STATE: ASSAM AGRICULTURE CONTINGENCY PLAN: CHIRANG DISTRICT

1.0 Di	strict Agriculture profile						
1.1	Agro -Climatic Region (Planning Commission)	Eastern Himalayan Region	Eastern Himalayan Region				
	Agro- Climatic/ Ecological Zone	Lower Brahmaputra Valley Zone, As	sam				
	Agro Ecological Sub Region (ICAR)	Assam & Bengal Plain, hot perhumid	ecosystem with alluvium derived soils				
	Agro Climatic Zone (NARP)*	011 Lower Brahmaputra Valley Zone					
	List all the districts falling under the NARP Zone	ng under the NARP Zone Kamrup, Nalbari, Barpeta, Bongaigaon, Baska, Chirang, Kokrajhar, Dhubri, Goalpara					
	Geographic Coordinates of district	Latitude	Longitude	Altitude			
		26°28' to 26° 54' North	89.42° to 90°06' East	31 m MSL			
	Name and address of the concerned ZRS/ZARS/RARS/RRS/RRTTS	Regional Agricultural Research Station, AAU, Gossaigaon					
	Mention the KVK located in the district	Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Chirang, Assam Agricultural University, Kajalgaon -783385					

1.2	Rainfall	Average (mm)	Normal Onset (specify week and month)	Normal Cessation (specify week and month)
	SW monsoon (June-Sep'2013)	1961.4	1st week of June	4 th week of September
	NE Monsoon (Oct-Dec'2013)	171.6		
	Winter (Jan- Feb'2013)	34.6		
	Summer (March-May'2014)	670.5	1st week of April	4th week of may
	Annual	2838.1		

Source: http://www.agriassam.in/rainfall/districtwise-rainfall-during-2012.pdf

^{*}If a district falls in two NARP zones, mention the zone in which more than 50% area falls

1.3	Land use pattern of the district (latest statistics)	Geographical area	Forest area	Land under non- agricultural use	Permanent pastures	Cultivable wasteland	Land Under Misc. tree crops and groves	Barren and uncultivable land	Current fallows	Other fallows
	Area (000' ha)	109.0	9.7	7.0	6.8	2.6	1.6	0.5	4.1	0.5

(Source: SREP Chirang district)

1.4	Major Soils	Major soil description	Total Area ('000 ha)	Percent (%) of total
	1. Light grey soil	Sandy loam to silty loam in texture	39.35	11.79
	2. Red soil (Mixed)	High in Fe & Al oxides & well drained	12.61	36.79
	3. Sandy soil	Light textured soils	9.57	8.95
	4. Sandy loam soil	Medium textured soils	34.65	32.39
	5. Clay loam soil	Heavy textured soil & poor external as well as	7.74	7.24
		internal drainage		
	6.Problem soil			
	Soil erosion	Severe soil erosion problem	0.14	0.13
	Water logging condition	Severe water logging condition	0.11	0.10
	Others (specify):	-	2.80	2.61
1.5	Agricultural land use	('000 ha)	Cropping	intensity (%)
	Area sown more than once	27.91	153	
	Gross cropped area	80.95		

(Source: SREP Chirang district & C-DAP, Chirang 2009)

1.6	Irrigation	Area ('000 ha)	Percent (%)
	Net cultivated area	53.04	48.81	
	Net irrigated area	4.45	4.09	
	Gross cultivated area	80.95	-	
	Gross irrigated area	11.99	-	
	Rainfed area	31.05	28.57	
	Sources of irrigation	Number	Area ('000 ha)	% area
	Canals/channels	-	7.85	65.42
	Tanks	16	0.016	0.13
	Open wells / Bore wells	2009	4.02	33.50

STW	-		
Lift irrigation	45	0.090	0.75
Other sources	12	0.024	0.20
Total	2082	12.00	-
Pump sets	-	-	-
Micro-irrigation	-	-	-
Groundwater availability and use	No. of blocks	% area	Quality of water
Over exploited	-	-	-
Critical	-	-	-
Semi critical	-	-	-
Safe	-	-	-
Wastewater availability and use	-	-	-

^{*}over-exploited: groundwater utilization > 100%; critical: 90-100%; semi critical: 70-90%; safe: <70%

(Source: SREP Chirang district & C-DAP, Chirang 2009)

1.7. Area under major field crops & horticulture etc.:

A.	Major field crops	Total area(000'ha)	Kharif (ha)	Kharif (ha)		oi (ha)	Sum	mer (ha)
			Irrigated	Rainfed	Irrigated	Rainfed	Irrigated	Rainfed
1	Rice (Sali)	36.284	-	36.284	-	-	-	-
2	Rice (Ahu)	15.622	-	-	-	-	5.654	10.622
3	Rice (Boro)	1.713	-	-	1.713	0.230	-	-
4	Rapeseed & mustard	8.557	-	-	1.420	7.337	-	-
5	Sesamum	0.383	-	0.383	-	-	-	-
6	Linseed	0.227	-	-	-	0.227	-	-
7	Niger	0.371	-	-	-	0.371	-	-
8	Blackgram	0.806	-	0.806	-	-	-	-
9	Green gram	0.143	-	-	-	-	-	0.143
10	Lentil	1.382	-	-	-	1.382	-	-
11	Pea	0.317	-	-	-	0.317	-	-
12	Other pulses	0.508	-	0.073	-	0435	-	-
13	Wheat	1.064	-	-	-	1.064	-	-
14	Jute	1.416	-	-	-	-	-	1.416

15	Maize	0.478	-	-	0.478	-	-
16	Arahar	0.329 -	0.329	-	-	-	-
	Total area:	69.600 -	-	-	-	-	-
В.	Horticulture crops- Fruits	Total area(000'ha)	Irrigated		Rainfed		
1	Pineapple	0.461	-		0.461		
2	Jackfruit	-	-		=		
3	Litchi	-	-		=		
4	Papaya	0.155	-		0.1.	55	
5	Mango	-	-		=		
6	Orange	1.039	-		1.0	39	
7	Coconut	0.453	-		0.4	53	
8	Banana	0.418	-		0.8	50	
9	Assam lemon	0.608	-		0.6	08	
10	Guava	-	-		=		
C.	Horticultural crops- Vegetables	Total area	Irrigated		Rain	ıfed	
1	Kharif vegetables	2.544	-		2.5	44	
2	Rabi vegetables	7.541	7.541		-		
	Medicinal and Aromatic crops	Total area	Irrigated		Rain	ıfed	
1	Total Medicinal and Aromatic crops	-	-		-		
	Plantation crops	Total area	Irrigated		Rain	ıfed	
	Sugarcane	0.092	-		0.0	92	
	Fodder crops	Total area	Irrigated		Rain	ıfed	
	Total fodder crop area	-	<u>-</u>				
	Grazing land	6.842	-		=		

^{*}If break up data (irrigated, rainfed) is not available, give total area

(Source: Director of Agriculture, Khanapara, Guwahati & C-DAP, Chirang 2009)

1.8	Livestock	Number (*000)
	Cows	Cross breed: 0.462 Indigenous: 36.952
	Buffaloes total	Cross breed: 0.194 Indigenous: 0.666
	Commercial dairy farms	
	Goat	46.971
	Sheep	6.167
	Others (Camel, Pig, Yak etc.)	Pig: Cross breed: 32.753 Indigenous: 70.650
1.9	Poultry	Chicken: Duck:

	Commercial		255.913	
	Backyard		68.320	
1.10	Inland Fisheries	Area ('000 ha)	Yield (t/ha)	Production (tones)
	Brackish water	-	-	-
	Fresh water	0.256	0.25	64.0
	Ponds and Tanks	0.332	2.15	713.8
	Water logged / beels	6.201	0.345	2139.3
	Swamps	-	-	-
	Low lying areas	0.621	1.47	913.5
	Others			
	Forest fishery 0.00085		5.41	713.8 2139.3
	Others	0. 211	0.175	36.9

(Source: SREP Chirang district)

