, and application of transcritical CO_2 and natural refrigerant-based high-temperature heat pumps. Led the team to design and assemble India's 1st 30 TR CO_2 chiller and 110 kW tCO_2 heat pump at Triveni, along with setting up a 400 kW test rig for heat pump testing.

−50°C TO +150°C WITH CO_2 – THE WONDER-FLUID (10:35 - 10:50)



Prof. Pramod Kumar
Chair & Professor, Interdisciplinary Centre for Energy Research Indian Institute of Science, Bengaluru

Dr. Pramod Kumar is the Chair and Professor at the Interdisciplinary Centre for Energy Research, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore. His group, in collaboration with leading industries and research organisations, is involved in developing supercritical CO_2 cooling and power generation technology.



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INDUSTRIAL HEAT PUMPS FOR FOOD PROCESSING

PANEL DISCUSSION ON HEAT PUMPS FOR INDUSTRIAL APPLICATIONS (10:50 - 11:30)

MODERATOR



Mr. K. Raghavan

Society Chair, ISHRAE Technical Committee (ITC) ISHRAE

Mr. K. Raghavan is the Society Chair of the ISHRAE Technical Committee (ITC). Under his leadership, the ISHRAE Technical Committee acts as a primary catalyst for engineering and technical development across India by:

- Formulating and publishing industry-standard technical guidebooks, handbooks, codes, and standards.
- Overseeing specialised ISHRAE Technical Groups (TGs), which bring together consultants, manufacturers, and researchers to drive greener infrastructure developments like advanced chillers, heat pumps, and ventilation systems.

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Mr. Aadinath Harihar

Koshyma Engineering

Aadinath Harihar has a Master's in Mechanical Engineering from RWTH Aachen, Germany. His experience of close to 10 years in the industry covers areas of utility and process engineering with focus on energy optimisation. He is currently developing and implementing solutions for industrial hot water and steam generation using natural refrigerants.



Mr. K. M. Manikandan

Karadi Dryers, Chennai

K. M. Manikandan, a Mechanical Engineer, started his career with a stint in an Indo-Danish joint venture company as Head of Technology & Development and subsequently moved to a German company before starting his own venture in 2001, manufacturing agro dryers. Later years saw him starting an Indo-Italian joint venture exclusively for grain dryers and adding vapour compression heat pump dehydrators and vapour absorption dehydrators. He now covers more than 35 agricultural commodities. In addition, he also has a cardamom processing plant in Kerala and grain processing centres in various locations in Tamil Nadu.



Ms. Shashi Kala Agrawal

Senior Counsellor CII – Godrej Green Business Centre

Shashi Kala Agrawal is currently working as a Senior Counsellor at the Confederation of Indian Industry – Godrej Green Business Centre (CII-GBC), specialising in climate change and energy efficiency. She holds a B.Tech in Electrical Engineering from JSS Academy of Technical Education, an MBA from VGSOM, IIT Kharagpur, and is a Certified Energy Manager from the Bureau of Energy Efficiency (BEE). With 16 years of experience in consulting, her areas of expertise include environmental management, energy conservation, climate change, energy policy, sustainability, and the circular economy. Her current work focuses on industrial electrification, including initiatives under the CII-Heat Pump Alliance to accelerate industrial decarbonisation.



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A SUSTAINABLE FOOD COLD CHAIN

NATURAL REFRIGERANTS FOR COLD CHAIN SECTORS (11:30 - 11:50)



Mr. Arvind Surange
Chairman and Managing Director
ACR Project Consultants Pvt. Ltd.

Arvind Surange is the senior-most project consultant in Refrigeration, Cold Chain & allied fields in India. He has been associated with ACR and Cold Chain for over 63 years and has introduced many technological innovations, including the concept of Integrated Cold Chain design and the first-ever concept of 'Green Cold Chain' on a global scale. His work on Sustainable Cold Chain has also been acknowledged in the ASHRAE Refrigeration Facility Guide. He is a recipient of many prestigious awards such as the Lifetime Service Award from ISHRAE, the Lifetime Achievement Award from Rotary Club and GCCA, and the ASHRAE–UNEP Award for a Sustainable Cold Chain Project.

