



**XXXV Weekly Advisory for Cotton Cultivation from 14<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> January, 2024**

PUNJAB		Actual Rainfall in last week(mm)					Predicted Rainfall in next week (mm)				
		January					January				
		10	11	12	13	14	16	17	18	19	20
	Firozpur						0	0	0	0	0
	Faridkot	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Muktsar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Bhatinda	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Sangrur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Ludhiana	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Amount of rainfall & colour Code		0.1 to 2.4 mm		2.5 to 15.5 mm		15.6 to 64.4 mm		64.5 to 115.5 mm		115.6 to 204.4	
Rainfall category		Very light rainfall		Light rainfall		Moderate rainfall		Heavy rainfall		Very heavy rainfall	

**Crop Condition:**

At Bathinda and Faridkot, picking is completed in all the fields.

**Advisory:**

Proper disposal of infested crop residues to prevent carryover of pests and diseases is advised. Stacking of the uprooted cotton stalks along the field bunds is to be avoided. The stalks may be shredded into small pieces using tractor drawn shredder to destroy the carryover population of pink bollworm.

HARYANA		Actual Rainfall in last week(mm)					Predicted Rainfall in next week (mm)				
		January					January				
		10	11	12	13	14	16	17	18	19	20
	Hisar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Jind	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Sirsa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Rohtak	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Amount of rainfall & colour Code		0.1 to 2.4 mm		2.5 to 15.5 mm		15.6 to 64.4 mm		64.5 to 115.5 mm		115.6 to 204.4	
Rainfall category		Very light rainfall		Light rainfall		Moderate rainfall		Heavy rainfall		Very heavy rainfall	

**Crop condition:**

At Hisar and Sirsa, picking is over in all the fields.

**Advisory:**

Proper disposal of infested crop residues to prevent carryover of pests and diseases is advised. Stacking of the uprooted cotton stalks along the field bunds is to be avoided. The stalks may be shredded into small pieces using tractor drawn shredder to destroy the carryover population of pink bollworm.


RAJASTHAN		Actual Rainfall in last week(mm)					Predicted Rainfall in next week (mm)				
		January					January				
		10	11	12	13	14	16	17	18	19	20
	Ajmer	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Jodhpur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Nagaur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Pali	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Sri Ganganagar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Amount of rainfall & colour Code		0.1 to 2.4 mm		2.5 to 15.5 mm		15.6 to 64.4 mm		64.5 to 115.5 mm		115.6 to 204.4	
Rainfall category		Very light rainfall		Light rainfall		Moderate rainfall		Heavy rainfall		Very heavy rainfall	

**Crop condition:**

In Southern Rajasthan (Banswara, Bhilwara, Chittorgarh, Dungarpur, Pratapgarh, Rajsamand and Udaipur) and Sriganganagar and Hanumangarh, picking is completed.

**Advisory:**

Proper disposal of infested crop residues to prevent carryover of pests and diseases is advised. Stacking of the uprooted cotton stalks along the field bunds is to be avoided. The stalks may be shredded into small pieces using tractor drawn shredder to destroy the carryover population of pink bollworm.


ODISHA		Actual Rainfall in last week(mm)					Predicted Rainfall in next week (mm)				
		January					January				
		10	11	12	13	14	16	17	18	19	20
	Koraput	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Kalahandi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Balangir	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Amount of rainfall & colour Code		0.1 to 2.4 mm		2.5 to 15.5 mm		15.6 to 64.4 mm		64.5 to 115.5 mm		115.6 to 204.4	
Rainfall category		Very light rainfall		Light rainfall		Moderate rainfall		Heavy rainfall		Very heavy rainfall	

**Crop condition:**

At Odisha, the crop is harvested completely.

**Advisory:**

Proper disposal of infested crop residues to prevent carryover of pests and diseases is advised. Stacking of the uprooted cotton stalks along the field bunds is to be avoided. The stalks may be shredded into small pieces using tractor drawn shredder to destroy the carryover population of pink bollworm.


