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### **ARC Infruitec-Nietvoorbij presents jam course in new facilities in Bodweni (Eastern Cape)**

Dr Chris Hansmann and Mrs Nwabisa Masekwana (ARC Infruitec-Nietvoorbij) and Rosemary du Preez of (ARC ITSC) presented a jam course for the Bodweni group in the Eastern Cape in November 2012. Both Rosemary du Preez and Odette Beukes (ARC Infruitec-Nietvoorbij) have been active in this village in planting subtropical and deciduous fruit respectively. Thus the need for agro-processing.

The potential of this group has been recognized and new facilities were built for the group by the Ingquza Hill local municipality. The site is fenced with a gate, has two large rooms, one of which has already been designated as the processing area as well as two smaller rooms that can be used as office space or storage of empty jars and filled products.

The course was a success and highly appreciated by the group.

Pic: Processing of jam by Bodweni Group. Bodweni is located between Lusikisiki and Flagstaff in the Eastern Cape Province.

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