




Integrated Agromet Advisory Service Bulletin from 2nd to 6th March'16 Dimapur District

Bulletin No:18/2016

Weather summary of the preceding week			Weather forecast valid upto 6 th March '16
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No rain occurred the past week Maximum and minimum temperatures ranged 26^oC to 27^oC and 10^oC to 11^oC, respectively. Relative humidity varied from 25% to 90%. Wind speed ranged from 3 to 4 kmph 			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Probability of no rain the coming week. The max temp is likely to be 29^oC - 32^oC and the min temp 13^oC to 14^oC Sky is likely to be clear the coming week Relative Humidity is likely to range from 23% to 75%. Wind speed may reach upto 3-4 kmph Wind direction will be easterly
Main Crops	Stage	Pest/diseases	Agro-meteorological Advisories
Monitor the field situation at least once a week for soil, water, plants, pests, natural enemies and weather factors.			
Field crops			
<i>Crop rotation should be carried out.</i>			
Paddy	Storage		Monitor timely for storage pest like moth and weevil infestation. The storage structure should not have perforations or holes as it helps the pest to invade, the storage place should have a good aeration.
Chickpea, lentil, linseed	Harvesting stage		Apply light and frequent irrigation to protect the crops from cold / frost injury. Dry soils are poor heat conductors, store less heat and therefore result in a higher risk of frost. Keep the fields weed free as the weeds blocks the sunlight and heating of the soil during daytime
Mustard	Harvesting stage		Harvesting should be done when the pods turn yellow. Harvesting should be done in the early hours during morning as the moisture accumulated during night prevent the splitting of pods
Maize	Harvesting stage		Dry the cobs immediately before threshing and kernels should be dried sufficiently before storage.
Horticultural crops			
Citrus	-		During this season, light earth work should be carried out in the plant basin and mulching should be carried out with locally available dry grasses/ leaves/ straw near the base of the trunk to conserve soil moisture


	Summer crops			<i>Farmers are advised to go for sowing of summer vegetables like ladies finger, cucurbitaceous crops like gourd, pumpkin, ridge gourd, ash gourd, spine gourd etc. and certified seeds should be use to produce good yield.</i>
	Ginger	Harvesting stage		<i>If harvesting is to be done in an infested field, after the work is done implements used like spade, dao, basket, fork etc must be thoroughly washed before storing/ using in another field.</i>
	Pea	Harvesting stage		<i>Green pods should be harvested while just short of reaching maturity. Multiple picking like, 4 to 5 picking should be done within the 2 to 10 days.</i>
	Tomato	Harvesting stage		<i>Any containers used to hold tomatoes that are received back from a packing house must be checked for cleanliness prior to use. Clean and sanitize harvest containers or bins at least weekly, more often if needed, to remove sand, grit, dirt and other residue.</i>
	Poultry	In case of poultry, dead birds died due to different diseases should be disposed off safely so as to control the spread of the infestation. As the temperature is increasing, the animals should be provided clean water daily and the water troughs should be regularly cleaned.		
	Piggery	Take preventive measures against swine fever , the disease can spread quickly when you have a large animals living together, when they share the same food, water and housing facilities. Once a pig is infected, it has a hundred percent fatality rate. Check the herd for spotting out the sick animals and contact the veterinarian for necessary treatment		
	Fishery	As most of the pond is dry, take up renovation works like repairing and cleaning of bottom of the pond.		



