# **State:TRIPURA**

# **Agriculture Contingency Plan for District: North Tripura**

1.0 Dis	strict Agriculture profile								
1.1	Agro-Climatic/Ecological Zone								
	Agro Ecological Sub Region (ICAR)	Humid Eastern Himalayan Region (17.2) - Purvachal (Eastern Range), warm to hot perhumid ESR with							
		Medium to deep loamy Red ar							
			Hot sub-humid (moist) to humid (inclusion of per humid) eco-region- 15.3 Q8A9- Northern part of						
		Dharmanagar Teesta, lower B							
		humid to perhumid ESR with			ved				
	Agro-Climatic Region (Planning		soils, medium AWC and LGP 270-300 days (Q8A9)						
	Commission)	Eastern Himalaya Region (II)							
	Agro Climatic Zone (NARP)	Mild -tropical	_						
		hill zone- Jampui hills and r							
	List all the districts or part thereof falling under the NARP Zone	South Tripura, West Tripura, Dhalai, Sipahijala, Unakoti, Gomati, Khowai							
	Geographic coordinates of district	Latitude Longitude			Altitude				
		23°39' to 24°30' N - 24 ° 36'		91°45' to 92°29' N- 92 °	19'	12.80 m			
	Name and address of the concerned ZRS/ ZARS/ RARS/ RRS/ RRTTS	ICAR Research Complex for I Lembucherra, West Tripura, T		gion, Tripura Centre					
	Mention the KVK located in the district	Krishi Vigyan Kendra, North	Tripura, P	anisagar, Tripura.					
	Name & address of the nearest Agromet								
	field unit (AMFU, IMD) for agro-	ICAR Research Complex for I		gion, Tripura Centre					
	advisories in the zone	Lembucherra, West Tripura, T	ripura.						
1.2	Rainfall – recent	Average (mm) 2017	Normal (specify	Onset week and month)		Cessation week and month)			
	SW monsoon (June-September):	2044.0		2 <sup>nd</sup> week of June		-			
	NE Monsoon (October-December):	434.7	2	nd week of October	F	First week of November			
	Winter (Jan-February) 26	5.3		-		-			

Sullill	ilei (Maicii-May)	1102.4	
Summ	mer (March-May)	1102.4	

Source: IMD, India & Agromet Service, ICAR (RC) for NEHR, Lembucherra, West Tripura

1.3	Land use pattern of the district (latest statistics)	Geographical area	Forest area	Land under non-agricultural use	Permanent pastures	Cultivable wasteland	Land under Misc. tree crops and	Net sown area	Current fallows	Other fallows	Gross cropped area
							groves				
	Area (ha)	142520	81717	19051	1281	1574	9803	25461	1024	575	43724

Source: Source: Land Use Statistics of Tripura

1.4	Major Soils (common names like shallow red soils etc.)	Area (ha)	Percent (%) of total	
	Deep sandy loamy soil	23887		
			16.76	
	2. Deep fine coarse loamy soil	45686	32.05	
	3. Very deep fine coarse loamy soil	1502	1.05	142520
	4. Very deep fine loamy soil	32922	23.09	
	5.Very deep clay loam soil	1765	1.24	
	6. Very deep fine clay soil	36758	25.8	
	Total	142520	100	
1.5	Agricultural land use (2014-15)	Area ('000 ha)		Cropping intensity %
	Net sown area	21.988		160
	Area sown more than once	14.843	1	168
	Gross cropped area	36.831		

Source: Agriculture Department, Govt. of Tripura

1.6	Irrigation (2013-14)	Area ('000 ha)
	Net cultivated Area	24.47
	Net irrigated area	19.35

Gross cultivated area	43.81		
Gross irrigated area	29.47		
Rainfed area	31.24		
Sources of Irrigation	Number	Area ('000 ha)	% of total irrigated area (19.35 ha)
Canals (medium and minor)		0.079	0.72
Tanks	835	1.396	6.03
Open wells	1199	0.345	1.45
Bore wells	1081	1.570	6.63
Lift irrigation schemes	158	2.889	14.93
Micro-irrigation (Drip and sprinkler)		-	
Other sources (please specify) WHS,	201	0.032	0.0017
Other sources: DTW	15	0.006	0.003
Total Irrigated Area	-	21.318	100
Pump sets	-	-	9
Canals (medium and minor)	Not Available	-	-
Groundwater availability and use* (Data source: State/Central Ground water Department /Board)	No. of blocks/ Tehsils	(%) area	
Over exploited		Data Not Available	
Critical		Data Not Available	
Semi- critical		Data Not Available	
Safe		Data Not Available	
Wastewater availability and use		Data Not Available	
Ground water quality		ritical: 70-90%; safe: <70%	

1.6. a.	Fertilizer and Pesticides use	Туре	Total quantity (tonnes)
1	Fertilizers*	Urea	417.175
		DAP	1.15
		Potash	186.278

		SSP	344.21
		RP	5.11
		Other complex fertilizers (specify)	
2	Chemical Pesticides*	Insecticides+ Fungicides	50.88
		Weedicides	N.A.
		Others (specify)	

Source: Supdt. of Agriculture, Panisagar Agri Sub-Division

## 1.7 Area under major field crops & horticulture etc. (Average of five years)

1.7		Major Field Crops cultivated						
		KI	Kharif		Rabi		Total	
			Irrigated	Rainfed	Irrigated	Rainfed		
	1	Aush Paddy (Summer)	-	-	-	-	7.61	7.61
	2	Aman Paddy (Kharif)	-	17.60	-	-	-	17.60
	3	Boro Paddy (Rabi)	-	-	-	17.60	-	17.60
		Jhum paddy				2.78		2.78
	4	Maize	-	0.24	-	-	-	0.24
	5	Sesamum Mustard	-	0.48	-	=	-	0.48
		Pulses (kharif)	-	0.54	-	-	-	0.54
		Pulses (Rabi)		0.48	-	=	-	0.48
		Horticulture crops – Fruits	Tota	al area	Irri	gated	Rain	nfed
	1	Mango		1.3	-		1.3 1.30	
	2	Pineapple	1	.30				
	3	Jackfruit	1	.06		- -		06
	4	Banana	C	.90				90
	5	Litchi	C	0.52		-	0	52
		Horticultural crops – Vegetables	Tota	al area	Irri	gated	Rain	nfed
	1	Okra	C	0.15		-		
	2	Brinjal	C	0.29	0.13		0.	14
	3	Cole Crops	C	.46	0	.46		
	4	Tomato	C	.14	0	.14	-	-

<sup>\*</sup> If break up is not available, indicate total quantity used in the district for any recent year, mention here the year and source of statistics.

5	Chilli	0.18	0.18	-
	Medicinal and Aromatic crops	Total area	Irrigated	Rainfed
1	Nil.	Data Not Available		
2				
3				
4				
5				

	Plantation crops	Total area	Irrigated	Rainfed
1	Coconut	0.62	-	0.62
2	Arecanut	0.094	-	0.094
3	Cashewnut	0.116	-	0.116
4	Rubber	4.84	-	4.84
5				
	Fodder crops	Total area	Irrigated	Rainfed
1	Not Available	-	-	-
2	-	-	-	-
3	-	-	-	-
4	-	-	-	-
5	-	-	-	-
	Total fodder crop area	-	-	-
	Grazing land	0.69	-	-
	Sericulture etc	-	-	-
	Others (Specify)	-	-	-

Source: CDAP of North Tripura, Agriculture Department, Tripura, 2007-08

1.8	Livestock	Male ('000)	Female ('000)	Total ('000)
	Non descriptive Cattle (local low yielding)	40.397	51.922	92.319
	Crossbred cattle	4.852	8.582	13.434
	Non descriptive Buffaloes (local low yielding)	953	1504	2.457
	Graded Buffaloes	-	-	Nil

