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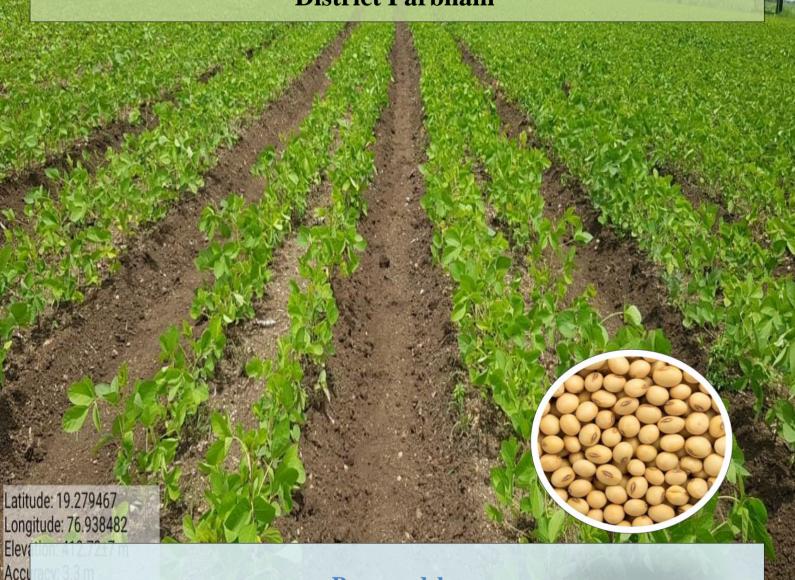
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Strategic Research & Extension Plan (SREP)
Climate Resilient Agriculture Supplement
of
District Parbhani



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#### **INTRODUCTION**

The Project on Climate Resilient Agriculture in Maharashtra (PoCRA) is a project of Government of Maharashtra with Partnership of World Bank and the project is implemented in 5220 vulnerable villages in 16 districts of Marathwada, Vidarbha and North Maharashtra. The project development objectives (PDO) is 'to enhance climate resilience and profitability of smallholder farming system in selected districts of Maharashtra'. On the backdrop of frequent droughts affecting the agriculture in the state, the project is focused on enhancing climate resilience at farm level. Climate Resilient Agriculture involves sustainable agricultural practices that enhance productivity, mitigate risks, and reduce greenhouse gas emissions. The farmers can ensure food security in the face of extreme weather events and climate change by adopting climate-resilient agriculture practices. The extension functionary of the Department of Agriculture is mandated to disseminate knowledge and skills about resilient technologies to the farming community. The district-level authority of the Department of Agriculture prepares the strategy for need-based extension with the help of the Agriculture Universities and Krushi Vidnyan Kendras. In order to facilitate this process, the Government of India has directed the states to prepare a Strategic Research and Extension Plan (SREP) at the district level as an integral part of extension reforms under the Agriculture Technology Management Agency (ATMA) initiative.

SREPs are multi-year strategy documents for the dissemination of innovations and the coordinated interaction in the field between State Agricultural Universities (SAU), Regional Research Stations (KVK), district-level agricultural extension services (ATMA) and the farming community. SREPs are developed under the leadership of the Project Director (ATMA), whose responsibility is to bring together researchers, extensionists, farmers and other stakeholders to make, based on joint diagnostic studies, district extension plan and recommendations for expanded adaptive research to introduce innovations in technology dissemination to cater to local needs and situations. The project had taken a conscious decision to review and update the current SREPs to mainstream climate vulnerability and its impact on farming in project districts as well as to explore the potential for strengthening existing value chains with up-to-date market intelligence. This task is accomplished with preparation of climate resilient agriculture supplement as a supportive document to the current SREP of each project district. As per the project agreement between the Government of Maharashtra and the World Bank, the updation of SREPs is considered as one of the project assessment indicators. The document is prepared by the Project Director (ATMA) in consultation with the field functionary of the Department of Agriculture, State Agriculture Universities (SAUs), Krushi Vigyan Kendras (KVKs), Farmers, Farmer Producer Organizations from the district. The SREP supplement contains an account of weather analysis, information about cropping pattern, impact of climate change on crop yields, coping mechanisms adopted by the farmers, adoption level of climate resilient technologies, constraints in marketing of agriculture produce and scope for value chain development. The SREP supplement ends with comprehensive template for Village Adaptation Plan which will act as guide for the Agriculture Assistants who are the cutting edge extension workers. It will be helpful to extension workers while carrying out extension of 'climate resilience technologies.

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#### Chapter 1: General Profile of the District

#### 1.1 Geographical area and location of the district

Parbhani district formed part of the former Nizam's rule till 1948 it is one of the historical towns of the Marathwada region. It is located in the southern part of Marathwada, between  $18^0 45$  to  $20^0 10$  North latitude and  $76^0 13$ ' to  $77^0 39$ ' to East longitudes. it is located about 407 meters above the sea level .it is bounded by Solapur district to the south west by Ahmednagar district to northwest by Parbhani to the north and by Latur district to east.

The total geographical area of Parbhani district is 6311Sq.Kms.

Sr. No	Name of District	District Code	Latitude	longitude
1	Parbhani	802753	18 <sup>0</sup> 45' to 20 <sup>0</sup> 10' N	76 <sup>0</sup> 13' to 77 <sup>0</sup> 39 E

Parbhani, formerly known as "Prabhavati Nagar", is a district in the Marathwada region of Maharashtra. Parbhani is situated approximately at the center of Maharashtra. The state capital, Mumbai lies to the west of Parbhani. The nearest major city is Nanded and Aurangabad. Parbhani is well connected by road to other major cities in Maharashtra and even in the neighboring state of Andhra Pradesh. Parbhani is an important Railway junction on the Mumbai – Parbhani – Nanded - Secunderabad and Parli – Nanded -Parbhani -Bangalore lines.

There are 9 talukas in the district namely Parbhani, Jintur, Gangakhed, Pathri, Purna, Palam, Sailu, Sonpeth and Manwath. There is one Mahanagar Palika, 7 Municipal councils, 9 Panchayat Samitis and 704 Gram Panchayats in the district with a total number of 848 villages.

It has an average elevation of 347 meters. In the northeast of the district, on the boundary of Hingoli and Parbhani district there is an extension of Ajanta ranges called Nirmal Hills. The main river in the district is Godavari which flows from Pathri, Manwath, Sonpeth, Gangakhed, Purna taluka of Parbhani district. Other rivers are Purna and Dudhana which are tributaries of Godavari. **Agro-Climatic zone**: Parbhani district lies on the central part of Marathwada region of Maharashtra. Climatologically it comes under semi-arid Sub-Tropical region and agro climatologically is identified as plain zone of Maharashtra. The geographical location of Parbhani is located between 18.450 and 20.010 North Latitude and 76.130 to 77.290 East Longitudes. The Ajanta hill ranges run through Jintur taluka of Parbhani district and Balaghat hill ranges run through Gangakhed taluka of the district. The district comes under Godavari and Dudhana river Valley. Parbhani district is located about 457 meters above the sea level.

#### 1.2 Tehsil details the number of villages

Sr. No.	Tehsil	No. of Villages					
1	Parbhani	131					
2	Gangakhed	106					
3	Pathri	58					
4	Jintur	168					
5	Purna	95					
6	Palam	82					
7	Selu	94					
8	Sonpeth	60					
9	Manwath 54						
	Total	848					

#### 1.3 Demographic information of Parbhani

According to the census Report 2021 the total population of Parbhani district is 18.36 lakhs of which males are 9.42 while female Population is 8.94 lakhs. The Sex ratio of the district is observed to be 947 females per thousand, males as against the state average of 992 females per 1000 males urban-Rural: The Rural population of Parbhani district is 12.48 lakhs (or 67.9%) indicating a dominance of rural sector; the urban population is 5.88 lakhs (or 32.1%) of total population of district; at the state level the urban population forms about 42% of total population.

#### **Demography of the district**

			Population		SC		ST		General		Total	
Name of Block	Villages Covered	M	F	Total	House hold (No.)	Members (No.)	House hold (No.)	Members (No.)	Household (No.)	Members (No.)	Household (No.)	Members (No.)
Parbhani	131	275285	262525	537810	13863	69316	1470	7348	9229	461146	107562	537810
Purna	95	144882	137874	282756	6267	31336	3163	15816	47121	235604	56551	282756
Palma	82	86633	82541	169174	4031	20156	406	2031	29397	146987	33835	169174
Gangakhed	106	59745	57072	116817	3012	15060	285	1427	20066	100330	23363	116817
Sonpeth	60	71482	67564	139046	4077	20387	327	1634	23405	117025	27809	139046
Pathri	58	46250	43332	89582	2606	13032	201	1005	15109	75545	17916	89582
Manwath	54	104857	98010	202867	5925	29627	867	4333	33781	168907	40574	202867
Selu	94	59737	55645	115382	3172	15862	867	4335	19037	95185	23076	115382
Jintur	168	93999	88653	182652	6506	32532	517	2585	29507	147535	36530	182652
Total	848	942870	893216	1836086	49462	247308	8103	40514	309653	1548264	367217	1836086

(Source: DIC, Parbhani 2021-2022)

## 1.4 Annual Average rainfall of the district with segregation of tehsils receiving highest and lowest rainfall

Average Normal Rainfall of the district is 755 mm and in the year June to October 2023 actual rainfall is 520 mm. In June 2023 to October 2023 highest rainfall i.e. 573.1 mm - 76.8% in Palam taluka. In June 2023 to October 2023 Lowest rainfall i.e. 415 mm - 60.2% in Sonpeth taluka (*Source: www.maharain.com*)

#### 1.5 Max. and Min. temperature of the district

	Summer	43-45 <sup>0</sup> C
Maximum Temperature	Winter	10-12 <sup>0</sup> C
	Summer	43-45 <sup>0</sup> C
Minimum temperature	Winter	10-12 <sup>0</sup> C

#### 1.6 River network in the district

Godavari is the most important river. Dudhna and Purna are other two major rivers of the district. Godavari River runs through Pathri, Gangakhed and Palam talukas of the district for about 79 kilometers and then enters into Nanded district towards East. Dudhana River runs through Selu, Jintur, Parbhani and Purna Tehsil and then enters into Hingoli district to the East. There is one major irrigation dam at Yeldari in jintur taluka on Purna River in Parbhani district.



#### 1.7 Irrigation potential of the district

"Gross cultivated area is 572758 Ha. Out of Total Geographical area of Parbhani 6,31,115 Ha. area under kharif crop in kharif crop area 524900 Ha. are under irrigated crops and 16165ha. Area under rainfed crops. There is 508700 Ha. area under rabi crops in Parbhani district 319500 Ha. In Which 43197 Ha. Area under Irrigated crops and 276340 Ha. area under rainfed crop. 44264 Ha. area under summer crop in which 4461 Ha. area under horticulture crop in Parbhani district."

#### **Irrigation based Classification**

Sr. No	Source of irrigation	Area Covered by the Source (Ha.)
1	Dams	203236
2	Wells	38494
3	Bore wells	4975
4	Farm Ponds	4163
5	Rivers	80025

C	N	Irrigated A	rea (Ha.)	
Sr.no	Name of the Block	Gross Irrigated Area	Net Irrigated Area	
1	Parbhani	49166	47304	
2	Purna	47502	36847	
3	Palam	13654	7422	
4	Gangaked	22356	23396	
5	Sonpeth	17957	20519	
6	Pathri	21689	35563	
7	Manwath	29938	14846	
8	Selu	26899	4979	
9	Jintur	24097	16746	
	Total	253258	207622	

(Source: Jalsampada department District, Parbhani)

#### 1.8 Different types of soils of the districts

#### Information on Soils of Parbhani District

Sr. No.	Block	Heavy Black Soils	Medium Black Soils	Shallow Black Soils	Light Soils
1	Parbhani	11108	1780	2233	2497
2	Purna	4327	2149	1554	3556
3	Palam	24475	4275	6552	11194
4	Gangakhed	10253	3028	6743	22731
5	Sonpeth	0	0	0	9442
6	Pathri	20919	8152	14173	15643
7	Manwath	0	0	0	7120
8	Selu	37177	7393	8964	7596
9	Jintur	14988	2452	5453	10662
	Total	123247	29229	45672	90441

(Source: Soil Testing and soil Survey Lab, Parbhani)

## 1.9 Different zones according to prevailing agro-ecological situations

Identification of agro ecological situation prevailing in the district is a major consideration for studying the different farming system being followed by farmers in each agro ecological situation. This is important from the perspective of identification of different gaps and problems and issues with respect to different crops, enterprises and commodities for preparation of location specific strategies. Parbhani district is divided into six prominent agro ecological situations on the basis of the soil types, rainfall, topography and irrigation. The description of each agro ecological situation, its coverage in different blocks and the representative villages selected for each agro ecological situation for formation of strategies on participatory management practices are given below.

## Spread of AES in the District –Parbhani

Sr. No	Name of the AES	Area (ha)	Geographical Area %	Parbhani (Area & %)	Gangakhed (Area & %)	Palam (Area & %)	Sonpeth (Area & %)	Jintur (Area & %)	Selu (Area & %)	Manwath (Area & %)	Pathri (Area & %)	Purna (Area & %)
AES 1	Hilly Dry land	139720	22	0	7066 (50)	40459 (28)	0	73701 (50)	18493 (17)	0	0	0
AES 2	Plateau dry land with medium soil type	222599	36	61276 (28)	11784 (5)	0	0	48195 (24)	52730 (25)	32904 (12)	15709 (6)	0
AES 3	Medium soil type with unassured irrigation	25051	4	6000 (24)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	195051 (6)
AES 4	Medium soil type with unassured irrigation	144097	23.4	44286 (33)	12307 (9)	0	26655 (17)	0	0	16517	21351	19981 (14)
AES 5	Medium plateau along with Godavari basin region with assured irrigation	67690	11	5070 (8)	16891 (23)	10457 (17)	0	0	0	5327 (9)	0	23944 (43)
AES 6	Hilly medium Light soil type with unassured irrigation	26067	4.23	0	18543 (71)	7524 (29)	0	0	0	0	0	0

(Source: SREP ATMA 2021-2022)

# Chapter 2: Agriculture Profile of District

#### 2.1 Land use classification of the district

There are 848 villages present in the district. Total Geographical area of Parbhani district is 6,33,628 ha. Out of which 5,72,578 Ha. area under gross cropped area, 4,85,953 Ha. area is net sown area and 7,41,092 Ha. area sown more than once, 166% is cropping intensity occurred in Parbhani district.

