

Agriculture:

As the temperature is expected to increase in the forthcoming days, sucking pest infestation may be prevalent in vegetables, pulses and groundnut crops. Hence, 5% Neem seed kernel extract may be sprayed to control the pest incidence.

Weather Based Agro-Advisories: (Jasmine, Tomato & Animal Husbandry).

Jasmine:

Due to the prevailing weather conditions the incense of Leaf spot disease may be expected in the Jathimalli (Jasmine) flower crop.

Black spots appear and spread throughout the leaf, showing a burning appearance.

To control, spray Difenconazole @ 2 ½ gm per litre of water.

Tomato:

The incense of Leaf Curl virus disease is expected in Tomatoes. The symptom appears on newly grown plants, tomato yellow leaf curl virus reduces the internodes and also gives the plant a stunted appearance.

The new leaves also greatly reduce in size, wrinkled and yellowed between the veins. Leaf margins that curl upward, giving them a cup-like appearance.

Flowers may appear but usually will drop before the fruit set.

To control spray the composite of Fermented curd 250ml + Pseudomonas 40gm + 2 egg whites with 10 litres of water.

Animal Husbandry:

Farmers are advised to deworm their goats for Round / Tap Worms for the months of May and June. The deworming should be done in the morning and the goat should be on an empty stomach.