	Goat			27.784	5	6.463	84.24	7	
	Sheep (exotic)			0.036	(	0.043	0.204	ļ	
	Sheep (Indigenous)			0.354	(	0.483	0.837	1	
	Others (Camel, Pig, Yak etc.)			=		-	51.42	6	
	Commercial dairy farms (Numb	oer)		=		-	Nil		
1.9	Poultry			No. of farms		Total	No. of birds ('000)		
	Commercial			527			343.462		
	Backyard			88			-		
1.10	Fisheries (Data source: Chief I	Planning Off	icer)						
	A. Capture								
	i) Marine (Data Source: Fisheries Department)	No. of	fishermen	Во	ats		Nets	Storage facilities (Ice	
	Tibheries Bepartinenty			Mechanized	Non- mechanized	Mechanized (Trawl nets, Gill nets)	Non-mechanized (Shore Seines, Stake & trap nets)	plants etc.)	
			-	-	-	-	-	-	
	ii) Inland (Data Source:	No	o. Farmer ow	ned ponds	No. of R	eservoirs	No. of villag	ge tanks	
	Fisheries Department)		18001				1800	1	
	B. Culture								
			Water S	pread Area (ha)	Yie	ld (t/ha)	Production (	000 tons)	
	i) <b>Brackish water</b> (Data Sourc MPEDA/ Fisheries Department			-		-	-		
	ii) Fresh water (Data Source: 1 Department)	Fisheries		3358.85		2.03	6835.8	30	
	Others			-		-	-		

Source: Source: CDAP of North Tripura, Agriculture Department, Tripura, 2007-08

# **1.11 Production and Productivity of major crops** (Average of last 5 years: 2008, 09, 10, 11, 12)

1.11	Name of	Kł	narif	Ra	bi	Sun	nmer	Jhur	n	To	otal	Crop
	crop	Production ('000 t)	Productivity (kg/ha)	Production ('000 t)	Productivi ty (kg/ha)	Productio n ('000 t)	Productivit y (kg/ha)	Production ('000 t)	Produc tivity (kg/ha)	Production ('000 t)	Productivity (kg/ha)	residue as fodder ('000 tons)
			Major Field	crops (Crops	to be identifi	ed based on t	total acreage)					tonsy
Crop	Rice	45.30	1670	1.57	1310	15.59	1333	2.84	665.6	65.3	1476.59	-
Crop 2	Maize	0.24	663.65	-	-	-	-			0.24	663.65	
Crop 3	Groundnut	0.05	661.7	0.03	728	-	-			0.083	1389.7	-
Crop 4	Sesamum	0.09	245.7	-	-	-	-			0.09	245.7	-
Crop 5	Mustard	-	-	0.204	442.65	-	-			0.204	442.65	-
Others		-	-	-	-	-	-			-	-	-
			Major Horti	cultural crops	(Crops to be	identified ba	sed on total a	creage)				
Crop 1	Okra	1.87		-	-	-	-			1.87		-
Crop 2	Brinjal											-
Crop 3	Cole Crops	-	-	8.59		-	-			8.59		-
Crop 4	Tomato	-	-	6.07		-	-			6.07		-
Crop 5	Chilli	-	-	1.84		-	-			1.84		-
Others												

1.12	Sowing window for 5 major field crops (start and end of normal sowing period)	Crop 1: Rice	2: <u>Maize</u>	3: <u>Groundnut</u>	4: <u>Sesamum</u>	5: Rape and Mustard
	Kharif- Rainfed	June 1 <sup>st</sup> to August 1 <sup>st</sup> week	2 <sup>nd</sup> week of May to 1st week of June	2 <sup>nd</sup> week of July to 2 <sup>nd</sup> week of August	1 <sup>st</sup> week of April to 2 <sup>nd</sup> week of April	-
	Kharif-Irrigated	-	-	-	-	-
	Rabi- Rainfed	-	=	-	-	-
	Rabi-Irrigated	-	-	Mid October to mid December	-	15 <sup>th</sup> October to 15 <sup>th</sup> November

1.13	What is the major contingency the district is		Regular			Sporadic	_	
	<b>prone to?</b> (Tick mark and mention years if known during the last 10 year period)	Severe	Moderate	Mild	Severe	Moderate	Mild	None
	Drought	-	-	1	-	√	1	-
	Flood	-	-	-	-		1	-
	Cyclone	-	-	-	-	√	1	-
	Hail storm	-	-	-	-	-		-
	Heat wave	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Cold wave	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Frost	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Sea water intrusion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pests and diseases (specify)  i) Potato  Potato late blight				V	-	-	-
	<ul><li>ii) Rice - Rice blast, BLB, Gall midge,</li><li>Stem borer, and Leaf folder</li><li>iii) Other Crops</li></ul>		√					
	Stem borer, pod borer, leaf folder, LB, Termite, Mango hopper, Fruit flies, Mango weevil, fruit &		<b>√</b>					

Shoot borer, wilt, leaf curl,							
Others	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Hot and humid summer with sufficient rainfall between June & October and dry winter characterize the climate of North Tripura District. Rainfall is usually high in the District compared to other Districts in the State. But since last year (i.e. 2008) the amount of rainfall has decreased somewhat. Temperature is generally moderate and mild variations are noticed in various places of North Tripura District. The North Tripura District is situated in intense seismic region, which is placed in the category of Zone – 'V'.

#### **Disasters (North Tripura)**

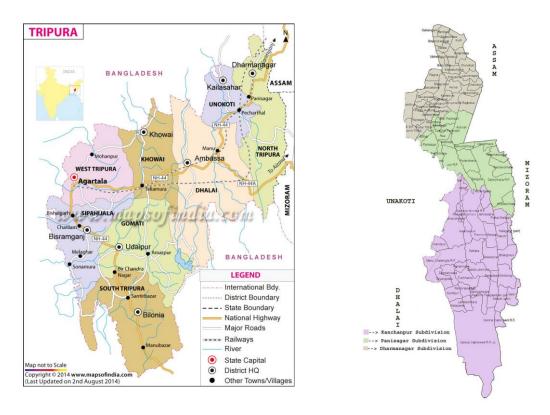
**Types of Disasters: (Experienced in the District)** 

Common Natural Disasters	Man Made disasters
<b>↓</b> Cyclone √	♣ Chemical Hazards     ×
♣ Flood √	Fire- House / Forest √
♣ Drought √	♣ Communal riot ×
	♣ Accident- Road/ Railway √
<b>∔</b> Earthquake √	♣ Rasta Roko √
	<b>∔</b> Insurgency √

(Source: DISTRICT DISASTER MANAGEMENT AND RESPONSE PLAN OF NORTH TRIPURA (2011-2012)

1.14	Include Digital maps of the district for	Location map of district within State as Annexure I	Enclosed: Yes
		Mean annual rainfall as Annexure 2	Enclosed: Yes
		Soil map as Annexure 3	Enclosed: Yes

### Location map of district within State as Annexure I



#### Mean annual rainfall as Annexure 2

#### **District : NORTH TRIPURA**

Note: (1) The District Rainfall(mm.)(R/F) shown below are the arithmatic averages of Rainfall of Stations under the District.

- (2) % Dep. are the Departures of rainfall from the long period averages of rainfall for the District.
- (3) Blank Spaces show non-availability of Data.