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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No rain occurred the past week Maximum and minimum temperatures ranged 22°C to 23°C and 4°C to 5°C, respectively. Relative humidity varied from 25% to 94%. Wind speed ranged from 1 to 2 kmph 			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Probability of no rain the coming week. The max temp is likely to be 21°C - 24°C and the min temp 4°C to 5°C Sky is likely to be clear the coming week Relative Humidity is likely to range from 26% to 92%. Wind speed may reach upto 1-2 kmph Wind direction will be mostly southeasterly
Main Crops	Stage	Pest/ diseases	Agro-meteorological Advisories
Monitor the field situation at least once a week for soil, water, plants, pests, natural enemies and weather factors.			
Field crops <i>Crop rotation should be carried out.</i>			
Paddy	Storage		Monitor timely for storage pest like moth and weevil infestation. The storage structure should not have perforations or holes as it helps the pest to invade, the storage place should have a good aeration.
Chickpea, lentil, linseed	Harvesting stage		Apply light and frequent irrigation to protect the crops from cold / frost injury. Dry soils are poor heat conductors, store less heat and therefore result in a higher risk of frost. Keep the fields weed free as the weeds blocks the sunlight and heating of the soil during daytime
Mustard	Harvesting stage		Harvesting should be done when the pods turn yellow. Harvesting should be done in the early hours during morning as the moisture accumulated during night prevent the splitting of pods
Maize	Harvesting stage		Dry the cobs immediately before threshing and kernels should be dried sufficiently before storage.
Horticultural crops			
Citrus	-		During this season, light earth work should be carried out in the plant basin and mulching should be carried out with locally available dry grasses/ leaves/ straw near the base of the trunk to conserve soil moisture


	Summer crops			<i>Farmers are advised to go for sowing of summer vegetables like ladies finger, cucurbitaceous crops like gourd, pumpkin, ridge gourd, ash gourd, spine gourd etc. and certified seeds should be use to produce good yield.</i>
	Ginger	Harvesting stage		<i>If harvesting is to be done in an infested field, after the work is done implements used like spade, dao, basket, fork etc must be thoroughly washed before storing/ using in another field.</i>
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	Poultry	In case of poultry, dead birds died due to different diseases should be disposed off safely so as to control the spread of the infestation. As the temperature is increasing, the animals should be provided clean water daily and the water troughs should be regularly cleaned.		
	Piggery	Take preventive measures against swine fever , the disease can spread quickly when you have a large animals living together, when they share the same food, water and housing facilities. Once a pig is infected, it has a hundred percent fatality rate. Check the herd for spotting out the sick animals and contact the veterinarian for necessary treatment		
	Fishery	As most of the pond is dry, take up renovation works like repairing and cleaning of bottom of the pond.		



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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No rain occurred the past week Maximum and minimum temperatures ranged 22°C to 24°C and 5°C to 6°C, respectively. Relative humidity varied from 25% to 93%. Wind speed ranged from 1 to 2 kmph 			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Probability of no rain the coming week. The max temp is likely to be 21°C - 22°C and the min temp 7°C to 8°C Sky is likely to be clear the coming week Relative Humidity is likely to range from 24% to 83%. Wind speed may reach upto 4 kmph Wind direction will be easterly
Main Crops	Stage	Pest/ Diseases	Agro-meteorological Advisories
Monitor the field situation at least once a week for soil, water, plants, pests, natural enemies and weather factors.			
Field crops <i>Crop rotation should be carried out.</i>			
Paddy	Storage		Monitor timely for storage pest like moth and weevil infestation. The storage structure should not have perforations or holes as it helps the pest to invade, the storage place should have a good aeration.
Chickpea, lentil, linseed	Harvesting stage		Apply light and frequent irrigation to protect the crops from cold / frost injury. Dry soils are poor heat conductors, store less heat and therefore result in a higher risk of frost. Keep the fields weed free as the weeds blocks the sunlight and heating of the soil during daytime
Mustard	Harvesting stage		Harvesting should be done when the pods turn yellow. Harvesting should be done in the early hours during morning as the moisture accumulated during night prevent the splitting of pods
Maize	Harvesting stage		Dry the cobs immediately before threshing and kernels should be dried sufficiently before storage.
Horticultural crops			
Citrus	-		During this season, light earth work should be carried out in the plant basin and mulching should be carried out with locally available dry grasses/ leaves/ straw near the base of the trunk to conserve soil moisture