#### 2.1.a Forest land, barren and uncultivable, cultivable waste land etc.

Sr. No.	Name of Talukas	No. of village	Total geograph ical Area	Area Under Forest	Area Under Non- agricultu ral use	Area under Cultivabl e Waste Land	Permanent Pastures	Current Fallow	Area Under Other Use
1	Parbhani	131	115947	32	0	950	220	540	282
2	Purna	95	61295	0	116	40	370	1522	156
3	Palam	82	49682	242	219	2195	105	890	1095
4	Gangakhed	106	67194	0	685	1880	1600	659	1035
5	Sonpeth	60	37271	0	603	325	215	790	325
6	Pathri	58	53042	0	1035	1080	524	10	520
7	Manwath	54	49457	0	1140	100	0	0	200
8	Selu	94	68586	0	2750	65	20	75	345
9	Jintur	168	130732	9906	0	7626	1230	2230	3206
	Total	848	633206	10180	6548	14261	4284	6716	7164

(Source: DIC, Parbhani 2021-2022)

#### 2.1.b Net area sown, area sown more than once, gross cropped area and cultivable area

Sr.	Name of	No. of	Area Under Ag	Area Under Agriculture				
No.	Talukas	villages	Gross	Net Sown	Area Sown More	Cultivable		
		covered	Cropped Area	Area	than once	area		
1	Parbhani	131	121576	107482	75711	142518		
2	Purna	95	58653	52267	94318	89149		
3	Palam	82	43401	34207	68253	62839		
4	Gangakhed	106	51687	50407/	51621	91415		
5	Sonpeth	60	37347	16110	76462	51603		
6	Pathri	58	51687	42807	72228	61884		
7	Manwath	54	45415	32895	75711	65223		
8	Selu	94	59782	63193	110394	88413		
9	Jintur	168	103359	86585	116394	144666		
	Total	848	572907	435546	741092	797710		

(Source: DIC Parbhani, 2021-2022)

## 2.2 Agriculture land holdings- its distribution according to sizes

Sr. No	Land Holding	No. of. Farmers	Percentage (%)
1	Below 1.00 Ha. (Marginal Farmers)	176114	45.36%
2	1.00 Ha to 2.00 Ha. (Small Farmers)	125717	32.38%
3	2.00 to 4.00 Ha (Semi Medium Farmers)	68008	17.51%
4	4.00 to 10 Ha (Medium Farmers)	17188	4.42%
5	More than 10 Ha (Large Farmers)	1260	0.3%
	Total	388287	99.97%

(Source: DIC Parbhani 2021-2022)

## 2.3 Irrigation and water lifting facility in the district

Sr. No.	Source of irrigation	Area Covered by the Source (Ha)
1	Dams	203236
2	Wells	38494
3	Bore wells	4975
4	Farm Ponds	4163
5	Rivers	80025
	Total	330893

# 2.4 Type of crops grown, cropping pattern, cropping intensity and farming systems.

#### 2.4.a Different types of Crops grown in district:

Sr. No	Name of Crop	Area	
1	Rice	0	
2	Jowar	2654.33	
3	Bajara	223.00	
4	Maize	999.1	
5	Other Cereals	42	
	Total Cereals	3918.43	
6	Tur	39488.90	
7	Moong	13171.00	
8	Udid	4616.50	
9	Other Pluses	5	
	Total Pluses	57281.4	

(Source: Statistic data district superintendent agriculture office Parbhani)

10	Groundnut	0
11	Sesame	238.90
12	Soybean	269800.72
13	Sunflower	0
14	Other oil Seeds	51
	Total Oil seeds	270090.62
15	Cotton	179447.79
16	Sugarcane	48757
17	Turmeric	400
	Total	228604.79
	Grand Total	559895.24

#### **Cropping Pattern, Cropping Intensity**

The Cropping Intensity of the district is 166% which is comparatively less. The total land area available for Cultivation is 90 % to total geographical area but actually cultivated area is less than the availability. This showed the under-utilization of land.

#### **Land Use Pattern**

Sr. No.	Name of	No of	Total	Area Under Agriculture			
	Talukas	villages	Geographical	Gross	Net	Area Sown	Cropping
		covered	Area	Cropped	Sown	More than	Intensity
				Area (1)	Area (2)	once	(%)
						(1-2)	
1	Parbhani	131	125331	121576	107482	75711	200
2	Purna	95	63173	58653	52267	94318	200
3	Palam	82	50884	43401	34207	68253	200
4	Gangakhed	106	51981	75981	50407	51621	100
5	Sonpeth	60	35623	0	16110	76462	100
6	Pathri	58	54029	91984	42807	72228	200
7	Manwath	54	42917	0	32895	75711	200
8	Selu	94	81455	77804	63193	110394	200
9	Jintur	168	125722	103359	86585	116394	100
	Total	848	631115	181163	485953	741092	166

#### **Farming Systems:**

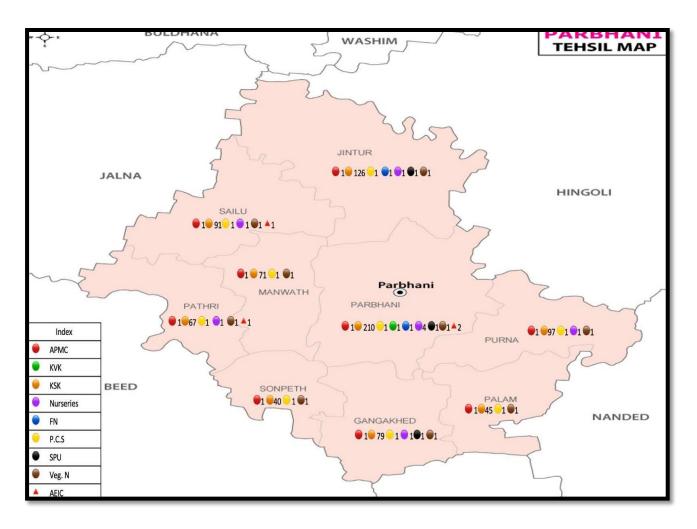
In Parbhani District, a semi-Commercial type of farming system is adopted in which the majority of farmers adopt a crop-based cropping system. In a Cotton-based system and soybean-based system. In the cotton-based farming system, the majority of farmers cultivate the sole cotton crop while 30 -40 % farmers adopt cotton + Tur intercultural cropping system. In soybean, the majority of farmers cultivate the sole Soybean crop while 25 % take the Soybean + Tur intercultural cropping system. In Rabi Jowar + Safflower and Wheat & Gram. In a mixed Cropping system Agro-Horti cropping system. Agro-dairy system, now a days some farmers are adopting Agro-Silviculture. For commercial Horticulture crops are grown and also livestock ranching

#### 2.5 Year wise area, Production and Productivity of major Crops for last 5 years.

Sr. No.	Crops (Kharif/Rabi/Summer)	Area (ha)	Production (Qtl)	Productivity (Qtl/ha)
1	Jowar	2654.33	2423.51	913.04
2	Tur	39488.9	36474.32	923.66
3	Moong	13171	10833.94	822.56
4	Soyabean	269800.7	421547.4	1562.44
5	Cotton	179447.8	92627.36	516.18
6	Wheat	33871.00	84735.08	2501.70
7	All millets	265	0	0

(Source: Statistician, District Superintending Agriculture Office, Parbhani)

#### 2.6 Other Facilities



- APMC Agriculture Primary Market Committee.
- KVK- Krushi Vidyan Kendr
- KSK-Krushi Seva kendra
- Nurseries
- FN-Fruit Nursery
- PCS Primary Credit Society
- SPU Seed Processing Unit
- Veg. N Vegetable Nursery
- ▲ AEIC Agriculture Education Institute Centre

#### Chapter 3: Weather trend of district

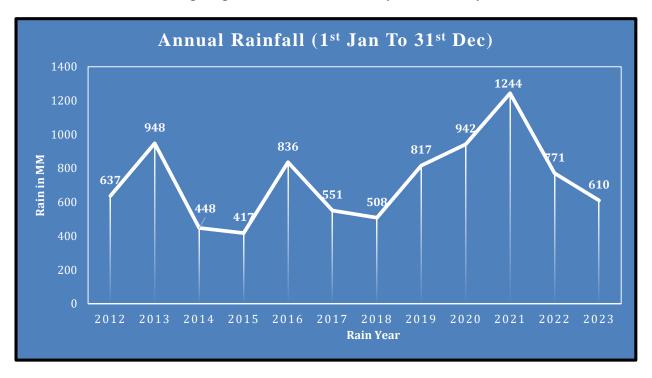
#### Introduction

Mahavedh project is operationalized by the Government of Maharashtra (GoM) through Public Private Partnership with M/S Skymet Weather Services pvt.ltd. At present 2127 Automatic Weather Stations (AWS) have been installed at circle level in Maharashtra. Weather data fetched from these Automatic Weather Stations (AWS) is useful for implementation of Public Welfare and Development schemes, Research and Development, Disaster management and Allied services. PoCRA seamlessly combines forecast data from IMD and historical weather data from Mahavedh

PoCRA seamlessly combines forecast data from IMD and historical weather data from Mahavedh through APIs, integrating and storing the information in a database. This consolidated data is utilized to generate tailored weather-based advisories for farmers. Leveraging AICRPAM's (<a href="https://www.researchgate.net/publication/316855640\_AICRPAM\_at\_a\_glance">https://www.researchgate.net/publication/316855640\_AICRPAM\_at\_a\_glance</a>) crop calendars, PoCRA's automated systems craft pest and disease advisories to enhance agricultural decision-making.

#### 3.1 Annual average rainfall of last twelve years.

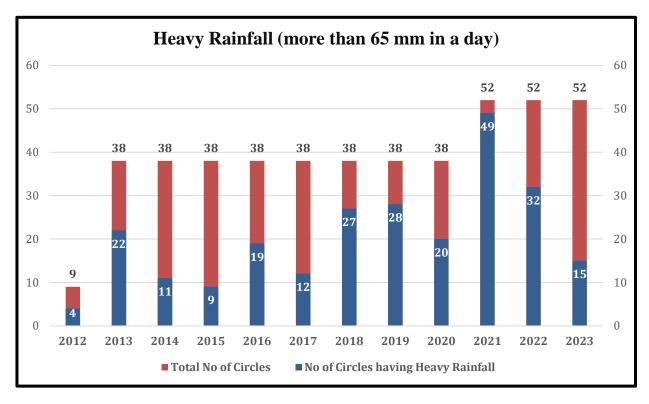
Normal or average rainfall is the amount of precipitation that we expect per year (in a given area). It is obtained and set by calculating the average (mean) of precipitation recorded in an area. Annual rainfall or precipitation is the sum of daily rainfall in a year.



The graph 3.1 re-presents annual rainfall data of Parbhani district from 2012 to 2023, highlighting fluctuations in precipitation. Notably, the lowest recorded rainfall was in year 2015 at 417 mm, while the highest occurred in year 2021 with a total of 1244 mm annual average rainfall.

## 3.2 Heavy rainfall.

Heavy rainfall is defined as rainfall that exceeds 65 mm in 24 hours



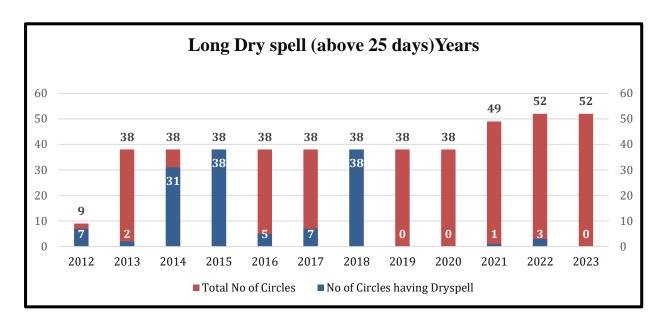
The provided graph 3.2 illustrates occurrences of heavy rainfall in 38 circles within the Parbhani district from year 2013 to 2020 and in 52 circles from year 2021 to 2023. Notably, in year 2021, heavy rainfall affected the maximum number of circles, with 49 circles out of the 52 circles experiencing such conditions. Conversely, the year 2015 recorded a lower incidence of heavy rainfall, with only 9 circles out of the 38 circles being affected in Parbhani District.

#### 3.3 Dry spells.

A dry day is when rainfall is below 2.5 mm, and consecutive dry days form a dry spell in monsoon period. Longer dry spells impact crop growth. Categories include very short (up to 7 days), short (7-14 days), medium (14-25 days), and long (more than 25 days) dry spells, each influencing crop development differently.

#### 3.3.1 Long Dry spell

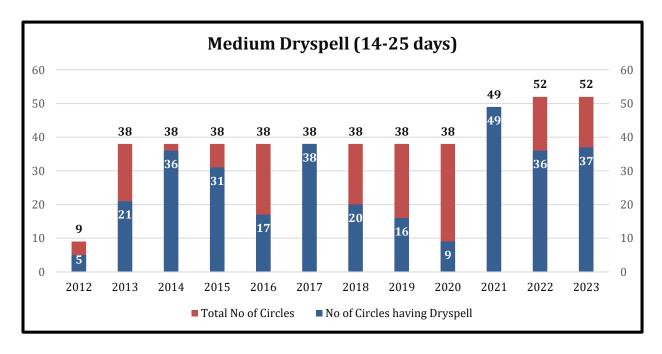
Long Dry spell is a prolonged period above 25 days of dry days in monsoon period



A graph (Graph 3.3.1) that shows the trend of long dry spells observed in a Parbhani district. The data covers the total number of circles and the circles that affected dry spell (more than 25 days) from the year 2012 to 2023. The graph shows that in year 2015 and 2018, all circles in the district experienced long dry spells. Conversely, in year 2019 to 2020, there was no long dry spell, across all 38 circles in the district.

#### 3.3.2. Medium Dry spell

Medium Dry spell a period of 14-25 days of dry weather.



A graph (Graph 3.3.2) that shows the trend of medium dry spells observed in a Parbhani district. The data covers the total number of circles and the circles that affected medium dry spell (14 to 25 days) in Parbhani district from the year 2012 to 2023. The graph shows that in year 2021, all 49 circles in the district experienced medium dry spells. Conversely, in year 2020, there was only 9 circles out of 38 circles experienced medium dry spell in the district.

#### 3.4 Unseasonal rainfall

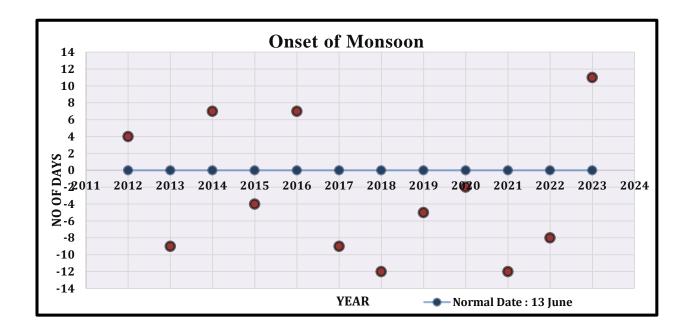
Rainfall received during non mosoon days is treated as unseasonal rainfall. Unseasonal rainswhen there is a sudden change in atmospheric pressure, it can result in precipitation, even during non-monsoon seasons.



The graph 3.4 illustrates the annual occurrences of unseasonal rainfall in the Parbhani district from year 2013 to 2022. The data reveals a variation ranging from 1 days to 51 days of unseasonal rainfall.

#### 3.5 Monsoon onset delay

The onset of the southwest monsoon refers to the time when the southwest monsoon winds begin to establish over a region, bringing widespread rainfall. The onset of the monsoon in Maharashtra typically occurs around early June. However, the exact timing can vary slightly from year to year. According to the document published by IMD dated 15<sup>th</sup> May, 2020 (CRS research report), Normal monsoon onset date is 13<sup>th</sup> June in Parbhani district.

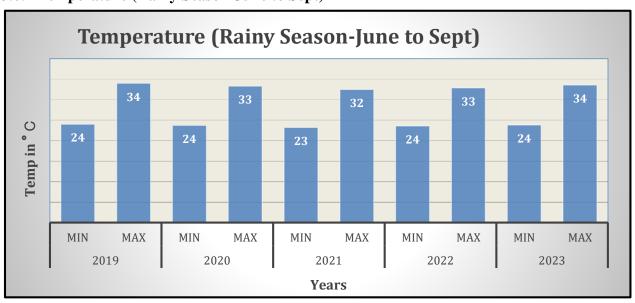


The graph 3.5 depicts the annual onset of the monsoon. The blue line represents the normal day of onset of monsoon. The onset days show variations ranging from -12 to 11 days. Notably, in year 2012, 2014, 2016 and 2023 the monsoon arrived delayed than the normal onset date. However, in remaining years the monsoon was notably arrived earlier

#### 3.6 Temperature.

Temperature is a physical quantity that quantitatively expresses the attribute of hotness or coldness. The average temperature is 27.7 °C, with a minimum of 20.5 °C and a maximum of 35.2 °C. the temperature usually drops to around 11 °C, On the coldest nights. On the warmest days, the temperature usually reaches around 40 °C.

#### **3.6.1** Temperature (Rainy Season-June to Sept)



The graph 3.6.1 presents the temperature in the Parbhani district during the rainy season from year 2019 to 2023 exhibited a consistent range, with minimum temperatures fluctuating between 23-24 °C and maximum temperatures ranging from 32-34 °C.

#### 3.6.2 Temperature (Winter Season-Oct to Jan)



The graph 3.6.2 presents the temperature in the Parbhani district during the winter season from year 2019 to 2023 exhibited a consistent range, with minimum temperatures fluctuating between 11-18 °C and maximum temperatures ranging from 31-33 °C.