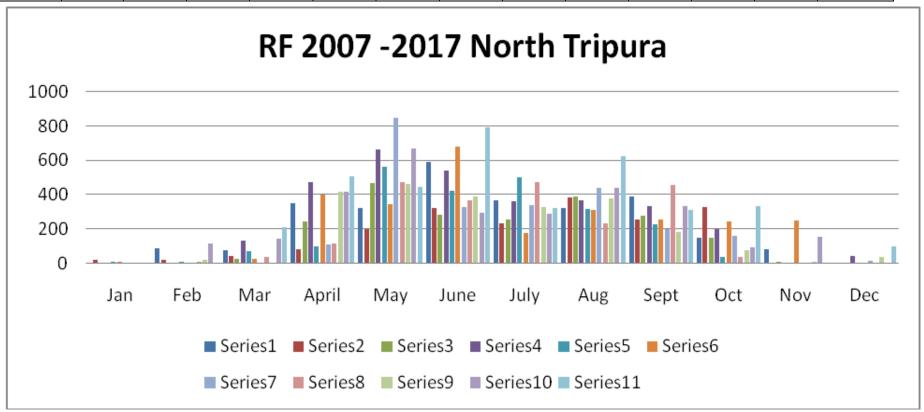
The District Rainfall in millimeters (R/F) shown below are the arithmatic averages of Rainfall of Station under the District

YEAR	J	AN	F	ЕВ	MA	RCH	AP	PRIL	М	IAY	Л	JNE	Л	JLY	AU	GUST	S	EP	0	СТ	N	ov	I	DEC
	R/F	%DEP	R/F	%DEP	R/F	%DEP	R/F	%DEP	R/F	%DEP	R/F	%DEP	R/F	%DEP	R/F	%DEP	R/F	%DEP	R/F	%DEP	R/F	%DEP	R/F	%DEP
2007	0.0	-100	90.8	177	79.6	-28	349.9	20	325.7	-25	590.0	20	368.0	-1	322.3	-13	390.8	37	151.2	-19	85.7	84	0.0	-100
2008	19.9	32	21.8	-34	47.3	-57	83.5	-71	198.5	-54	326.7	-33	234.5	-37	383.5	3	257.3	-10	331.7	77	0.0	-100	0.0	-100
2009	0.0	-100	5.3	-84	28.0	-75	243.4	-17	469.7	9	282.4	-42	258.2	-30	393.1	6	279.4	-2	148.2	-21	13.6	-71	0.0	-100
2010	0.0	-100	3.4	-90	132.2	20	474.1	62	664.7	54	541.2	10	363.6	-2	369.6	0	335.1	18	200.5	7	4.2	-91	43.1	327
2011	13.6	0	12.4	-67	70.1	-41	100.1	-63	562.7	28	422.9	-11	500.6	24	317.7	-14	229.9	-18	37.2	-79	0.0	-100	0.0	-100
2012	11.6		6.8		26.6		401.5		343.8		682.5		177.5		312.4		256.2		245.2		249.0		0.0	
2013	0.0	-100	4.4	-88	3.0	-97	107.2	-61	846.8	92	328.3	-31	337.6	-16	440.7	20	197.6	-29	157.3	-9	0.0	-100	12.6	-4
2014	0.0	-100	11.9	-68	36.8	-69	114.7	-58	477.5	8	370.8	-22	474.2	18	237.3	-35	457.9	64	39.9	-77	0.0	-100	0.0	-100
2015	2.3	-83	23.1	-38	0.4	-99	417.6	53	463.4	5	388.7	-19	331.1	-18	378.2	3	185.8	-34	81.3	-53	11.0	-76	40.6	210
2016	5.3	-61	115.9	212	147.4	24	419.1	54	670.1	52	293.3	-39	291.4	-28	442.5	20	335.5	20	97.3	-44	153.9	241	6.9	-47
2017	0.0	-100	5.3	-86	209.4	77	507.8	86	445.1	1	790.7	66	322.1	-20	612.8	67	308.4	10	331.8	91	2.5	-94	100.4	666

## MEAN ANNUAL RAINFALL (2007 to 2017) of North Tripura – R/F (cm)

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total (cm)
2007	0.0	90.8	79.6	349.9	325.7	590.0	368.0	322.3	390.8	151.2	85.7	0.0	275.4
2008	19.9	21.8	47.3	83.5	198.5	326.7	234.5	383.5	257.3	331.7	0.0	0.0	190.5
2009	0.0	5.3	28.0	243.4	469.7	282.4	258.2	393.1	279.4	148.2	13.6	0.0	212.1
2010	0.0	3.4	132.2	474.1	664.7	541.2	363.6	369.6	335.1	200.5	4.2	43.1	313.2
2011	13.6	12.4	70.1	100.1	562.7	422.9	500.6	317.7	229.9	37.2	0.0	0.0	226.7
2012	11.6	6.8	26.6	401.5	343.8	682.5	177.5	312.4	256.2	245.2	249.0	0.0	271.3
2013	0.0	4.4	3.0	107.2	846.8	328.3	337.6	440.7	197.6	157.3	0.0	12.6	243.5
2014	0.0	11.9	36.8	114.7	477.5	370.8	474.2	237.3	457.9	39.3	0.0	0.0	222.0

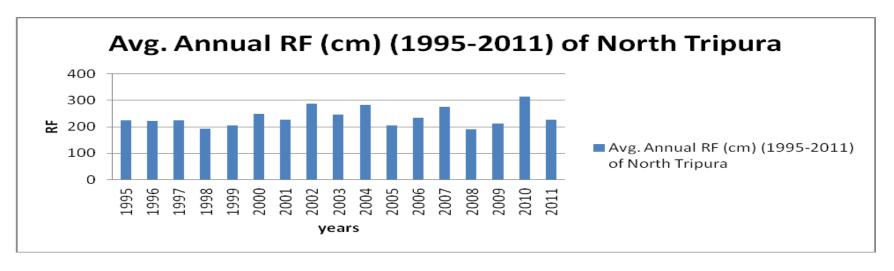
2015	2.3	23.1	0.4	417.6	463.4	388.7	331.1	378.2	185.8	81.3	11.0	40.6	232.4
2016	5.3	115.9	147.4	419.1	670.1	293.3	291.4	442.5	335.5	97.3	153.9	6.9	297.9
2017	0.0	5.3	209.4	507.8	445.2	790.7	322.1	622.8	308.4	331.8	2.5	100.4	364.6



## Avg. Annual RF (cm) (1995-2017) of North Tripura

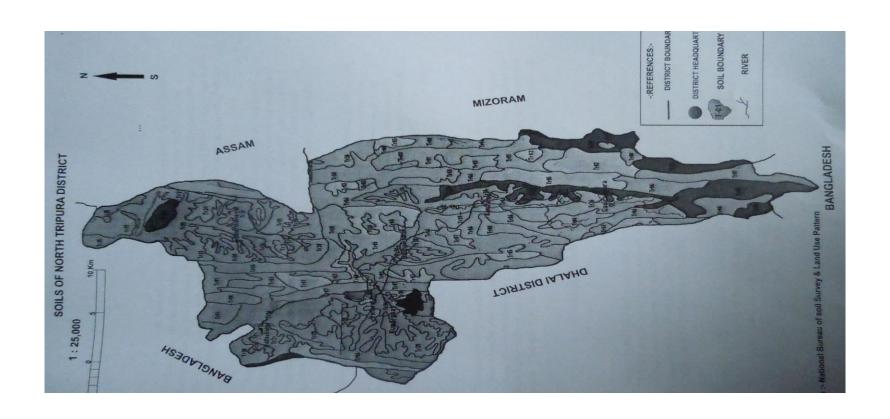
1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
223.8	222.5	223.5	193.7	205.3	249.7	227.4	288.1	247.1	282.7	204.6	234.6	275.4	190.5	212.1	313.2	226.7

2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
271.3	243.5	222.0	232.4	297.9	364.6



Annual rainfall distribution in North Tripura district of Tripura

Source: IMD, India & Directorate of Economics & Statistics, Planning (Statistics) Department, Tripura