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	Pea	Harvesting stage		<i>Green pods should be harvested while just short of reaching maturity. Multiple picking like, 4 to 5 picking should be done within the 2 to 10 days.</i>
	Tomato	Harvesting stage		<i>Any containers used to hold tomatoes that are received back from a packing house must be checked for cleanliness prior to use. Clean and sanitize harvest containers or bins at least weekly, more often if needed, to remove sand, grit, dirt and other residue.</i>
	Poultry	In case of poultry, dead birds died due to different diseases should be disposed off safely so as to control the spread of the infestation. As the temperature is increasing, the animals should be provided clean water daily and the water troughs should be regularly cleaned.		
	Piggery	Take preventive measures against swine fever , the disease can spread quickly when you have a large animals living together, when they share the same food, water and housing facilities. Once a pig is infected, it has a hundred percent fatality rate. Check the herd for spotting out the sick animals and contact the veterinarian for necessary treatment		
	Fishery	As most of the pond is dry, take up renovation works like repairing and cleaning of bottom of the pond.		



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Main Crops	Stage	Pest/ diseases	Agro-meteorological Advisories
Monitor the field situation at least once a week for soil, water, plants, pests, natural enemies and weather factors.			
Field crops <i>Crop rotation should be carried out.</i>			
Paddy	Storage		Monitor timely for storage pest like moth and weevil infestation. The storage structure should not have perforations or holes as it helps the pest to invade, the storage place should have a good aeration.
Chickpea, lentil, linseed	Harvesting stage		Apply light and frequent irrigation to protect the crops from cold / frost injury. Dry soils are poor heat conductors, store less heat and therefore result in a higher risk of frost. Keep the fields weed free as the weeds blocks the sunlight and heating of the soil during daytime
Mustard	Harvesting stage		Harvesting should be done when the pods turn yellow. Harvesting should be done in the early hours during morning as the moisture accumulated during night prevent the splitting of pods
Maize	Harvesting stage		Dry the cobs immediately before threshing and kernels should be dried sufficiently before storage.
Horticultural crops			
Citrus	-		During this season, light earth work should be carried out in the plant basin and mulching should be carried out with locally available dry grasses/ leaves/ straw near the base of the trunk to conserve soil moisture

	Summer crops			<i>Farmers are advised to go for sowing of summer vegetables like ladies finger, cucurbitaceous crops like gourd, pumpkin, ridge gourd, ash gourd, spine gourd etc. and certified seeds should be use to produce good yield.</i>
	Ginger	Harvesting stage		<i>If harvesting is to be done in an infested field, after the work is done implements used like spade, dao, basket, fork etc must be thoroughly washed before storing/ using in another field.</i>
	Pea	Harvesting stage		<i>Green pods should be harvested while just short of reaching maturity. Multiple picking like, 4 to 5 picking should be done within the 2 to 10 days.</i>
	Tomato	Harvesting stage		<i>Any containers used to hold tomatoes that are received back from a packing house must be checked for cleanliness prior to use. Clean and sanitize harvest containers or bins at least weekly, more often if needed, to remove sand, grit, dirt and other residue.</i>
	Poultry	In case of poultry, dead birds died due to different diseases should be disposed off safely so as to control the spread of the infestation. As the temperature is increasing, the animals should be provided clean water daily and the water troughs should be regularly cleaned.		
	Piggery	Take preventive measures against swine fever , the disease can spread quickly when you have a large animals living together, when they share the same food, water and housing facilities. Once a pig is infected, it has a hundred percent fatality rate. Check the herd for spotting out the sick animals and contact the veterinarian for necessary treatment		
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Mokokchung District

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Weather summary of the preceding week

- No rain occurred the past week
- Maximum and minimum temperatures ranged 23⁰C to 24⁰C and 7⁰C to 8⁰C, respectively.
- Relative humidity varied from 29% to 91%.
- Wind speed ranged from 1 to 2 kmph

Weather forecast valid upto 6th March '16

- Probability of no rain the coming week.
- The max temp is likely to be 26⁰C - 29⁰C and the min temp 9⁰C to 10⁰C
- Sky is likely to be clear the coming week
- Relative Humidity is likely to range from 24% to 79%.
- Wind speed may reach upto 2- 3 kmph
- Wind direction will be mostly southeasterly

Main Crops	Stage	Pest/ Diseases
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Agro-meteorological Advisories

Monitor the field situation at least once a week for soil, water, plants, pests, natural enemies and weather factors.