1.11	Production and	Kl	narif	Rabi		Sun	nmer	To	otal
	productivity of major crops	Production (000.ton)	Productivity (kg/ha)	Production ('000 t)	Productivity (kg/ha)	Production ('000 t)	Productivity (kg/ha)	Production ('000 t)	Productivity (kg/ha)
Crop1	Rice	57.482 (Sali rice)	1584 (Sali rice)	4.240 (Boro rice)	2475 (Boro rice)	15.765 (Ahu rice)	1009 (Ahu rice)	77.487	1689.33
Crop 2	Toria	-	-	3.438	402	-	-	3.438	402
Crop 3	Jute	-	-	-	-	13.329	1694	13.329	1694
Crop 4	wheat	-	-	1.755	1649	-	-	1.755	1649
Crop 5	Vegetables	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Others	Lentil	-	-	0.714	517	-	-	0.714	517
	Maize	-	-	2.910	609	-	-	-	-

1.12	Sowing window for 5 major crops	Crop1: Rice	2: Toria	3: Jute	4:Vegetables	5: Wheat
	(Start and end of sowing period)					
	Kharif- Rainfed	25 th may to 30 th sept	-	15 th March – 15 th	15th Feb to 15th April	-
				May		
	Kharif- irrigated	-	-	-	-	-
	Rabi-Rainfed	-	15th Oct-15th Nov	-	-	-
	Rabi- irrigated	15 th Nov to 15 th Jan	-	-	15th Oct to 30th Nov	-
	Rabi-Rainfed	-	-	-	-	5 th Nov to15th Dec
	Rabi- irrigated	15 th feb to 15 th March	-	-	-	-

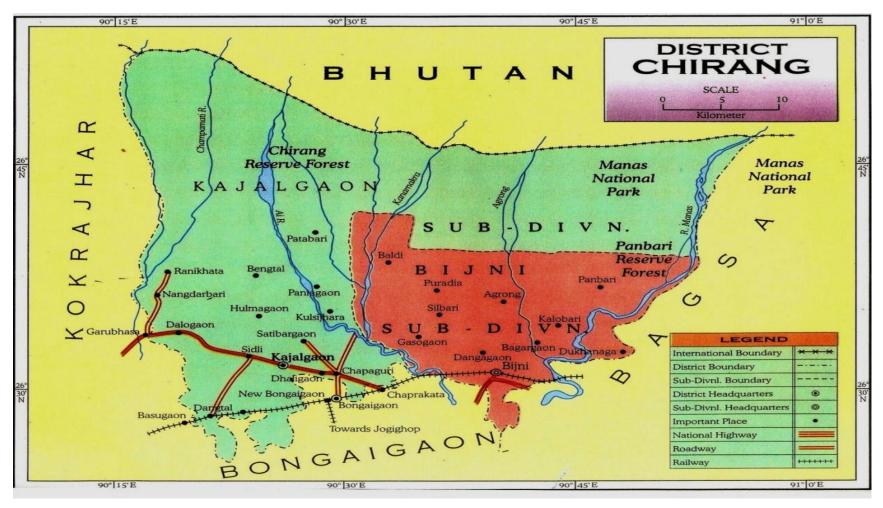
1.13	What is the major contingency the district is prone to? (Tick mark)	Regular*	Occasional	None
	Drought		$\sqrt{}$	
	Flood		$\sqrt{}$	
	Cyclone		$\sqrt{}$	
	Hail storm		$\sqrt{}$	
	Heat wave			$\sqrt{}$
	Cold wave			$\sqrt{}$
	frost			$\sqrt{}$
	Sea water intrusion			$\sqrt{}$
	Snowfall			V
	Landslide			$\sqrt{}$
	Earthquake			V
	Pests and disease outbreak (specify)		$\sqrt{\text{(rice stem borer, leaf folder,}}$	
			sheath blight, late blight, aphid)	
	Others (like fog, cloud bursting etc.)			$\sqrt{}$

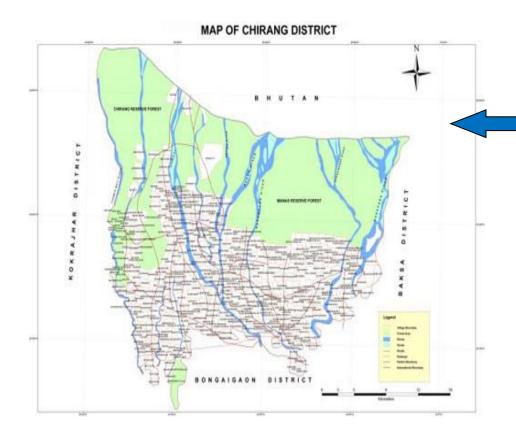
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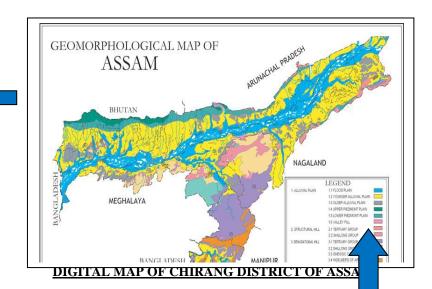
1.14	Include Digital maps of the district for	Location map of district with in State as Annexure I	Enclosed: Yes
		Mean annual rainfall as Annexure 2	Enclosed: Yes
		Soil map as Annexure 3	Enclosed: Yes

Annexure : I

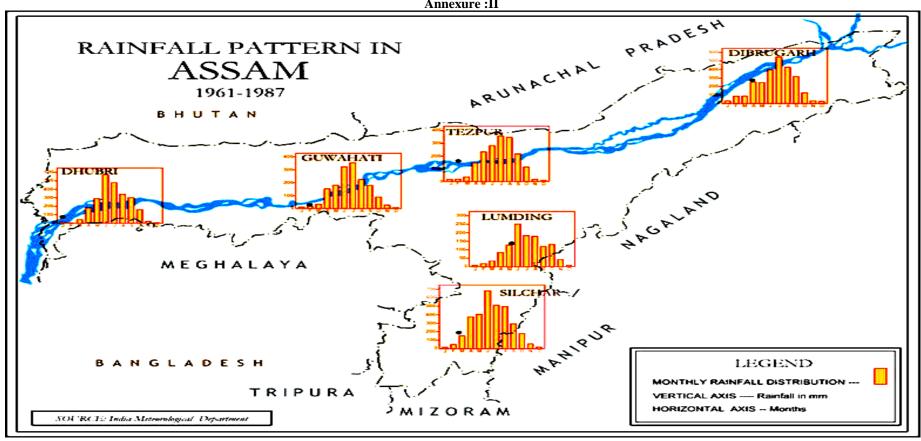
Location map of Chirang district in Assam



