

Agromet Advisory Bulletin for the Thanjavur District (From 10th September 2022 to 14th September 2022) Issued jointly by Tamil Nadu Rice Research Institute Aduthurai and IMD



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Weather Summary for the period since the issue of last bulletin no. 71 (06.09.2022) for Tamil Nadu: Thanjavur district

Maximum temperature of 31 °C to 32 °C, minimum temperature of 24 °C to 26 °C, and isolated rainfall were recorded in Thanjavur district.

Weather Summary and forecast for Thanjavur district

| Past week Summary 06.09.2022 to 08.09.2022 | | | Parameters | Ensemble weather forecast valid until 08.30 hrs of 14.09.2022 | | | | |
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| Day-1 | Day-2 | Day-3 | Date | Day-1 | Day-2 | Day-3 | Day-4 | Day-5 |
| 06/09 | 07/09 | 08/09 | | 10/09 | 11/09 | 12/09 | 13/09 | 14/09 |
| 2.8 | 9.0 | 5.2 | Rainfall (mm) | 4 | 8 | 6 | 4 | 4 |
| 32 | 32 | 31 | Max. Temp. (°C) | 34 | 34 | 34 | 35 | 35 |
| 26 | 24 | 25 | Min. Temp. (°C) | 26 | 26 | 26 | 26 | 26 |
| 8 | 7 | 7 | Cloud cover | 5 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| 80-76 | 82-73 | 82-67 | RH I-II (%) | 75-65 | 75-65 | 75-65 | 75-65 | 75-65 |
| 4 | 4 | 4 | Wind (kmph) | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 |
| West South West | West South West | West South West | Wind direction | South South West | South South West | South South West | South South West | South South West |

Weather forecast for next five days (10.09.2022 to 14.09.2022)

According to district level forecast issued by India Meteorological Department for Thanjavur district, the sky will be moderate cloudy. Rainfall is expected on 10.09.2022 to 14.09.2022. Maximum temperature is expected to be around 34 °C to 35 °C and Minimum temperature is expected to be around 26 °C. Morning relative humidity is expected to be around 75 percent and evening relative humidity is expected to be around 65 percent. Average wind speed is expected to be around 12 km per hour and the wind direction will be south south west.

Agro Advisory

| Crop | Stage | Advisory | | |
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| General | | Farmers are advised to provide adequate drainage facilities to all crops due to moderate rainfall forecast. | | |
| Rice | | Light irrigation can be given in the evening hours to rice nursery (within 2 days after sowing) to avoid the displacement of paddy seeds. | | |
| | | For rice nursery, applications of 2 kg DAP/cent is recommended. In rice nursery, spray Azadiraction 0.03% (3 ml/litre of water) with sticking agent Khadi Gopura Bar Soap @ 3g/litre to prevent thrips infection on 10 days after sowing. | | |
| General | | Farmers can utilize the mobile apps viz., (TNAU AAS, Meghdoot and DAMINI), for more updated weather information | | |
| Cattle | Cow | This situation is favorable for the development of Aflatoxin infection in the Corn kernels and Paddy Straw, which may affect the health of the cattle. To save them from infection, dry the Corn kernels and Paddy Straw before feeding. | | |

SMS advisory

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