#### 3.6.3 Temperature (Summer Season- Feb to May)

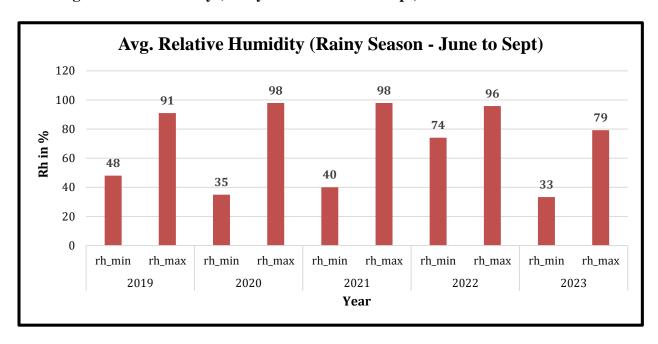


The graph 3.6.3 presents the temperature in the Parbhani district during the summer season from 2019 to 2023 exhibited a consistent range, with minimum temperatures fluctuating between 20-23  $^{\circ}$ C and maximum temperatures ranging from 38-40  $^{\circ}$ C.

#### 3.7 Relative Humidity

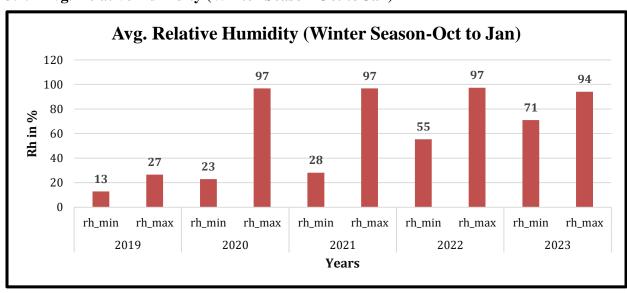
Relative Humidity is the ratio of the actual quantity of moisture at a certain temperature and pressure to the maximum it can hold at the same temperature and pressure. It is usually multiplied by 100 and expressed in percent.

#### 3.7.1 Avg. Relative Humidity (Rainy Season - June to Sept)



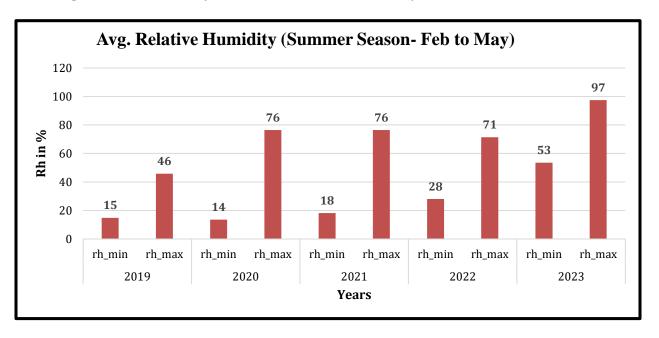
The graph 3.7.1 illustrates humidity levels during the rainy season in the Parbhani district, revealing a variation in minimum humidity from 33% to 74% and maximum humidity ranging between 79% and 98%.

#### 3.7.2 Avg. Relative Humidity (Winter Season-Oct to Jan)



The graph 3.7.2 illustrates humidity levels during the winter season in the Parbhani district, revealing a variation in minimum humidity from 13% to 71% and maximum humidity ranging between 27% and 97%.

#### 3.7.3 Avg. Relative Humidity (Summer Season- Feb to May)



The graph 3.7.3 illustrates humidity levels during the summer season in the Parbhani district, revealing a variation in minimum humidity from 14% to 53% and maximum humidity ranging between 38% and 46%.

# Chapter 4 - Impact of climate variability on agriculture production

# **4.1 Impact of Temperature**

Sr. No.	Crop	Crop Growth	Water Availability	Pests and Diseases Infestation
1	Soybean	Optimum temperature requires for soybean growth is 20°C -30°C. for every 1 °C increases, soybean yield decreases by average of 17%. In Kharif there is increase in temperature in august and September soybean crop yield is hamper.	Temperature variation affects agrological cycle. In Kharif 2023 there is only 68% Precipitation & hence soybean average decreases by 30%.	Due to dry spell in August & September infestation of whitefly on soybean act as virus vector and result in spread of yellow vein mosaic virus
2	Cotton	Temperature for ideal functioning of metabolism and associated enzyme should be 23.5 °C to 30 °C. Exposure to high temperature > than 32° C. Limits the growth and development of cotton. High temperature affects fiber quality and strength.	Availability of water play important role in various growth stage of water but in Parbhani kharif 2023 total 68% specification and it is uneven with dry spell affects growth and yield of cotton.	Typical effect of elevated temperature is causes increase in consumption rate and therefore decrease the time of pupation making them less apparent to natural enemies and in some cases increasing the potential no of generations.it happened in 2023 kharif Parbhani for increase in sucking pest complex.
3	Tur	Require to 26 °C to 30 °C in raining season and 17 °C. TO 22°C in post rainy season. Tur crop is extremely Susceptible to low radiation at the time of pod development	Water availability during flowering and pod formation increases yield. Post Monsoon rain is beneficial to yield of tur.	Cloudy weather in October caused an infestation of leaf mining insects and heliothis infestation.
4	Wheat	High temperature, even for a short period, affects crop growth especially in temperature crops like wheat. In wheat, temperature higher than 27°C caused under-	In order for wheat to which physiological maturity and its potential yield it needs on average 350-600 ml of water. In Parbhani district 95% of wheat sown as irrigated crop. Pathari, Gangakhed, Sonpeth, Parbhani taluka come under command of	No measures insects and pest found on wheat crop since last 5 years,

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		development of anthers	Jayakwadi while Purna taluka	
		and loss of viability of	commands under Siddeshwar	
		pollen.	project. Jayakwadi project status	
			is shown at end of 15 October	
			2023 is 46% and Siddeshwar	
			25.35 % lower than Dudhana	
			25.50%, hence water availability	
			for the command area is less and	
			due to high temperature	
			evaporation and soil moisture	
			losses occurs which affects the	
			frequency of scheduling	
			irrigation. That's impact on	
			wheat production.	77 ( 200
		Both High & Low	Gram crop normally requires 25	Hot $(>30^{\circ})$ and dry
		temperature at or	cm of water. It is important to	atmospheric condition
		exceeding 35°c affected	give adequate water i.e. 7 to 8 cm	lead to profligate loss of
		male reproductive	every time. Less or high-water	flower, birds and open
		tissue function on pod	application causes yield of the	flowers in gram high
		set	crop.	temperature (≥ 35° C) During reproductive
				During reproductive development reduces
5	Gram			1
				grain yield temperature (≥ 35° produced yield losses
				up to 39%. In Parbhani
				district due to 68 %
				precipitation soil
				moisture is very low,
				hence area and yield of
				gram will lower.

# **4.2** Impact of Rainfall

Sr.No.	Crop	Crop Growth	Irrigation Supply	Pests and Diseases Infestation	Soil Erosion and Nutrient loss	Harvest and Storage
1	Soybean	Insufficient rainfall can lead to drought conditions and negatively impact crop growth and yields. Drought conditions can lead to moisture stress, causing plants to wilt, and reducing crop yields. This condition occurred in Kharif 2023. Inadequate rainfall can also be harmful to crop health. Rainfall has a significant impact on crops as it provides the necessary moisture for plant growth and development. Excessive rainfall can cause soil erosion, and waterlogging, and increase the risk of plant diseases	1. Drought is also an extreme situation, which happens due to insufficiency of precipitation over a longer period causing damages to crops.  2. Heavy rainfall mainly causes flooding in an area when the natural watercourse fails to channelize the excess water. Places without a proper drainage system also get flooded during heavy rainfall.		1. Rainfall intensity and slope gradient affect runoff and sediment, ultimately leading to soil nutrient loss. It shows a positive correlation between rainfall intensity and nutrient loss.  2. There are two main ways in which soil nutrients are lost. At low rainfall intensities, soluble nutrients migrate with runoff, while at high rainfall intensities, soil nutrients migrate with runoff in sediment form.  3. Soil nutrient loss rises with the increase in the slope gradient, but when the slope gradient reaches the threshold value, nutrient loss declines with the rise of the slope gradient, indicating that there is a critical slope gradient for nutrient loss.	1. Farm output is affected when crops that are ready to be harvested or about to ripen, get soaked in excessive rainfall.  2. Untimely rain can make it difficult or impossible to harvest the crops, and can also cause damage to the crops that have already been harvested. The moisture from the rain can cause the crops to become wet and heavy, making them more difficult to handle and transport.

2	Cotton	High rainfall results in over saturation and water logging which has an adverse effect on cotton growth and development. Large intra seasonal variability of rainfall and day to day variation of rainfall like this year. Effects kharif crop production	Heavy rainfall causes water logging resulting into wilting of cotton	might disrupt the	1. Rainfall intensity and slope gradient affect runoff and sediment, ultimately leading to soil nutrient loss. It shows a positive correlation between rainfall intensity and nutrient loss.  2. There are two main ways in which soil nutrients are lost. At low rainfall intensities, soluble nutrients migrate with runoff, while at high rainfall intensities, soil nutrients migrate with runoff in sediment form.  3. Soil nutrient loss rises with the increase in the slope gradient, but when the slope gradient reaches the threshold value, nutrient loss declines with the rise of the slope gradient, indicating that there is a critical slope gradient for nutrient loss.	1. Farm output is affected when crops that are ready to be harvested or about to ripen, get soaked in excessive rainfall.  2. Untimely rain can make it difficult or impossible to harvest the crops, and can also cause damage to the crops that have already been harvested. The moisture from the rain can cause the crops to become wet and heavy, making them more difficult to handle and transport.
3	Tur	Rainfall in October damaged standing tur crop which is likely to reduced yield by 20%	Irrigation supply during intention of flower bird, flowering and pod formation will result in higher yield and vice versa	might disrupt the parasitoids' ability to track their caterpillar	1. Rainfall intensity and slope gradient affect runoff and sediment, ultimately leading to soil nutrient loss. It shows a positive correlation between rainfall intensity and nutrient loss.  2. There are two main ways in which soil nutrients are	1. Farm output is affected when crops that are ready to be harvested or about to ripen, get soaked in excessive rainfall.  2. Untimely rain can make it difficult or impossible to harvest

				behavior patterns can be disrupted.  4. Some pest species outbreak occurs as congenial climatic conditions are arising due to rainfall.	lost. At low rainfall intensities, soluble nutrients migrate with runoff, while at high rainfall intensities, soil nutrients migrate with runoff in sediment form.  3. Soil nutrient loss rises with the increase in the slope gradient, but when the slope gradient reaches the threshold value, nutrient loss declines with the rise of the slope gradient, indicating that there is a critical slope gradient for nutrient loss.	the crops, and can also cause damage to the crops that have already been harvested. The moisture from the rain can cause the crops to become wet and heavy, making them more difficult to handle and transport.
4 V	Wheat	If untimely rainfall in harvesting stage of wheat deteriorates quality of wheat	Irrigation during period of high wheat demand has significant effects on wheat growth, grain yield and WP. The soil water status and different growth stages have different effects on photosynthetic physiological characteristics and grain yield	might disrupt the parasitoids' ability to track their caterpillar hosts.  2. Rain drops can physically dislodge beneficial insects from	1. Rainfall intensity and slope gradient affect runoff and sediment, ultimately leading to soil nutrient loss. It shows a positive correlation between rainfall intensity and nutrient loss.  2. There are two main ways in which soil nutrients are lost. At low rainfall intensities, soluble nutrients migrate with runoff, while at high rainfall intensities, soil nutrients migrate with runoff in sediment form.  3. Soil nutrient loss rises with the increase in the slope gradient, but when the	1. Farm output is affected when crops that are ready to be harvested or about to ripen, get soaked in excessive rainfall.  2. Untimely rain can make it difficult or impossible to harvest the crops, and can also cause damage to the crops that have already been harvested. The moisture from the rain can cause the crops to become wet and heavy,

5 G1	Being of crop in determinate growth habit, drought condition will hasten maturity in gram by stopping growth, while late season rains will cause plants to green back up		1. Unpredictable rains might disrupt the parasitoids' ability to track their caterpillar hosts.  2. Rain drops can physically dislodge beneficial insects from their plants and their behavior patterns can be disrupted.  4. Some pest species outbreak occurs as congenial climatic conditions are arising due to rainfall.	slope gradient reaches the threshold value, nutrient loss declines with the rise of the slope gradient, indicating that there is a critical slope gradient for nutrient loss.  1. Rainfall intensity and slope gradient affect runoff and sediment, ultimately leading to soil nutrient loss. It shows a positive correlation between rainfall intensity and nutrient loss.  2. There are two main ways in which soil nutrients are lost. At low rainfall intensities, soluble nutrients migrate with runoff, while at high rainfall intensities, soil nutrients migrate with runoff in sediment form.3. Soil nutrient loss rises with the increase in the slope gradient, but when the slope gradient reaches the threshold value, nutrient loss declines with the rise of the slope gradient, indicating that there is a critical slope gradient for nutrient loss.	making them more difficult to handle and transport.  1. Farm output is affected when crops that are ready to be harvested or about to ripen, get soaked in excessive rainfall.  2. Untimely rain can make it difficult or impossible to harvest the crops, and can also cause damage to the crops that have already been harvested. The moisture from the rain can cause the crops to become wet and heavy, making them more difficult to handle and transport.
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# Chapter 5: Measures to cope with climatic variability

# 5.1 Coping measures for climatic variability by Universities or KVKs

Rainfall condition	1. Heavy rainfall	<ul> <li>Removes excess water during plant growth by better draining the water retained in the soil. In cotton by creating or digging drains</li> <li>Organic matter applications improve soil structure and avoid soil compaction, in cotton &amp; Soybean</li> <li>Sub-soiling can break possible hard pans and improve soil aeration.</li> <li>Raised or Broad Bed method of cultivation, In Soybean it is very helpful proved in Parbhani district</li> <li>Green manure increases organic matter content, nitrogen content and soil water retention, is applicable for all Kharif Crops</li> <li>Soil conservation and water conservation structures may reduce water runoff and helps to control soil erosion by graded bunding &amp; drain.</li> </ul>
	2. Low rainfall	<ul> <li>Weeding and defoliation reduce soil water losses from plant transpiration in side branches by defoliating.</li> <li>Cover crops reduce soil erosion by increasing soil organic matter, water, air, and nutrient availability.</li> <li>Harrowing (breaking the soil into small fragments) can prevent the loss of land moisture by evaporation.</li> <li>Covering the soil with crop residues (mulching) in combination with no-tillage reduces the exposure of crops to heat-stress conditions. It also increases soil moisture by reducing direct soil evaporation in Horticulture crops like Citrus, Lemon etc.</li> <li>Use Of micro –irrigation and construction of a farm pond.</li> <li>Use of Short Duration variety.</li> </ul>
	3.Dry Spells / Water Stress	<ul> <li>Drought tolerant crops with low water requirements reduce evapotranspiration losses during photosynthesis by rapidly closing their stomata and maintaining leaf water potential and photosynthetic rate.</li> <li>Promote micro irrigation and water budgeting for each crop.</li> <li>Increase water availability to counteract the impacts of drought shocks through small water reservoirs (Farm ponds)</li> <li>Foliar spray of nitrogen fertilizers and micronutrients during the dry spell protects and improves the endurance of crops in drought conditions.</li> </ul>
	4.Terminal Drought	<ul> <li>Diversification of crops.</li> <li>Promote short cycle varieties.</li> <li>Through carbon sequestration, agroforestry has the potential to offset greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions from the agricultural sector.</li> <li>Undertake rainwater harvesting. Water harvesting practices like farm ponds, community tanks, watersheds and pools can prove a life saver.</li> </ul>

	5. Late onset of monsoon	<ul> <li>Sowing is done only after 70mm to 100 mm rainfall.</li> <li>Promote intercropping</li> <li>Prepare a contingency plan in case of late onset of monsoon / dry spells during the season with appropriate cropping patterns.</li> <li>Crops with short duration and requiring relatively little water need to be encouraged in drought-prone areas; arrange availability of seeds with short duration varieties.</li> </ul>		
Temperature conditions	1. High Temperature	<ul> <li>Soil covering with mulching and or other materials increases the surface temperature.</li> <li>Wind breaks redistribute sensible heat that is already present in the air.</li> <li>Row covers increase downward long-wave radiation at night and reduce heat losses by convection and advection.</li> <li>Promote protected cultivation.</li> <li>Slight irrigation may reduce the effect of low temperature.</li> </ul>		
conditions	2. Cold waves / Low Temperature	• It consists of generating heat through burning the crop residues that prevent the cooling of the air at the crop level. It is not the most recommended method due to environmental pollution and other ecological aspects.		
Hailstorms		<ul> <li>Promote Protected cultivation.</li> <li>Hail protection nets reduce crop damage and loss by buffering the impact of hail on crops.</li> </ul>		
Soil degradation		<ul> <li>Soil erosion control by-changing agricultural practices and engineering practices. (agricultural practices- crop rotation, strip cropping, contour farming, terrace farming, mulching) (engineering practices- excavation of ditches, terraces construction, check dams, windbreaks)</li> <li>Water harvesting (watershed approach), terracing and other</li> <li>Engineering structure like, contour plowing, terracing, wind barrier etc. landslide and mine-spoil rehabilitation.</li> <li>River bank erosion control intercropping and crop diversification.</li> <li>Integrated nutrient management and organic manuring reclamation of acid and salt affected soils and drainage (desalinization)</li> <li>Water management and soil pollution control.</li> <li>Vegetative barriers and using natural geotextiles, mulching and diversified cropping</li> <li>Agro forestry and conservation agriculture practices.</li> </ul>		

#### **5.2** Best practices developed by farmers in the district:

Export oriented Okra production in Palam taluka

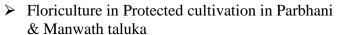


Farmer Name: Prashant Shevate

Village name: Shripur

Taluka: Palam

Technology: Residual free export-oriented Okra



- ➤ Best practices followed by farmers in Citrus production at Jamb Tq. Manwath
- > Organic input production centers
- ➤ Use of Neem ark and Dashparni ark in Cotton production
- ➤ Raised bed method for crop cultivation in soybean increased in districts
- ➤ Utilization of farm ponds for protective irrigation for Orchard & cotton.
- > Export oriented Custard apple production
- > Fruit and vegetable processing at Mangrul, Digras, Turmeric Processing center
- > Primary processing, packaging, branding of agricultural commodities through FPO's, at Pathri, Padegaon, Kalgaon.





