

## Agromet Advisory Bulletin for the Thanjavur District (From 15th February 2023 to 19th February 2023)

# Colden Jubiles

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Weather Summary for the period since the issue of last bulletin no. 12 (10.02.2023) for Tamil Nadu: Thanjavur district

Maximum temperature of 30 – 33  $^{\circ}$ C, minimum temperature of 22  $^{\circ}$ C, was recorded in Thanjavur district.

#### Weather Summary and forecast for Thanjavur district

Past week Summary 10.02.2023 to 13.02.2023				Parameters  Ensemble weather forecast valid until 08.30 hrs of 19.02.2023					) hrs of
Day-1 10/02	Day-2 11/02	Day-3 12/02	Day-4 13/02	Date	Day-1 15/02	Day-2 16/02	Day-3 17/02	Day-4 18/02	Day-5 19/02
0	0	0	0	Rainfall (mm)	0	0	0	0	0
32	33	30	32	Max. Temp. (°C)	32	32	33	33	33
22	22	22	22	Min. Temp. (°C)	21	21	22	22	22
6	7	6	5	Cloud cover	0	0	0	0	0
73-67	74-69	71-67	69-64	RH I-II (%)	90-40	90-40	90-50	90-40	90-50
5	4	5	4	Wind (kmph)	10	8	12	8	8
East North East	East North East	East North East	East North East	Wind direction	North North East	North East	East	East South East	East North East

#### **Weather forecast for next five days (15.02.2023 to 19.02.2023)**

According to district level forecast issued by India Meteorological Department for Thanjavur district, the sky will be less cloudy. No rainfall is expected for next five days. Maximum temperature is expected to be around  $32 - 33^{\circ}$ C and minimum temperature is expected to be around 21 - 22 °C. Morning relative humidity is expected to be around 90 percent and evening relative humidity is expected to be around 40-50 percent. Average wind speed is expected to be around 8-12 km per hour. The wind direction will be north east.

## **Agro Advisory**

Crop	Stage	Advisory			
Ger	neral	Farmers can utilize the mobile apps viz., (TNAU AAS, Meghdoot and DAMINI), for more updated weather information.			
Rice	Harvest	Harvest the paddy crop at optimum moisture content during the ensuing dry weather conditions.			
Pulses	Sowing	Treat the black gram seeds with <i>Beauvaria basiana</i> @10g per kg of seeds before sowing.			
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Cattle	Cow and Goat	The prevailing night time temperature is favorable for pneumonia formation in cattle. To reduce the risk, suitable nighttime shelter with enough heating provision must be given.			

## **SMS** advisory

Farmers are advised to harvest matured paddy at optimum moisture content.

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