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Past Weather for Tamil Nadu District

Weather Summary for the period since the issue of last bulletin 085 (25.10.2022) for Tamil Nadu. Maximum temperature ranged from 31°C to 36°C and minimum temperature ranged from 21°C to 25°C, over the State. Kodaikanal and Uthagamandalam recorded maximum temperature ranged from 18°C to 21°C and minimum temperature ranged from 5°C to 10°C. During this period isolated rainfall was recorded in Tamil Nadu.

Coimbatore District Past Weather

In Coimbatore district, during 25.10.22 to 27.10.22 the Maximum temperature was recorded as 31°Cto 32°C and the minimum temperature was 20°C to 23°C. The Morning relative humidity recorded was 76 per cent and evening relative humidity was 45 per cent. The average wind speed recorded was 6-7 km per hour and the wind direction were from South West direction.

Weather Summary for Coimbatore district

Past week Summary 25.10.2022 to 27.10.2022)				Ensemble weather forecast valid until 08.30 hrs of 02.11.2022					
Day-1 25/10	Day-2 26/10	Day-3 27/10	Date	Day-1 29/10	Day-2 30/10	Day-3 31/10	Day-4 01/11	Day-5 02/11	
0.4	0.0	0.0	Rainfall	0	8	15	4	18	
31	31	32	Max. Temp. (°C)	32	32	31	31	29	
23	20	21	Mini. Temp. (°C)	20	21	21	21	20	
5	5	5	Cloud cover (Octa)	5	5	6	6	7	
78	82	76	RH morning (%)	80	80	80	80	85	
55	45	48	RH evening (%)	55	65	65	60	65	
7	7	6	Wind (kmph)	8	8	8	8	8	
180	180	70	Wind Direction	70	20	360	320	320	

Weather forecast for next five days:(29.10.2022 02.11.2022)

According to district forecast issued by the India Meteorological Department for Coimbatore district, sky will be mostly cloudy. Light rainfall is expected on 31.10.22, 01.11.22 & 02.11.22. Maximum temperature is expected to bearound 29°C to 32°C. Minimum temperature is expected to be around 20°C to 21°C. Morning relative humidity is expected to be around 85 per cent and evening relative humidity is expected to be around 55 per cent. Average wind speed is expected to be around 8 km per hour and the wind direction will be from South West direction.

Coimbatore District Block Wise Rainfall(mm) for next five days												
Date	Anamalai	Annur	Karamadai	Kinathukadavu	Madukkarai	PN Palayam	Pollachi North	Pollachi South	Sarcarsamakulam	Sultanpet	Sulur	Thondamuthur
29-10-2022	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
30-10-2022	6.0	7.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	7.0	7.0	6.0
31-10-2022	20.0	13.0	14.0	15.0	14.0	13.0	18.0	18.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	15.0
01-11-2022	4.0	2.0	3.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	3.0	3.0	2.0	1.0	1.0	2.0
02-11-2022	26.0	18.0	20.0	20.0	18.0	18.0	23.0	23.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	19.0

Agro Advisory

Crop	Stage	Advisory
General		Drizzling to light rainfall alone is expected with wind speed of 6 - 8 km/hr is expected in western zone during next five days. Minimum temperature is getting decreased to 20°C. Irrigation may be provided based on soil moisture. Fertilizer application and pesticide spraying may be done during non rainy hours.
Rice	Vegetative	Prevailing high relative humidity is favourable for bacterial leaf blight in rice. Application of copper hydroxide 77 WP @ 1.25 kg/ha or streptomycin sulphate + tetracycline combination @ 300 g + copper oxychloride @ 1.25 kg/ha should be carried out. Present Samba rice is at tillering stage, hence apply 38 Kg N / ha as top dressing by using drizzling rainfall
Cotton	Vegetative and flowering	Cotton may get affected with reddening disease due to continuous rainfall till last week. By utilizing the dry spell, spray mixed solution of 5% Magnesium sulphate + urea 1% + zinc sulphate 0.1% at 50 th and 80 th days of sowing. Considering the drizzling weather, apply 40 Kg N + 40Kg K2O/ha for irrigated winter Combodia cotton followed by earthing up.
Gourds	Flowering	Prevailing continues rainfall is also favourable for the vegetative growth in gourds at the time flowering. Hence to get more flowers and fruit set, application of ethrel @ 100ppm for all gourds expect ribbed gourd where 200ppm is recommended. Two spray may be scheduled at weekly interval.

Grapes	Prevailing weather is favourable for the downy mildew incidence in grapes and therefore farmers are requested to monitor the crop carefully and spray 1% Bordeaux mixture if needed.
Mango	Due to continuous rain till last week, mango tree may put higher vegetative growth and hence spray 1% Potassium nitrate or Paclobutrazol @10gm a. i per tree
Banana	Due to past weather, there is incidence of Sigatoka leaf spot disease in banana. Spray either Carbendazin @ 1 g/lit or Manocozeb @ 2g/lit along with teepol @ 0.5 ml after thorough mixing.
Turmeric	Prevailing weather condition is also favourable for blotch disease in turmeric. Hence farmers are requested to monitor the crop carefully & if necessary, spray Azoxystropin @ 1ml / liter of water.
Animal	The chance of occurrence of foot and mouth disease in cattle during rainy season is more and therefore vaccination against the disease is warranted.
	Since rainfall is expected drainage in and around cattle and poultry sheds may be provided to avoid water stagnation. Further farmers are requested to safeguard the feed and fodder material from rain soaking. Animals may thirst for water due to low temperature and high humidity. Provide clean and good drinking water to animals.

SMS advisory

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