Farmer Name: Archana Shiral Village Name: Mandakhali

Taluka: Parbhani

SHG name: Mandavrushi women farmer Producer Company Their Work: Vermicompost and making different types of spices



# Chapter 6: Climate Resilient Technology (CRT) Interventions and its impact on yield of crops

#### **6.1 CRTs Interventions**

Climate Resilient Technologies promoted under PoCRA						
Technology	Resilience Feature	Benefits	Suitable Crops			
1. Cultivation on broad bed furrows (BBF) method	Resilience to moisture stress, poor soil drainage and nutrient (fertilizer) loss.	Ensures optimum moisture and aeration at root level, helps drain out water in excess rainy condition, saves seed, ensures proper fertilizer placement in root zone, helps to develop optimum microclimate under crop canopy, helps in proper intercultural operations, reduces cost of cultivation.	All field crops both in Kharif and Rabi season.			
2. Intercropping	Resilience to risk due to crop failure, moisture stress, pest incidence	Ensures optimum use of soil moisture & nutrients, overcomes risk due to aberrant climatic variability's, helps in effective pest management, and reduces financial risk in farming.	Cotton, soybean, pulses, sorghum & pearl millet			
3. Use of climate resilient seed varieties	Resilience to moisture stress due to dry spell & drought, pest epidemic, infestation by wilt & soil borne pathogens	Higher yields than existing varieties, helps escape drought condition due to shorter durations, tolerance to moisture stress, resistance to pest & disease infestation fetches good price due to better consumer preference.	All crops			
4. Seed treatment	Resilience to biotic stress.	Protection from soil born pathogen and pests, enhances good root development.	All field crops			
5. Integrated Nutrient Management	Resilience to abiotic stresses including soil salinity, nutrient deficiencies, susceptibility to pest & diseases	Enhances crop health, higher yields, enhances quality of produce, resistance to biotic & abiotic stresses, enhances quality of produce, enhances consumer preference, helps to fetch better market price.	All crops			
6. Integrated Pest Management	Resilience to pest & disease epidemic, environmental hazards	Protection from pest & disease attack, reduction in use of chemical pesticide, helps in production of residue free agriculture commodities, reduces environmental hazards, enhances quality of produce, enhances consumer preference in domestic and export market, helps to fetch better market price.	All crops			

7. Furrow opening	Resilience to moisture stress.	Helps in conservation of moisture around root zone of crops during dry spell.	Cotton, soybean, pulses, sorghum & pearl millet
8. Foliar spray of 2% Urea at flowering and 2% DAP at boll development	Resilience to poor nutrition & moisture stress	Avoid plants abiotic stress and maintains vigour at flowering and boll development	Cotton
9. Protective irrigation through farm pond	Resilience to moisture stress during dry spell & drought condition	Overcomes moisture stress during critical stages, improves nutrient uptake, and enhances increase in yield.	All crops
10. Conservation tillage	Resilience to moisture stress, soil & nutrient loss	Enhances level of soil carbon, soil fertility & water holding capacity, better crop health and higher yields, enhances quality of produce, resistance to biotic & abiotic stresses, and enhances quality of produce.	All crops
11. Incorporation of biomass	Resilience to soil organic carbon (SOC) loss.	Enhances level of soil carbon and soil fertility, enhances water holding capacity of soil, leading to better crop health and higher yields, tolerance to moisture stresses.	All crops
12. Canopy management in fruit crops	Resilience to stress management	Enhances fruit bearing capacity, enhances quality of fruits, and reduces cost of harvesting.	Mango, Pomegranate & Guava
13. Cultivation of citrus crops on broad ridges	Resilience to poor soil drainage & soil borne diseases	Enhances proper microclimate around root zone, helps in retaining optimum soil moisture, avoids contact of water with stem collar, and prevents infection by phytophthora & other soil borne pathogens.	Mandarin orange, Sweet orange and Kagzi Lime

#### 6.2 Impact of CRT on crop yield based on FFS data.

FFS (Farmers' Field School) sessions have been implemented in the project village since 2018, focusing on soybean, cotton, pigeon pea and gram crops in the Parbhani district. FFS aims to promote sustainable and efficient farming. It does this by introducing effective practices for selected crops, improving farmers' knowledge with concepts like IPM and INM, empowering them to make informed decisions and working towards reducing cultivation costs, restoring soil fertility and increasing productivity. In essence, the FFS focuses on sustainable farming and empowering farmers as decision-makers. The adoption of climate resilient technology (CRT) was promoted on the FFS plot during these sessions. A comparison of the crop yields between the FFS plot and the control plot is detailed below, as per the data captured in the FFS app.

#### Year wise crop yield (Kg/ha)

	Soybean		Cotton		Pigeon Pea		Gram	
Year	FFS Plot	Control Plot	FFS Plot	Control Plot	FFS Plot	Control Plot	FFS Plot	Control Plot
2019	1766	1618	441	537	1327	1178	1730	1607
2020	1463	1304	1366	1186	742	673	1553	1414
2021	1655	1494	1141	978	737	645	1592	1440
2022	1820	1579	1332	1072	703	561	1475	1292
Average	1676.00	1498.75	1070.00	943.25	877.25	764.25	1587.50	1438.25

The FFS plot for soybean crops benefited from various CRT interventions, including seed treatment with fungicide and biofertilizer, sowing using the BBF method, intercropping, protective irrigation during dry spells and foliar spray of Neem seed kernel extract (NSKE). As a result, the yield of the FFS plot increased by 11.83% compared to the control plot.

The FFS plot for cotton crops benefited from various CRT interventions, including seed treatment with biofertilizer, intercropping, protective irrigation during dry spells, foliar spray of Neem seed kernel extract (NSKE), nipping of bud and use of traps (pheromone traps, sticky traps). As a result, the yield of the FFS plot increased by 13.44% compared to the control plot.

The FFS plot for Pigeon pea crops benefited from various CRT interventions, including as Seed treatment with fungicide and biofertilizer, protective irrigation in dry spell, foliar spray of Neem seed kernel extract (NSKE), topping. As a result, the yield of the FFS plot increased by 14.79% compared to the control plot. The FFS plot for Gram crops benefited from various CRT interventions, including as Seed treatment with fungicide and biofertilizer, sowing by BBF method, protective irrigation, NSKE, and use of pheromone traps. As a result, the yield of the FFS plot increased by 10.38% compared to the control plot.

#### 6.3 Impact of BBF on crop yield

Sr.no	Taluka	BBF/ ha
1	Parbhani	1233
2	Palam	450
3	Purna	520
4	Pathari	630
5	Manwath	602
6	Selu	630
7	Gangakhed	576
8	Jintur	1424
9	Sonpeth	712

(Source: DSAO office Parbhani)

The BBF method improves soil and water conservation of the field. It improves Soil aeration. Reduce insect pest attack on crops. In Deulgaon-Awchar village in Taluka Manwath, the farmer field which was water logged and, in that field, we suggested BBF method. Resulting improvement of soil structure due to well drainage. Due to BBF intercultural operations i.e. weeding, hoeing and spraying is easy in the growing period of Crop. All this results in better growth of crops and higher yield. So, Mr. Ram Awchar from Deulgaon-Awchar practices regularly BBF method from year 2019 till today and due to this area of BBF in Deulgaon-Awchar increases up to 19 Ha. Normal

sowing yield was noticed 12.50 Qtl/Ha. Whereas on BBF yield increased up to 22-25Qtl/ha. In kharif 2023 in soybean crop yellow vein mosaic virus observed at Parbhani district however YVM infestation was less as compared to normal sowing plot. As its crop retention ability is more in BBF method.

#### 6.4 Impact of Dibbling Method on crop yield

In Parbhani district farmers adopt dibbling methods in light soil. In villages of Purna taluka a major number of farmers cultivated sugarcane on bed and later on harvesting of sugarcane they continued to dibbled soybean seed. Their average yield is 8-11 Qtl/Ha.





#### **Dibbling Method Statistics of the district**

Sr. No.	Taluka	Dibbling method/ha
1	Parbhani	110
2	Palam	80
3	Purna	550
4	Pathari	100
5	Manwath	75
6	Selu	90
7	Gangakhed	70
8	Jintur	250
9	Sonpeth	70

(Source: DSAO office Parbhani)

#### 6.5 Impact of Zero Tillage on crop yield

In Parbhani district farmers adopt zero tillage in light soil and alkaline soil areas. In the Selu and Manwath taluka farmer adopt the zero tillage in Nagar-Jawla village *Vishwanath Dahe* having good yield through that technology average yield in Cotton 11-12 Qtl/Acre, Soybean 18-19.5q/acre, Gram 8-10 Qtl/acre respectively is taken in whole year.





**SRT Plot Cultivation taken in the district** 

Sr. No.	Taluka	Zero Tillage(Ha.)
1	Parbhani	6.4
2	Palam	9.2
3	Purna	4.6
4	Pathri	1.2
5	Manwath	3.6
6	Selu	3
7	Gangakhed	00
8	Jintur	2.6
9	Sonpeth	2

(Source: Sub-division agriculture office, Parbhani)

## 6.6 Impact of on farm biofertilizer production on crop yield



## Training of Different biofertilizer

Training programme on bio fertilizer at Zari village Parbhani district. The training about information of use and benefits of bio fertilizer.

Seed treatment with *Trichoderma and Rhizobium* before kharif season for protection from fungal diseases and for nutrient incorporation.



## **6.7** Impact of Neem based extracts on yield of crops

(Source: Sub-divisional Agriculture Officer, Parbhani)



Sr. No.	Taluka	Neem Extract
		(in lit)
1	Parbhani	150
2	Palam	40
3	Purna	00
4	Pathri	60
5	Manwath	100
6	Selu	00
7	Gangakhed	80
8	Jintur	40
9	Sonpeth	60

# Chapter 7: Plan to cope with weather related contingencies (District: Parbhani)

(Source- <a href="http://www.icar-crida.res.in/">http://www.icar-crida.res.in/</a>)

# 7.1 Drought

#### 7.1.1 Rainfed situation

# **7.1.1.1.** Early season drought (Delayed Onset)

Condition	Sugg	ested Contingency measures			
Early season drought	Major Farming situation	Normal Crop/Cropping system	Change in Crop/Cropping system	Agronomicmeasures	Remarks on Implementation
(delayed onset)					
	Medium deep to	Cotton	No change	No change	Linkage with
Delay by 2	deep blacksoils	Sorghum	No change	No change	MAU, MSSC and
weeks		Soybean	No change	No change	NSC for seed.
June 4th week		Green gram	No change	No change	Linkage with MAIDC
26 <sup>th</sup> MW		Pigeon pea	No change	No change	for implements.
		Black gram	No change	No change	Linkage with MAU,
	Shallow soils	Cotton	No change	No change	KVK for agro
		Sorghum	No change	No change	techniques
		Soybean	No change	No change	
		Green gram	No change	No change	
		Pigeon pea	No change	No change	
		Black gram	No change	No change	

Condition		Su	aggested Contingency measures	S	
Early season drought (delayed onset)	Major Farming situation	Normal Crop/Cropping system	Change in Crop/Cropping system	Agronomic measures	Remarks on Implementation
Delay by 4 weeks (July 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Medium deep todeep black soils	Cotton	Cotton + Pigeon pea 6:2 (BSMR 736, 853, BDN 708, 711) Sorghum + Pigeon pea 4:	Normal package of practices recommended by MAU, Parbhani or	Linkage with MAU, MSSC and NSC for seed.Linkage with MAIDC for
Week 28MW		Sorgnum	2 (CSH-9,11, 14, 16 PVK-401, 809) + (BSMR 736, 853, BDN 708, 711)	adopt 15-20% more seedrate than recommended and reduce fertilizer dose by 25 per cent.	implements. Linkage with MAU, KVKfor agro techniques
		Soybean	No change / Soybean+ pigeon pea4:2 row proportion (MAUS 71,81)	Normal package of practices recommended by MAU, Parbhani	
		Green gram	Soybean + Pigeon pea 4 : 2 (JS-335, MAUS-71,81)		
		Pigeon pea	NO change / Soybean + Pigeon pea 4 : 2 (JS-335,MAUS-71,81)		
		Black gram	Soybean + Pigeon pea 4 : 2 (JS-335, MAUS-71,81)		
	Shallow soils	Cotton	Cotton + Pigeon pea 6:2 (BSMR 736, 853, BDN 708, 711)	Normal package of practices recommended by MAU, Parbhani or adopt 15-20% more	

		seedrate than
		recommended and
		reduce fertilizer dose
		by 25 per cent.
Sorghum	Sorghum + Pigeon pea 4:	
	2 (CSH-9,11, 14, 16 PVK-	
	401, 809) + (BSMR	
	736, 853, BDN 708, 711)	
Soybean	Soybean+ pigeon pea	Normal package of
	4:2 rowproportion	practices
	( MAUS 71,81)	recommended
		by MAU, Parbhani
Green gram	Soybean + Pigeon pea 4 : 2 (JS-335,	
	MAUS-71,81)	
Pigeon pea	NO change /	
<b>5</b> r · · ·	Soybean + Pigeon pea 4:	
	2 (JS-335,MAUS-71,81)	
Black gram	Soybean + Pigeon pea 4 : 2 (JS-335,	
	MAUS-71,81)	

Condition			Suggested	<b>Contingency measures</b>	
Early season	Major Farming	Normal	Change in	Agronomic	Remarks on
drought	situation	Crop/Cropping system	Crop/Cropping system	measures	Implementation
(delayed onset )					
Delay by 6 week	Medium deep to	Cotton	Cotton + Pigeon pea 6:2	Normal package of	Linkage with MAU,
	deep black		(BSMR 736, 853, BDN	practices	MSSC and NSC for
July 4th	soils		708, 711)	recommended by	seed.
week		Sorghum	Sorghum + Pigeon pea 4	MAU, Parbhani or	
30MW			: 2 (CSH-9, 11, 14, 16	adopt 15-20% more	Linkage with MAIDC
001/1 / /			PVK-401, 809) +	seed rate than	forimplements.
			(BSMR 736, 853, BDN	recommended and	Linkage with MAU,
			708, 711)	reduce fertilizer dose	KVK
				by 25 per cent.	for agro techniques
		Soybean	No change / Soybean+	Normal package of	
			pigeon pea 4:2 row	practices	
			proportion (MAUS	recommended by	
			71,81) + (BSMR 736	MAU, Parbhani	
			853, BDN 708, 711)		
		Green gram	Soybean + Pigeon pea 4		
			: 2 (JS-335, MAUS-		
			71,81) + (BSMR 736		
			853, BDN 708, 711)		
		Pigeon pea	NO change /		
			Soybean + Pigeon pea 4 :		
			2 (JS-335, MAUS-		
			71,81) + (BSMR 736		
			853, BDN 708, 711)		