GUIDE BOOK ON "PROPANE NATURALLY SAFE – FOR INDIA (11:50 - 12:00)



Prof. Armin Hafner
Professor,
Refrigeration Technology
NTNU, Norway

Armin Hafner is currently Professor in Refrigeration Technology at NTNU, Trondheim, President of the Norwegian Society of Refrigeration (NKF), and President of IIR Commission D1. He joined NTNU in 2016 after nearly 20 years as a senior research scientist at SINTEF in the field of sustainable heating and cooling technologies with natural working fluids. He is involved in global knowledge transfer, and communication about the potential of natural working fluids is key to the necessary green transition.

PANEL DISCUSSION ON FOOD COLD CHAIN PROCESSING (12:00 - 12:40)

MODERATOR

Prof. Armin Hafner
Professor, Refrigeration Technology NTNU, Norway

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Prof. M. S. Dasgupta
Department of Mechanical Engineering
BITS Pilani

Prof. M. S. Dasgupta is at the Department of Mechanical Engineering, BITS Pilani, India. He has been closely associated with several strategic initiatives that have contributed significantly to the institution's growth and national recognition. His primary research interests lie in environmentally friendly thermal systems, with a strong focus on transcritical CO_2 refrigeration systems and propane-based cooling technologies.



Mr. Alok Nikhade
Assistant Vice President of Technology (Research & Development)
Ecozen

Alok Nikhade holds a Master's in Alternate Hydro Energy Systems (IIT Roorkee, 2014) and a Bachelor's in Mechanical Engineering (COER, 2011). After teaching mini-hydropower at LPU and completing CFD internships, he joined Ecofrost Technologies in 2015. He spearheaded scalable solar micro cold storage leveraging thermal energy, deploying 1,400+ units across India, Africa, and South-East Asia. Currently developing solar freezers and ACs, Alok also directs a post-harvest team establishing storage practices for 130+ commodities and patentable ripening methods.



Mr. Shailesh Mohod
Independent Technical Expert
HVAC&R Systems

Mr. Shailesh Mohod was the General Manager (Product Business & Manufacturing) with Blue Star Limited, based in Mumbai, India. With over a decade of leadership in the HVAC&R sector, he specialises in R&D, product development, and operations. Under his division's engineering guidance, his team won the prestigious India Design Mark in 2024. He is recognised by industry bodies like the CII as a prominent corporate R&D cohort leader.

POSTER SESSION AND CLOSING

POSTER SESSION: SHORT POSTER PRESENTATIONS BY IIT MADRAS, BITS PILANI, IISC BENGALURU, IIT KHARAGPUR (12:40 - 12:55)

Chair: Prof. Armin Hafner Professor, Refrigeration Technology NTNU, Norway

SUMMARY AND CLOSURE (12:55 - 13:00)



Prof. R. Saravanan
Society President, ISHRAE
Professor, IES,
Anna University,
Chennai

R. Saravanan is currently Professor in IES, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Anna University, Chennai, and President of the Indian Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air Conditioning Engineers (ISHRAE), New Delhi, India. He has more than 30 years of research experience in the areas of Solar Cooling, Energy Conservation in Buildings and Polygeneration Technologies.

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Beyond Sustainability: Subsidy, Financing and Accelerating the Journey to Net Zero

KEYNOTE SPEAKER: SUSTAINABILITY AS A DRIVER OF INNOVATION AND PROFITABLE GROWTH (14:05 - 14:20)



Mr. Pradeep Bhargava
Past President,
MCCIA Pune

Mr. Pradeep Bhargava is an accomplished business leader and industry veteran with over four decades of experience across government, consumer and industrial sectors. He has held senior leadership positions with reputed organisations such as Bharat Forge, Cummins India and GE Lighting, and has served as President of MCCIA, Pune, the Employers' Federation of India and Chairman of CII Western Region. He played a key role in conceptualising and steering the Pune Power Model, contributing to the elimination of load shedding in Pune. He is actively involved in industry development, civic initiatives, higher education and environmental causes. He also serves as an Independent Director and Trustee on several corporate, educational and social organisations. He holds a B.E. from the Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, and an MBA from IIM Ahmedabad.

MODERATOR FOR THE SESSION



Mr. Satish N. Iyengar
Proprietor,
Service Consultants

Mr. Satish Iyengar completed his Mechanical and Electrical Engineering (Hons.) In 1976 and started his professional life as a management trainee in Crompton greaves before joining Voltas in 1979. He completed his Post-Graduation in Business Management from Mumbai and was Head at Voltas Projects until 1987. He founded Services Consultants in 1987 specializing in MEP & Sustainability Design Consultancy Services and is leading the firm till today.