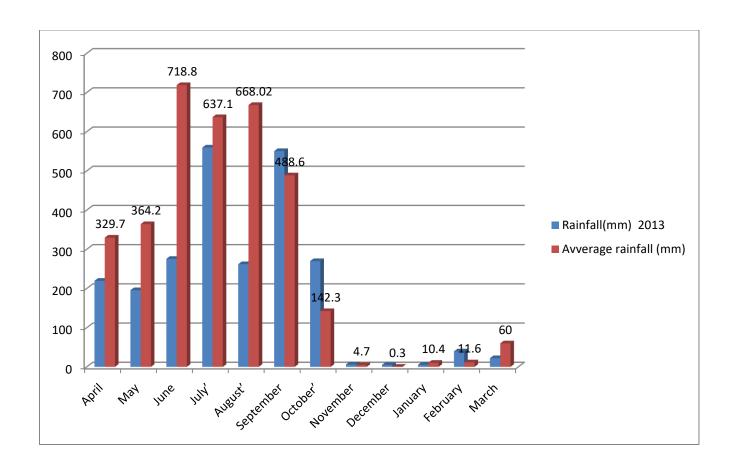




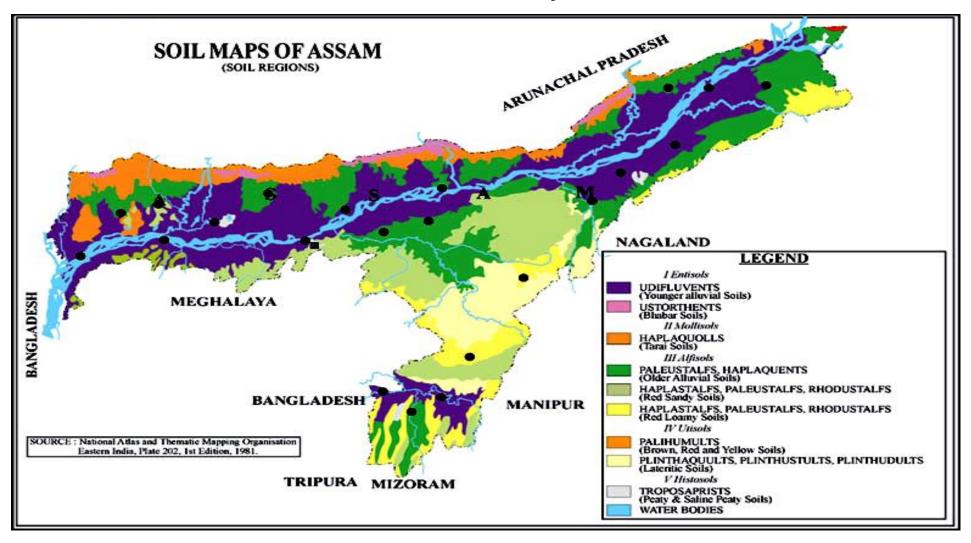




Annexure :II Mean Annual Rainfall of Chirang District



Annexure: III Soil Map



2.0. Strategies for weather related contingencies

2.1 Drought

2.1.1 Rainfed situation:

Condition			Sugges	ted Contingency measures	
Early season drought (delayed onset)	Major Farming situation	Crop/ cropping system	Change in crop/ cropping system	Agronomic measures	Remarks on Implementation
Delay by 2 weeks (Specify month)* Month: 3 rd week of June	Rainfed upland	-Rice (DS)- Toria /Lentil/ Wheat /Potato/ Rabi vegetables	No change	-Life saving supplemental irrigation at critical growth stages -Weeding at critical stages of growth of rice -straw mulching in rabi crops - Use of herbicide -Practicing minimum tillage	-water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation
THE MATRIX TAPLE)		Summer vegetables/ Blackgram/Sesame (kharif) - Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	No change	-Life saving supplemental irrigation -Weeding at critical stages of growth.	-water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation
	Rainfed medium land	Rice(Kharif)- Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	No change	-Growing of medium duration rice varieties such as Satyaranjan, Basundhara, Baismuthi etcPrepare dry, well bunded, flat seedbed with adequate FYM(30 kg), 80g urea, 80g SSP and 80g MOP per bed of 10mx1.25mSeed treatment with 4% MOP (600ml/kg of seed) for 24 hrs, dry it in shade for 24 hrs and sowingSupplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of	-water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation - KVK, RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds

				rice.	
	Rainfed lowland	Rice (kharif) as monocropping	No change	Growing of high yielding varieties like Ranjit, Bahadur, Mahsuri, Satyaranjan, Basundhara, Baismuthi, Ketekijoha etc. Prepare dry, well bunded, flat seedbed with adequate FYM(30 kg), 80g urea, 80g SSP and 80g MOP per bed of 10mx1.25m Seed treatment with 4% MOP (600ml/kg of seed) for 24 hrs, dry it in shade for 24 hrs and sowing -Supplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of rice	-water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation - KVK, RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds
		Rice (kharif) – rice (rabi/summer)	No change	Growing of high yielding varieties like Ranjit, Bahadur, Mahsuri, Satyaranjan, Basundhara, Baismuthi, Ketekijoha etcPrepare dry, well bunded, flat seedbed with adequate FYM(30 kg), 80g urea, 80g SSP and 80g MOP per bed of 10mx1.25mSeed treatment with 4% MOP (600ml/kg of seed) for 24 hrs, dry it in shade for 24 hrs and sowing -Supplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of rice	-water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation - KVK, RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds
		Rice(Kharif) monocropping	No change	-Growing of high yielding varieties like Ranjit, Bahadur, Mahsuri, Satyaranjan, Basundhara, Baismuthi, Ketekijoha etcPrepare dry, well bunded, flat seedbed with adequate FYM(30 kg), 80g urea, 80g SSP and 80g MOP per bed of 10mx1.25mSeed treatment with 4% MOP (600ml/kg of seed) for 24 hrs, dry it in shade for 24 hrs and	-water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation - KVK, RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds

			sowing -Supplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of rice	
Flood prone	Summer vegetables – Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	No change	-Supplementary life saving irrigation at critical crop stages	-water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation
	Rice(Kharif) as mono cropping	No change	-If transplanting is possible within July, select suitable varieties like Ranjit, Bahadur, Piolee, Mahsuri, etc.	- KVK, RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds
			-If flood water recedes early and transplanting can be done by mid August, select varieties like Kushal, Prasadbhog, etc.	
			-Select suitable rice varieties such as Satyaranjan, Basundhara, Luit and Kapilee (transplanting up to last part of August) where flood water is expected recede by the last part of August.	
			-For chronically flood affected areas, select submergence tolerant rice varieties such as Jalashree, Jalkuwari and Plaban (12-15 days submergence tolerance) which can be transplanted in June-July.	
			-Spraying of Chloropyriphos or Monochrotophos or Quinolphos @ 2ml/l against case worm and leaf folder infestation in rice.	
			-Where bacterial leaf blight appears in rice, avoid top dressing of N- fertilizer and apply K-fertilizer @ 10 kg /ha as top dressing or 5kg/ha as 3% foliar spray.	
			- Spraying of Chloropyriphos or Quinolphos @ 2ml/l and apply 5 % Malathion dust in field bunds against rice swarming caterpillar.	

Condition				Suggested Contingency measures	
Early season drought (delayed onset)	Major Farming situation	Crop/ cropping system	Change in crop/ cropping system	Agronomic measures	Remarks on Implementation
Delay by 4 weeks (Specify month)* Month: 1st week of July	Rainfed upland	Rice (DS)- Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	No change	-Life saving supplemental irrigation -Weeding at critical stages of growth of rice - Supplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of Rabi vegetables - Provision of drainage where necessary	-water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation
(REFER TO THE MATRIX TAPLE)		Summer vegetables/ Blackgram/Sesame (kharif) - Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	No change	-Life saving supplemental irrigation -Weeding at critical stages of growth Supplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of Rabi vegetables - Provision of drainage where necessary	-water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation
	Rainfed medium land	Rice (Kharif)- Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	Rice (Kharif)- Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables -Growing of medium & short duration rice varieties such as Jaya, Pankaj, Manohar Sali, Luit, Kopilee etc.varieties like prafulla & Gitesh can be chosen for staggered planting.	Prepare dry, well bunded, flat seedbed with adequate FYM(30 kg), 80g urea, 80g SSP and 40g MOP per bed of 10mx1.25mSeed treatment with 4% MOP (600ml/kg of seed) for 24 hrs, dry it in shade for 24 hrs and sowingSupplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of rice.	-water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation - KVK, RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds
		Rice (Kharif) monocropping	Rice (Kharif) – Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi	Transplanting is to be done with in JulyPrepare dry, well bunded, flat seedbed with adequate FYM(30 kg), 80g urea, 80g SSP and 80g MOP per bed	water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving

		vegetables -Growing of high yielding varieties like Ranjit, Bahadur, Mahsuri, Satyaranjan, Basundhara, Baismuthi, Ketekijoha etc	of 10mx1.25mSeed treatment with 4% MOP (600ml/kg of seed) for 24 hrs, dry it in shade for 24 hrs and sowing -Supplemental irrigation for land preparation in the nursery bed of rice - Life saving irrigation in the rabi crops & vegetables	irrigation - KVK, RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds
Rainfed low land	Rice (Kharif) – Rice (Rabi/Summer)	No change Growing of high yielding varieties like Ranjit, Bahadur, Mahsuri, Satyaranjan, Basundhara, Baismuthi, Ketekijoha etc.	Transplanting is to be done with in July. -Prepare dry, well bunded, flat seedbed with adequate FYM(30 kg), 80g urea, 80g SSP and 80g MOP per bed of 10mx1.25m Seed treatment with 4% MOP (600ml/kg of seed) for 24 hrs, dry it in shade for 24 hrs and sowing -Supplemental irrigation for land preparation in the nursery bed of rice	water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation - KVK, RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds
Flood prone	Summer vegetables – Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	No change Toria Var. TS-36, TS-38, Lentil Var. B- 77, Potato Var. Kufri Megha, Kufri Sinduri, Wheat var. Sonalika, HUW-406, DBW-14 etc should be chosen.	-Supplementary life saving irrigation at critical crop growth stages	water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation - KVK, RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds
	Rice (Kharif) as mono cropping	Rice (Kharif)- Rice (Boro/Summer) -Varieties like Joymoti, Kanaklata, Dinanath, Swarnabh should be chosen as Boro rice -Select suitable rice varieties such as Satyaranjan,	-If transplanting is possible within July, select suitable varieties like Ranjit, Bahadur, Piolee, Mahsuri, etcIf flood water recedes early and transplanting can be done by mid August, select varieties like Kushal, Prasadbhog, etcFor chronically flood affected areas, select submergence tolerant rice varieties such as Jalashree, Jalkuwari and Plaban (12-15 days submergence tolerance) which can be transplanted in June-JulySpraying of Chloropyriphos or Monochrotophos or	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation - KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds

Kapil (translast p where expect	part of August) re flood water is ected recede by last part of	Quinolphos @ 2ml/l against case worm and leaf folder infestation in rice. -Where bacterial leaf blight appears in rice, avoid top dressing of N- fertilizer and apply K-fertilizer @ 10 kg /ha as top dressing or 5kg/ha as 3% foliar spray. - Spraying of Chloropyriphos or Quinolphos @ 2ml/l and apply 5 % Malathion dust in field bunds against rice swarming caterpillar.	
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CONDITION		SUGGESTED CONTINGENCY MEASURES					
Early season drought (delayed onset)	Major Farming situation	Crop/ cropping system	Change in crop/ cropping system	Agronomic measures	Remarks on Implementation		
Delay by 6 weeks (Specify month)* Month: 3rd week of July (REFER TO THE MATRIX TABLE)	Rainfed upland	Rice (DS)- Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	No change- Toria Var. TS-36, TS- 38, Lentil Var. B-77, Potato Var. Kufri Megha, Kufri Sinduri, Wheat var. Sonalika, HUW-406, DBW-14 etc should be chosen.	-Life saving supplemental irrigation during germination & at critical growth stages -Weeding at critical stages of growth of rice - Supplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of Rabi vegetables	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation - KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds		
		Summer vegetables/ Blackgram/Sesame (Kharif) - Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	Summer vegetables/ Blackgram/Sesame (kharif) - Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables -Toria Var. TS-36, TS-38, Lentil Var. B- 77, Potato Var. Kufri Megha, Kufri Sinduri, Wheat var. Sonalika, HUW-406, DBW-14	-Life saving supplemental irrigation -Weeding at critical stages of growth Supplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of Rabi vegetables	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation - KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds		

			etc should be chosen.		
	Rainfed medium land	Rice (Kharif)- Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	Rice (Kharif)- Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables -Toria Var. TS-36, TS-38, Lentil Var. B- 77, Potato Var. Kufri Megha, Kufri Sinduri, Wheat var. Sonalika, HUW-406, DBW-14 etc should be chosen.	 Select suitable rice varieties such as Satyaranjan, Basundhara, Luit and Kapilee (transplanting up to last part of August). Prepare dry, well bunded, flat seedbed with adequate FYM(30 kg), 80g urea, 80g SSP and 80g MOP per bed of 10mx1.25m Seed treatment with 4% MOP (600ml/kg of seed) for 24 hrs, dry it in shade for 24 hrs and sowing Supplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of rice. Rabi vegetables like tomato, brinjal, chilli can be grown with suitable varieties Supplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of rabi vegetables 	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation - KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds
		Rice (Kharif) monocropping	No change	-Growing of high yielding varieties like Satyaranjan, Basundhara etc. which can be transplanted up to last part of August. -Prepare dry, well bunded, flat seedbed with adequate FYM(30 kg), 80g urea, 80g SSP and 80g MOP per bed of 10mx1.25m -Seed treatment with 4% MOP (600ml/kg of seed) for 24 hrs, dry it in shade for 24 hrs and sowing -Supplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of rice -Short duration rice varieties like Luit, Kapilee, Kalong etc can also be selected. - Manohar Sali, Biraj, Prasadbhog, Govinda bhog etc. and traditional coarse grain photosensitive varieties with 45-60 days old seedlings can be transplanted with 6-8 seedlings per hill up to last part of August. - Select delayed planting varieties like Prafulla and Gitesh (60 days old seedlings)	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation - KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds
	Rainfed low land	Rice (Kharif) monocropping	Rice (Kharif) – Rice (Summer) / Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi	-Growing of high yielding varieties like Satyaranjan, Basundhara etc. which can be transplanted up to last part of AugustPrepare dry, well bunded, flat seedbed with adequate	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving

		vegetables	FYM(30 kg), 80g urea, 80g SSP and 80g MOP per bed of 10mx1.25m -Seed treatment with 4% MOP (600ml/kg of seed) for 24 hrs, dry it in shade for 24 hrs and sowing -Supplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of rice -Short duration rice varieties like Luit, Kapilee, Kalong etc can also be selected. - Manohar Sali, Biraj, Prasadbhog, Govinda bhog etc. and traditional coarse grain photosensitive varieties with 45-60 days old seedlings can be transplanted with 6-8 seedlings per hill up to last part of August. - Select delayed planting varieties like Prafulla and Gitesh (60 days old seedlings)	irrigation - KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds
Flood prone	Summer vegetables – Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	No change	-Supplementary life saving irrigation at critical crop stages	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation
	Rice (winter) as mono cropping	Late Sali (winter) – Rice (summer) - Short duration rice varieties like Luit, Kapilee, Kalong etc can be transplanted up to last part of August - Select delayed planting varieties like Prafulla and Gitesh (60 days old seedlings)	-If transplanting is possible within July, select suitable varieties like Ranjit, Bahadur, Piolee, Mahsuri, etcIf flood water recedes early and transplanting can be done by mid August, select varieties like Satyaranjan, Basundhara etc. which can be transplanted up to last part of August Manohar Sali, Biraj, Prasadbhog, Govindbhog etc. and traditional coarse grain photosensitive varieties with 45-60 days old seedlings can be transplanted with 6-8 seedlings per hill up to last part of AugustFor chronically flood affected areas, select submergence tolerant rice varieties such as Jalashree, Jalkuwari and Plaban (12-15 days submergence tolerance) which can be transplanted in June-JulySpraying of Chloropyriphos or Monochrotophos or Quinolphos @ 2ml/l against case worm and leaf folder infestation in riceWhere bacterial leaf blight appears in rice, avoid top dressing	- KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds

	of N- fertilizer and apply K-fertilizer @ 10 kg /ha as top dressing or 5kg/ha as 3% foliar spray.	
	- Spraying of Chloropyriphos or Quinolphos @ 2ml/l and apply 5 % Malathion dust in field bunds against rice swarming caterpillar.	

Condition			Suggested	Contingency measures	
Early season drought (delayed onset)	Major Farming situation	Crop/ cropping system	Change in crop/ cropping system	Agronomic measures	Remarks on Implementation
Delay by 8 weeks (Specify month)* MONTH: 1 ST WEEK OF AUGUST	Rainfed upland	Rice (DS)- Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	Rice (DS)- Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	-Life saving supplemental irrigation -Weeding at critical stages of growth of rice - Supplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of Rabi vegetables	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation
(REFER TO THE MATRIX TAPLE)		Summer vegetables/ Blackgram/ Sesame (Kharif) - Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	Summer vegetables/ Blackgram/sesame (kharif) - Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	-Life saving supplemental irrigation -Weeding at critical stages of growth Supplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of Rabi vegetables	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation
	Rainfed medium land	Rice (Kharif)- Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	Rice (Kharif)- Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables - Select suitable rice varieties such as Satyaranjan, Basundhara, Luit and Kapilee (transplanting up to last part of August).	-Prepare dry, well bunded, flat seedbed with adequate FYM(30 kg), 80g urea, 80g SSP and 80g MOP per bed of 10mx1.25m -Seed treatment with 4% MOP (600ml/kg of seed) for 24 hrs, dry it in shade for 24 hrs and sowing -Supplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of rice Select potato varieties like Kufri Sinduri and Kufri Megha - Rabi vegetables like tomato, brinjal, chilli can be grown with suitable varieties - Supplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of rabi vegetables	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation - KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds

	Rice (Kharif) monocropping	Rice (Kharif) monocropping -Short duration rice varieties like Luit , Kapilee, Kalong etc can also be selected.	-Prepare dry, well bunded, flat seedbed with adequate FYM(30 kg), 80g urea, 80g SSP and 80g MOP per bed of 10mx1.25m -Seed treatment with 4% MOP (600ml/kg of seed) for 24 hrs, dry it in shade for 24 hrs and sowing -Supplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of riceGrowing of high yielding varieties like Satyaranjan, Basundhara etc. which can be transplanted up to last part of August Manohar Sali, Biraj, Prasadbhog, Govinda bhog etc. and traditional coarse grain photosensitive varieties with 45-60 days old seedlings can be transplanted with 6-8 seedlings per hill up to last part of August Select delayed planting varieties like Prafulla and Gitesh (60 days old seedlings)	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds
Rainfed low land	Rice (Kharif) monocropping	No change -Short duration rice varieties like Luit , Kapilee, Kalong etc can also be selected.	-Prepare dry, well bunded, flat seedbed with adequate FYM(30 kg), 80g urea, 80g SSP and 80g MOP per bed of 10mx1.25m -Seed treatment with 4% MOP (600ml/kg of seed) for 24 hrs, dry it in shade for 24 hrs and sowing -Supplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of riceGrowing of high yielding varieties like Satyaranjan, Basundhara etc. which can be transplanted up to last part of August Manohar Sali, Biraj, Prasadbhog, Govinda bhog etc. and traditional coarse grain photosensitive varieties with 45-60 days old seedlings can be transplanted with 6-8 seedlings per hill up to last part of August Select delayed planting varieties like Prafulla and Gitesh (60 days old seedlings)	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds
Flood prone	Summer vegetables – Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	Summer vegetables – Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	-Supplementary life saving irrigation at critical crop stages	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life

			saving irrigation
Sali (Kharif) as mono cropping	Late Sali (Kharif) - Short duration rice varieties like Luit , Kapilee, Kalong etc can	-If flood water recedes early and transplanting can be done by mid August, select varieties like Satyaranjan, Basundhara etc. which can be transplanted up to last part of August.	- KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds
	also be transplanted up to last part of August.	Crop should be transplanted at closer spacing with recommended dose of fertilizer as basal.	
		- Manohar Sali, Biraj, Prasadbhog, Govinda bhog etc. and traditional coarse grain photosensitive varieties with 45-60 days old seedlings can be transplanted with 6-8 seedlings per hill up to last part of August.	
		- Select delayed planting varieties like Prafulla and Gitesh (60 days old seedlings)	
		-For chronically flood affected areas, select submergence tolerant rice varieties such as Jalashree, Jalkuwari and Plaban (12-15 days submergence tolerance) which can be transplanted in June-July.	
		-Spraying of Chloropyriphos or Monochrotophos or Quinolphos @ 2ml/l against case worm and leaf folder infestation in rice.	
		-Where bacterial leaf blight appears in rice, avoid top dressing of N- fertilizer and apply K-fertilizer @ 10 kg/ha as top dressing or 5kg/ha as 3% foliar spray.	
		- Spraying of Chloropyriphos or Quinolphos @ 2ml/l and apply 5 % Malathion dust in field bunds against rice swarming caterpillar.	

Condition			Suggested Contingency measures				
Early season drought (Normal onset)	Major Farming situation	Crop/ cropping system	Crop Management	Soil nutrient & moisture conservation measures	Remarks on Implementation		
Normal onset	Rainfed upland	Rice (DS)-	Increase the seed rate upto 30% during dry		- water harvesting		

followed by 15-20 days dry spell after sowing leading to poor germination/ crop stand etc.		Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	spell Weeding at critical stages of growthApplication of sufficient quantity of FYM or compost in the main fieldTop dressing of additional quantity of K fertilizer in rice Supplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of Rabi vegetables	-Life saving supplemental irrigation	structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds
		Summer vegetables/ Blackgram/Sesame (Kharif) - Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	Weeding at critical stages of growth. - Application of sufficient quantity of FYM or compost in the main field - Supplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of Rabi vegetables -Two to three spraying of Dimethoate or Endosulfan @ 2ml/l starting from 10 days after germination at 15 days interval against YMV in blackgram/ greengram -Spraying of Karathane @ 0.5 g/l or Kethane @ 1 ml/l against mites in vegetables. -Spraying of Chloropyriphos @ 1ml/l or application of Malathion 5% dust @ 20-25 kg/ha against termite attack.	-Life saving supplemental irrigation	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds - arrangement of Pumpset for irrigation is made under RKVY & NFSM
	Rainfed medium land	Rice (winter)- Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	-Prepare dry, well bunded, flat seedbed with adequate FYM(30 kg), 80g urea, 80g SSP and 80g MOP per bed of 10mx1.25m -Seed treatment with 4% MOP (600ml/kg of seed) for 24 hrs, dry it in shade for 24 hrs and sowing -Supplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of riceApplication of sufficient quantity of FYM or compost in the nursery bed and main field.	- Green manuring practice during summer	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds

		-Where germination is severely affected, resowing of rice seed may also be recommended.	
		-Spraying of Mancozeb @ 2.5g/l or Edinophos 2 1ml/l or Carbendazim @ 1g/l against brown spot disease in rice.	
		- Spraying Carbendazim @ 1g/l followed by Mancozeb @ 2.5g/l against sheath rot disease in rice.	
		Spraying of phosphamidon @ 1-1.5 ml/l against rice mealy bug.	
		-Select suitable varieties of wheat such as Sonalika, UP262, WH291 etc	
	Rice (winter) monocropping		

Rainfed low land	Rice (winter) – rice (autumn/summer)	-Prepare dry, well bunded, flat seedbed with adequate FYM(30 kg), 80g urea, 80g SSP and 80g MOP per bed of 10mx1.25m -Seed treatment with 4% MOP (600ml/kg of seed) for 24 hrs, dry it in shade for 24 hrs and sowing -Supplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of riceApplication of sufficient quantity of FYM or compost in the nursery bed and main fieldWhere germination is severely affected, resowing of rice seed may also be recommendedSpraying of Mancozeb @ 2.5g/l or Edinophos 2 1ml/l or Carbendazim @ 1g/l	- Green manuring practice during summer	
Flood prone	Summer vegetables –	against brown spot disease in rice. - Spraying Carbendazim @ 1g/l followed by Mancozeb @ 2.5g/l against sheath rot disease in rice. Spraying of phosphamidon @ 1-1.5 ml/l against rice mealy bug. -Select suitable varieties of wheat such as Sonalika, UP262, WH291 etc	-Supplementary life saving	- water harvesting
r lood profic	Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables		irrigation at critical crop stages	structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds

	Sali rice as mono cropping	-Prepare dry, well bunded, flat seedbed with adequate FYM(30 kg), 80g urea, 80g SSP and 80g MOP per bed of 10mx1.25m -The gap of 30 cm between two beds may be converted into channel to supply water to keep the raised beds moist in the event of drought occurs. -Seed treatment with 4% MOP (600ml/kg of seed) for 24 hrs, dry it in shade for 24 hrs and sowing -Supplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of rice.	-Supplementary life saving irrigation at critical crop stages	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds
		-Application of sufficient quantity of FYM or compost in the nursery bed and main field.		
		-Where germination is severely affected, resowing of rice seed may also be recommended.		
		In chronically flood affected areas where high silt deposition occurs, there may not be any need of fertilizer application. However, in occasionally flood affected areas, a basal		
		application of fertilizer @ 40:20:20 kg/ha for semi-dwarf varieties and 20:10:10 kg/ha for tall varieties of N: P: K is recommended.		