## 2.0 Strategies for weather related contingencies

## 2.1 Drought

## 2.1.1 Rainfed situation

## 2.1.1.1 Pre Monsoon situation

Condition			Suggested Contingency measures			
Early season drought (delayed onset)	Major Farming situation <sup>a</sup>	Normal Crop/cropping system <sup>b</sup>	Change in crop/cropping system <sup>c</sup>	Agronomic measures <sup>d</sup>	Remarks on Implementation <sup>e</sup>	
Delay by 2 weeks ( June 4 <sup>th</sup> week)	a. Early rice system	Summer/ Aus Paddy variety Sahabhagi, , NRD-97, MTU 1010	No Change			
Delay by 4 weeks ( July 2 <sup>nd</sup> week)		Summer/ Aus Paddy variety CO-51, Dishang	No Change			
Delay by 6 weeks ( July 4 <sup>th</sup> week)		N.A	N.A	N.A	N.A	
Delay by 8 weeks ( August 2 <sup>nd</sup> week)		N.A	N.A	N.A	N.A	

### 2.1.1.2 South West Monsoon situation

Condition			Sugges	ted Contingency measures	
Early season	Major Farming	Normal Crop/cropping	Change in crop/cropping	Agronomic measures <sup>d</sup>	Remarks on
drought (delayed	situationa	system <sup>b</sup>	system <sup>c</sup>		<b>Implementation</b> <sup>e</sup>
onset)					
Delay by 2 weeks	a. Upland-rainfed system (Red soil	Upland & Jhum Paddy (Var- Goramalati, Betti, Gelong,	No Change		
	with moderate	Maichika, Aduma kiting &	_		
( June 4 <sup>th</sup> week)	rainfall, no	kolog, Tarikol, Ghuria).			
	irrigation facility)				
	Maize -	Maize (Local, HPQM-1)	No Change		
	rice/vegetables/				
	wheat/mustard	Vegetables ( Pumkin, Ash	No change		
		gourd, bottle gourd, cucumber,			
		watermelon, muskmelon,			
		elephant foot yam, brinjal,			
		green chilli, colocasia, okra,			
		Sesamum (B-67), Maize,			

	Bhendi.		
	Ginger (Nadia, Mahima,	No change	 
	Jampui, Local ) & turmaric		
	(Lakadang, Rajebdra Sonia,		
	Local)		
	Local)		
b. Medium l	and- Kharif Paddy (Var- Swarna,	No change	 
rainfed sum	• · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Two change	
(Red soil wi			
moderate rai			
no irrigation	facility Summer Vegetables: Okra	No change	 
	(VRO-6, Pusa Sawani,		
	Arka Anamika,		
	local).Cucumber		
	(Chinese green, Pusa		
	sanyog,).Ridge		
	gourd (Pusa Nasdar,		
	local).Bitter gourd (For spring season-Pusa Do		
	Mausmi, Long green, local,		
	Extra long. For summer-		
	Monsoon monarch, Long green		
	monsoon, Coimbatore		
	long).Bottle gourd: Pusa		
	summer		
	prolific long, Pusa summer		
	prolific		
	round, local.Snake gourd:		
	Long		
	green, Long white, Extra long, local.		
	iocai.		
	( <b>N:B</b> –suitable pvt sector		
	varieties adopted)		
	Sesame (Tripura Siping, ST-	No change	
	1683, B-67),		
	Green Mung ()	No change	

	Jute (var JRO 524, S-19, JRO 520)	No change	
c. Low land- ( Red soil with moderate rainfall, no irrigation facility)	Kharif Paddy (Var- Swarna, Jaya, Pooja, Nabin,IR-64), Hybrid paddy (NK 5251, Raja Laxmi),	No change	
	Green Manure Crop (Dhaincha)	No change	
	Colocasia (Panchmukhi, Muktakeshi, Guabir mukhi ) swamp Taro	No change	

Condition			Suggested Contingency measures			
Early season	Major Farming	Normal Crop/cropping	Change in crop/cropping	Agronomic measures <sup>d</sup>	Remarks on	
drought (delayed	situation <sup>a</sup>	system <sup>b</sup>	system <sup>c</sup>		Implementation <sup>e</sup>	
onset)						
Delay by 4 weeks (July 2 <sup>nd</sup> week)	a. Upland-rain fed (Red soil with –high rainfall, hills slope situation availability of irrigation facility.	Summer and kharif vegetables like brinjal ,Snake gourd, okra, ridge gourd, bottle gourd, Bitter gourd Sweet guard, cucumber, sesame followed by Rabi vegetables, rapeseed, pea potato, French bean.	Late kharif vegetables followed by normal Rabi vegetables, Sowing of tapioca & other tubers in hill slope	i. Weed management, ii. Supply of minimum irrigation, iii. Use suitable short duration rice varieties either for direct sowing/ transplanting. Grow seedlings accordingly. Apply whole of the fertilizers at the time of sowing/ transplanting unlike normal	State Agri. Deptt, ICAR, Tripura centre	
		Pineapple, mandarin, Sweet		condition. iv. use of organic manures Normal cultivation		
		orange, Sathkara		practices, use of recommended dose of fertilizer		
		Jhum rice (Var-Goramalati, Betti, Gelong, Maichika)	Mix cropping of Jhum rice with maize	Use of pig manure & other organic inputs		

		Jhum rice+ Sesamum,, Cotton	No change		
w	o. High rainfall with Medium to ow land (Sandy	Jhum rice+ Sesame, Cotton	No change		
L	Loam to clay loam)	Kharif paddy (Ranjit, Swarnamasuri,Gomati)	Short duration and drought resistant varieties.	SRI with proper crop management practices	
		Summer vegetables, Cucurbits & solanaceous Sugarcane	No change		
		Kharif vegetables mainly solanaceous	No change		
		Rice-Rice Autumn rice + winter rice	Short duration paddy (Sahabhagi, , NRD-97, MTU 1010,CO-51, Dishang) followed by pulse.	Integrated weed & water management	State Agriculture, Horticulture, ICAR and other KVK's
ra	Low land -High ainfall with Red soil	Kharif paddy (Ranjit, Swarnamasuri,Gomati)	Short duration paddy (Sahabhagi, , NRD-97, MTU 1010,CO-51, Dishang)	Intercultural operation, soil health management, drainage of excess water	State Agriculture, Horticulture, ICAR and other KVK's
					KVK's

Condition			Suggested Contingency measures			
Early season drought (delayed onset)	Major Farming situation <sup>a</sup>	Normal Crop/cropping system <sup>b</sup>	Change in crop/cropping system <sup>c</sup>	Agronomic measures <sup>d</sup>	Remarks on Implementation <sup>e</sup>	
Delay by 6 weeks (July 4 <sup>th</sup> week)	1 High rainfall with Upland/hills slope situation	Kharif veg- Rabi veg, Brinjal: SingnathPusa purple round, Pusapurple long, Pusa Kranti,Longai (Local). Chilli: Pusa Jowala, Krishna, local.	Delay in transplanting of paddy, Colocasia	sowing with ferti-cum-seed drill Thinning, Inter culture Grow important winter vegetables. Timely land	State Agriculture, Horticulture, ICAR and KVK	

2 High rainfall with Medium to lowland situation (Sandy Loam to clay loam)	Late kharif paddy, Sesamum (Variety B-67), Solanaceous / Vegetable / Bhindi, Groundnut (GG-7 & GG-20, TG 37A)	No Change  No change	preparation &sowing. Soil & moisture conservation measures (Organic mulches + more FYM). Ridge & furrow cultivation. Utilization of water for irrigation from nearby natural water source, ponds, and rivers, natural depressions etc. pitcher irrigation may be followed wherever is possible.  vegetables cultivation practices, Utilization of water for irrigation from nearby Natural water bodies, ponds, rivers, natural depressions etc. Use of black polythene mulch if possible.  Sufficient organic matter
Red Soil	gourd), okra	No change	like compost, FYM should be applied Mulching with waste materials

