

**Agromet Advisory Service Bulletin for Thane and Palghar District**
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(Period –29/06/2018 to 03/07/2018)

Rainfall (mm):	0.0
Total Rainfall (mm):	0.0
Total Rainfall (mm) (last year)	2834.2
Maximum temperature (°C)	32.6-37.0
Minimum temperature (°C)	22.6-27.8
Morning RH (%)	76-82
Afternoon RH (%)	57-68
Wind Speed (km/hr):	3.3-5.0
Total cloud cover (Octa)	0

Weather forecast until 08.30 hrs of 08/07/2018

PARAMETERS	Day-1	Day-2	Day-3	Day - 4	Day - 5
	04/07	05/07	06/07	07/07	08/07
Rainfall (mm)	73	70	98	84	80
Maximum temperature (°C)	30	29	28	29	29
Minimum temperature (°C)	24	24	24	24	24
Total cloud cover (Octa)	8	8	7	5	7
Relative Humidity Max. (%)	96	97	98	97	97
Relative Humidity Min. (%)	95	89	95	95	95
Wind Speed (Km/hr)	009	007	005	004	004
Wind Direction	199	196	180	160	187

: Agro-met Advisory:It is possibility rainfall of 4th to 8th July, 2018. Sky will cloudy from 4th to 8th July, 2018. Wind velocity range from 4 to 9 kmph from 4th to 8th July, 2018.

Crop	Crop Stage	Agromet Advisory
Rice	Field preparation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Carryout sowing operation. Treat the paddy seed with thiram fungicide @2.5 gm. per kg. of seed. Seed rate for paddy is 50 to 60 kg./ha. For bold varieties, 35 to 40 kg./ha. For fine varieties and 20 kg./ha. For hybrid varieties is recommended. Apply 1 kg. urea and 3 kg. SSP per guntha at the time of sowing. To control the weeds apply oxadiagyl (6 EC) @ 3 ml. per litter of water uniformly on wet nursery beds.
Sapota	Planting and precaution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For new plantation of sapota dig the pits of 1 x 1 x 1 m size at the distance of 10 x 10 m, re-filled the pits with mixture of soil, 20 to 30 kg of FYM or Compost and 2 kg single super phosphate and 100 g follidol powder or 50 g chloropyriphos granules to prevent attack of white ants. Prune the branches near to the ground level apply bordopaste to pruned portion and spray 1% bordomixture when there is no rain.
Coconut, Arecanut	--	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For 5 year old coconut palm apply 30 kg F.Y.M./compost alongwith 750 g urea + 3.000 kg single super phosphate + 2.000 kg muriate of potash. Spraying the FYM pits with 0.2 % Carbaryl for control of adults and grubs of rhinoceros beetle. To control red palm weevil affected coconut, fill the holes made by RPW with 10 per cent Carbaryl dust and sand mixture. Prepare a slanting hole with the help of screw drill about 1 m height from ground level on tree trunk and pour about 20 ml of 36 % Monocrotophos or 20% Chlorphyriphos with the help of plastic funnel in the hole and close the hole with the help of cement. For 3 year old arecanut palm apply 1 kg F.Y.M./compost alongwith 12 kg green manures + 160 g urea + 500 g single super phosphate + 125 g muriate of potash. Prepare water channels to drain out excess water from coconut and arecanut garden during rainy season. Apply osety AL 0.3% (30 g/10 lit. water) + Urea Suphala 111 briquettes or Fosety AL 0.3% (30 g/10 lit. water) + Annapurana 76 briquettes per arecanut palm to avoid fungal immature fruit drop in coconut and Koleroga disease (immature nut drop) in arecanut. <p>Note:- Apply fertilizer during when the intensity of rainfall is low.</p>
Vegetable and Fruit crop nursery	--	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Proper support should be given to cucurbitaceous crops. Apply fist one third dose of urea @ 720 g to 870 gm per R area to vegetable crops. Complete the mango store grafting programme before 10-12th July for getting higher grafting success. Prepare water channels to drain out excess water from fruit crop nursery during rainy season. Repair nursery shades.
Goats/ Milch animals/ Poultry	--	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provide clean and hygienic drinking water and nutritious fodder and concentrates to farm animal. Provide 1 to 1.5 kg concentrate + 15 to 20 kg green fodder + 4 to 5 kg roughages per day for milch animals. Young goats provide 3 to 4 kg green fodder + 2 to 2.5 kg dry fodder + 300 g concentrate,. Protect the animals from afternoon heat. Keep good aeration in animal shed. For boiler poultry bird 1st three week provide boiler starter and 4 to 6 week old bird provide boiler finisher as per their daily requirement.
Suggestion	--	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Contact nearby SAU Scientists or State Agril. Dept. for detail control measures against incidence of pest and diseases under adverse weather conditions.