

#### Gramin Krishi Mausam Sewa (GKMS) for Nagappattinam District Forecast Period: 08<sup>th</sup> JUNE to 12<sup>th</sup> JUNE, 2016



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### Weather for the past four days (03.06.2016–06.06.2016)

Parameters	Past	
	weather	
Rainfall (mm)	35.7	
Maximum temperature (°C)	37 - 38	
Minimum temperature (°C)	25 - 29	
Cloud cover (Octa)	4-6	
Relative humidity (%)	65 - 81	
Wind speed (km/ hr)	8-13	

# Weather forecast for the next five days (until 08:30 hrs of 12.06.2016)

Parameters	Ensemble FCST					
	Day 1 08.06.2016	Day 2 09.06.2016	Day 3 10.06.2016	Day 4 11.06.2016	Day 5 12.06.2016	
Rainfall (mm)	0	4	4	3	5	
Maximum temperature (°C)	35	35	34	34	34	
Minimum temperature (°C)	28	28	28	28	28	
Cloud cover (Octa)	4	4	4	4	4	
Relative humidity (%)	68 - 85	68 - 85	65 - 80	65 - 80	65 - 80	
Wind speed (kmph)	11	11	11	11	11	
Wind direction	South	South	South	South	South	

The sky will be partly cloudy. A light rainfall 3 - 5 mm is expected on next five days except 08.06.2016.

# Weather based Agro-Advisories

#### **Crop: Rice, Black gram, Sesame, Sugarcane, Cotton Stage: Rice fallow cotton – Flowering stage**

- For SRI cultivation, prepare 2.5 cent raised bed nursery for 1 ha planting. Broadcast uniformly 5 kg of pre germinated seeds over it. Sprinkle water in the bed during morning and evening using rose cane. Maintain standing water in the channel around the beds from 6<sup>th</sup> day of sowing. Sprinkle 0.5 % urea solution on 9<sup>th</sup> day after sowing. Stop irrigation two days before pulling out of seedlings. The seedlings will be ready at 14 days after sowing.
- Rice varieties ADT 36, ADT 43, ADT 45 and ADT 47 are suitable for kuruvai season. Seeds should be treated with carbendazim (2 g/kg of seeds) or Pseudomonas (10g/kg of seeds) before sowing.
- For kuruvai nursery, an area of 20 cents can be allotted for planting 1 ha with the application of FYM or compost @ 1 ton. Before the last puddling, apply 40 kg DAP. For clay soil, 4 kg gypsum and 1 kg DAP/cent can be applied 10 days prior to pulling out of seedlings to avoid root snapping.