BIDHAN CHANDRA KRISHI VISWAVIDYALAYA MEDIUM-RANGE WEATHER FORECAST AND AGRO-ADVISORY (Agromet Advisory Services, IMD, MoES)

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Weather Forecast for Hooghly District

FORECAST PERIOD: 22nd August to 26th August, 2018

Weather forecast for next five days

- ➤ Mainly cloudy sky is expected during next few days .
- > Light to medium rainfall is expected during next few days and total will be 59 mm.
- ➤ Wind flow mainly from S, SE & SW direction with 6-11 km/hr. speed during next 5 days is expected.
- ➤ Maximum relative humidity is expected to be around 86%-94% and minimum relative humidity is expected to be around 59% 64%.
- ➤ Maximum temperature is expected to be around 31°C-33°C and minimum temperature is expected to be around 25°C-26°C

Agrometeorological Advisory

According to NDVI data sent by IMD agricultural vigour of New Alluvial Zone of West Bengal will be good in the coming week.

| Crop | Stage | Advisory |
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| Corn | Sowing | Farmers are advised for sowing of sweet corn & baby corn in raised bed. |
| Aman | Vegetative | At this time paddy crop is in vegetative stage. Farmers are advised to monitor crop regularly, if population of leaf folder or stem borer is above ETL than broadcast of Cartap 4% granules or carbofuran 3% G @ 10 kg/acre or chlorpyriphos 20 EC @ 2 ml/ litre of water for effective control is recommended. In present weather condition, constant monitoring for brown plant hopper in paddy field is advised If insect population is above ETL spray of Imidacloprid 17.8 % SC@ 1.0 ml / 3 lit of water or is recommended. |
| Bhindi, Brinjal, Chilly | Vegetative | Constant monitoring of ladyfinger, brinjal and chilli crop against attack of mite and jassid is advised. To control mite, spraying of phosmite @ 2 ml per litre of water is advised while spraying of Dimethoate 30 EC @ 2 ml/liter of water is advised against jassid when sky remain clear. |

| Cabbage, Cauliflo | Vegetative | Farmers are advised to monitor borer insect. If insect population is above ETL than, spraying of Spinosad 1.0 ml/4 litre of water is advised when sky is clear against fruit borer, diamond back moth etc. |
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| Chrysanthe mum & Marigold | Sowing | Farmers are advised to prepare marigold & chrysanthemum nursery in net house. Proper drainage should be done in the fields. |

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