



Agromet Advisory Bulletin for the **Karur** District

(From 17th June 2023 to 21st June 2023)

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Weather Summary for the period since the issue of last bulletin no. 47 (13.06.2023) for Tamil Nadu: Karur district

Maximum temperature of 39 °C, minimum temperature of 27 - 28 °C, isolated rainfall was recorded in Karur district.

Weather Summary and forecast for Karur district

Past week Summary 13.06.2023 to 15.06.2023			Parameters	Ensemble weather forecast valid until 08.30 hr of 21.06.2023				
Day-1 13/06	Day-2 14/06	Day-3 15/06		Day-1 17/06	Day-2 18/06	Day-3 19/06	Day-4 20/06	Day-5 21/06
0	0.3	0	Rainfall (mm)	0	3	18	26	0
39	39	39	Max. Temp. (°C)	39	38	38	37	37
27	27	28	Min. Temp. (°C)	29	28	28	27	27
6	5	5	Cloud cover (Octa)	5	8	8	8	5
62-49	60-36	61-34	RH I-II (%)	60-30	70-30	90-50	90-70	70-50
19	25	23	Wind (kmph)	12	14	14	12	14
South West	West	West North West	Wind direction	West	West	West North West	West	West

Weather forecast for next five days (17.06.2023 to 21.06.2023)

According to district level forecast issued by India Meteorological Department for Karur district, the sky will be moderately cloudy. Light to moderate rainfall is expected on 18.06.2023 to 20.06.2023. Maximum temperature is expected to be around 37 - 39 °C and minimum temperature is expected to be around 27 - 29 °C. Morning relative humidity is expected to be around 60 - 90 percent and evening relative humidity is expected to be around 30 - 70 percent. Average wind speed is expected to be around 12 - 14 km per hour. The wind direction will be west.

Agro Advisory

Crop	Stage	Advisory
General		Considering expected rain, postpone/avoid chemical application / Spray.
Rice	Main field	After rain cessation, apply butachlor at 1.0 lit/ac or anilophos 500 ml/ac mixed with 20 kg sand and broadcast uniformly to control weeds.
Rice	Main field	Leaf mite incidence is being noticed in the kuruvai paddy fields due to prevailing weather condition. Spray Dicofol @ 2.5 ml/ liter or fenazaquin 10 EC 2 ml/ liter, to control this pest after rain cessation.
Cotton	Vegetative	Due to prevailing weather condition favor cotton mealy bug. In order to control this, spray dimethoate or profenophos @ 2ml / lit. Wherever necessary use botanical insecticides like neem derivatives such as neem oil 2% NSKE 5% and Fish oil rosin soap 25g/litre of water after rain cessation.
Banana		Provide support with wooden poles to avoid lodging of tree due to rain and wind.
Cattle	Cow	Ensure vaccination of cows and buffalos against foot and mouth disease before monsoon.

SMS advisory

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