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## Zonal Agricultural Research Station, Solapur AICRP on Agrometeorology

1.	Year of Start	:	1985			
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3.	Objectives/Mandates	:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Agroclimatic characterization</li><li>• Agro advisory services</li><li>• Weather base value added information on web site of CRIDA, Hyderabad</li><li>• Crop weather relationship under climate change situation</li><li>• Pest weather relationship under climate change situation</li></ul>			
4.	Infrastructure	:				
	Land	:	67.78 ha			
	Irrigation facilities	:	--			
	Laboratories	:	Soil and water testing laboratory Microbiology/Plant Pathology laboratory			
	Advanced facilities	:	Meteorological observatory (Auto Weather Station)			
5.	Human Resource	:				
	Technical Staff	:	SN	Designation	Discipline	Remarks
			1	Associate Professor	Agrometeorology (Agronomy)	Filled
	Non-Technical Staff	:	2	Assistant Professor	Agronomy	Filled
			SN	Designation	No of posts	Remarks
			1	Agricultural Assistant	02	Filled
6.	Research Achievements	:	55 technologies recommended			
7.	Ongoing Research	:	1. Agroclimatic characterization			
			2. Agro advisory services			
			3. Weather base value added information on web site of CRIDA, Hyderabad			
			4. Crop weather relationship under climate change situation pearl millet.			
			5. Pest weather relationship under climate change situation in <i>Kharif</i> sunflower			
			6. Crop weather interaction in relation to productivity of <i>rabi</i> sorghum genot			
			7. Crop weather relationship in chickpea			
			8. Crop weather relationship in Linseed			
			9. <b>NICRA Project-</b> National Innovation on Climate Resilient Agriculture (NICRA)			