Condition		Suggested Contingency measures				
Mid season drought (long dry spell, consecutive 2 weeks rainless (> 2.5 mm) period)	Major Farming situation	Crop/ cropping system	Crop management	Soil nutrient & moisture conservation measures	Remarks on Implementation	
At vegetative stage	Rainfed upland	Rice (DS)- Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	-Application of mulching in vegetable crops -Weeding at critical stages of growthApplication of sufficient quantity of FYM or compost in the main fieldTop dressing of additional quantity of K fertilizer in rice.	-Life saving supplemental irrigation	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation	
		Summer vegetables/ Blackgram (Kharif)/Sesame - Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	-Weeding at critical stages of growth. - Application of sufficient quantity of FYM or compost in the main field - Thinning to maintain optimum plant population. -Two to three spraying of Dimethoate or Endosulfan @ 2ml/l starting from 10 days after germination at 15 days interval against YMV in blackgram/ greengram -Spraying of Karathane @ 0.5 g/l or Kethane @ 1 ml/l against mites in vegetables. -Spraying of Chloropyriphos @ 1ml/l or application of Malathion 5% dust @ 20-25 kg/ha against termite attack.	-Life saving supplemental irrigation	water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds	
	Rainfed medium land	Rice (Kharif)- Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	-Top dressing of additional quantities of MOP @ 37.5 kg/bigha and incorporation is recommended in rice -Spraying of 2% KCL solution on leaves of rice	-Life saving supplemental irrigation at critical stages of crop growth	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life	

	Rice (Kharif) monocropping	if and when drought appears. -Top dressing of urea may be delayed up to heading stage of rice if drought prevails at the stages of top dressing -Spraying of Mancozeb @ 2.5g/l or Edinophos 2 1ml/l or Carbendazim @ 1g/l against brown spot disease in rice. - Spraying Carbendazim @ 1g/l followed by Mancozeb @ 2.5g/l against sheath rot disease in rice. -Spraying of phosphamidon @ 1-1.5 ml/l against rice mealy bug. Top dressing of additional quantities of MOP @ 37.5 kg/bigha and incorporation is recommended in rice -Spraying of 2% KCL solution on leaves of rice if and when drought appears. -Top dressing of urea may be delayed upto heading stage of rice if drought prevails at the stages of top dressing Spraying of Mancozeb @ 2.5g/l or Edinophos 2 1ml/l or Carbendazim @ 1g/l against brown spot disease in rice. - Spraying Carbendazim @ 1g/l followed by Mancozeb @ 2.5g/l against sheath rot disease in rice. -Spraying of phosphamidon @ 1-1.5 ml/l against rice mealy bug.	-Life saving supplemental irrigation at critical stages of crop growth -	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds - arrangement of pumpset, sprayer, weeder are made under NFSM & RKVY
Rainfed low land	Rice (Kharif) monocropping	-Top dressing of additional quantities of MOP @ 37.5 kg/bigha and incorporation is recommended in rice -Spraying of 2% KCL solution on leaves of rice	-Life saving supplemental irrigation at critical stages of crop growth	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life

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Flood prone	Summer vegetables – Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables		-Supplementary life saving irrigation at critical crop stages	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation - arrangement of pumpset, sprayer, weeder are made under NFSM & RKVY
	Sali (Kharif) as mono cropping	-Application of sufficient quantity of FYM or compost in the nursery bed and main fieldSupplementary life saving irrigation at critical crop stagesTop dressing of additional quantities of MOP @ 37.5 kg/bigha and incorporation is recommended in rice -Spraying of 2% KCL solution on leaves of rice if and when drought appearsTop dressing of urea may be delayed upto heading stage of rice if drought prevails at the stages of top dressing		- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation - arrangement of pumpset, sprayer, weeder are made under NFSM & RKVY

Condition			Suggested Contingency measures				
Mid season drought (long dry spell)	Major Farming situation	Crop/ cropping system	Crop Management	Soil nutrient & moisture conservation measures	Remarks on Implementation		
At reproductive stage	Rainfed upland	Rice (DS)- Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	-Weeding at critical stages of growthTop dressing of additional quantity of K fertilizer in rice	-Life saving supplemental irrigation	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds - arrangement of pumpset, sprayer, weeder are made under NFSM & RKVY		
		Summer vegetables/ Blackgram (Kharif)/Sesame - Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	-Weeding at critical stages of growth. - Thinning to maintain optimum population. Two to three spraying of Dimethoate or Endosulfan @ 2ml/l starting from 10 days after germination at 15 days interval against YMV in blackgram/ greengram -Spraying of Karathane @ 0.5 g/l or Kethane @ 1 ml/l against mites in vegetables. -Spraying of Chloropyriphos @ 1ml/l or application of Malathion 5% dust @ 20-25 kg/ha against termite attack.	-Life saving supplemental irrigation	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds - arrangement of pumpset, sprayer, weeder are made under NFSM & RKVY		
	Rainfed medium land	Rice (Kharif)- Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	-Top dressing of additional quantities of MOP @ 37.5 kg/bigha and incorporation is recommended in rice -Spraying of 2% KCL solution on leaves of rice if and when drought appears.	-Life saving supplemental irrigation at critical stages of crop growth	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation		

		-Top dressing of urea may be delayed up to heading stage of rice if drought prevails at the stages of top dressing -Spraying of phosphamidon @ 1-1.5 ml/l against rice mealy bug.		KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds - arrangement of pumpset, sprayer, weeder are made under NFSM & RKVY
Rainfed low land	Rice (Kharif) monocropping	-Top dressing of additional quantities of MOP @ 37.5 kg/bigha and incorporation is recommended in rice -Spraying of 2% KCL solution on leaves of rice if and when drought appearsTop dressing of urea may be delayed upto heading stage of rice if drought prevails at the stages of top dressing -Spraying of Mancozeb @ 2.5g/l or Edinophos 2 1ml/l or Carbendazim @ 1g/l against brown spot disease in rice Spraying Carbendazim @ 1g/l followed by Mancozeb @ 2.5g/l against sheath rot disease in riceSpraying of phosphamidon @ 1-1.5 ml/l against rice mealy bug.	-Life saving supplemental irrigation at critical stages of crop growth	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds - arrangement of pumpset, sprayer, weeder are made under NFSM & RKVY
	Rice (Kharif) monocropping	-Top dressing of additional quantities of MOP @ 37.5 kg/bigha and incorporation is recommended in rice -Spraying of 2% KCL solution on leaves of rice if and when drought appearsTop dressing of urea may be delayed upto heading stage of rice if drought prevails at the stages of top dressingSpraying of phosphamidon @ 1-1.5 ml/l against rice mealy bug.	Life saving supplemental irrigation at critical stages of crop growth	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds

Flood prone	Summer vegetables – Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables		-Supplementary life saving irrigation at critical crop stages	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation
	Sali (Kharif) as mono cropping	-Application of sufficient quantity of FYM or compost in the nursery bed and main fieldSupplementary life saving irrigation at critical crop stagesTop dressing of additional quantities of MOP @ 37.5 kg/bigha and incorporation is recommended in rice -Spraying of 2% KCL solution on leaves of rice if and when drought appearsTop dressing of urea may be delayed upto heading stage of rice if drought prevails at the stages of top dressing		- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation

Condition			Suggeste	ed Contingency measures	
Terminal drought	Major Farming situation	Crop/ cropping system	Crop management	Rabi crop planning	Remarks on Implementation
	Rainfed upland	Rice (DS)- Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	-Life saving supplemental irrigation - Pre-sowing irrigation for nursery raising and life saving irrigation after transplanting	- Early rabi cropping with Cabbage (Golden Acre, Pride of India) and Cauliflower (Pusa Deepali, Early Kunwari) - Growing of Tomato, Brinjal, and Leafy vegetables like Spinach, Radish etcGrowing of rabi field crops like toria, lentil, wheat in time with presowing irrigation if required.	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds - arrangement of