Condition			Suggested Contingency measures			
Early season drought (delayed onset)	Major Farming situation <sup>a</sup>	Normal Crop/cropping system <sup>b</sup>	Change in crop/cropping system <sup>c</sup>	Agronomic measures <sup>d</sup>	Remarks on Implementation <sup>e</sup>	
Delay by 8 weeks (August 2 <sup>nd</sup> week)	1 High rainfall with Upland/hills slope situation	Summer Vegetables, aush followed by amon paddy, Blackgram	Red Gram, Blackgram Blackgram + Summer vegetables.	Integrated weed management, soil health improvement	Sate agric. Dept & ICAR, Tripura centre	
	2 High rainfall with Medium to lowland	Okra, early winter vegetables	No change in cropping pattern	Thinning, Proper spacing, use of micro	State Agriculture, Horticulture,	

situation (Sandy Loam to clay loam)	(Cabbage-, Early Drum head), cauliflower (Kashi kanwari), Knolkhol, Tomato		nutrient in cruciferous vegetables, Mulching	ICAR and KVK
3 Low land with High rainfall with Red Soil	Vegetables , tapioca, Elephant Foot yam(Gajedra, Kavur & TRC D1)	Arhar / Groundnut	Spraying of nutrient solution Thinning, Proper spacing, Mulching	

## \*Matrix for specifying condition of early season drought due to delayed onset of monsoon (2, 4, 6 & 8 weeks) compared to normal onset (2.1.1)

Named and	Month and week for specifying condition of early season drought due to delayed onset of monsoon							
Normal onset (Month and week)		Delay in onset of monsoon by						
(Month and week)	2 wks	4 wks	6 wks	8 wks				
June 1st wk	June 3 <sup>rd</sup> wk	July 1st wk	July 3 <sup>rd</sup> wk	Aug 1st wk				
June 2 <sup>nd</sup> wk	June 4th wk	July 2 <sup>nd</sup> wk	July 4 <sup>th</sup> wk	Aug 2 <sup>nd</sup> wk				
June 3 <sup>rd</sup> wk	July 1st wk	July 3 <sup>rd</sup> wk	Aug 1st wk	Aug 3 <sup>rd</sup> wk				
June 4 <sup>th</sup> wk	July 2 <sup>nd</sup> wk	July 4th wk	Aug 2 <sup>nd</sup> wk	Aug 4 <sup>th</sup> wk				
July 1st wk	July 3 <sup>rd</sup> wk	Aug 1st wk	Aug 3 <sup>rd</sup> wk	Sep 1 <sup>st</sup> wk				
July 2 <sup>nd</sup> wk	July 4 <sup>th</sup> wk	Aug 2 <sup>nd</sup> wk	Aug 4 <sup>th</sup> wk	Sep 2 <sup>nd</sup> wk				

Condition			Suggested Contingency measures			
Early season drought (Normal onset)	Major Farming situation <sup>a</sup>	Normal Crop/cropping system <sup>b</sup>	Crop management <sup>c</sup>	Soil nutrient & moisture conservation measues <sup>d</sup>	Remarks on Implementation <sup>e</sup>	
Normal onset followed by 15-20 days dry spell after sowing leading to poor germination/crop	1 High rainfall with Upland/hills slope situation	Vegetables (cucurbits & solanaceous crops), kharif & jhum paddy  Maize based cropping system  Maize - rice/soybean -	Good crop stand with proper staking	Straw mulching Dust mulching Opening conservation furrow Rain water harvesting structure, Jalkund	MRNREGS schemes Adopt sprinkler/ drip irrigation	

stand etc.	2. High rainfall with Medium to lowland situation (Sandy Loam to clay loam)	potato/vegetables/ wheat/mustard Sesamum (local) Arhar (U.P.A.S. – 120)  Fruit plantation  Rice-Rice Autumn rice + winter Rice Summer, Sugarcane	1. Thinning and gap filling the existing crop 2.Resowing with short duration variety, seeds should be treated with 4 % MOP for 24 hours & dry in shade for 24 hours. 3. Mat Nursery technique to meet the shortage of seedlings. 4. Resowing	Mulching, basin management, life saving irrigation, Application of Vermi compost  Rice-1. Top dressing of N as it rains, P & K as top dressing in line sowing crop, Apply P upto 3 weeks after seeding & K up to flowering.  2. Large Scale utilization of organic mulches & FYM.  3. Rain water harvesting by 30 cm high bunding.  4. Weeding & breaking of soil mulch by, Gap filling, Weed management, Supply of Life saving irrigation,  Mulching, basin management, life saving irrigation,	State agri department , MHNREGS  State Agriculture, Horticulture, ICAR and other KVK
				saving irrigation , Application of Vermi compost	
	3 High rainfall with Red Soil	Cucurbits & solanaceous,	<ol> <li>Thinning and gap filling the existing crop</li> <li>Resowing with short</li> </ol>	Soil health management by legume crops,	

			duration	Mulching	
			variety,	Weeding	
			variety,	Application of FM	
				7 Application of 1 Wi	
Condition				d Contingency measures	
Mid season	Major Farming	Normal Crop/cropping	Crop management <sup>c</sup>	Soil nutrient &	Remarks on
drought (long dry	situation <sup>a</sup>	system <sup>b</sup>		moisture conservation	Implementation <sup>e</sup>
spell, consecutive 2				measues <sup>d</sup>	
weeks rainless					
(>2.5 mm) period)					
	1 Upland & hill	Summer Vegetables,	Strengthen bunds and prevent	Solution, Weed	
At vegetative stage	slopes situation	Black Gram	runoff, Delay top dressing of	management, Supply of	
			urea and adopt, Close,	minimum irrigation,	
			observation on disease pest		
			incidence and adopt prompt		
			remedial measures		
	2 Medium lowland	Kharif paddy (Gomoti, DDR	Strengthen bunds and prevent	Spray 0.5-1.0% MOP	Can be
	situation (Sandy	45, Ranjit, Swarna, MTU-	runoff, Delay top dressing of	solution, Spray 2.0%	implemented
	Loam to clay loam)	1010), Colocasia	urea and adopt, Close	urea	through State
	•	1010), Colocasia	observation on disease pest		Agriculture,
			incidence and adopt prompt		Horticulture,
			remedial measures		ICAR and KVK
	3 low land	Kharif vegetables like (Ridge	Large Scale utilization	Mulching	
		gourd, okra,bottle gourd, Ash	of organic mulches &	Field Bunding	
			FYM.	Off season ploughing,	
		gourd etc), Rabi vegetables	Rain water harvesting.	use of organic manures	
		like ( Groundnut, Black gram,	Weeding & breaking of		
		Moong, Chick pea, Soybean)	soil mulch by finger		
			weeder.		
			Ridge & furrow cultivation.		
			Apply N as top dress as		
			it rains, P & K also as top		
			dress if not applied as		
			basal in line seeded crop.		
			P should be applied up		
			to 3 weeks after seeding		
			& K upto flowering.		

Condition			Suggeste	d Contingency measures	
Mid season drought (long dry spell)	Major Farming situation <sup>a</sup>	Normal Crop/cropping system <sup>b</sup>	Crop management <sup>c</sup>	Soil nutrient & moisture conservation measues <sup>d</sup>	Remarks on Implementation <sup>e</sup>
At flowering/ fruiting stage	1 Upland & hill slopes situation	Summer and kharif vegetables like brinjal ,Snake gourd, okra, ridge gourd, bottle gourd, bitter gourd Sweet guard, cucumber, sesame followed by rabi vegetables, pulses	Crop can be cut and ratooned. Foliar application at 2 % Urea in Pre Flowering and Flowering Stage.	i.Mulching ii. Off season ploughing to conserve moisture iii. Cover / Crop	
	2 Medium lowland situation (Sandy Loam to clay loam)	Kharif paddy, rainy season vegetables like Yard long bean, ridge & sponge gourd	Strengthen bunds and prevent runoff Close observation on disease pest incidence and adopt prompt remedial measures	Rice- Weed management, Supply of minimum irrigation, Top dressing additional quantities of MOP Spray 2% MOP solution, Delay top dressing of urea up to heading	Can be implemented through State Agriculture, Horticulture, ICAR and KVK
	3 low land	Solanaceous vegetables, Groundnut	Thinning	Application of sufficient amount of organic manures in main fields before transplanting/ sowing, Mulching	