GUJARAT		Actual Rainfall in last week(mm)					Predicted Rainfall in next week (mm)				
		January					January				
		10	11	12	13	14	16	17	18	19	20
	Amreli	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Bhavnagar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Jamnagar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Rajkot	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Junagadh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Sabarkantha						0	0	0	0	0
	Surendranagar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Ahmedabad	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Baroda	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Patan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Mehesana						0	0	0	0	0
Amount of rainfall & colour Code		0.1 to 2.4 mm		2.5 to 15.5 mm		15.6 to 64.4 mm		64.5 to 115.5 mm		115.6 to 204.4	
Rainfall category		Very light rainfall		Light rainfall		Moderate rainfall		Heavy rainfall		Very heavy rainfall	

**Crop condition:**

At Surat and Junagadh, final picking is completed.

**Advisory:**

Proper disposal of infested crop residues to prevent carryover of pests and diseases is advised. Stacking of the uprooted cotton stalks along the field bunds is to be avoided. The stalks may be shredded into small pieces using tractor drawn shredder to destroy the carryover population of pink bollworm.


MADHYA PRADESH		Actual Rainfall in last week(mm)					Predicted Rainfall in next week (mm)				
		January					January				
		10	11	12	13	14	16	17	18	19	20
	Khargaon										
	Dhar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Khandwa										
Amount of rainfall & colour Code		0.1 to 2.4 mm		2.5 to 15.5 mm		15.6 to 64.4 mm		64.5 to 115.5 mm		115.6 to 301	
Rainfall category		Very light rainfall		Light rainfall		Moderate rainfall		Heavy rainfall		Very heavy rainfall	

**Crop Condition:**

At Khandwa, the crop is completed.

**Advisory:**

Proper disposal of infested crop residues to prevent carryover of pests and diseases is advised. Stacking of the uprooted cotton stalks along the field bunds is to be avoided. The stalks may be shredded into small pieces using tractor drawn shredder to destroy the carryover population of pink bollworm.

MAHARASHTRA		Actual Rainfall in last week(mm)					Predicted Rainfall in next week (mm)				
		January					January				
		10	11	12	13	14	16	17	18	19	20
	Dhule	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Nandurbar	0	0	2.5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Jalgaon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Ahmednagar	0	2.5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Aurangabad	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Jalna	1	0.5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Beed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Nanded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Parbhani	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Hingoli	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Buldhana	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Akola	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Washim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Amravati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Yavatmal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Wardha	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Nagpur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chandrapur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Amount of rainfall & colour Code		0.1 to 2.4 mm		2.5 to 15.5 mm		15.6 to 64.4 mm		64.5 to 115.5 mm		115.6 to 204.4	
Rainfall category		Very light rainfall		Light rainfall		Moderate rainfall		Heavy rainfall		Very heavy rainfall	

**Crop condition:**


At Akola, picking is completed.

At Nanded, the crop is completed.

At Rahuri, the crop is terminated as final picking is over.

**Advisory:**

Proper disposal of infested crop residues to prevent carryover of pests and diseases is advised. Stacking of the uprooted cotton stalks along the field bunds is to be avoided. The stalks may be shredded into small pieces using tractor drawn shredder to destroy the carryover population of pink bollworm.


TELANGANA		Actual Rainfall in last week(mm)					Predicted Rainfall in next week (mm)				
		January					January				
		10	11	12	13	14	16	17	18	19	20
	Adilabad	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Warangal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Khammam	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Karimnagar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Mahabubnagar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Amount of rainfall & colour Code		0.1 to 2.4 mm		2.5 to 15.5 mm		15.6 to 64.4 mm		64.5 to 115.5 mm		115.6 to 204.4	
Rainfall category		Very light rainfall		Light rainfall		Moderate rainfall		Heavy rainfall		Very heavy rainfall	

**Crop Condition:**

At Warangal and Adilabad, final picking is over.

