



AGROMET ADVISORY BULLETIN
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District: SATARA

Last Week Weather Summary (05.10.2024 to 11.10.2024)							Weather Parameters	Weather Forecast (12.10.2024 to 16.10.2024)				
05	06	07	08	09	10	11	Date	12	13	14	15	16
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Rainfall (mm)	20	14	12	13	15
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Max. Temp. (°C)	28	28	30	30	31
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Min. Temp. (°C)	22	22	23	22	23
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Cloud Cover	8	8	8	7	8
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Max. RH (%)	90	88	87	85	88
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Min. RH (%)	80	81	82	81	82
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Wind Speed(km/hr)	9	9	7	7	9
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Wind Direction	ESE	ESE	SSE	SSW	W

Agromet Advisory Based on Weather Forecast Prediction

Crop	Stage	Advisory
Weather Summary/ Alert		Weather forecast given by Regional Meteorological Centre, Mumbai has indicated that there is forecast of cloudy sky from 12th to 16th October in Satara district. There is forecast of moderate rainfall at scattered places on 12th October while light rainfall at isolated places 13th, 14th, 15th and 16th October in Satara district. During next 5 days Maximum temperatures will remain nearby 32.0 to 34.0°C and minimum between 22.0 to 23.0°C respectively. Morning relative humidity will remain nearby 83 to 86% and Afternoon relative humidity will remain 60 to 64%. Wind speed will remain from 05 to 12 km/hr. According to Extended Range Forecast (ERF) in Madhya Maharashtra Sub Division rainfall will remain above normal, maximum temperature will remain normal and minimum temperature will remain above normal valid from 11 th to 17 th October, 2024
Weather warning		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning, heavy rainfall & gusty winds reaching 30-40 kmph very likely to occur at isolated places in the districts of Satara district on 11th and 12th October ➤ Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning, light to moderate rainfall & gusty winds reaching 30-40 kmph very likely to occur at isolated places in the districts of Satara on 13th October
General Advisory		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Carry out spraying of Insecticide and fungicides only if there is no rainfall and wind speed is low or calm condition. Use sticker while spraying. ➤ Farmers should download "Meghdoot" android application on mobile for Agromet Advisory Services and "Damini" android application for forecast of lightening. <p>Care should be taken by farmers during thunderstorm and lightening</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ If farmers are in the field and can't find any shelter, avoid the tallest object in the area. If only isolated trees are nearby, best protection is to crouch in the open. ➤ Keep animals away from open water, pond or river. ➤ Keep animals away from tractors and other metal farm equipment. ➤ Cover the harvested produce (if in the field) with polythene sheet. ➤ Avoid contact with electrical equipment or cords. ➤ Don't allow your animals to congregate under trees.
SMS Advisory		➤ As there is forecast of light to moderate rainfall carry out harvesting of mature crop like Soybean, Groundnut, <i>Kharif</i> Sorghum and Pearl millet and keep the harvested produce at safe place.
Rice	Flowering to grain filling	➤ According to growth stages of paddy crop water level in rice should maintain 10 cm during flowering stage to grain filling stage
Maize	Maturity	➤ Carry out harvesting of matured crop and keep the harvested produce at safe place. Carry out



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		threshing after proper drying of Earheads.
Rabbi Sorghum	Sowing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Carry out sowing of rabbi sorghum at vafasa condition in soil at 5 cm depth upto 15th October ➤ Spacing :45x15cm, ➤ Seed treatment: Apply 4 gram Sulphur (300 Mesh) and 25 gram Azatobactor and P.S.B. Culture to per kg of seed. ➤ Fertilizer Dose: Medium Soil give fertilizer dose of N:P:K 40:20:00 kg per hector out of which ½ Dose of Nitrogen and Full dose of Phosphorus should be given at the time of sowing.
Chick Pea	Sowing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Complete sowing of rainfed chickpea as early as possible at sufficient moisture condition (vafasa) in soil. ➤ Use Vijay, Digvijay, Phule Vikram and Phule Vishvaraj varieties for sowing. ➤ Seed treatment: Treat the seeds Trychodarma Harjiyanam 1.0% W.P. 6 gram per kg of sees for prevention from Neck rot and root rot then trat the seeds with 250 gram Rayzobium and P.S.B. per 10 kg of Seeds by mixing in cold Jaggary solution. Dry this treated seed under shade almost for 1 hour and then carry out sowing. ➤ For control of Gram Pod borer through Integrated Pest Management carry out sowing of 200 gram of Sorghum by mixing in Chick Pea.
Soybean	Maturity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Harvesting of Soybean should carry out after pods gets yellowish red colour and after completion of 90 to 110 days from sowing as per the maturity of crop variety. If harvesting delays pods breaks and seeds gets shattered in field. Harvesting should carry out nearer to ground with help of sharp sickle.
Groundnut	Maturity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Groundnut leaves turns yellow, shell of pods become tough and inner side of shell gets blackish colour after attaining maturity. Carry out harvesting of matured crop. Harvested pods should be dried under sunlight as soon as sunlight gets available then store dried pods at dry and safe place. Do not store pods in wet and humid place.
Sugarcane	Growth	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Apply Urea @110 kg per hector which is 10% of Nitrogen dose means 50 kg Nitrogen per hector of the total recommended dose (500:200:200 kg Nitrogen: Phosphorus:Potash) for Co. 86032 (Nira) variety. Use 40 kg Nitrogen i.e. 87kg Urea per hector to other varieties of Sugarcane.
Turmeric	Rhizome development	<p>Rhizome fly control:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ As soon as infestation observes use Phorate (10%) G. @ 8kg per hector. ➤ For control take Quinolphos (25% E.C.) 2 ml or Dimethoate (30%E.C.) 1 ml per liter of water and spray at 15 days interval. ➤ Cover the opened rhizomes with the soil. Timely carry out earthing up. ➤ Take 200 gram coarse castor seed in container and mix 1.5 litter water into it and mix well. Prepare 6 container likewise for 1 hector of crop. Allow the mixture to soak for 8 to 10 days. Typical smell comes through that mixture which attracts the Rhizome flies and later on fly dies. This control measure used for organic turmeric production which is very effective and require low cost for preparation.
Banana	Fruit development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ To avoid lodging of plants carry out staking to the Banana plants as there is forecast of gusty wind with light to moderate rainfall
Animals	Growth	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Do not allow animals for grazing during warning period. ➤ If deworming is completed then carry out vaccination for prevention of Foot and Mouth disease from authentic skilled veterinarian ➤ For good quality of green fodder to cattle's carry out planting of Maize, Sorghum and Hybrid Napier grass.

Source:

1) Weather Forecast : Research Section, Mumbai

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