	Black gram	Soybean + Pigeon pea 4		
		: 2 (JS-335, MAUS-		
		71,81) + (BSMR 736		
		853, BDN 708, 711)		
Shallow soils	Cotton	Cotton + Pigeon pea 6:2 (BSMR 736, 853, BDN 708, 711)	Normal package of practices recommended by MAU, Parbhani or	
	Sorghum	Pearl millet + Pigeon pea 3:3 or 4:2 (Shradha, Saburi, Shanti AIMP- 92901) + (BSMR 853, BDN 708, 711)	adopt 15-20% more seed rate than recommended and reduce fertilizer dose by 25 per cent.	
	Soybean	Soybean+ pigeon pea 4:2 row proportion (MAUS 71,81) + (BSMR 853, BDN 708, 711)	Normal package of practices recommended by MAU, Parbhani	
	Green gram	Soybean + Pigeon pea 4 : 2 (JS-335, MAUS-71,81) + (BSMR 853, BDN 708, 711)	do	
	Pigeon pea	NO change / Soybean + Pigeon pea 4 : 2 (JS-335, MAUS-71,81) + (BSMR 853, BDN 708, 711)	do	
	Black gram	Soybean + Pigeon pea 4 : 2 (JS-335, MAUS-71,81) + (BSMR 853, BDN 708, 711)	do	

Condition			Suggested	l Contingency measures	
Early season drought (delayed onset)	Major Farming situation	Normal Crop/ Cropping system	Change in Crop/Cropping system	Agronomic measures	Remarks on Implementation
Delay by 8 week	Medium deep to	Cotton	Pigeon pea (BDN 708, 711)	•	Linkage with MAU,
August 2 <sup>nd</sup> week	deep blacksoils	Sorghum	Pearl millet + Pigeon pea 3:3 or 4:2 (Shradha,	varieties recommended by MAU, Parbhani.	MSSC and NSC for seed.
33MW			Saburi, Shanti AIMP- 92901) + (BDN 708, 711)	Reduce intra-row spacing and adopt 15-	Linkage with MAIDC for implements.
				20% more seed rate than recommended	Linkage with MAU, KVK for agro
		Soybean	Sunflower (Morden, SS- 56,LSFH-35, BSH-1)	Normal package of practices	techniques
		Green gram	Pigeon pea (BDN 708, 711) or Keep fallow and	recommended by MAU, Parbhani	
			plan for Rabbi Crops like Sorghum, Chickpea,		
			Sunflower and Safflower.		
		Pigeon pea	Pigeon pea (BDN 708, 711)		
		Black gram	Pigeon pea (BDN 708,		
			711) or Keep fallow and plan for Rabbi Crops like		
			Sorghum, Chickpea, Sunflower and		
			Safflower.		
	Shallow soils	Cotton	Pigeon pea (BDN 708, 711)	Prefer early maturing	

Sorghum	Pearl millet + Pigeon pea	varieties recommended
	3:3 or 4:2 (Shradha,	by MAU, Parbhani.
	Saburi, Shanti AIMP-	Reduce intra row
	92901) +(BDN 708, 711)	spacing and adopt 15-
		20% more seed rate
		than recommended
Soybean	Sunflower (Morden, SS-	Normal package of
	56,LSFH-35, BSH-1)	practices
Green gram	Keep fallow and plan for	recommended by
	early Rabbi Crops like	MAU, Parbhani
	Sorghum, Chickpea,	
	Sunflower and Safflower.	
Pigeon pea	Keep fallow and plan for	
	early Rabbi Crops like	
	Sorghum, Chickpea,	
	Sunflower and Safflower.	
Black gram	Keep fallow and plan for	
	early Rabbi Crops like	
	Sorghum, Chickpea,	
	Sunflower and Safflower.	

# 7.1.1.2. Early season drought (Normal onset)

Condition		Sug	gested Contingency measur	es	
Early season	Major	Crop/Croppingsystem	Crop management	Soil nutrient	Remarks on
drought(Normal	Farmingsituation			& moisture	Implementation
onset)				Conservation	
				measures	
Normal onset	Medium deep to	Cotton	Gap filling 7-10 days after	Making of conservation	Linkage with MAU,
followed by 15-20	deep black soils		sowing by pot watering	furrows for moisture	MSSC and NSC for
days dry spell			within the rows with same	conservation	seed.
after sowing			cultivaror Pigeon pea to	When the crop is 2	Linkage with MAIDC
germination /			maintain at least 75%	weeksold take up	for implements.
crop stand etc.			plant population.	Interculture with	Linkage with MAU,
				harrow.	KVK for agro
			Raise cotton seedlings in	Spray 2 % urea	techniques
			polythene bags and	solution or 1% water	
			transplant when sufficient	soluble	
			soil moisture is available.	fertilizers like 19-19-19,	
			Give protective irrigation	20-20-20, 21-21-21 to	
			wherever possible	supplement nutrition	
		Sorghum	Gap filling with pigeon pea	When the crop is 2	
				weeksold take up	
				Interculture	
				with hoe	
		Soybean	Gap filling within the	Avoid applying	
			rows with same or short	fertilizers till sufficient	
			duration cultivar to	soil. moisture is	
			maintain at least 75%	available	
			plant population or if the		

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		plant population is less	
		than 50% re sow the crop	
	Green gram	If the plant population is	When the crop is 2
		less than 75% of optimum,	weeksold take up
		go for resowing of the	Interculture with hoe
		alternate crops like	
		sunflower / Pigeon pea.	
		If possible give protective	
		irrigation with sprinkler.	
	Pigeon pea	Gap filling within the	When the crop is 2
		rows with same or short	weeksold take up
		duration cultivar to	Interculture
		maintain at least75%	with hoe
		plant population	
	Black gram	If the plant population is	
		less than 75% of optimum,	
		go for re sowing of the	
		alternate crops like	
		sunflower / Pigeon pea. If	
		possible give protective	
		irrigation with sprinkler	
Shallow soils	Cotton	Gap filling within the	Avoid applying
		rows with same cultivar or	fertilizerstill sufficient
		Pigeon pea to maintain at	soil. moisture is
		least 75% plant population.	available Making of
		Raise cotton seedlings in	conservation furrows
		polythene bags and	for moisture
		transplant when sufficient	conservation
		soil moisture is available.	Interculture with

	Give protective irrigation	harrows
	wherever possible	
Sorghum	Gap filling with pigeon pea	Interculture with hoe
Soybean	Gap filling within the	Interculture with hoe
	rows with same or short	
	duration cultivar to	
	maintain at least	
	75% plant population	
Green gram	If the plant population is	When the crop is 2
	less than 75% of optimum,	weeksold take up
	go for resowing of the	Interculture with hoe
	alternate crops like	
	sunflower / Pigeon pea.	
	If possible give protective	
	irrigation with	
	sprinkler.	
Pigeon pea	Gap filling within the rows	When the crop is 2
	with same or short duration	weeksold take up
	cultivar to maintain at least 75% plant population	Interculture with hoe
Black gram	If the plant population is	do
	less than 75% of optimum,	
	go for resowing of the	
	alternate crops like	
	sunflower / Pigeon pea.	
	If possible give protective	
	irrigation with sprinkler.	

# 7.1.1.3. Mid-season drought (long dry spell)

Condition		Sugg	ested Contingency meas	ures	
Mid season drought (Long dry spell, consecutive 2 weeks rainless (>2.5 mm) period)	Major Farming situation	Crop/Croppingsystem	Crop management	Soil nutrient & moisture conservation measures	Remarks on Implementation
At vegetative stage	Medium deep to deep black soils Shallow soils	Cotton	Give protective irrigation wherever possible Maintain weed free conditions	Avoid applying fertilizers till sufficient soil moisture is available Making of conservation furrows for moisture conservation Interculture with harrows Two sprays of 2% MgSO4, Zn, Boron at weekly interval when the crop is encountered reddening symptoms	Linkage with MAU, MSSC and NSC for seed. Linkage with MAIDCfor implements. Linkage with MAU, KVK for agro techniques

		Spray 2 % urea	
		solution or 1%	
		water soluble	
		fertilizers like 19-	
		19-19, 20-20-20,	
		21-21-21 to	
		supplement	
		nutrition.	
Sorghum	Avoid top dressing	Opening of alternate	
	of fertilizers till	furrows with	
	sufficient soil	Balaram plough.	
	moisture is available.	Interculture	
	Intra row	with harrows	
	thinning	forweeding	
	Protective		
	irrigation if		
	possible		
Soybean	Interculture for	Opening of alternate	
	weeding and to create	furrows with	
	soil mulch.	Balaram plough.	
	Give protective	Spraying of 2% urea	
	irrigation	and DAP	
	wherever possible		
Cuasa susua	Inter culture for	Samovina of 20/ years	
Green gram		Spraying of 2% urea	
	weeding	and DAP	
	Protective		
	irrigation if		
	possible		
Pigeon pea	Inter culture for	Spraying of 2%	

	weeding	urea and DAP
	Protective irrigation if	
	possible	
Black gram	Inter culture for	Spraying of 2%
	weedingProtective	urea and DAP
	irrigation if	
	possible	
Cotton	Give protective	Avoid applying
	irrigationwherever	fertilizers till
	possible	sufficient soil
	Maintain weed	moisture is
	freeconditions	available
		Making of
		conservation
		furrowsfor
		moisture
		conservation
		Interculture with
		harrows
		Two sprays of 2%
		MgSO4, Zn, Boron
		at weekly interval
		when the crop is
		encountered
		reddening
		symptoms
		Spray 2 % urea
		solution or 1%
		water soluble

		fertilizers like 19-
		19-19, 20-20-20,
		21-21-21 to
		supplement
		nutrition.
Sorghum	Avoid top dressing	Interculture for
	of fertilizers till	weeding and to
	sufficient soil	create soil mulch to
	moisture is available.	conserve moisture.
	Protective	
	irrigation if	
	possible	
	Intra row thinning	
Soybean	Give protective	
	irrigation	Spraying of 2%
	wherever possible	urea and DAP
Green gram	Inter culture for	Spraying of 2%
	weedingProtective	urea and DAP
	irrigation if	
	possible	
Pigeon pea	Inter culture for	Spraying of 2%
	weedingProtective	urea and DAP
	irrigation if	
	possible	
Black gram	Inter culture for	Spraying of 2%
	weedingProtective	urea and DAP
	irrigation if	
	possible	

Condition			<b>Suggested Contingency</b>	Suggested Contingency measures					
Mid season	Major	Normal Crop/	Crop management	Soil nutrient & moisture	Remarks on				
drought( long	Farming	<b>Cropping system</b>		conservation measures	Implementation				
dry spell )	situation								
At flowering	Medium	Cotton	Give protective	Avoid applying fertilizers	Linkage with				
/ fruiting	deep to deep		irrigation wherever	till sufficient soil moisture	ongoing govt.				
stage orat	black soils		possible	is available	scheme to				
reproductive				Making of conservation	encourage				
stage				furrows formoisture	adoption of micro				
				conservation	irrigation for				
				Interculture with harrows.	better water use				
				Two sprays of 2%	efficiency (WUE)				
				MgSO4, Zn, Boron at					
				weekly interval when the	Linkage with				
				crop is encountered	M				
				reddening symptoms	AUand KVK				
				Spray 2 % urea solution or	for agro				
				1% watersoluble fertilizers	techniques				
				like 19-19-19, 20-					
				20-20, 21-21-21 to					
				supplement					
				nutrition.					
		Sorghum	Protective irrigation if	-					
			possible	-					
		Soybean	Give protective	Opening of alternate					
			irrigation wherever	furrows with Balaram					
			possible	plough.					
				Spraying of 2% urea and					
				DAP					

	Green gram	Protective irrigation if	
		possible	
	Pigeon pea	Protective irrigation if	Opening of furrows with
		possible	Balaramplough.
			Spraying of 2% urea and
			DAP
	Black gram	Protective irrigation if	
		possible	
Shallow soils	Cotton	Give protective	Avoid applying fertilizers
		irrigation wherever	till sufficient soil moisture
		possible	is available
			Making of conservation
			furrows formoisture
			conservation
			Interculture with harrows.
			Two sprays of 2%
			MgSO4, Zn, Boron at
			weekly interval when the
			crop is encountered
			reddening symptoms
			Spray 2 % urea solution or
			1% watersoluble fertilizers
			like 19-19-19, 20-
			20-20, 21-21-21 to
			supplement
			nutrition.
	Sorghum	Protective irrigation if	
		possible	
	Soybean	Give protective	Opening of alternate

	irrigation wherever possible	furrows withBalaram plough. Spraying of 2% urea and DAP	
Green gram	Protective irrigation if possible or in case of sever moisture stress use as fodder / green Manuring.		
Pigeon pea	Protective irrigation if possible	Opening of furrows with Balaramplough. Spraying of 2% urea and DAP	
Black gram	Protective irrigation if possible or in case of sever moisture stress use as fodder / green Manuring.		

Condition			Suggested Contingency	y measures	
Terminal drought (Early withdrawal of monsoon)	Major Farming situation	Crop/ Cropping system	Crop management	Rabbi Crop planning	Remarks on Implementation
	Medium deep to deep black soils Shallow soils	Sorghum	Give protective irrigation with drip Picking  Life saving irrigation or harvest at physiological maturity  Give life saving irrigation or harvest at physiological maturity	If possible, adopt relay cropping of chickpea, safflower, rabbi sorghum  Plan for rabbi crops like chickpea and safflower  Sowing of rabbi crops like sorghum, chickpea, safflower immediately after harvest of soybean with minimum tillage	Linkage with MAIDC /DSAO for harvesting implements (thresher, harvester).  Linkage with DSAO for farm ponds and micro irrigation syst emthrough RKVY
		Green gram Pigeon pea	Harvest at physiological maturity or in case of severe drought use as fodder/ green manuring Life saving irrigation Foliar spray of 2%	Plan for rabbi crops chickpea / safflower / rabbi sorghum / sunflower	MAU, MSSC and NSC for seed. Linkage with MAU, KVK for agrotechniques

	KNO <sub>3</sub> , urea and DAP	-
Black gram	Harvest at physiological maturityor in case of severe drought use as fodder/ green manuring	Plan for rabbi crops chickpea / safflower / rabbi sorghum / sunflower
Cotton	Give protective irrigation with drip Picking	If possible, adopt relay cropping of chickpea, safflower, rabbi sorghum
Sorghum	Life saving irrigation or harvest at physiological maturity or if no grain setting use as green fodder.	Plan for rabbi crops like chickpea and safflower
Soybean	Give life saving irrigation or harvest at physiological maturity	Sowing of rabbi crops like sorghum, chickpea, safflower immediately after harvest of soybean with minimum tillage
Green gram	Harvest at physiological maturityor in case	Plan for rabbi crops chickpea / safflower / rabbi sorghum / sunflower

	of severe drought use as fodder/ green manuring	
Pigeon pea	Life saving irrigation	Foliar spray of 2% KNO <sub>3</sub> ,
		urea and DAP
Black gram	Harvest at	Plan for rabbi crops chickpea /
	physiological maturity	safflower
	or in case of severe	/ rabbi sorghum / sunflower
	drought use as fodder/	
	green manuring	