**Advisory:**

Proper disposal of infested crop residues to prevent carryover of pests and diseases is advised. Stacking of the uprooted cotton stalks along the field bunds is to be avoided. The stalks may be shredded into small pieces using tractor drawn shredder to destroy the carryover population of pink bollworm.

ANDHRA PRADESH		Actual Rainfall in last week(mm)					Predicted Rainfall in next week (mm)				
		January					January				
		10	11	12	13	14	16	17	18	19	20
	Guntur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Prakasam	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Amount of rainfall & colour Code		0.1 to 2.4 mm		2.5 to 15.5 mm		15.6 to 64.4 mm		64.5 to 115.5 mm		115.6 to 204.4	
Rainfall category		Very light rainfall		Light rainfall		Moderate rainfall		Heavy rainfall		Very heavy rainfall	


**Crop Condition:**

At Guntur, final pickings are in progress in few fields. Crop is ploughed in by majority of the farmers.

At Nandyal, picking is completed and crop is over.

**Advisory:**

At Guntur, farmers are advised to graze cotton stubbles by sheep, goats etc., and operate crusher to reduce pink bollworm in the ensuing season. Proper disposal of infested crop residues to prevent carryover of pests and diseases is advised. Stacking of the uprooted cotton stalks along the field bunds is to be avoided. The stalks may be shredded into small pieces using tractor drawn shredder to destroy the carryover population of pink bollworm.

KARNATAKA		Actual Rainfall in last week(mm)					Predicted Rainfall in next week (mm)				
		January					January				
		10	11	12	13	14	16	17	18	19	20
	Dharwad	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Haveri	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Mysore	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Amount of rainfall & colour Code		0.1 to 2.4 mm		2.5 to 15.5 mm		15.6 to 64.4 mm		64.5 to 115.5 mm		115.6 to 204.4	
Rainfall category		Very light rainfall		Light rainfall		Moderate rainfall		Heavy rainfall		Very heavy rainfall	

**Crop Condition:**


At Dharwad, final picking is completed.

At Raichur, picking is almost completed.

At Chamarajanagar, picking is completed.

**Advisory:**

At Dharwad, Raichur and Chamarajanagar farmers are advised to collect and destroy diseased bolls and crop debris from the fields. Stacking of the uprooted cotton stalks along the field bunds is to be avoided. The stalks may be shredded into small pieces using tractor drawn shredder to destroy the carryover population of pink bollworm.

TAMIL NADU		Actual Rainfall in last week(mm)					Predicted Rainfall in next week (mm)				
		January					January				
		10	11	12	13	14	16	17	18	19	20
	Perambalur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Salem	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Trichy						0	0	0	0	0
	Virudhunagar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0
Amount of rainfall & colour Code		0.1 to 2.4 mm		2.5 to 15.5 mm		15.6 to 64.4 mm		64.5 to 115.5 mm		115.6 to 204.4	
Rainfall category		Very light rainfall		Light rainfall		Moderate rainfall		Heavy rainfall		Very heavy rainfall	

**Crop Condition:**

At Coimbatore and surrounding areas, the cotton crop is almost harvested.

At Srivilliputhur in and around fields, the sown cotton is at final picking stage.

**Advisory:**

At Coimbatore, farmers are advised to harvest the fully burst bolls and sort out the good quality bolls. Store stained, discoloured and insect attacked bolls separately.

At Srivilliputhur, farmers are advised to harvest the fully burst bolls and sort out the good quality bolls. Collect and destroy diseased bolls and crop debris from the fields. Stacking of the uprooted cotton stalks along the field bunds is to be avoided. The stalks may be shredded into small pieces using tractor drawn shredder to destroy the carryover population of pink bollworm.

Detailed information regarding cotton production technology, e.g. selection of soil, varieties, fertilizer application, sowing methods, irrigation systems, management of weeds, insect pests and diseases, etc. can be availed from an android based **CICR Cotton App** developed by ICARCICR, Nagpur. The app can be downloaded free of cost from Google play store. Additionally, the crop growth stage specific and weather based weekly advisory are uploaded on the website of ICAR-CICR also to be consulted for the benefit of farmers.