Condition			Suggested Contingency measures		
Terminal drought	Major Farming	Normal Crop/cropping	Crop management <sup>c</sup>	Rabi Crop planning <sup>d</sup>	Remarks on
	situation <sup>a</sup>	system <sup>b</sup>			Implementation <sup>e</sup>
	1 Upland & hill	Vegetables / Arhar / Sesamum	i.Mulching	Land preparation for	=

slopes situation		ii.Life saving irrigation	early rabi sowing	
2 Medium lowland	Vegetables / Sesamum	Mulching	Toria / Mustard	May be
situation (Sandy				implemented
Loam to clay loam)				through KVK and
				ICAR
	Paddy	If grain filling is severely	Land preparation for	
		affected, harvest for fodder	early rabi sowing	
3. low land	Paddy	If grain filling is severely	Land preparation for	
		affected, harvest for fodder	early rabi sowing &	
			ready for pulse crops	
			(black gram)	

#### **Notes:**

- a. Describe the major farming situation such as shallow red soils, deep black soils, uplands, medium lands, eroded hill slops etc. tank fed black soils, shallow acid soils, sodic vertisols etc
- b. Describe the normal crop or cropping system grown in that farming situation including catch crop, sequence, rotation & variety if known
- c. Describe the alternative crop or variety or cropping pattern in view of the delay in monsoon and shortening of the growing period including delay in sowing of nurseries in case of paddy.
  - In case of normal onset followed by early season droughts re-sowing may be recommended including variety seed rate etc.
  - In case of early or mid season dry spells indicate crop management techniques to save standing crop.
  - In case of terminal drought indicate giving life saving supplemental irrigation, if available or taking up harvest at physiological maturity with some realizable grain/fodder yield etc.
- d. Describe all agronomic practices which help in coping with late planting like increased or decreased spacing, changes in planting geometry, intercropping in case of sole crops, thinning, mulching, spray of anti-transpirants or other chemicals, supplemental irrigation, soil and moisture conservation practices like ridging, conservation furrows, dust mulch etc.
  - In case of early and mid season dry spells indicate moisture conservation techniques to save standing crop.
  - In case of terminal drought indicate early rabi cropping with suitable crops/varieties with a possibility of giving pre-sowing/come up irrigation etc.

e. Give details on the source of the breeder seed, in case an alternate crop or variety is suggested as part of the contingency. For agronomic measures, indicate any convergence possible with ongoing central or state schemes like National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (NREGS), Integrated Watershed Management Programme (IWMP), Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana (RKVY), National Food Security Mission (NFSM), Integrated Scheme on Oilseeds, Pulses, Oilpalm and Maize (ISOPOM), National Horticulture Mission (NHM), Community Land Development Programme (CLDP) etc., to meet the cost of materials, labour or implements etc. to carry out any field based activity quickly.

#### 2.1.2 Irrigated situation- not applicable

Condition			Suggested Contingency measures			
	Major Farming situation <sup>f</sup>	Normal Crop/cropping system <sup>g</sup>	Change in crop/cropping system <sup>h</sup>	Agronomic measures <sup>i</sup>	Remarks on Implementation <sup>j</sup>	
Delayed release of water in canals due to low rainfall	Upland					
	Medium Land					
	Low Land					

Condition			Suggested Contingency measures		
	Major Farming situation <sup>f</sup>	Normal Crop/cropping system <sup>g</sup>	Change in crop/cropping system <sup>h</sup>	Agronomic measuresi	Remarks on Implementation <sup>j</sup>
Limited release of water in canals due to low rainfall					

Condition			Suggested Contingency measures			
	Major Farming situation <sup>f</sup>	Normal Crop/cropping system <sup>g</sup>	Change in crop/cropping system <sup>h</sup>	Agronomic measuresi	Remarks on Implementation <sup>j</sup>	
Non release of water in canals under delayed onset of monsoon in catchment						

Condition			Suggested Contingency measures			
	Major Farming situation <sup>f</sup>	Normal Crop/cropping system <sup>g</sup>	Change in crop/cropping system <sup>h</sup>	Agronomic measuresi	Remarks on Implementation <sup>j</sup>	
Lack of inflows						
into tanks due to						
insufficient /delayed onset of						
monsoon						

Condition			Suggested Contingency measures		
	Major Farming situation <sup>f</sup>	Normal Crop/cropping system <sup>g</sup>	Change in crop/cropping system <sup>h</sup>	Agronomic measuresi	Remarks on Implementation <sup>j</sup>
Insufficient					
groundwater					
recharge due to low rainfall					
low runnun					
Any other					
condition (specify)					

#### **Notes:**

#### **2.2 Unusual rains (untimely, unseasonal etc)** (for both rainfed and irrigated situations)

Condition		Suggested contingency measure			
Continuous high r leading to water le	rainfall in a short span	Vegetative stage <sup>k</sup>	Flowering stage <sup>1</sup>	Crop maturity stage <sup>m</sup>	Post harvest <sup>n</sup>
Crop1 (specify)	Rice	Gap filling in damaged patches if seedlings are available Top dressing of urea after the recess of rains, provide Drainage	Necessary control Measures against outbreak of caseworm, gundi bug and stem borer. Nutrient application.	Drain out Harvesting at physiological maturity stage	Shift to safer place Dry in shade in a well ventilated space and turn frequently.
Crop2	Maize	Provide drainage Drain out and	Provide drainage	Harvest at physiological maturity	Shift to safer place
Crop3	Rapeseed & mustard	Provide drainage	Drain out Harvest for vegetable purpose	Drain out Harvesting at physiological maturity stage	Shift to safer place
Crop4	Sesamum	Drainage			
Crop5	Groundnut	Drainage	Provide drainage. Timely earthing – up.	Drain out the excess water. Harvesting at physiological maturity stage.	Shift to safer place and dry in shade and turn frequently.

f Describe such as uplands, medium and low lands and source of irrigation such as tank fed medium or deep black/alluvial/red soils, tube well irrigated alluvial soils, canal irrigated red soils, well irrigated black soils etc.,

g The normal crop or cropping systems grown in a given irrigated situation

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>h</sup> Suggested change in the crop, variety or cropping system in view of delay in release of irrigation water, less water availability etc.,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> All agronomic measures like improved methods of irrigation (skip row etc.), micro irrigation (drip/sprinkler/sub-surface), deficit irrigation, limited area irrigation, mulching etc, that improve water use efficiency and make best use of limited water including methods of ground water recharge and sharing.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>j</sup> Comments on source of availability of seed of the alternate crop or variety, any constraints in marketing of alternative crop implications for livestock and dairy sectors and details of state or central schemes like National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (NREGS), Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana (RKVY), National Food Security Mission (NFSM), Integrated Scheme on Oilseeds, Pulses, Oilpalm and Maize (ISOPOM), National Horticulture Mission (NHM) etc., which facilitate implementation of the agronomic measures suggested.