Field crops

Crop rotation should be carried out.

Paddy	Storage		Monitor timely for storage pest like moth and weevil infestation. The storage structure should not have perforations or holes as it helps the pest to invade, the storage place should have a good aeration.
Chickpea, lentil, linseed	Harvesting stage		Apply light and frequent irrigation to protect the crops from cold / frost injury. Dry soils are poor heat conductors, store less heat and therefore result in a higher risk of frost. Keep the fields weed free as the weeds blocks the sunlight and heating of the soil during daytime
Mustard	Harvesting stage		Harvesting should be done when the pods turn yellow. Harvesting should be done in the early hours during morning as the moisture accumulated during night prevent the splitting of pods
Maize	Harvesting stage		Dry the cobs immediately before threshing and kernels should be dried sufficiently before storage.

Horticultural crops

Citrus	-		During this season, light earth work should be carried out in the plant basin and mulching should be carried out with locally available dry grasses/ leaves/ straw near the base of the trunk to conserve soil moisture
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Piggery	Take preventive measures against swine fever , the disease can spread quickly when you have a large animals living together, when they share the same food, water and housing facilities. Once a pig is infected, it has a hundred percent fatality rate. Check the herd for spotting out the sick animals and contact the veterinarian for necessary treatment		
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Main Crops	Stage	Pest/ Diseases	Agro-meteorological Advisories
Monitor the field situation at least once a week for soil, water, plants, pests, natural enemies and weather factors.			
Field crops			
<i>Crop rotation should be carried out.</i>			
Paddy	Storage		Monitor timely for storage pest like moth and weevil infestation. The storage structure should not have perforations or holes as it helps the pest to invade, the storage place should have a good aeration.
Chickpea, lentil, linseed	Harvesting stage		Apply light and frequent irrigation to protect the crops from cold / frost injury. Dry soils are poor heat conductors, store less heat and therefore result in a higher risk of frost. Keep the fields weed free as the weeds blocks the sunlight and heating of the soil during daytime
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Maize	Harvesting stage		Dry the cobs immediately before threshing and kernels should be dried sufficiently before storage.
Horticultural crops			
Citrus	-		During this season, light earth work should be carried out in the plant basin and mulching should be carried out with locally available dry grasses/ leaves/ straw near the base of the trunk to conserve soil moisture

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Peren District

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Main Crops	Stage	Pest/ diseases	Agro-meteorological Advisories
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Field crops			
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Horticultural crops			
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Field crops			
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Mustard	Harvesting stage		<i>Harvesting should be done when the pods turn yellow.</i> <i>Harvesting should be done in the early hours during morning as the moisture accumulated during night prevent the splitting of pods</i>
Maize	Harvesting stage		<i>Dry the cobs immediately before threshing and kernels should be dried sufficiently before storage.</i>
Horticultural crops			
Citrus	-		<i>During this season, light earth work should be carried out in the plant basin and mulching should be carried out with locally available dry grasses/ leaves/ straw near the base of the trunk to conserve soil moisture</i>

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	Fishery	As most of the pond is dry, take up renovation works like repairing and cleaning of bottom of the pond.		



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Weather summary of the preceding week

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- Relative humidity varied from 26% to 95%.
- Wind speed ranged from 1 to 2 kmph

Weather forecast valid upto 6th March '16

- Probability of no rain the coming week.
- The max temp is likely to be 19⁰C - 24⁰C and the min temp 4⁰C to 5⁰C
- Sky is likely to be clear the coming week
- Relative Humidity is likely to range from 25% to 94%.
- Wind speed may reach upto 2 kmph
- Wind direction will be mostly southerly

Main Crops

Stage

Pest/ Diseases

Agro-meteorological Advisories

Monitor the field situation at least once a week for soil, water, plants, pests, natural enemies and weather factors.

Field crops

Crop rotation should be carried out.