OPPORTUNITIES AND CHALLENGES OF HEAT PUMPING TECHNOLOGIES FOR SIMULTANEOUS HEATING AND COOLING APPLICATIONS (14:20 - 15:00)



Mr. Alberto Coronas
Emeritus Professor of Thermal Engineering
Rovira i Virgili University, Spain

Prof. Alberto Coronas is Emeritus Professor of Thermal Engineering at Rovira i Virgili University, Spain, and Head of the CREVER Research Group on Applied Thermal Engineering. His expertise includes industrial refrigeration, absorption chillers, heat pumps, energy efficiency and advanced cooling technologies. He has supervised over 50 PhD theses and published approximately 260 technical papers, contributing to numerous international research projects. He is internationally recognised for his work in innovative refrigeration systems for industries such as food processing and manufacturing. He served as President of the International Institute of Refrigeration (IIR) from 2015 to 2023 and currently leads the Spanish Society of Refrigeration and Technology Sciences as its President.

BUILDING SUSTAINABLE COLD CHAINS FOR A FOOD-SECURE FUTURE (15:00 - 15:20)



Mr. Vipin Warghat
Product &
Portfolio Manager,
Copeland IMEA
Region

Vipin Warghat is a Product & Portfolio Manager at Copeland representing IMEA region with nearly 13 years of experience across HVACR and water treatment solutions. His expertise spans product and portfolio management, market intelligence, growth strategy, applied engineering and business development. Having previously worked with Johnson Controls and Thermax, he brings a strong blend of technical knowledge and commercial insight, with a track record of driving product innovation, market expansion, and cross-functional strategic initiatives. Vipin holds a B.Tech in Chemical Engineering from Vishwakarma Institute of Technology Pune and a postgraduate diploma in Marketing Management from Symbiosis Institute of Business Management Pune.

SUSTAINABLE COLD CHAIN AND THE JOURNEY TOWARDS NET ZERO (15:20 - 15:40)



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CO2/NH3 CASCADE SYSTEMS FOR FOOD FREEZING. THE BENEFITS AND LIMITATIONS (15:50 - 16:10)



Mr. Mervyn Zheng
Director - Chiller and
Industrial Refrigeration
Product Application
at Johnson Controls

Mervyn Zheng is Director of Chiller and Industrial Refrigeration Product Application at Johnson Controls, based in Wuxi, China. With 26 years of experience at the company, he has built deep expertise in industrial refrigeration design engineering and has held multiple leadership roles in product design and applications. Mervyn is a certified Six Sigma Black Belt and PST Trainer, recognized for driving process excellence and innovation. He holds a Bachelor's degree in Refrigeration and Cryogenics from Zhejiang University (2000) and a Master's degree in Power Engineering from Xi'an Jiaotong University (2008). His extensive technical knowledge and leadership continue to shape advanced thermal management and refrigeration solutions for global data center and industrial applications.

SUSTAINABILITY AND CARBON CREDITS - AS APPLIED FOR FOOD AND COLD CHAIN PROJECTS (16:20 - 16:40)



Mr. Mithilesh Desai
Agri-entrepreneur
& Innovator

Mr. Mithilesh Harishchandra Desai, hailing from Zhapade village in Lanja Taluka, Ratnagiri district, is a prominent agri-entrepreneur, innovator and sustainability practitioner, widely recognised as the "Jackfruit King of India." A graduate in Agricultural Engineering, he has dedicated his efforts to the conservation, research and commercial value addition of over 80 varieties of jackfruit. By developing products such as chips, powder, Ready-to-Eat foods and vegan meat, he has successfully connected traditional agriculture with modern food processing and emerging markets. He has also made notable contributions in areas such as AgriTech, Blockchain Technology, Carbon Credits and the Circular Economy.