					pumpset, sprayer, weeder are made under NFSM & RKVY
		Summer vegetables/ Blackgram/ Sesame (Kharif) - Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	-Life saving supplemental irrigation -Harvesting of kharif crops at physiological maturity stage Pre-sowing irrigation for nursery raising and life saving irrigation after transplanting .Select quick growing sesame varieties such as Madhavi, Gauri and VinayakSpraying of Mancozeb @ 2.5g/l or Carbendazim @ 2.0g/l against leaf blight disease in oilseed and pulse crop.	-Growing of Cole crops like Cabbage, Cauliflower, Tomato, Brinjal, Chilli etcGrowing of rabi field crops like toria, lentil, and wheat in time with pre sowing irrigation if required.	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds - arrangement of pumpset, sprayer, weeder are made under NFSM & RKVY
n	Rainfed medium land	Rice (Kharif)- Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	-Life saving supplemental -irrigation - Pre-sowing irrigation for nursery raising and life saving irrigation after transplanting - Harvesting of kharif crops at physiological maturity stage.	-Growing of rabi vegetables like Cabbage, Cauliflower, Knolkhol, Tomato, Brinjal, Pea, Carrot etcGrowing of rabi field crops like toria, lentil, wheat in time with presowing irrigation if required.	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds - arrangement of pumpset, sprayer, weeder are made under NFSM & RKVY
		Rice (Kharif) monocropping	-Life saving supplemental irrigation - Harvesting of kharif crops at physiological maturity stage.	-Application of sufficient quantity of FYM or compost in the nursery bed and main fieldSupplementary life saving irrigation at critical crop stagesTop dressing of additional quantities of MOP @ 37.5 kg/bigha and incorporation is recommended in	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation - arrangement of pumpset, sprayer,

			rice -Spraying of 2% KCL solution on leaves of rice if and when drought appearsTop dressing of urea may be delayed upto heading stage of rice if drought prevails at the stages of top dressing	weeder are made under NFSM & RKVY
Rainfed lowland	Rice (Kharif) monocropping	-Life saving supplemental irrigation - Harvesting of kharif crops at physiological maturity stage.	-Application of sufficient quantity of FYM or compost in the nursery bed and main fieldSupplementary life saving irrigation at critical crop stagesTop dressing of additional quantities of MOP @ 37.5 kg/bigha and incorporation is recommended in rice -Spraying of 2% KCL solution on leaves of rice if and when drought appearsTop dressing of urea may be delayed upto heading stage of rice if drought prevails at the stages of top dressing	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation - arrangement of pumpset, sprayer, weeder are made under NFSM & RKVY
Flood prone	Summer vegetables – Toria/Lentil/ Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	-Life saving supplemental irrigation - Pre-sowing irrigation for nursery raising and life saving irrigation after transplanting	-Growing of Cole crops like Cabbage, Cauliflower, Tomato, Brinjal, Chilli etcGrowing of rabi field crops like toria, lentil, and wheat in time with presowing irrigation if required.	KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds - arrangement of pumpset, sprayer, weeder are made under NFSM & RKVY
	Sali (Kharif) as mono cropping	Late Sali (Kharif)	-Application of sufficient quantity of FYM or compost in the nursery bed and main fieldSupplementary life saving irrigation at critical crop stagesTop dressing of additional quantities of MOP @ 37.5 kg/bigha and incorporation is recommended in rice -Spraying of 2% KCL solution on leaves of rice if and when drought appears.	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation

-Top dressing of urea may be delayed upto heading stage of rice if drought prevails at the stages of top dressing	
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2.12 Irrigated situation

Condition	Suggested Contingency measures						
	Major Farming situation	Crop/ cropping system	Change in Crop/ cropping system	Agronomic measures	Remarks on Implementation		
Delayed/ limited release of water in canals due to low rainfall	Rainfed upland	Summer vegetables - Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	-Select short duration HYVs -Inclusion of legume crops such as lentil, pea, rajmah etc. in the existing cropping sequenceSelect suitable varieties of wheat such as Sonalika, UP262, WH291 etc - Select suitable varieties of potato	-Use of higher seed rate in wheatApplication of sufficient quantity of well rotten FYM or compostPlacement of fertilizers -Use of mulch material in potato and rabi vegetables - Life saving irrigation at critical stages of crop growth.	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds		
	Rainfed medium land	Rice (Boro)- Rice (Sali) Rice (Early ahu)- Rice (Sali)	No change No change	- Prepare dry, well bunded, flat seedbed with adequate FYM(30 kg), 80g urea, 80g SSP and 80g MOP per bed of 10mx1.25m -Seed treatment with 4% MOP (600ml/kg of seed) for 24 hrs, dry it in shade for 24 hrs and sowing -Supplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of riceLife saving irrigation at critical stages of crop growthTop dressing of additional quantities of MOP @ 37.5 kg/bigha and incorporation is recommended in rice -Spraying of 2% KCL solution on leaves of rice if moisture scarce situation prevails due to limited supply of water -Top dressing of urea may be delayed upto heading stage of rice if moisture	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation KVK & RARS are producing foundation & certified seeds		

	Rice (Sali)- Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	-No change Select short duration HYVs -Inclusion of legume crops such as lentil, pea, rajmah etc. in the existing cropping sequenceSelect suitable varieties of wheat such as Sonalika, UP262, WH291 etc Select suitable varieties of potato	scarce situation prevails due to limited supply of water. -Adoption of green manuring practiceAdoption recommended water management practice in rice. -For rice, it is same as aboveUse of higher seed rate in wheatApplication of sufficient quantity of well rotten FYM or compostPlacement of fertilizers -Use of mulch material in potato and rabi vegetables - Life saving irrigation at critical stages of crop growth.	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation
Rainfed low land	Rice (kharif) – rice (rabi/summer)	- No change	- Prepare dry, well bunded, flat seedbed with adequate FYM(30 kg), 80g urea, 80g SSP and 80g MOP per bed of 10mx1.25m -Seed treatment with 4% MOP (600ml/kg of seed) for 24 hrs, dry it in shade for 24 hrs and sowing -Supplemental irrigation in the nursery bed of riceLife saving irrigation at critical stages of crop growthTop dressing of additional quantities of MOP @ 37.5 kg/bigha and incorporation is recommended in rice -Spraying of 2% KCL solution on leaves of rice if moisture scarce situation prevails due to limited supply of water -Top dressing of urea may be delayed upto heading stage of rice if moisture scarce situation prevails due to limited supply of waterAdoption of green manuring practice.	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation - arrangement of pumpset &sprayer are made under NFSM & RKVY

Flood group	Come or shove	Sama as abaya	-Adoption recommended water management practice in rice.	
Flood prone	Same as above Rice (Early ahu)- Wheat/Potato/Rabi vegetables	Same as above Same as above	Same as abo ve	- water harvesting structures under NREGA have been made for life saving irrigation - arrangement of pumpset & sprayer are made under NFSM & RKVY

Condition			Suggested Conting	gency measures	
	Major Farming situation	Crop/ cropping system	Change in Crop/	Agronomic	Remarks on
			cropping system	measures	Implementation
Non release of water in canals					
under delayed onset of					
monsoon in catchment	NOT APPLICABLE				
Condition			Suggested Conting	gency measures	
	Major Farming situation	Crop/ cropping system	Change in Crop/	Agronomic	Remarks on
			cropping system	measures	Implementation
Lack of inflows into tanks due					
to insufficient/ delayed onset of					
monsoon	NOT APPLICABLE				

Condition		Suggested Contingency measures			
	Major Farming situation	Crop/ cropping system	Change in Crop/	Agronomic	Remarks on
			cropping system	measures	Implementation

Insufficient groundwater	
recharge due to low rainfall	
	NOT APPLICABLE

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

Condition	Suggested contingency measures			
Continuous high rainfall in a short span leading to water logging	Vegetative stage	Flowering stage	Crop maturity stage	Post harvest
Maize	-Excess rain water to be drained out through surface drainage channel of 25cm wide, 15cm deep spaced at 6 m -Light hoeing and weeding	Excess rain water to be drained out through surface drainage channel of 25cm wide, 15cm deep spaced at 6 m	Excess rain water to be drained out through surface drainage channel of 25cm wide, 15cm deep spaced at 6 m	Proper drying of grains to maintain optimum moisture percentage for storage
Black gram/ Sesame	-Excess rain water to be drained out through surface drainage channel of 25cm wide, 15cm deep spaced at 6 m -Light hoeing and weeding	Excess rain water to be drained out through surface drainage channel of 25cm wide, 15cm deep spaced at 6 m	Excess rain water to be drained out through surface drainage channel of 25cm wide, 15cm deep spaced at 6 m	Proper drying of grains to maintain optimum moisture percentage for storage
Rice	-Sow rice seed in raised nursery bed with 30cm gap between two bedsLight hoeing and weeding	Excess rain water to be drained out through surface drainage channel to avoid submergence	Excess rain water to be drained out through surface drainage channel to avoid submergence	Proper drying of grains to maintain optimum moisture percentage (12-14%) for storage
Vegetables	-Adoption of proper measures to drain out excess water -Light hoeing and weeding	Adoption of proper measures to drain out excess water	Adoption of proper measures to drain out excess water	-Drying of the produce

