



Agromet Advisory Bulletin for the **Thanjavur** District

(From 23rd August 2023 to 27th August 2023)

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Weather Summary for the period since the issue of last bulletin no. 66 (18.08.2023) for Tamil Nadu: Thanjavur district

Maximum temperature of 37 - 38 °C, minimum temperature of 27 °C, was recorded in Thanjavur district.

Weather Summary and forecast for Thanjavur district

Past week Summary 18.08.2023 to 21.08.2023				Parameters	Ensemble weather forecast valid until 08.30 hr of 27.08.2023				
Day-1 18/08	Day-2 19/08	Day-3 20/08	Day-4 21/08		Date	Day-1 23/08	Day-2 24/08	Day-3 25/08	Day-4 26/08
0	0	0	0	Rainfall (mm)	6	3	0	2	0
38	38	37	38	Max. Temp. (°C)	38	37	37	37	36
27	27	27	27	Min. Temp. (°C)	25	24	24	24	24
5	5	5	5	Cloud cover	8	7	5	5	6
69-62	72-57	72-56	71-56	RH I-II (%)	80-50	80-50	80-50	80-50	80-50
6	6	5	5	Wind (kmph)	14	16	18	18	16
West North West	West North West	North West	North West	Wind direction	South South West	South South West	South	South	South South West

Weather forecast for next five days (23.08.2023 to 27.08.2023)

According to district level forecast issued by India Meteorological Department for Thanjavur district, the sky will be moderately cloudy. Light rainfall is expected on 23.08.2023, 24.08.2023 and 26.08.2023. Maximum temperature is expected to be around 36 - 38 °C and minimum temperature is expected to be around 24 - 25 °C. Morning relative humidity is expected to be around 80 percent and evening relative humidity is expected to be around 50 percent. Average wind speed is expected to be around 14 - 18 km per hour. The wind direction will be south south west.

Agro Advisory

Crop	Stage	Advisory
General		Farmers are requested to download and utilize the agricultural based mobile apps suggested by TNAU (TNAU AAS, Meghdoot and DAMINI).
Rice	Harvest	Harvest the matured <i>kuruvai</i> paddy before the expected rain
	Harvest	Protect the harvested paddy from rain.
	Nursery	Considering favourable weather, prepare nursery for samba crop and make sowing.
	Main field	By utilizing weather condition land can be prepared for samba rice cultivation.
Coconut	Bearing Stage	To reduce the button shedding under this weather condition, feed the roots with 200 ml of coconut tonic per palm.
Cattle	Cow	Since the onset of rainy season may attract mosquitoes breeding, farmers are advised to give Notchi leaves fumigation in dairy barn. Insect population has detrimental effect on milk quality.

SMS advisory

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