Paddy

Storage

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Chickpea, lentil, linseed

Harvesting stage

Apply light and frequent irrigation to protect the crops from cold / frost injury. Dry soils are poor heat conductors, store less heat and therefore result in a higher risk of frost. Keep the fields weed free as the weeds blocks the sunlight and heating of the soil during daytime

Mustard

Harvesting stage

Harvesting should be done when the pods turn yellow. Harvesting should be done in the early hours during morning as the moisture accumulated during night prevent the splitting of pods

Maize

Harvesting stage


Dry the cobs immediately before threshing and kernels should be dried sufficiently before storage.

Horticultural crops

Citrus

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	Ginger	Harvesting stage		<i>If harvesting is to be done in an infested field, after the work is done implements used like spade, dao, basket, fork etc must be thoroughly washed before storing/ using in another field.</i>
	Pea	Harvesting stage		<i>Green pods should be harvested while just short of reaching maturity. Multiple picking like, 4 to 5 picking should be done within the 2 to 10 days.</i>
	Tomato	Harvesting stage		<i>Any containers used to hold tomatoes that are received back from a packing house must be checked for cleanliness prior to use. Clean and sanitize harvest containers or bins at least weekly, more often if needed, to remove sand, grit, dirt and other residue.</i>
	Poultry	In case of poultry, dead birds died due to different diseases should be disposed off safely so as to control the spread of the infestation. As the temperature is increasing, the animals should be provided clean water daily and the water troughs should be regularly cleaned.		
	Piggery	Take preventive measures against swine fever , the disease can spread quickly when you have a large animals living together, when they share the same food, water and housing facilities. Once a pig is infected, it has a hundred percent fatality rate. Check the herd for spotting out the sick animals and contact the veterinarian for necessary treatment		
	Fishery	As most of the pond is dry, take up renovation works like repairing and cleaning of bottom of the pond.		



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Weather summary of the preceding week			Weather forecast valid upto 6 th March '16
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No rain occurred the past week Maximum and minimum temperatures ranged 24⁰C to 25⁰C and 8⁰C to 9⁰C, respectively. Relative humidity varied from 24% to 90%. Wind speed ranged from 3 to 4 kmph 			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Probability of no rain the coming week. The max temp is likely to be 27⁰C - 28⁰C and the min temp 11⁰C to 12⁰C Sky is likely to be clear the coming week Relative Humidity is likely to range from 24% to 78%. Wind speed may reach upto 2- 4 kmph Wind direction will be mostly southeasterly
Main Crops	Stage	Pest/ Diseases	Agro-meteorological Advisories
Monitor the field situation at least once a week for soil, water, plants, pests, natural enemies and weather factors.			
Field crops			
<i>Crop rotation should be carried out.</i>			
Paddy	Storage		Monitor timely for storage pest like moth and weevil infestation. The storage structure should not have perforations or holes as it helps the pest to invade, the storage place should have a good aeration.
Chickpea, lentil, linseed	Harvesting stage		Apply light and frequent irrigation to protect the crops from cold / frost injury. Dry soils are poor heat conductors, store less heat and therefore result in a higher risk of frost. Keep the fields weed free as the weeds blocks the sunlight and heating of the soil during daytime
Mustard	Harvesting stage		Harvesting should be done when the pods turn yellow. Harvesting should be done in the early hours during morning as the moisture accumulated during night prevent the splitting of pods
Maize	Harvesting stage		Dry the cobs immediately before threshing and kernels should be dried sufficiently before storage.
Horticultural crops			
Citrus	-		During this season, light earth work should be carried out in the plant basin and mulching should be carried out with locally available dry grasses/ leaves/ straw near the base of the trunk to conserve soil

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Zunheboto District

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<i>Weather summary of the preceding week</i>			<i>Weather forecast valid upto 6th March '16</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No rain occurred the past week Maximum and minimum temperatures ranged 22^oC to 23^oC and 7^oC to 8^oC, respectively. Relative humidity varied from 24% to 95%. Wind speed ranged from 2 to 3 kmph 			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Probability of no rain the coming week. The max temp is likely to be 24^oC - 25^oC and the min temp 7^oC to 9^oC Sky is likely to be clear the coming week Relative Humidity is likely to range from 24% to 84%. Wind speed may reach upto 2 kmph Wind direction will be mostly southeasterly
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