## **7.1.2.** Irrigated situation

Condition	Suggested Contingency measures					
	Major Farming	Crop/Cropping system	Change in crop /	Agronomic	Remarks on	
	situation		cropping system	measures	Implementation	
Delayed /	Medium deep to	Sugarcane	No change or prefer	Limited irrigation	Supply of seed	
limited release	deep blacksoil	Turmeric	Cotton (Irrigated)		through MSSC,	
of water in	with assured and		Wheat		MAU, Village seed	
canals due to	high				production	
low rainfall	rainfall				programme.	
	Shallow soil	Sweet orange	Maize	Alternate furrow		
	with assured and	Ginger	Cotton	irrigation		
	high rainfall	Vegetable crops		Drip irrigation		
Non release of	Medium deep to	Irrigated Cotton	Rainfed Cotton	Recommended	Supply of seed	
waterin canals	deep blacksoil			spacing	throughMSSC,	
under delayed	with assured and			(120 x 45 cm) and	MAU, Village seed	
onset of	high rainfall			80:40:40 NPK	production	
monsoon in				Kg/ha	programme.	

catchment	Shallow soil	Ginger / Turmeric	Cotton and Maize		
	with assured and				
	high rainfall				
Lack of inflows	Medium deep to	Irrigated Cotton	Rainfed Cotton	Recommended	Release of water at
intotanks due to	deep blacksoil			spacing	critical growth
insufficient /	with assured and			(120 x 45 cm) and	stages by
delayed	high			80:40:40 NPK	Irrigation Department
onset of	rainfall			Kg/ha	
monsoon	Shallow soil with	Ginger / Turmeric	Cotton and Maize		
	assured				
	and high rainfall				
Insufficient	Medium deep to	Irrigated Cotton	Rainfed Cotton	Limited irrigation	Supply of seed
groundwater	deep blacksoil				throughMSSC,
rechargedue to	with assured and				NFSM, MAU,
low rainfall	high				Village seed
	rainfall				production
	Shallow soil	Ginger / Turmeric	Cotton and Maize	Alternate furrow	programme
	with assured and			irrigation	
	high rainfall			Drip irrigation	

# 7.2 Unusual rains (untimely, unseasonal etc.) (for both rainfed and irrigated situations)

Condition Suggested contingency measure							
Continuous high rainfall in a short span leading to water logging	Vegetative stage	Flowering stage	Crop maturity Stage	Post-harvest			
Cotton, Sorghum	<ul> <li>Drain excess water</li> <li>Interculture at optimum soil moisture</li> <li>Apply 25KgN/Ha to cotton</li> </ul>	Drain excess water	Drain out excess water Timely harvest	Protect picked cotton from drenching and soiling Dry wet cotton and market			
Soybean, Pigeon pea and short duration pulses	Drain out excess water	-do-	-do-	Shift to safer place Dry the produce			
Horticulture							
Mango Sweet orange Banana Sapota	Opening of field channels todrain out excess water and avoid surface ponding, Interculture at optimum soil moisture	Opening of field channels to drain out excess water and avoid surface ponding, Interculture at optimum soil moisture	Collect fallen fruits, grade and market if feasible	Grading, cleaning and marketing of fruits			
Heavy rainfall with	high speed winds in a short spam						
Cotton, Sorghum	<ul> <li>Drain excess water</li> <li>Interculture at optimum soil moisture</li> <li>Apply 25KgN/Ha to cotton</li> </ul>	Drain excess water	Drain out excess water Timely harvest	Protect picked cotton from drenching and soiling Dry wet cotton and marketing			
Soybean, Pigeon pea and short	Drain out excess water	-do-	-do-	Shift to safer place Dry the produce			

duration pulses				
Horticulture				
Mango	-	Provide support to prevent lodging and uprooting in young orchards	Apply multinutrient and hormonal spray to promote flowering	Shift produce to safer place
Sweet orange	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-
Banana	-do-	Provide propping and staking	Propping and staking	-do-
Sapota	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-
Outbreak of pests	s and diseases due to unseasonal rains			
Cotton	Apply soil drench of carbendazim 0.1% or COC @ 3g/liter at base of plants to prevent wilt in low lying patches	Apply foliar spray of streptocycline sulphate @ 6g/60 litre + COC @ 25g/10 litre to prevent bacterial leaf blight Apply Sulphur 25g/10 litre (300mesh) to prevent grey mildew Apply MgSO4 25 kg/ha soilapplication or 1% MgSO4 foliar spray to prevent leaf reddening	Foliar spray of carbendazim 0.1% or Dithane M-45 0.2% toprevent boll rot	-
Sorghum	-	-	Apply Dithane M 45 0.2% onear heads immediately	-

			after cessation of rains	
Soybean	Manually remove infested plants or	-	-	-
	plant parts from below the girdles Protect against semilooper when			
	density reaches >4 larvae per meter			
	row with foliar spray of NSKE 5% or			
	dimethoate 30 EC			
	1 ml/litre			
Horticulture				
Mango	Spray imidacloprid 0.3 ml or	Protect against hopper	Spray Dithane M 45 3g/litre	Maintain aeration in storage to
	dimethoate 1 ml/liter to control		or carbendazim 1g/liter	prevent fungal infection and
	hopper		against anthracnose	blackening or fruits
	Drench the seedlings with COC		Spray sulphur 0.5% to control	
	0.25% against root rot		powdery mildew	
Banana	Soil drenching with COC3g/litre	Spray Dithane M 45 3g/liter	-	-
	to avoid rhizome rot	or propiconazole 1 ml/liter		
		2-3 timesagainst		
		Cercospora leaf spot		
Sweet orange	Protect against Citrus Psylla with	Protect against Citrus Psylla	-	-
	foliar spray of malathion 50 EC 10	with foliar spray of		
	ml or quinalphos 25	malathion 50 EC 10 ml or		
	EC 10 ml or cypermethrin 25EC 4 ml	quinalphos 25 EC 10 ml or		
	per 10 liters	cypermethrin 25EC 4 ml		
		per 10liters		

# 7.3Extreme events: Heat wave / Cold wave

<b>Extreme</b> event	Suggested contingency measure								
type	Seedling / nursery stage	Vegetative stage	Reproductive stage	At harvest					
<b>Heat Wave</b>									
Banana	Frequent irrigation	Frequent irrigation	Frequent irrigation						
	Plant wind break trees								
Sweet orange	Frequent irrigation	Irrigation and pruning of	Irrigation and pruning of	Immediate harvesting, grading					
	Shade temporary shade netMulching	affectedbranches / twigs	affectedbranches / twigs	and marketing					
			Apply 1% Bordeaux paste to						
			cut ends						
Cold wave									
Sweet orange	Protect with polythene sheet	Smoking, frequent and light	Smoking, frequent and light	-					
		irrigation during evening	irrigation during evening						
		hours, basin mulching,	hours, basin mulching, apply						
		apply	supplementary dose of						
		supplementary dose of	fertilizers						
		fertilizers							
Banana	-do-	-do-	-do-						

## Chapter 8: Agro - Meteorological Advisory

#### 1. Importance /Need of Agro - met Advisory

Agriculture is a gamble of nature all agriculture production depends upon weather, Weather affects on crop growth, diseases and pest's attack, hence agro met advisory has importance in agriculture field. We can judge what type of weather by knowing forecast Agro-met advisory, we can plan of disease pest management and irrigation schedule also by knowing Agro met Advisory

#### 2. Forecasts or advisories generated at district level

In Parbhani district there are as follows

- a) Advisory by Vasantrao Naik Marathwada Krishi Vidyapeeth (VNMKV)
- b) Regional weather station Mumbai
- c) Metrological Department of Maharashtra Pune
- d) Crop Pest Surveillance System and advisory project (CROPSAP)
- e) Akashwani Parbhani (Radio station)
- f) Weather and Reader Live Forecast.

#### 3. Other Source/Sources of Agro met Advisory

- a) Different Agro-met app which used by a farmer
- b) Newspaper like Agrowon.

#### 4. Utilization of Agromet advisory by farmers in changing climatic condition

In Parbhani district, the majority of farmers utilized rural agriculture weather forecast service by Vasantrao Naik Marathwada Krushi Vidyapeeth, Parbhani. They give weekly weather forecast and Agromet Advisory also, according to advisory farmers plan their field activities such as Intercultural operation, scheduling of irrigation, spraying for insect & pest management & also fertilizer application, Harvesting of Crop in their field.

#### Advisory Based on Pest Surveillance Activity...

किंचित कमी इ		हाच्या बाष्योत्सर्जनाच्या जिल्हानिहाय व तालूकानिहाय छायाचित्रानूसार मराठवाडयात बाष्योत्सर्जनाचा वेग किंचित वाढलेला आहे तर जिमनीतील ओलाव
विस्तारीत अंदा आहे.	जानुसार (ईआरएफएर	र) मराठवाङ्यात दिनांक ०८ ते १४ ऑक्टोबर २०२३ दरम्यान कमाल तापमान सरासरीपेक्षा कमी व किमान तापमान सरासरीपेक्षा जास्त राहण्याची शक्यत
पिकांचे नाव	अवस्था	कृषी हवामान सल्ला
कापूस	पाते लागणे, फुलधारणा ते बाँड वाडीची	मागील आठबडवात झालेला पाऊस व डगाळ वातावरणामुळे, कापूस पिकात रसशोषण करणाऱ्या किडींच्या व्यवस्थापनासाठी, फ्लोनिकॅमिड ६० % डब्ल्यूगी २० ग्रॅम किंवा ब्रायफेन्थ्य्र्रान ५०% डब्ल्यूगी २० ग्रॅम किंवा ब्रायफेन्थ्य्र्रान ५०% डब्ल्यूगी २० ग्रॅम किंवा ब्रायफेनथ्य्र्रान ५०% डब्ल्यूगी २० ग्रॅम फिंवा ब्रायफेनथ्य्र्रान ५०% डब्ल्यूगी २० ग्रॅम प्रित एकर फवारणी करावी. कापूस पिकात बांड बांड सड दिसून आल्यास याच्या व्यवस्थापनासाठी प्रोप्तोन १०० में किंवा पायरेक्लोस्ट्रोबीन २० % डब्ल्यूगी २०० ग्रॅम प्रति एकर फवारणी करावी. कापूस पिकात अंतर्गत बांड सड दिसून आल्यास याच्या व्यवस्थापनासाठी कॅपर ऑक्सीक्लोराईड ५० % डब्ल्यूगी ५०० ग्रॅम प्रति एकर फवारणी करावी. कापूस पिकातरील गुलार्थ बांडअळीच्या व्यवस्थापनासाठी हेक्टरी ५ गुलाबी बांडअळीसाठीचे कामगंव साथळे लावाबेत. कापूस पिकातील डोमकळ्या वेचून नष्ट कराव्यात. प्राद्भांव जास्स आडळून आल्यास प्रोफेनोफॉस ५०% ४०० मिली किंवा इमामेक्टीन बेन्झोएट ५% ८० ग्रॅम किंवा प्रोफेनोफॉस ४०% + सायपरमंग्रीन ४% ४०० मिली (पूर्विमश्रीत किटकनाशक) प्रति एकर आलटून पालटून फवारावे. कापूस पिकात पातेगळ व बांडगळ दिसून येत असल्यास एनएए २.५ मिली प्रति १० लिटर पाण्यात मिसळन फवारणी करावी.
तुर	फांद्या फुटणे	मागील आठवडपात झालेला पाऊस व डगाळ वातावरणामूळे, तुर पिकात पाने गुंडाळणाऱ्या अळीच्या व्यवस्थापनासाठी ५ % निबोळी अर्काची किंवा अझाडिरेक्टी- १५०० पीपीएम ३० मिली किंवा विवनॉलकॉस २५ % २० मिली प्रति १० लिटर पाण्यात मिसळून कवारणी करावी. तुर पिकात कायटोच्योरा ब्लाइट रोगाच्या व्यवस्थापनासाठी ट्रायकोडमां किंवा वायोमिक्सची २०० प्रॅम/२०० मिली प्रति १० लिटर पाणी याप्रमाणे रोगप्रस्त भागामध्ये आळवणी करावी.
भुईमूग	शेंगा वाडीची	मागील आठवडवात झालेला पाऊस व डगाळ वातावरणामूळे, उग्रीरा पेरणी केलेल्या भूईमूग पिकात मावा , फूलकिडे याच्या व्यवस्थापनासाठी इमिडाक्लोप्रिड १७.८ एस एल २ मिली किंवा क्विनॉलफॉस २५ ईसी २० मिली किंवा लॅमडा सायहॅलोग्रीन ५ ईसी ६ मिली प्रति १० लिटर पाण्यात मिसळून फवारणी करावी.
मका	काडणी	काढणीस तयार असलेल्या मध् मका पिकाची काढणी करून घ्यावी.
रब्बी ज्वारी	पेरणीचा कालावधी	जेथे शक्य आहे तेथे रख्बी ज्वारी पिकाच्या पेरणीसाठी पूर्व मशागतीची कामे करून घ्यावी. रख्बी ज्वारी पिकाची पेरणी ऑक्टोबर महिन्याच्या पहिल्या पंथरवाडयात (१ ते १५ ऑक्टोबर) करावी.
रब्बी सूर्यफुल	पेरणीचा कालावधी	जेथे प्राक्य आहे तेथे रख्बी सुर्यफुल पिकाच्या पेरणीसाठी पूर्व मशागतीची कामे करून घ्यावी. रख्बी सुर्यफलाची पेरणी ऑक्टोबर महिन्याच्या पहिल्या पंथरवाडयात करावी.
केळी	काढणी/ वाढीची	काढणीस तथार असलेल्या केळी घडांची काढणी करून घ्यावी. नवीन लागवड केलेल्या केळी बागेत कुकुम्बर मोझॅक विषाणू प्रस्त रोपे दिसून आल्यास उपटन नष्ट करावीत.
द्राक्ष	ऑक्टोबर छाटणी	द्वाक्ष बागंत ऑक्टोबर छाटणीची पूर्व तवारी करावी. हाक्ष छाटणीच्या पंचरा ते वीस दिवस आधी जमिनीत कॅलिंगयम कार्बोन्ट किंवा सोडियम किती प्रमाणात आहे. यावर अवलंबन, सरूपर/जिप्सम, रोणखत/कम्पोस्ट खत ईन्यादींसह माती दुरूस्ती म्हणून वापरावे. ते जमिनीवर न सोडता जमिनीत मिसळावे.
सिताफळ	काढणी	पूर्ण वाढलेल्या व काढणीस तयार असलेल्या सिताफळ फळांची काढणी करावी व प्रतवारी करून बाजारपेठेत पाठवावी.
भाजीपाला	प्रारंभी वाडीची/ काडणी	काहणीस तयार असलेल्या भाजीपाला पिकांची काहणी करून घ्यावी. मागील आठबहयात झालेला पाऊस व डगाळ वातावरणामूळे, भेंडी व काकडी वर्गाय पिकावरील भुरी रोगाच्या व्यवस्थापनासाठी माथक्लोब्युर्टनील १० ग्रॅम प्रति १० लिटर पाण्यात मिसळून फवारणी करावी.भाजीपाला ( मिरची, वां व भेंडी) पिकात रस्शोषण करणाऱ्या किडीचा प्रादुर्भाव दिसुन चेत असल्यास त्याच्या व्यस्थापनासाठी पायरीप्रॉक्सीफेन ५% + फेनप्रोपाद्वीन १५% १० मीली किंवा डायमेथोएट ३०% १३ मीली प्रति १० लिटर पाण्यात मिसळून फवारणी करावी. काकडीवर्गीय पिकात डाउनी मिल्ड्यू चा प्रादुर्भाव दिसुन चेत असल्यास क्लारोयॅलोनिल ७५ % डब्ल्यूपी २० ग्रॅम प्रति १० लिटर पाण्यात मिसळून फवारणी करावी. टोमॅटो पिकावरील करपा रोगाच्या व्यवस्थापनासाठी टेब्यूकोनॅझोल + ट्रायफ्लॉक्सीस्ट्रोबीन १५ ग्रॅम प्रति १० लिटर पाण्यात मिसळून फवारणी करावी.
फुलशेती	काढणी	काडणीस तयार असलेल्या फुलांची काडणी टप्प्याटप्प्याने करावी व प्रतवारी करून बाजारपेठेत पाठवावी.
पशुधन व्यवस्थापन	****	पशुधनास बाह्य परजीवी पासून रक्षण करण्यासाठी जनावरांना खरारा करावा, यामूळे शरीरावरील बाह्य परजिवी गळून पडतात त्वचा चमकदार दिसते. गोठयाच्या कानाकोपऱ्यात शिफारसीत गोचीड नाशकाची फवारणी करावी. फवारणी करत असतांना जनावरे गोठयात नसावीत.
सामुदायिक विज्ञान		पींक कापणी आणि मळणी करतांना शेतकऱ्यांना अनेक शारीरिक समस्यांना ताँड द्यावे लगने जसेकी, हाताला कापणे, जखमा होणे, हाताला अद्यवा शरीराच्या इतर अवयवांना खाज येणे, खांकला, नाक गळणे, श्वासासंबंधित तक्रारी, उन लगणे, इत्यादी पींक कापणी आणि मळणी करतांना सुरक्षात्मक वस्त्रांचा संच ज्यामध्ये लांब बाहीचा टोपीसह सदरा, हातमोजे, पायमोजे, चष्मा, कापडी अवगंठन आणि वट इत्यादींचा वापर करावा.