Horticulture				
Crop1 (specify) Summer vegetables , Chilli, Cowpea, Oki Brinjal,	Provide drainage Re-sowing of short duration late variety Need based protective measures against	Proper Drainage.	Drain out Harvesting at physiological maturity stage Use as fodder	Segregation of infested vegetables & destruction, Use as fodder
Crop2 Winter vegetables- cabbage, cauliflower, Knolkhol, radish, carrot etc	Provide drainage Re-sowing of short duration late variety Need based protective measures against	Provide drainage Need based protective measures against pests and diseases.	Drain out Harvesting at physiological maturity stage Use as fodder	Segregation of infested vegetables & destruction, Use as fodder
Crop3 Potato	Provide drainage, Take protective measures against late blight of potato.	Provide drainage, Take protective measures against late blight of potato.	Drain out excess water Harvest at physiological maturity stage	Dry in shade. Safe storage against storage pests and diseases
Crop4 Ginger & turmeric	Timely Earthing up to provide drainage.	Provide drainage	Drain out the excess water.	Shift to safe place; dry in shade and turn frequently. Safe storage against storage pests and diseases.
Crop5 Papaya, Citrus, Jack fruit, Mango, Banana, pineapple	Avoid water logging at the Collar portion	Avoid water logging at the Collar portion	Avoid water logging at the Collar portion	Avoid water logging at the Collar portion
Heavy rainfall with high speed winds in short span <sup>2</sup>	1 2			
Crop1 Rice	Drainage	Application of nutrient solution to prevent flower drop.	Harvesting at Physiological Maturity.	Proper Sun Dry Before Storing
Crop2 Maize	Drainage			
Crop3 Rapeseed & must	ard Drainage			
Crop4 Sesamum	Drainage			
Crop5 Groundnut	Drainage			

Horticulture				
Crop1 (specify) Summer & winter vegetables , Chilli, Cowpea, Okra, Brinjal, Tomato, Potato, Cole Crops.	Stocking / Proper Drainage.	Stocking and Proper Drainage.	Stocking and Proper Drainage	Proper Drainage
Crop2 Potato	Provide drainage, Take protective measures against late blight of potato.	Provide drainage, Take protective measures against late blight of potato.	Drain out excess water Harvest at physiological maturity stage	
Crop3 Citrus, Jack Fruit, Mango	Avoid Waterlogging at the Collar portion and provision for wind break trees.			
Crop4 Banana	Provision for plantation of wind break trees.	Propping	Propping	
Crop5 Ginger & turmeric	Timely Earthing up to provide drainage.	Provide drainage	Drain out the excess water.	Stored in dry & wind free place
Outbreak of pests and diseases due to unseasonal rains				
Crop1 Rice	Need based IPM measures. Field Sanitation to prevent disease (Rice Blast) or Spray tricyclazole against blast, Rice hispa damage. Proper application of Chlorpyriphos 1 ml / litre water for leaf folder.Monocrotophos for stem borer,	Need based IPM measures. Spray tricyclazole against blast, Chloropyriphos against stem borer, Monocrotophos against Swarming caterpillar & leaf folder	Need based IPM measures. Keep the produce in air tight container to avoid the stored against pest damage.	Safe storage against storage pests and diseases.
Crop2 Maize	Apply Phorate 10G in the whorls & spray of Endosulfan against maize stem borer	Spray Methyl dematon against aphid		Store in clean godown after disinfection of gunny bags chemicals
Crop3 Groundnut, Mustard / Rapeseed	Proper drainage to prevent Damping off diseases			
Crop <sup>4</sup> Sesamum	Removal of infested	Spraying of	Spray of Ekalux	Store in clean

	tips to manage leaf webber	systemic insecticide against borers	against capsule borer	godown, disinfection of gunny bags / storage structure with malathion
Horticulture Crop1 Vegetables	Specific IPM & disease management	Specific IPM & disease management , Apply pesticide and ITK measures	Specific IPM & disease management , Apply pesticide and ITK measures	Proper drying and efficient storage
Crop2 (specify) Potato	Spray Cymixicilin + Mencozeb @ 2 gm / litre of water as precautionary measure against Late Blight.	Drainage out excess water to prevent wilting diseases.		Store seed in well condition with Fungicidal Treatment.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>k</sup> Such as drainage in black soils, indicate taking up need based inter-culture operations, outbreak of pests/diseases along with their management etc.

#### 2.3 Floods

Condition		Suggested contingency measure <sup>o</sup>			
Transient water lo inundation <sup>1</sup>	ogging/ partial	Seedling / nursery stage	Vegetative stage	Reproductive stage	At harvest
Crop1 (specify)	Paddy	Drainage of the Nursery bed, If not possible go for re -sowing	Drainage of excess water. Apply 50% N + 50% K2O as top dressing during the tillering stage. In partially damaged field. Gap filling may be done by redistributing the tillers.	Drainage of excess water. If flood comes during reproductive stage, emphasis should be given on forthcoming rabi crops. Management of pests & diseases	Growing of boro rice after receding flood water
Horticulture					

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Such as drainage in black soils, application of hormones/nutrient sprays to prevent flower drop or promote quick flowering/fruiting and indicate possibility of pest/disease outbreak with need based prophylactic / curative management etc.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>m</sup> Such as drainage in black soils, measures for preventing seed germination etc and Indicate possibility of harvesting at physiological maturity immediately and shifting produce to safer place and protection against pest/disease damage in storage etc.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>n</sup> Such as shifting of produce to safer place for drying and maintaining the quality of grain/fodder and protection against pest/disease damage in storage etc

Crop1 (specify) Summer/Kharif vegetables, Colocasia	Re sowing	Provide Drainage or re sowing of late varieties	Drainage or pre rabi and rabi vegetables	Pre rabi and rabi vegetables
Crop2 Banana, papaya, Citrus, Jackfruit, mango.	Provide Drainage	Provide Drainage	Provide Drainage	Provide Drainage
Crop3 ginger & turmeric	Provide Drainage	Provide Drainage, formation of ridges and furrows	Provide Drainage, formation of ridges and furrows	Drying of the plots keeping sufficient moisture
Continuous submergence for more than 2 days <sup>2</sup>				
Crop1 Paddy	Drainage of the Nursery bed, If not possible go for re -sowing	Drainage of excess water. In partially damaged field. Gap filling may be done by redistributing the tillers. Management of pests & diseases	Drainage of excess water. Growing of vegetables after receding flood water and adoption of integrated farming system to obtain more income and to compensate the loss during kharif.	Drainage of excess water. If flood comes during reproductive stage, emphasis should be given on forthcoming rabi crops Supply of seeds and other agro-inputs of rabi crops at subsidized rate, provision of bank loan etc. Wet seeding of short duration
Horticulture				
Crop1 (specify) Summer/Kharif vegetables, Colocasia	Resowing	Provide drainage Resowing of late varieties	Provide drainage Use as animal feed	Harvest and dry in shade as soon as possible Safe storage against storage pest and diseases
Crop2 Banana, papaya, Citrus, Jackfruit, mango	Provide Drainage	Provide Drainage	Provide Drainage	Provide Drainage
Crop3 ginger & turmeric	-	Provide Drainage, formation of ridges and furrows	Provide Drainage, formation of ridges and furrows	Drying of the plots keeping sufficient moisture
Sea water intrusion <sup>3</sup>				
Crop1	-	-	-	-

Notes:

#### 2.4 Extreme events: Cyclone

Extreme		Suggested contingency	measure <sup>r</sup>	
event type	Seedling / nursery stage	Vegetative stage	Reproductive stage	At harvest
Cyclone				
Crop1 Paddy	Selection of lodging resistant varieties	Potash application at 25 and 45 DAT	Application of recommended dose of fertilizers & organic manures	-
Horticultur e				
Crop1 Kharif Vegetables	Provision for providing Net.	Proper staking & Growing of wind break trees	Proper staking & Growing of wind break trees	Proper staking & Growing of wind break trees
Crop2 Fruit crops	Growing of wind break trees, Crop/weather insurance.	Growing of wind break trees & staking, Crop/weather insurance.	Growing of wind break trees, Crop/weather insurance.	Growing of wind break trees, Crop/weather insurance.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>p</sup> In regions where the normal maximum temperature is more than 40°C, if the day temperature exceeds 3°Cabove normal for 5 days it is defined as heat wave. Similarly, in regions where the normal temperature is less than 40°C, if the day temperature remains 5°C above normal for 5 days, it is defined as heat wave.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Water logging due to heavy rainfall, poor drainage in vertisols, flash floods in streams and rivers due to high rainfall, breach of embankments

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> If the water remains in the field due to continuous rains, poor infiltration and push back effect

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Entry of sea water into cultivated fields in coastal districts due to tidal wave during cyclones or tsunami

