



Gramin Krishi Mausam Sewa

District Level Agromet Advisory Bulletin (A Joint Initiative of IMD & ICAR)

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Date :18-10.2024

Weather Forecast of HOWRAH (West Bengal) Issued On: 18.10.2024(Valid Till 08:30 IST of the next 5 days)

Weather Summary/Alert:

- Very light to no rainfall is predicted on next 5 days.
- Sky will be partly cloudy to clear in next 5 days.
- •Maximum temperature is expected to be around 33.0-34.0degree and minimum temperature is likely to be 24.0-26.0 degree.
- Relative humidity will be in the range of 49-92%

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General Advisory:

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Weather based Agro-Advisory

Kharif paddy

Stage: Active Tillering to panicle initiation

Drain the excess water immediately from the crop field. Cloudy and humid weather conditions may conducive for attack of Brown spot, Blast disease, Sheath Blight in rice. Judicious use of nitrogen fertilizer(reduced level and split application) and weed management in the field is advised. Farmers may use Carbendazim 50 W.P. (1 g/ lt water) or Edifenphos (1ml/ lt of water) or Trycyclazole 75 W.P.(.5g/lt of water) for chemical control of the disease. Spraying must be done on a clear sunny day. If leaf roller or stemborer moth found during inspection then Chlorothalonyl can be applied in clear weather condition.

Cucumber

Stage: Flowering and fruiting

Wilting (yellowing of leaves) attack may be found due to sunny weather after heavy rain. No water stagnation should be allowed at the base of plants. After removal of water apply Dithane M-45@2.5g/litre of water to prevent wilting .

Cattle

Stage: Adult & Calf

Ensure access to dry bedding and clean water to maintain comfort and health . Ensure adequate feed and water supplies, maintain good drainage around the shelter, and monitor cattle closely for signs of stress or illness. Prevailing weather is favourable for foot rot disease in cattle. To control the disease wash the infected area with copper sulphate and slaked lime. Vaccination may be done prior to monsoon to protect from Anthrax, Black Quarter and Haemorrhagic Septicaemia diseases under the supervision of a registered practitioner or any government center. Clean the Foot and Mouth Disease affected area with 1% Potassium Permanganate solution. Foot and Mouth disease is common in rainy season. To avoid this, keep the shed clean and dry and disinfect the shed with bleaching powder. Do not allow them to graze in the submerged field. Farmers are advised to vaccinate livestock against foot and mouth disease (FMD vaccination), black quarter disease (BC vaccination).