## **5. Implementation Status of CROPSAP**

In our district Implementation Status of CROPSAP is scheduled from Agriculture assistant to District Superintendent Agriculture officer

## 6. Impact on crop Pests and diseases management

CROPSAP has played a very important role in Pest and Disease management for the last few years. Advisory generated by CROPSAP Published and given to field level agriculture staff. They regularly used the advisory to farmers & according to that advisory farmers manage Pest & Diseases in their field, hence ETL Level of Pest & Disease doesn't cross.

# **Implementation Status of CROPSAP**

Sr.No	District	Post	Target	Total	Achievement
					(%)
1	Parbhani	Agriculture Assistant	12078	12261	101.52
2	Parbhani	Agriculture Supervisor	2838	2632	92.74
3	Parbhani	Circle Agriculture Officer	1178	1000	84.89
4	Parbhani	Taluka Agriculture officer	612	378	61.76
5	Parbhani	Sub-division agriculture officer	62	124	200
6	Parbhani	District Superintendent Agriculture officer	46	31	67.39

VNN	IKV PARBHAN	I Advisory Report PARBHANI	Date 25.08.2023
Taluka	Crop	Brief Advisory (English)	Detail Advisory (English)
Gangakhed	Sorghum (Jowar/Great millet)	Installation of pheromone traps @5/acre for monitoring. Spray 5% NSKE or Azadirachtin 1500 ppm @ 50 ml per 10 lit of water	Whorl application of <i>Metarhizium</i> anisopliae @50 g or Nomureya relyi @50 g per 10 lit of water. spray Thiamethoxam 12.6%+ lambda-
Jintur	Maize (Maka) Hybrid	Installation of pheromone traps @5/acre for monitoring. Spray 5% NSKE or Azadirachtin 1500 ppm @ 50 ml per 10 lit of water	cyhalothrin 9.5 zc @2.5 ml or Chlorantraniliprole 18.5sc@ 4 ml per 10 lit of water
Jintur	Soybean	Install 10 yellow sticky traps per acre and spray with Flonicamid 50 WG 3 gm/10 lit of water for whitefly	For defoliators spray emamectin benzoate 1.9 EC@ 8.5 ml or for semilooper, stemfly and gridle beetle spray with Chlorantraniliprole 18.5 SC @ 3 ml or Tetraniliprole 18.18 SC @ 5 ml or Chlorantraniliprole 9.3 + Lambda cyhalothrin 4.6 ZC @ 4ml per 10 lit of water
Gangakhed	Sugarcane (Noble cane)	Spray 5% or NSKE Azadirachtin 1500 ppm @ 50 ml per 10 lit of water	Installation of pheromone traps @5/acre for monitoring. Whorl application of <i>Metarhizium anisopliae</i> talc formulation @ 50 g or <i>Nomureya rely</i> 50 g per 10 lit of water. Drenching of Imidacloprid 40 % + Fipronil 40% @ 450 g per 1000 lit. water near the root for white grub

# Chapter 9: Commodity wise status of climate resilient agriculture value Chains

## 9.1 Existing marketing scenario in the district

Marketing scenarios are hypothetical situations that help us plan our strategies and tactics for different possible outcomes. They need to be monitored and updated regularly based on changing conditions in our market, industry and environment.

## 9.1.a Year wise marketable surplus of major Crops

	71.m Tear wise marnetable surplus of major crops									
Sr. No	Commodity Avg. Annual Production (000 Mt.)		Quantity Required for Consumption	Marketable Surplus	An. Annual sell in AMPCs within District	An. Annual sell in AMPCs out of AMPC				
1	Cotton	1611	1	1610	35769	17				
2	Soybean	886	3	883	482	404				
3	Wheat	699	209	490	1132	0				
4	Jowar	1676	502	1174	361	0				
5	Gram	317	95	217	162	814				
6	Tur	383	115	268	179	89				
7	Banana	168	4	164	110	54				
8	Mango	383	5	378	320	58				
9	Lemon	597	2	595	585	10				
10	Papaya	67	2	65	55	10				
11	Onion	46	8	38	30	8				
12	Tomato	42	0	42	32	10				

(Source: ATMA SREP,2019)

# **Agriculture Produce Market Committees (APMCs)**

Sr. No	Name of APMC	APMC/ Kharedi Vikri Sangh	e-NAM	e-Markets
1	Parbhani	03	01	-
2	Jintur	05	01	-
3	Purna	01	01	-
4	Tadkalas	01	00	-
5	Gangakhed	01	01	-
6	Palam	01	01	-
7	Sonpeth	01	01	-
8	Selu	01	01	-
9	Pathri	01	01	-
10	Manwat	02	01	-
	Total	17	09	-

(Source: ATMA SREP,2019 Parbhani)

# **9.1.b Year Wise Price Variation of Major Crops**

Commo dity	Local Grade Name & Specification						Price Ran	ge/quintal	% Variation in Price with average		
	Local name	Specification	Local name	Specification	Local name	Specification	High (Grade 1)	Avg. Low (Grade 2)	Low (Grade 3)	Grade 1	Grade (3)
Soybean	No.01 JS-335	Foreign Matter -Nil Moisture- 10% No Breakage	No.2 MACS- 71	Foreign Matter –5% Moisture- 18% 2% Breakage	No.3	Foreign Matter–25% Moisture- 20%. Breakage 3% to 4%	7100	6500	5800	16	12.14
Cotton	Super	29 +mm staple Length 3.5 % mike 35kg/Qtl Lint	FAQ	27 +mm staple Length 2.9 % mike 36kg/Qtl Lint	Fardad	26 mm staple Length 2.2 % mike 37kg/Qt Lint	6500	5800	4500	30	13
Jowar	Maldan di	Moisture 12 % Damage grain 1% FM-Nil	Dagdi	Moisture 12 % Damage grain 2% FM-0.10%	Hybrid	Moisture 14 % Damage grain 3% FM-0.25%	2800	1600	1000	25	18

(Source: ATMA SREP 2019 Parbhani)

Commo dity		Local Grade Name & Specification					Price Range/quintal			% Variation in Price with average	
	Local name	Specification	Local name	Specification	Local name	Specification	High (Grade 1)	Avg. Low (Grade 2)	Low (Grade 3)	Grade 1	Grade (3)
Wheat	2189	% of Weevilled grains by Weight up to 1% Foreign matter 0.75% clean Grains (High Density)	Lok-1	% of Weevilled grains by Weight above 1% to 4 % Foreign matter 0.75% Medium Density)	Flour mill	% of Weevilled grains by Weight above 4% to 7 % FM Not more than 1%, Low Density)	1800	1550	1100	11	9
Pigeon Pea/Tur	Red/Lal Tur BDN 708 BSMR7 36	No Foreign Matter, Small Size tasty, Deshelled	Yashoda Mahuri	Hard, FM 5 to 8%, Green Grain Content	Nirmal	FM above 10 %, Black Seed Content	6500	5200	4200	19	16
	Black Tur	Clean Tasty, deshelled easily	Gavraan	Small grain size, green grain content	Black tur	10 TO 12% foreign matter hard	4200	3100	2700	8	05

#### 9.2 Constraints in the existing value Chain

In Parbhani district Major crops are Soybean, Cotton, Tur, Moong, Jowar, Wheat and Gram. While marketing Constraint in existing value chain are:

- **1. No Farmer organized group**: for marketing purpose there is no farmer groups so that farmer didn't go to bigger market they sale their produce in local market and received lower price
- **2.** Crop variety fetching good prices, having good productivity, in cotton long staple & short staple length variety mixed, containment cotton production, Immature cotton collection, high moisture percentage
- **3. Grading:** due to lack of grading facility at village level for agriculture produce, farmers received lower prices.
- **4. Packaging**: In agriculture market price for 10 kg, 5kg packaging get more price then 50kg, 100kg package at village level packaging of small package is not available, so farmer received lower price.
- **5.** Preventive measures to protect from stored grain pest: at village level Godowns for storage mostly not available and due to that preventive measure protect from store grain pest.
- **6.** Storage: Insufficient storage facility/Capacity at village level
- **7.** Value Addition: Lack of knowledge majority farmers have lack of knowledge of value addition and is not easy to individual farmer.
- 8. Access to market information and intelligence: Information not available at village level
- 9. Pledge loan availment due to unavailability of sufficient Storage Facility
- **10.** Packaging for retail
- 11. Contract farmer
- **12.** Participation in commodity exchange/forward markets.

### 9.3 Potential for strengthening of commodity wise value chain

In Parbhani district Major crops are Soybean, Cotton, Tur, Moong, Jowar, Wheat and Gram. While marketing Potential for strengthening of commodity wise value chain mentioned below

- 1. Farmers should be organized in group CIG, FIGs, PA, and PGs etc.
- 2. Production of varieties like in soybean *JS-9305*, *Samruddhi DS228*, *Phule kimya*, *Phule sangam*, *MAUS612*, *MAUS158*, *MAUS162*. In cotton Suitable soil for

High yielding and long staple length BT varieties, In Wheat NIA301, HD2329,Lokvan MUAS2496iIn Gram Vijay, Dig Vijay, Virat, Mexicom.

- 3. In post-harvest technology while harvesting the crop whole moisture should be 10%.
- 4. For Packaging of Grain gunning bags of 50 kg should be used for better banding and avoid post-harvest loss.
- 5. Warehouses for storage and Fumigation for control of insect pest
- 6. Homestead product, Dal making, Rava & Maida, Besan for value addition
- 7. For Access to market Use of Agmark, MSAMB website, Newspaper, Radio etc.
- 8. To avoid distress sell, storage in accredited warehouses & avail pledge loan from bank
- 9. For retail marketing packaging of 5 & 10 kg should be done

- 10. Small & marginal farmers should organize in producer groups and aggregate produce.
- 11. Prompt the Contact farming with public & private partnership
- 12. Organized in producer groups aggregate produce and use commodity exchange as alternative markets

#### 9.4 FPCs contribution in Value Chain Development

#### 9.4.1 Assessment of FPCs in the district

#### 9.4.1.1 Objectives of Evaluation

- The study is an attempt to assess the Farmer Producer Companies of project area and find whether these companies are performing and earning sufficient returns to sustain business. The report has also proposed a rating method to measure the performance of FPCs considering different 8 parameters. The reports analyzed 27 Farmer Producer Companies with the help of parameters. The parameters were further assigned performance scores on the basis of efficiency and effectiveness with the help of Automatic Rating Meter.
- On the basis of assessment report, suggesting the measures for strengthening of FPCs e.g. capacity building, climate Resilience adaptation.

Table No. 9.4.1.1.a. Criteria for Evaluation of FPCs

Criteria	Max. Score
Organization and Administration (Core foundation strength)	21
Governance (Control System in Place)	11
Management (Decision making processes)	8
Infrastructure (Assets and resources)	5
Finance (Financial Base and health)	25
Business and Market Linkages	21
(Resource quality)	
Capacity Building (Resource quality)	5
Climate Resilience	4
(Adaptability to climate risk)	
Final Score	100

#### **Scoring Method of Evaluation**

The maximum score for the above mention parameter was 100. The FPC rating report was generated by calculating the obtained score for a FPC. From these scores the result boxes were generated in the report indicating areas where this particular FPC needs to be improved. Selected questions were grouped under every parameter and weightage was accorded to each question under each parameter. The final score was calculated by using formula:

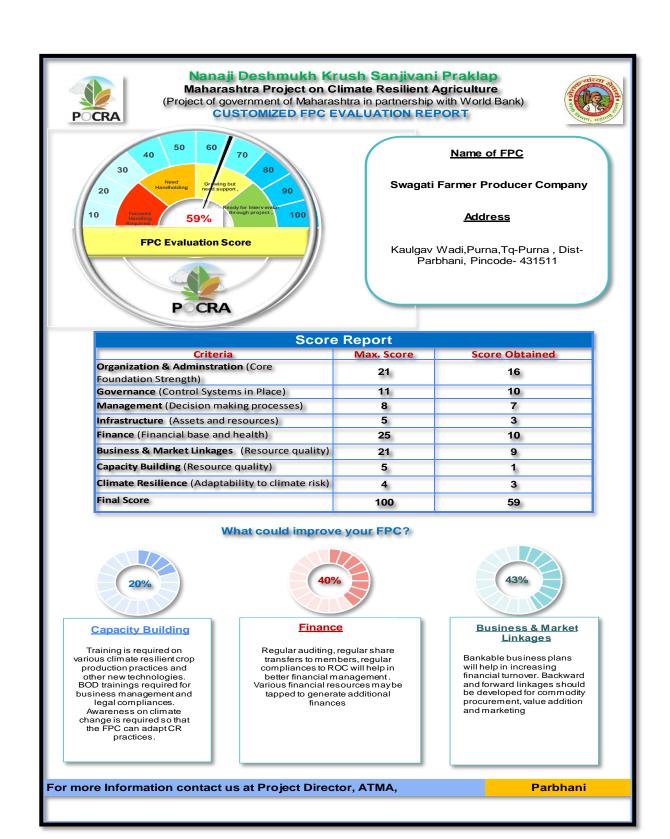
$$Score = \frac{Maximum\ Obtained\ Score}{Maximum\ Obtainable\ Score} \times 100$$

#### 9.4.1.2 Output of evaluation.

All the major parameter noted above can be classified on the basis of percentage and frequency. The total obtained percent score was use for categorization of the parameter. The parameter was categories into three categories i.e. below 50% marks, 50-75% marks, and above 75% marks. And all the FPCs were categories in three categories which help to analyzed the present situation of the FPCs present in the project area and will also help to given suggestion to them. This analysis can be useful for the project also for developed different strategies plan for the project area.

The main findings from the survey and the observations from the detailed interactions with the member or directors of the FPCs created insights in terms of how the FPCs operate today, where the members want it to go in the future, how the Directors perceive the plan of action for the future and in which focus areas the gaps between reality and expectation lie.