FINANCING THE COLD CHAIN: EXPLORING SUBSIDIES, INVESTMENTS & OPPORTUNITIES (16:40 - 17:00)



CA Yashwant Bhojwani
Chartered
Accountant

CA Yashwant Bhojwani is a Chartered Accountant with extensive experience in government subsidies, grants, cluster development and infrastructure projects. After starting his career with Credit Suisse, Pune, he established his consultancy in 2010, specialising in financial advisory and project development. He has worked extensively across food processing and manufacturing, particularly in cold chain, agro-processing, warehousing and logistics. As a mentor at IIM Nagpur, he has guided startups on financial structuring, project viability and government incentives. His key contributions include MSME cluster development, DPR preparation and project financing advisory for FPOs, while actively collaborating with institutions such as MoFPI, NHB, NABARD and the Ministry of MSME.

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IIAR SESSION: SAFE DESIGN AND INSTALLATION FOR AMMONIA REFRIGERATION SYSTEMS (10:00 - 12:00)



Mr. Eric Smith

Vice President – Technology, Advocacy, Research and Publications, IIAR

Eric Smith is Vice President of Technology, Advocacy, Research and Publications for the International Institute of All-Natural Refrigeration (IIAR). His main responsibilities include management of standards and guidelines development, consultation and assistance to IIAR committees, initiation and coordination of research projects, regulatory outreach and advocacy. Eric manages and provides technical and regulatory consulting to IIAR members and the public. He represents the IIAR in related organizations and public venues, writes and reviews technical articles for IIAR's publications, and shares executive responsibilities. Eric is a registered professional engineer, is accredited by the US Green Building Council, has designed, installed and analyzed countless refrigeration systems, and is a voting member on several technical society committees.

MEETING OF FEDERATION OF COLD STORAGE OWNER'S ASSOCIATION (12:30 - 14:00)

WOMEN ENTREPRENEURS IN COLD CHAIN AND HVAC&R (14:30 - 15:30)



Ms. Anushree Risvadkar

Dealer, Kirloskar Refrigeration Compressors

Ms. Anushree Risvadkar is an architect, academician and refrigeration industry professional with 18 years of experience in commercial and residential architecture, 25 years in academics and 12 years in the refrigeration industry as a dealer for Kirloskar refrigeration compressors. She holds a Bachelor's and Master's degree in Architecture, along with executive leadership certification from IIM Indore and business management certification from IIM Calcutta.



Dr. Anindita Roy

Head of Operations, Grattitude Synergy LLP

Dr. Anindita Roy is Head of Operations at Grattitude Synergy LLP, specialising in building decarbonisation. A mechanical engineer with over 18 years of experience across academia, research and industry, she has expertise in renewable energy, battery technologies, hydrogen energy, energy storage and AI applications in energy. She is a published author with Springer Nature, holds multiple granted patents and has led several interdisciplinary research projects and international collaborations, advancing sustainable engineering and clean energy solutions.



Ms. Chaitrali Chaudhari

Head – MEP Vertical, Vivek Bhole Architects Pvt. Ltd.

Ms. Chaitrali Chaudhari is an experienced MEP professional and Head of the MEP Vertical at Vivek Bhole Architects Pvt. Ltd. She specializes in sustainable building technologies, engineering design, project management, and AI-driven innovation. She holds an MSc in Sustainable Building Technology from the University of Nottingham, UK. She also serves as Women Engagement Chair of ISHRAE Mumbai Chapter (2026–27) and Joint Secretary of IPA Mumbai Chapter (2026–29), actively promoting technical excellence and women's participation in the industry.



Dr. Kirti Kelkar

Academician | Entrepreneur | Social Change Maker

Dr. Kirti Kelkar holds a Ph.D. in Economics from the University of Pune (1991), a postgraduate degree in Economics (1979), and a Diploma in Air Filtration from Camfil, Sweden (1999). She began her career in academics, teaching Economics to postgraduate and M.Phil. students at SNDT University and the University of Pune for over two decades. She also served as Visiting Faculty at Pune University and IGNOU and was a recognised Ph.D. guide at the University of Pune.



Ms. Rujuta Agavekar

Assistant Professor, MKSSS's Cummins College of Engineering for Women, Pune

Rujuta Agavekar holds an M.Tech. in Thermal and Fluids Engineering from IIT Bombay and has 19 years of teaching experience as an Assistant Professor at Cummins College of Engineering for Women, Pune. She serves as Faculty Advisor to the college's ASHRAE Student Branch, guiding 48 student members in technical learning and industry engagement. She has also received the ASHRAE Undergraduate Project Equipment Grant three times, supporting practical engineering education and student projects.

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