<sup>°</sup> Crop/field management depends on nature of material (sand or silt) deposited during floods. In sand deposited crop fields/ fallows indicate ameliorative measures such as early removal of sand for facilitating *rabi* crop or next kharif. In silt deposited indo-gangetic plains, indicate early *rabi* crop plan in current cropped areas and current fallow lands. Indicate drainage of stagnating water and strengthening of field bunds etc. In diara land areas indicate crop plans for receding situations. Usually rice cropped areas are flood prone causing loss of nurseries, delayed transplanting or damage to the already transplanted fields etc. Indicate community nursery raising, scheduling bushenings, re-transplanting in damaged fields and transplanting new areas or direct seeding including seed availability so that the season is not lost. Indicate steps for preventing pre-mature germination of submerged crop at maturity or harvested produce.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>q</sup> In regions where normal minimum temperature remains 10<sup>o</sup>C or above, if the minimum temperature remains 5<sup>o</sup>C lower than normal continuously for 3 days or more it is considered as cold wave. Similarly in regions with normal minimum temperature is less than 10<sup>o</sup>C, if the minimum temperature remains 3<sup>o</sup>C lower than normal it is considered as cold wave

# 2.5 Contingent strategies for Livestock, Poultry & Fisheries

## 2.5.1 Livestock

		Suggested contingency measure	es
	Before the events	<b>During the event</b>	After the event
Drought			
Feed and fodder availability	Farmers can grow crops like green gram, fodder crops and tuber crops. Avoid burning of paddy straw and storing as dry fodder for future use. Preserving maize fodder as silage for future use. Proper drying of harvested paddy straw for transport to the needy village.	The harvested paddy straw and other biomass need to be enriched and fortified and compact feed blocks need to be prepared.	Enriched complete feed blocks containing dry roughage, concentrates / unconventional supplements in the ratio 50:50 be supplied.
Drinking water	To minimise thermal stress, animals to be kept in shaded place. This will also help in reducing the water requirement	Fresh groundwater may be provided with water soluble vitamins	Fresh groundwater may be provided with water soluble vitamins
Health and disease management	Vaccination schedule against FMD, BQ & HS in large ruminants, and PPR in small ruminants be carried out.	Screen animals for symptoms of dehydration, metabolic disorders and check for wound and injuries and take the services of Veterinary Doctor for treatment.	Dry roughages be sprayed with 10% molasses or crude jaggery solution and 2% urea for maintenance of animal's health.
Floods			
Feed and fodder availability	Feeds to be protected from fungal contamination and wet feeds to be dried and fed.	Animals to be housed in dry place and dry bedding (straw) to be provided to young animals.	Damaged grain (not fungus contaminated) to be diverted for livestock feeding.
Drinking water	Sources of fresh water should be identified earlier	Fresh water should be provided with sanitizer	Fresh water should be provided with sanitizer
Health and disease management	Farmers should be advised to use 40-50 g of salt and 30-40 g mineral mixture per adult animal and 10-20 g for small ruminants and calves to be provided daily through feed for better health.	Animals to be dewormed with suitable anti-helmentic drug and be checked and treated for ecto-parasites, if any.	
Cyclone			
Feed and fodder availability	Feeds to be protected from fungal contamination and wet feeds to be dried	Animals to be tied in well ventilated house with sufficient amount of feed	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>r</sup> Indicate appropriate crop/soil management measures depending upon the crop and its stage for alleviating the specified stress.

	and fed (Hay & Straw)		
		Fresh water be provided from earlier	
Drinking water	Fresh water sources be identified	sources identified	
	Vaccination schedule against FMD, BQ	Animals to be dewormed with suitable	
	& HS in large ruminants, and PPR in	anti-helmentic drug and be checked	
Health and disease	small ruminants be carried out.	and treated for ecto-parasites, if any.	Conducting mass animal health camps, fertility
management		-	camps and mass deworming camps.
Heat wave and cold			
wave			
	Farmers should be advised to build a	Animal house be well ventilated along	
Shelter/environment	well ventilated animal house to protect	with electric fan if possible/ 100 watt	
management	from both heat & cold waves	bulb during cold waves	
Health and disease		Ad lib cold fresh water & anti-stress	
management	Fresh water sources be identified	vitamins be provided in both seasons	

s based on forewarning wherever available

## 2.5.2 Poultry

				Convergence/linkages with ongoing programs, if
	Sugg	Suggested contingency measures		
	Before the event <sup>a</sup>	During the event	After the event	any
Drought				
Shortage of feed ingredients				No
Drinking water	Fresh water sources be identified with well conservation of rain water to be made			No
Health and disease management				No
Floods				
Shortage of feed ingredients	Feeds to be protected from fungal contamination and should be provided with good storage			No
Drinking water				No
Health and disease management				No
Cyclone				
Shortage of feed ingredients				
Drinking water				

Health and disease management			
Heat wave and cold wave			
		Ventilation should be	
Shelter/environment management		checked	
Health and disease management			

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> based on forewarning wherever available

## 2.5.3 Fisheries/ Aquaculture

		Suggested contingency measures	
	Before the event <sup>a</sup>	<b>During the event</b>	After the event
1) Drought			
A. Capture			
Marine			
Inland			
(i) Shallow water depth due to insufficient rains/inflow	Extensive use of pens for grow-out culture of carps in lakes /reservoirs and beels to provide flexibility while doing culture.	Air breathing fish culture should be taken.	
(ii) Changes in water quality			
(iii) Any other			
B. Aquaculture			
(i) Shallow water in ponds due to insufficient rains/inflow	Partial harvesting of the stock proportionate to the receding water volume should be undertaken.  Application of fertilizer and manure should also be reduced to avoid eutrophication/algal blooms.	Farmers should go for short term fish culture (Aug- March) of minor/ medium sized carps. These carps attain marketable size within the stipulated period.	Protect Brood stock by making deep trenches /pools in the middle of brood stock ponds with shallow channels all along the periphery to provide shelter to fishes in the wake of scarcity of water.
(ii) Impact of salt load build up in ponds / change in water quality			
(iii) Any other	Paddy cum fish culture needs to be propagated. Live fish culture should be taken.		
2) Floods			
A. Capture			
Marine			

Inland		 
(i) Average compensation paid due to loss of human life		 
(ii) No. of boats / nets/damaged		 
(iii) No.of houses damaged		 
(iv) Loss of stock		 
(v) Changes in water quality		 
(vi) Health and diseases		 
B. Aquaculture		
(i) Inundation with flood water	Pond dyke height should be increased/ temporary fencing may be given to reduce fish escape.	 
(ii) Water continuation and changes in water quality		 Necessary rectification may be done by using chemicals and fertilizers.
(iii) Health and diseases		 Proper disease diagnosis should be undertaken during this period and prophylactic medicine and chemicals should be used.
(iv) Loss of stock and inputs (feed, chemicals etc)		 Stock assessment, restocking should be done after assessing the productivity of the water body.
(v) Infrastructure damage (pumps, aerators, huts etc)		 Repairing of infrastructure and other facilities should be undertaken.
(vi) Any other		 
3. Cyclone / Tsunami		
A. Capture		 
Marine		 
(i) Average compensation paid due to loss of fishermen lives		 
(ii) Avg. no. of boats / nets/damaged		 
(iii) Avg. no. of houses damaged		 
Inland		 
B. Aquaculture		 
(i) Overflow / flooding of ponds		 
(ii) Changes in water quality (fresh water / brackish water ratio)		 
(iii) Health and diseases		 

(iv) Loss of stock and inputs (feed, chemicals etc)	 	
(v) Infrastructure damage (pumps, aerators, shelters/huts etc)	 	
(vi) Any other	 	
4. Heat wave and cold wave		
A. Capture		
Marine	 	
Inland	 	
<b>B</b> . Aquaculture		
(i) Changes in pond environment (water quality)	 	
(ii) Health and Disease management	 	
(iii) Any other	 	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> based on forewarning wherever available