

## M.S. Swaminathan Research Foundation, Kannivadi AgroMet Advisory Bulletin (AAB) for DINDIGUL District

**DINDIGUL District**Forecast Period: 14<sup>th</sup> April 2017 – 18<sup>th</sup> April 2017



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### Significant past weather from 11-04-2017 to 12-04-2017

Parameters	Past weather		
Rainfall (mm)	0.5		
Maximum Temperature (°C)	40		
Minimum Temperature (°C)	27		
Sky condition (Octas)	3-6		
Relative humidity (%)	33-63		
Wind speed (kmph)	11-19		

#### Ensemble Weather forecast until 08:30 hrs of 18.04.17

Parameters	Ensemble FCST					
	14.04.17	15.04.17	16.04.17	17.04.17	18.04.17	
	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	
Rainfall (mm)	0	0	0	0	0	
Maximum Temperature (°C)	40	40	40	40	40	
Minimum Temperature (°C)	27	27	27	27	27	
Sky condition (Octas)	3	3	3	3	3	
Max. Relative humidity (%)	62	62	62	62	62	
Min. Relative humidity (%)	33	33	33	33	33	
Wind speed (kmph)	10	10	10	10	10	
Wind direction	SE	SE	SE	SE	SE	

# **SMS Advisory:**

Partly cloudy, dry and hot weather will prevail for the next 5 days.

### Weather Based Agro-Advisories:

Imp. Crops: Cotton, Coconut and Vegetables

- Considering the temperature of high in order, based on the soil moisture, irrigation may be given to vegetables crops.
- Since the vegetables crops at flowering to fruiting stage and due to increasing the temperature better to apply the nutrient through fertigation or foliar spray.
- In Chilies, to manage fruit borers, set up pheromone traps @ 5/acre to attract adult moths.
- Since both maximum and minimum temperature is high enough, animal may feed with drinking water @ 80 100 liters per day per animal in four splits.