

## Gramin Krishi Mausam Sewa (GKMS) Agromet Field Unit (AMFU)



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Tirunelveli District level AAB No. 027/2024 Day & Date: Tuesday & 02.04.2024

Obser	Observed weather for the period 26 <sup>th</sup> March 01 <sup>st</sup> April, 2024					Weather Parameters /	Weather forecast (Valid from 03 <sup>rd</sup> April 2024 to 8:30 hrs of 07 <sup>th</sup> April 2024)					
26/03	27/03	28/03	29/03	30/03	31/03	01/04	Date	Day 1 03/04	Day 2 04/04	Day 3 05/04	Day 4 06/04	Day 5 07/04
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Rainfall (mm)	3	0	0	0	0
36	35	35	35	36	37	37	Max. Temp. (°C)	38	39	39	39	39
26	25	26	27	25	25	26	Min. Temp. (°C)	27	27	27	26	26
Partly cloudy	Partly cloudy	Partly cloudy	Partly cloudy	Partly cloudy	Partly cloudy	Partly cloudy	Cloud cover (Octa)	General ly cloudy	General ly cloudy	Clear sky y	Partly cloud	General ly cloudy
83	81	72	70	68	59	69	Relative humidity - Mor. (%)	80	90	90	80	90
83	46	43	43	43	42	42	Relative humidity - Eve. (%)	40	30	30	30	30
4	5	2	2	2	2	3	Wind speed (kmph)	10	10	8	10	10
sw	SE	SSE	SSE	ENE	wsw	SSE	Wind direction (dd)	wsw	SE	W	wsw	wsw

Rainfall (mm) in last week	Rainfall (mm) from 01/01/2024 to till dated
0.0	247.7

## **Weather forecast**

- The maximum temperature is likely to increase 2°C compared to the previous week.
- Light rainfall is predicted on day 1 on 03.04.2024.
- Sky condition will be clear to generally cloudy.
- Wind speed is expected to be 8-10 km per hour and the wind direction will be from West-Southwest, Southeast, West West-Southwest direction.

Crop	Stage	Agromet Advisory
Irrigated	Water	Light rainfall is predicted on day 1 (03.04.2024). Farmers are request to
crops	management	Irrigate.
rainfed /	Plant	Spraying maybe practiced. Usage of bioproducts may be practiced for plant protection
irrigated	protection	to avoid scorching effect.
crops		
Paddy	Booting stage	Avoid excessive use of nitrogen and control irrigation by alternate wetting and
		drying to control Brown plant leafhopper.
Livestock	Temperature	Adults couldn't withstand the high temperature, to reduce the heat load usage
		of water sprinklers or misters can be useful to reduce temperature.
Human		Heat gain in the human body result to cascade of illnesses, including heat
		cramps, heat exhaustion, heatstroke, and hyperthermia. So requested to drink
		some water or fruit juice to rehydrate.

SMS: Rain: 03.04-3mm. Irrigate and proceed with application of fertilizer. Application of bioproducts for plant protection to avoid scorching. Paddy - Avoid excessive use of nitrogen and control irrigation to control Brown plant leafhopper.

Tamil Nadu				
Yesterday's trough/wind discontinuity from south Tamil Nadu to southeast Madhya Pradesh now runs from south Tamil				
Nadu to east Vidarbha across interior Karnataka & Marathwada at 0.9 km above mean sea level				
Weather forecast	Next five	• Light to Moderate rain with thunderstorm & lightning is likely to occur at one or two		
	days	places over South Tamilnadu and Western Ghats districts of North Tamilnadu on Day 1		
		(03.04.2024).		
		• Dry weather is very likely to prevail over rest Tamilnadu, Puducherry & Karaikal area		
		on Day 1 (03.04.2024).		
		• Light to Moderate rain is likely to occur at one or two places over South Tamilnadu,		
		Western Ghats districts of North Tamilnadu, Delta districts and Karaikal area on Day 2		

	(04.04.2024).
	• Dry weather is very likely to prevail over rest Tamilnadu and Puducherry on Day 2
	(04.04.2024).
	• Dry weather is very likely to prevail over Tamilnadu, Puducherry &Karaikal area from
	Day 3 (05.04.2024) to Day 5 (07.04.2024).
Extended range	Week (05-04-2024 to 11-04-2024): Slightly below normal rainfall is likely over the
weather forecast	southern and the delta districts and Karaikal area and generally dry weather condition is
	likely over rest of Tamilnadu and Puducherry.

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