



Improving Soil Biological Health

Webinar 2 of the three-part series – ‘Towards Sustainable and Resilient Agriculture’

Monday, May 25, 2026 | 3:00-4:30 pm | Zoom

Agenda

Time	Details
3:00-3:05 pm	Welcome, introduction to webinar and the expert panel
3:05-3:10 pm	SETTING THE CONTEXT Amit Khurana , Director, Sustainable Food Systems Programme, Centre for Science and Environment (CSE) [Webinar Moderator]
3:10-3:25 pm	PRESENTATION OF CSE’s LATEST REPORT ‘Improving Soil Biological Health: The Role of Biological components and Monitoring Approaches’ Rajeshwari Sinha , Senior Programme Manager, Sustainable Food Systems, CSE
3:25-4:00 pm	INTERVENTIONS BY PANEL EXPERTS (7 mins each) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Alok Kumar Srivastava, Director, ICAR-National Bureau of Agriculturally Important Microorganisms• Debashish Mandal, Head and Principal Scientist, Soil Science and Agricultural Chemistry Division, ICAR-Indian Agricultural Research Institute• Ramanjaneyulu G V, Executive Director, Centre for Sustainable Agriculture• Prafull Gadge, Founder and CEO, Biome Technologies Pvt Ltd.
4:00-4:30 pm	Moderated Q&A with panelists including audience questions and Wrap up