#### **Customized FPC Evaluation Report**



# 9.4.2 Information about FPCs supported by SMART/ NDKSP/ MAGNET

Scheme Name	No. of. FPCs	Disbursement
SMART	19	03
NDKSP	33	14
MAGNET	00	00

# 9.4.4 Details of commodity Transacted and Details of Services provided by FPCs

Sr. No	Name of agro producer company	Service provided
1	Dhan Sanchay Agro Producer Company Ltd. Rahati, Parbhani	Cleaning and grading
2	Valmikeshwar Agro Producer Company Limited, Pathari	Cleaning and grading
3	Dattprayag agro producer company limited, Parbhani	Cleaning and grading
4	Malhari Agro Producer Company Limited, Jintur	Cleaning and grading
5	Devdaya Farmer Producer Company Limited, Purna	Cleaning and grading
6	Siddhi Manwat Farmer Producer Company Ltd.	Cleaning and grading
7	Kisan Jivan Agro Producer Company Ltd.	Cleaning and grading
8	Nanai farmer Producer Co. Ltd	Cleaning and grading
9	B.R.Dhage Patil FPC	Cleaning and grading
10	T.N. Patil Agro Producer Company Limited	Cleaning and grading
11	Dattaprayg food producer company ltd.	Cleaning and grading
12	Mangrul Jai Bhadra Farmer Producer Company Limited, Manvath	Cleaning and grading
13	Tandulwadi Agro Producer Company Limited	Cleaning and grading
14	Sarvashri Agro Producer Company Ltd	Cleaning and grading
15	Datta Krupa farmer producer co. ltd Pimpaldari	Cleaning and grading
16	Sasrapid farmer producer co.ltd Kekarjawala	Cleaning and grading
17	Bhumikranti Agro pro Com ltd, Asegaon	Cleaning and grading

## Chapter 10: Extension Strategies for Adaptation to Climate Change

#### I) Preparation of Village Adaptation Plan

- a) Need for participatory micro-planning and pre-season meetings
- b) Process for micro-planning and seasonal meetings- agenda, stakeholders, duration, material required, information needed etc.
- c) Role of Village Agriculture Development Committee of Gram panchayat
- d) Components of Village Adaptation Plan to be prepared for each village

#### Planning for water security

- a) Computation of water budget
- b) Water conservation structures
- c) Groundwater recharge structures (including recharge of wells)
- d) Water harvesting structures
- e) Micro-irrigation plan

#### **Planning for soil health**

- a) Soil health Card status of the village
- b) Status of Organic Carbon content
- c) Soil health based advisory- crop suitability
- d) On-farm production of biofertilizers
- e) Production of organic inputs
- f) Regenerative agriculture plan
- g) Soil erosion/degradation arresting measures

#### Crop planning based on water budget and market demand

- a) Current cropping pattern
- b) Available water balance (post monsoon)
- c) Last year prices of crops
- d) Crop diversification
- e) Proposed cropping pattern (season and crops)

#### **Planning for Carbon sequestration**

- a) Agro-forestry plantation
- b) Horticulture plantation
- c) Forage/ Cover crop cultivation
- d) Bamboo plantation
- e) Live fencing plan

#### Planning for reduction of production cost

- a) Reducing cost on labor intensive operations (by mechanization)
- b) Reducing use of chemical fertilizers (by enhancing use of bio/ organic fertilizers)
- c) Reducing use of chemical pesticides (by enhancing use of bio/ natural pesticides)
- d) Reducing tillage operations (by conservation agriculture)
- e) Reducing excessive water usage (by micro-irrigation)

#### **❖** Planning for conservation and production of climate resilient variety seed

- a) Identification of CRV.
- b) Production programme for Truthful/ Certified/ Foundation seeds- status
- c) Conservation of indigenous seed having climate resilient characters- details of such seeds with location and characteristics.

#### **Adoption of climate resilient technologies**

- a) Identification of CRT useful to the village and creating awareness
- b) Plan of demonstration of CRT (FFS, Method/ Result Demonstrations)
- c) Most prominently adopted technologies and their impact
- d) Innovative technologies adopted
- e) Validation of technologies developed by Progressive farmers

#### **❖** Integrated Pest Management Plan

- a) Identification of common pests on major crops based on CROPSAP
- b) Plan of IPM technologies to be adopted
- c) On-farm production of bio-pesticides, natural pesticides etc.
- d) Skill training to reduce pesticide hazard

#### **!** Integrated farming systems

- a) Potential for crop based and other livelihood activities
- b) Households to be engaged in IFS
- c) Plan for market linkage for IFS produce

#### Preparation of contingency plan

- a) Village level weather forecast mechanism
- b) Preparedness for contingencies
- c) Crop insurance promotion and status
- d) Monitoring of contingencies
- e) Assessment of losses due to natural calamities if any

#### Strengthening of commodity value chains

- a) Assessing existing commodity value chains
- b) Identification of gaps in existing value chains
- c) Assessing volume of commodity to be marketed
- d) Assessing warehouse availability and available capacity
- e) Assessing transportation facilities
- f) Plan for infrastructure
- g) Plan for market linkage of major commodities
- h) Role of Women Self Help Groups, Farmer Groups, FPCs

## II. Convergence of government Programmes with extension Plan

- a) While planning the Nanaji Deshmukh Krushi Sanjivani project in villages, different convergence programs of the government are taken into consideration such as *Prime Minister Fasal bima yojana* for sustainable agriculture.
- b) Farm Field school for training of different crop technology at the farm level to improve an adaptation level of new technology such as BBF Technology in soybean.
- c) *Jalyukt Shivar*, NREGA, Chief minister agriculture irrigation scheme, Chief minister sustainable irrigation scheme for farm ponds to increase irrigation potential & sustainable irrigation.
- d) Village level Farmer meeting for Kharif & Rabi Pre-planning
- e) Weather based fruit insurance scheme for fruit production.
- f) Demonstration plot from different scheme for increasing adoption level of farmers for new technology
- g) Krushi Sanjeevani Saptah
- h) Ranbhaji Mahotsav planning at district level
- *i)* Vikel-te-pikel

#### II Monitoring mechanism for village adoption progress

- i) Climate Resilience in the agriculture production system is the main component under the project.
- ii) the activity identified under the compounds have been prioritized thru participatory micro planning
- iii) Farmer field school (FFS) is one of the mean activities for Monitoring mechanism.
- iv) DBT technology is be used to insure the transparency.
- v) Participatory development of many water plants.
- vi) Climate-smart agriculture and resilient farming system.
- vii) Promoting efficient and sustainable use of water for agriculture.
- viii) Fold back activities to support the project.
- ix) Benefits, issues and challenges have been recorded.
- x) Micro Planning for kharif and Rabi season before starting of season.
- xi) Regular monitoring for village adoption progress by taking Review meeting of field staff, Field visit, monthly agriculture university scientist & officers field visit, Exposure visit
- xii) Cross verification.

#### III. Strategy for Revisiting of Village adoption plan

- i) The process of mainstreaming adaptation has the potential to improve the resilience of development outcomes, enhance community resilience to climate change impact and safeguard investment.
- ii) As climate change impacts become more evident and climate change-induced extreme weather events become more intense and frequent it is important to integrate climate change adaptation in village adoption plans.
- iii) Main streaming can have multiple entry points and requires coordination among villagers (Farmers), institutions and extension workers or staff.
- iv) Fortnightly evaluation of village adoption plan. According to the need base some changes may take place.

## **ANNEXURES I (Sample Village Level Micro-Plan)**

# गाव विकास आराखडा प्रपत्र







# गाव विकास आराखडा

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ताड बोरगाव गावाचे नाव-

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तालुका-

मानवत

उपविभाग- पर्भणी

जिल्हा-

परभणी

# ग्रावसमुहातील इतर समाविष्ठ गावे

अ. क	गावाचे नाव	सेन्सस कोड	अ. क	गावाचे नाव	सेन्सस कोड
1	भरलेले नाही	546691	2	राजूरा	546820
3	इरुखा तर्फे पेडगाव	546692	4	देऊळगाव आवचर	546835
5	पन्हेरा	546704	6	भोगाव	546700
7	किन्होळा	546699	8	काष्टागाव	546685
9	वडगाव तर्फे टाकळी	546684	10	पेडगाव	546697
11	ब्रम्हापरी तर्फे पेडगाव	546698		ă.	

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अ. क	तपशील	पृष्ठ क
1	प्रस्तावना व पार्श्वभूमी, प्रकल्पाची गरज	4
2	गावाचा विकास आराखडा तयार करण्यासाठी राबविलेला कार्यक्रमाचा तपशील	5
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4.1	गावाची एकूण लोकसंख्या	10
4.2	सुक्ष्मपाणलोट संख्या	10
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5.3	सृक्ष्म नियोजन आराखडचानुसार गावतील सरासरी भुजल पातळी (खोली मी मध्ये) निरीक्षण साठी निवडलेल्या विहिरीचा तपशील	15
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8	पशुधन व चारा उपलब्धता	19
9	गावामध्ये असणा-या कृषि यंत्रे व अवजारांचा तपशील	20
10	गावातील सध्या अस्तित्वातील असलेले शेतकरी गट व इतर संख्या	20
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## **Annexure II Sample Village Profile:**



#### नानाजी देशमुख कृषि संजीवनी प्रकल्प



## कृषी विभाग महाराष्ट्र शासन



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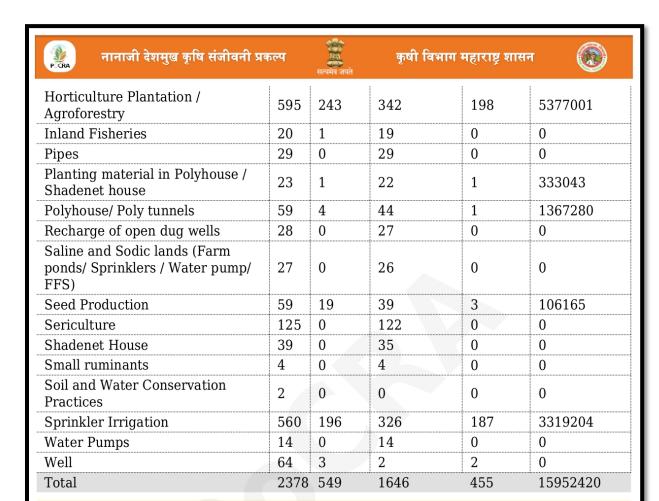
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### घटकनिहाय वितरित अनुदान

घटक/बाब	एकूण अर्ज	पूर्व समंती प्राप्त अर्ज	नाकारलेल्या अर्जांची संख्या	लाभार्थी शेतकरी	वितरीत केलेला निधी (रू)
Apiculture	20	0	19	0	0
Backyard Poultry	9	0	6	0	0
Compost (Vermicompost / NADEP / Organic input production unit)	35	0	33	0	0
Drip Irrigation	407	58	324	40	2387447
Farm Mechanization	90	3	85	3	222000
Farm Pond (Individual)	138	20	104	20	2840280
Farm Pond Lining	6	0	5	0	0
FFS host farmer assistance / Promotion of BBF technology/ Zero Tillage Technology etc.	24	1	19	0	0
FPO - Custom Hiring Center (CHC)	1	0	0	0	0

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नोंदणी केलेल्या FPC/SHG/Farmer Group ची संख्या - 2 एकूण अर्जांची संख्या - 1 पूर्वसंमती दिलेल्या अर्जांची संख्या - 1 कार्यारंभ आदेश दिलेल्या अर्जांची संख्या - 1 लाभ दिलेल्या FPC/SHG/Farmer Group ची संख्या - 1 अनुदान वितरीत रक्कम, रु. - 849183

## कृषी व्यवसाय घटकांतर्गत घटक/ बाबनिहाय वितरीत अनुदान

घटक/बाब	एकूण अर्ज	पूर्व समंती प्राप्तअर्ज	कार्यारंभ आदेश प्राप्त अर्ज	अनुदान वितरीत FPC/SHG/Farmer Group	वितरीत केलेले अनुदान रक्कम, (रू)
Establishment of Custom Hiring Centers	1	1	1	1	849183

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#### नानाजी देशमुख कृषि संजीवनी प्रकल्प



#### कृषी विभाग महाराष्ट्र शासन



#### मृद व जलसंधारण तपशील

पावसाचे प्रमाण (मिमी) - 826.5 अडवलेला अपधाव (TCM) - 254.18 प्रस्तावित क्षेत्र उपचार (हे.) - 0 कामांची एकूण रक्कम - 38.5 एकूण तांत्रिक मंजुरींची संख्या - 7 सुरु झालेल्या कामांची संख्या - 7 निधी वितरण केलेल्या कामांची संख्या - 0 उपलब्ध अपधाव (TCM) - 1854.5 शिल्लक अपधाव (TCM) - 1600.32 प्रस्तावित नाला उपचार संख्या - 11 तयार अंदाज पत्रकांची संख्या - 7 पूर्ण झालेल्या ई निविदा संख्या - 7 पूर्ण झालेल्या कामांची संख्या - 4 खर्च झालेली एकुण रक्कम (रू) - 0

#### कामानुसार झालेला खर्च

उपचार प्रकार	एकूण तांत्रिक मान्यता	एकूण कार्यारंभ आदेश	एकूण पूर्ण झालेली कामे	निधी अदा केलेल्या कामांची संख्या	एकूण अदायगी (रू)
Desilting of old water storage structure	7	7	4	0	0
Total	7	7	4	0	0

#### पिक पद्धतींचा तपशील

#### खरीप हंगामातील मुख्य पिके तपशील

पीक - सोयाबीन	जमीन (हे) - 992
पीक - कापूस	जमीन (हे) - 742
पीक - तूर	जमीन (हे) - 95
पीक - मुग	जमीन (हे) - 23
रबी हंगामातील मुख्य पिके तपशील	
पीक - रबी हरभरा	जमीन (हे) - 508
पीक - रबी ज्वारी	जमीन (हे) - 370
पीक - रबी गह्	जमीन (हे) - 31

#### भूमी उपयोगिता वर्गीकरण

गावाचे एकूण भागोलिक क्षेत्र 2184.66 हे असून निव्वळ पिकाखाली त्यापैकी 96.86% क्षेत्र आहे. गावाचे भूरूप ढोबळमानाने उंचसखल/डोंगराळ/सपाट प्रकारचे आहे. गावातील निव्वळ पिकाखालील क्षेत्रापैकी 68.53% क्षेत्राकरिता सिंचनसुविधा उपलब्ध आहे.

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#### कृषी विभाग महाराष्ट्र शासन



अ.क्र.	तपशील	क्षेत्र (हेक्टर)	
1	एकूण भौगोलिक क्षेत्र (Total Geographical A	Area)	2184.66
2	पिकाखालील निव्वळ क्षेत्र (Net Cropped Are	a)	2116
3	दुबार पिकाखालील क्षेत्र (Double Cropped A	rea)	0
4	एकूण लागवडीसालील क्षेत्र (Gross cropped A		2116
_		हंगामी बागायत	1200
Э	एकुण सिंचित क्षेत्र (Irrigaterd Area)	बारमाही बागायत	250
6	एकूण वन क्षेत्र (Total Forest Area)	0	
7	कायम पड क्षेत्र (Permanent Fallow Area)	0	
8	चालू पड क्षेत्र (Current Fallow Area)	0	
9	गवत पड व चराऊ कुरणे (Pasture Land)	0	
10	इतर पड क्षेत्र (Other Fallow Area)	0	
11	बिगर कृषि क्षेत्र ( Area put to non-Agricultu	0	

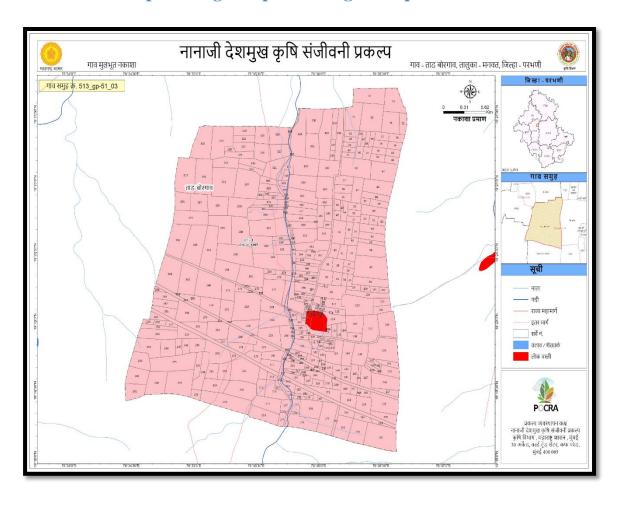
#### पिकनिहाय क्षेत्र (क्षेत्र हेक्टर)

	। प्रकानहाय दा न	(जान रुपदर)
अ.ऋ.	पिकाचा वर्ग	पिकाखालील क्षेत्र
1	तृणधान्य	401
2	कडधान्य	626
3	गळितधान्य	992
4	नगदी पिके (कापूस,ऊस)	742
5	भाजीपाला पिके	0
6	फळपिके	0
7	चारा पिके	0
8	इतर	0
एकूण		2761

## निरीक्षण विहिरींची पाण्याची पातळी

सूक्ष्म नियोजन आराखड्यानुसार गावतील सरासरी भुजल पातळी -- (खोली मी मध्ये) निरीक्षण साठी निवडलेल्या विहिरीचा तपशील

## Annexure III Sample Village Map: Tadborgaon Tq.Manwath



#### **Annexure IV (Sample Agromet Advisory)**

