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Table VIII : Percentage distribution of the respondents according to their extent of use of communication technology as a source of agricultural technology

Sources of Information of Agricultural Technology items	Advanced Region									Backward Region									Grand Total N=300		
	Large Farmers			Medium Farmers			Small Farmers			Total N=150	Large Farmers			Medium Farmers			Small Farmers			Total N=150	
	R*	S	F	R	S	F	R	S	F		R	S	F	R	S	F	R	S			F
Friends and Neighbours	12	62	22	2	54	44	-	34	38	89.33	-	48	52	2	54	42	-	4	28	74	81.66
Extension worker	28	6	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Agricultural Development officers	48	2	-	26	-	-	-	-	-	25.33	18	4	-	4	2	-	-	-	-	9.33	17.33
Block Development Officers	66	6	2	24	-	-	4	-	-	34	48	12	-	14	8	-	2	-	2	28.67	31.33
Programmes shown on Television like Krishi Darshan	8	44	42	18	64	10	20	14	2	74	34	38	2	20	22	-	4	4	-	41.33	57.67
Programmes on Radio	26	12	-	18	6	-	6	2	-	23.33	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.67	12
Agencies like KRIBHCO/IFFCO etc.	36	8	2	10	-	-	-	-	-	18.67	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.67	18.67
Kisan Mela	18	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	7.33	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.67

* R = Rarely
S = Sometimes
F = Frequently