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	District :	Dindigul	Forecast Period :	05/05/2018 to 09/05/2018	
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Significant past weather	From	01/05/2018	to	03/05/2018
Parameters	Past Weather			
Rainfall (mm)	20.4			
Maximum Temperature (°C)	40-41			
Minimum Temperature (°C)	24-27			
Sky Condition (Octas)	4-7			
Relative Humidity (%)	35-64			
Wind Speed (kmph)	3-7			

Ensemble Weather Forecast until 08:30Hrs of 09-05-2018

Parameters	05-05-2018	06-05-2018	07-05-2018	08-05-2018	09-05-2018
	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
Rainfall (mm)	15	8	5	8	13
Maximum Temperature (°C)	40	40	40	40	40
Minimum Temperature (°C)	28	28	28	28	28
Sky Condition (Octas)	5	5	4	4	4
Max. Relative Humidity (%)	70	70	70	70	70
Min. Relative Humidity (%)	40	40	40	40	40
Wind Speed (Kmph)	6	6	8	8	8
Wind Direction	S	S	SW	SW	SW

SMS Advisory	Chances of Moderate rain in few places during 5 th , 6 th , 8 th . & 9 th May. Light rain on 7 th May. Partly cloudy sky will appear for next 5 days. Wind expected with the speed of 6-8 Km/h.
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Weather Based Agro-Advisories : Important Crops : Onion & Animal husbandry

Due to the prevailing weather condition the occurrence of Onion Fly found in Onion. The Symptoms are leaves get rotten, shredded and rolled up. Growth of the onion tubers gets hampered and decayed. To manage and control this adopt proper crop rotation, Spray Malathion 1 lit/ha.

Since rain with thunder and lightning is expected for the next few days. Farmers are advised to keep their cattle in safe shelters and not to tie the cattle in electric / telephone posts and under the trees.

Principal Coordinator

MSSRF