To encourage contribution towards scientific knowledge, IDA presented
Best Paper Awards for its two journals
Indian Dairyman and Indian Journal of Dairy Science at the 45th DIC

**Best Paper Awards**

**INDIAN JOURNAL OF DAIRY SCIENCE**

**Dairy Processing 2015**
First
*Thermal performance evaluation of continuous khoa cooling system*
Avijit Shaw, I.K. Sawhney and P.S. Minz

Second
*Iodine value integrated with solvent fractionation technique as a tool for detecting palm olein and sheep body fat adulteration in ghee (clarified milk fat)*
Kamal Gandhi, Anil Kumar and Darshan Lal

**Animal Production 2015**
First
*Genetic polymorphisms in ATP1A1 gene and their association with heat tolerance in Jersey crossbred cows*

Second
*Changes occurring in the receptors of blood neutrophils during implantation in Sahiwal cows*
Irfan Ahmad Bhat, Mandheer Kaur, Mohammed Al hussien, Jaya Kumar Sivalingam, Sandhya Toki, Satpal Dixit, Shiv Prasad, A.K. Mohanty, A.K. Dang

**Economics And Extension 2015**
First
*Policy interventions for mainstreaming of small milk producers in contemporary production system — a value chain analysis of Indian dairy sector*
B.S. Chandel and Rishikanta Singh

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**Technical Aspects 2015**
First
*Pragmatic Approach for Improving Indigenous Cattle*
R.S. Gandhi, Avtar Singh and Amit Kumar

Second
*Breeding Interventions for enhancing livestock productivity in Chhattisgarh*
R.S. Gandhi, Vineet Bhasin and Rajan Gupta

**Commercial Aspects 2015**
First
*'Swachh Bharat Abhiyan' or Clean India Movement' through the Grassroots Development Models*
Animesh Banerjee

Second
*Self regulated hygienic milk production for augmenting rural prosperity*
G.S. Rajorhia

Knowledge centricity for skill development and entrepreneurship in the dairy sector
R.S. Khanna
Poster Paper Awards

The best poster papers under categories namely Animal Husbandry and Milk Processing were awarded at the Conference.

Animal Husbandry

Best Poster Award

Purification and Characterization of Novel Angiotensin I-converting Enzyme Inhibitory Bioactive Peptides Derived from Fermented Camel Milk

By Subrota Hati, D. Solanki and Prajapati J.B.

Milk Processing

Best Poster Award

Screening of Pulses as Substrate for Solid State Fermentation

By Akshaykumar, Prabha R, Malashree L, Sanjana M C and Ramachandra B