



## 2. Agromet advisories issued by AICRPAM centers during August 2020

Date of issue	Advisory issued for the region	Agromet Advisory issued
07-08-2020	Himachal Pradesh	Under prevailing weather condition, nursery raising of medicinal plants viz. aswagandha, tulsi, digitalis, jangli bhindi and agarkara is advised.
	Assam	Due to heavy rainfall and strong wind conditions, farmers are advised to go for stripping and propping in sugarcane crop to avoid mechanical damage and lodging.
	Bihar	Present weather condition is congenial for planting of mango saplings in the orchards with varieties Mithua, Gulabkhaas, Bambai, Alfanso, Jardaalu, Langra (Maldah), Hemsager, Krishnabhog, Aman Dasahri. Few hybrid varieties viz., Mahmood Bahar, Prabhashanker, Amrpaali, Mallika, Manjira, Menika Jawaher, Alfajli, Pusaarunima and Sunder langra are also recommended.
	South Interior Karnataka	Farmers may go for sowing of ragi as medium to short duration double crop with varieties ML-365, GPU-28 & 66, KMR-301 & 204, maize with varieties Ganga-11, Deccan-103, Vijaya composite, Composite NAC-6004, 6002, hybrid-Nityashree (NAH-2049) and foxtail millet with varieties RS-118, K-221-1, PS-4, SIA-326.
14-08-2020	Vidharbha	Under prevailing weather condition, there is a chance of pink boll worm larvae in cotton flowers. To control, it is advised to spray Quinolphos 25% AF @ 25 ml or Chlorpyriphos 20% EC @ 25 ml per 10 litres of water. It is also advised to collect and destroy rosette flowers/buds.
	Jharkhand	Under prevailing weather condition, there is a chance of tikka or leaf spot disease in groundnut. It is advised to spray fungicide Kavach @ 2 g/litre of water during clear weather.
	Hisar	Under prevailing weather conditions, farmers are advised to withhold irrigation in vegetables and fruits crops.
21-08-2020	Odisha	Due to heavy rain and moistness in soil, there may be a chance of incidence of collar rot/stem rot in groundnut. To control, it is advised for drenching with Metalaxyi + Mancozeb @ 400 g / acre.

<b>21-08-2020</b>	<b>Kerala</b>	Due to the increase in rainfall, there is a chance of rhizome rot in banana. As a precaution, drench the basin with three litre of pseudomonas solution @ 20 g perlitre of water.
	<b>Tamil Nadu</b>	Prevailing weather condition is also congenial for sucking pest incidence in chilly. It is advised to spray Imidacloprid 200 SL @ 100 ml or Methyl demeton 25 EC 500ml/ha.
	<b>Konkan</b>	Due continuous heavy rain, there is a chance of fungal disease-causing leaf drop and branch rot in cashewnut. To control, spray 0.2% Mancozeb @ 20 ml/10 litres of water on entire tree.
<b>28-08-2020</b>	<b>Punjab</b>	Prevailing weather condition is highly suitable for planting fruit plants such as citrus, mango, litchi, guava, papaya, jamun, sapota, amla.
	<b>Marathwada</b>	Due to humid and rainy weather condition, sigatoka disease is observed in banana orchards. For management, spray of Carbandazim 50 WP @ 10 g or Propiconazole 10 % EC @ 10 ml per 10 litres of water along with sticker during clear weather condition is advised.
	<b>West Bengal</b>	Due to high humidity and cloudy weather condition, there may be a chance of combine attack of downy mildew and mosaic virus in bitter gourd and pointed gourd. To control, it is advised to apply Ridomil Gold MZ (@ 2 g per litre of water.
	<b>Gujarat</b>	Monitoring is advised for the infestation of white fly in sugarcane crop. If infestation occurs, it is advised to apply Azadirachtin 1500 ppm @ 3 ml per 10 litre water.