2.3 Floods

Condition	Suggested contingency measures			
Transient water	Seedling/ Nursery stage Vegetative stage Reproductive stage At harvest			

logging/ partial inundation				
Paddy	-Make provision for drainage channel in between two beds. If not possible go for re -sowing if time permits *Note-In areas where flood occurs regularly, start cultivation of rice from last part of August onward depending on flood situation. - Selection of suitable varieties Timely sown HYVs should be avoided. -Photo insensitive short duration varieties with young seedlings. -Photosensitive long duration varieties with old seedlings. -Direct seeding of short duration varieties.	-Drainage of excess water. Apply 25% N as top dressing during the tillering stage. -In partially damaged field. Gap filling may be done by redistributing the tillers. -Management of pests & diseases - If crop is fully damaged Transplanting of medium duration HYVs like 'Satyaranjan' and 'Basundhara' can be transplanted up to last part of August. -In chronically flood affected areas where flood water is expected to recede by the last part of August, short duration varieties like Luit, Kapilee, Kalong, Disang etc. can be transplanted up to first week of September. -In absence of these varieties, traditional photoperiod sensitive course grain Sali varieties can be transplanted with old seedlings up to 1st week of September. -In areas where crop is damaged before mid September or where there is no time for seedling raising, sprouted seeds of extra early varieties such as Luit, Kapilee, Kalong, Disang etc. or any traditional photoperiod sensitive course grain varieties can be broadcast in puddle soil.	-Drainage of excess water. If flood comes during reproductive stage, emphasis should be given on forthcoming rabi crops. -Utilization of residual soil moisture and use of recharged soil profile for growing pulses -Growing of vegetables after receding flood water to compensate the loss during kharif. -In areas where crop is damaged before mid September or where there is no time for seedling raising, sprouted seeds of extra early varieties such as Luit, Kapilee, Kalong, Disang etc. or any traditional photoperiod sensitive course grain varieties can be broadcast in puddle soil.	 Drainage of excess water. If flood comes during reproductive stage, emphasis should be given on forthcoming rabi vegetables and field crops. Supply of seeds and other agro-inputs of rabi crops at subsidized rate, provision of bank loan etc. Utilization of residual soil moisture and use of recharged soil profile for growing pulses. In areas where irrigation facilities available farmers can opt for summer paddy with HYV.

Maize	Ensure drainage facility, sowing	Drain out the excess water, Make	Ensure drainage, Make ridge &	Harvest the cobs as soon as possible.
	should be done in ridges. If crop is	ridge & furrows.	furrows.	
	damaged then re-sow.			
Pulses and Make provision for drainage, r				-Harvest the crop as soon as possible.
Oilseeds	sow the seeds if time permits	Ensure drainage facility.	Drain out the excess water.	– If the crop is fully damaged go for
Officeus	sow the seeds if time permits			upland crops during rabi season.
Horticulture	NA NA			
Sea water	NA			
inundation				

2.3 Extreme events: Heat wave/ Cold wave/ Frost/ Hailstorm/ Cyclone:

Extreme event type	Suggested contingency measures			
	Seedling/Nursery stage	Vegetative stage	Reproductive stage	At harvest
Heat Wave	NA			
Cold wave	NA			
Frost	NA			
Hailstorm	NA			
Cyclone	NA			

2.5 Contingent strategies for Livestock, Poultry & Fisheries

2.5.1 Livestock

	Suggested contingency measures		
	Before the event	During the event	After the event
Drought			
Feed and fodder availability	-Encourage fodder cultivation during rainy season. On boundaries of agricultural field, fodder trees or shrubs like Sesbania, Subabul, etc. should be planted. Encourage cultivation of fodder grass like napier, Oat, Gunie & Dinanath and excess fodder may be stored as hay/silageEstablishment of fodder bank by excess production of improved variety of fodder grass in nearby forest areasImprovement of mineral content of paddy straw by treatment with Urea & Molassesencourage cultivation of Azolla in artificial pond as well as in paddy fieldTraining & awareness camp among extension personnel for needful at time of exigenciesInsurance of Livestock.	-Utilizing fodder from perennial trees and fodder bank reservesTransporting excess fodder from adjoining districtsUse of unconventional livestock feed such as paddy straw, rice bran, banana plant, crop residues, edible weeds and other tree leaves etcUsing Urea -Molasses treated straw , urea-molasses mineral block etc to feed the livestockProvision for health care.	-Avail insurance facility Supplementary feeding of remaining livestock and the replacement stock -Provision for health care.
Drinking water	Preserve water in community tanks, ponds etc. with sanitization, Wells or dug wells may be constructed in advance, Training & awareness camp among extension personnel	 Animals not to be exposed to outside rather they should be commonly fed. Provide drinking water from the sources created before the occurrence of the event. Provision for health care. 	Plan accordingly for next year.
Health and diseases management	Veterinary preparedness with vaccines & medicinesTraining & awareness camp among extension personnel including NGOs, SHGs and Gopal Mitras.	 Organise animal health camps and treating the affected animals. Supplementation of mineral and vitamin mixtures. 	-Culling of unproductive livestock, -Proper disposal of dead animals
Floods			

Feed and fodder availability	-Encourage fodder cultivation during rainy season. On boundaries of agricultural field, fodder trees or shrubs like Sesbania, Subabul, etc. should be planted, Excess fodder may be stored as hay/silage, Establish fodder bank near forest areas, Training & awareness camp among extension personnel for needful at time of exigencies. -Insurance of Livestock.	 Utilizing fodder from perennial trees and fodder bank reserves. Transporting excess fodder from adjoining flood free areas. Use of unconventional livestock feed such as paddy straw, rice bran, banana plant, crop residues, and other tree leaves etc. Improve quality of poor roughages by ammonia treatment, urea treatment, urea molasses mineral block etc and feeding them. Provision for health care. 	Provision of supplementary feeding (concentrate / Roughage) with vitamin & minerals.
Drinking water	Preserve safe drinking water in community tanks. Provision for chlorine tablets for sanitization of water and bleaching powder for disinfection of habitats & shelter places Training & awareness camp among extension personnel	Provide clean and safe drinking water to the animals.	Provision of clean drinking water.
Health and diseases management	-Construction of shelter places in elevated points -Vaccination of livestock -Keep the emergency service kit (first Aid Requisites) ready always containing Cotton wool, Bandages, Surgical gauze, old cotton sheets, Rubber tubing (for tourniquet), Surgical scissors – Curved and made of stainless steel, Forceps, Splints or Split bamboos (for fractures), Clinical thermometers, Potassium permanganate, Acriflvin, Dettol, Savlon, Tannic acid powder (for poisons) and Jelly (for burns) Antibiotic eye drops, Epsom salts, copper sulphate, Treacle, oil of turpentine (for bloat), Obstetric ropes, chains and hooks, Tincture of iodine, tincture of Benzoin Co.(for wounds), Cotton rope, halters (for restraint) & the like.	-Engage one veterinarian for 3 to 4 villages to work with the help of local volunteers. -The team should be well equipped with contingent items like bandages, tourniquet ropes, drugs including painkillers, antiseptics, antibiotics, anti-venom and anti-shock drugs etc. -Keep the animals loose in paddock (sheltered or unsheltered) -Release animals from the unnatural and harmful position or situation, binding broken limbs, administering painkillers, anti-poison and anti-shock drugs.	-Prompt and appropriate attention to injuries by providing necessary medicines to the livestock ownersVaccination campaign against common endemic diseases of the areas (like H.S. B.Q, Anthrax etc.) must be taken up urgently Necessary steps should be taken for the control of non-specific digestive and respiratory infections in consultation of local veterinary personalsImproving shed hygiene especially in the farmers household through cleaning and disinfection
Cyclone		NA	· · · ·
Heat wave and cold wave		NA	

2.5.2 Poultry

	Suggested contingency measures		
	Before the event	During the event	After the event
Drought			
Shortage of feed ingredients	 -Procurement of feed ingredients well ahead of time -Establish feed serve bank -Insurance of Poultry farms -Production of feed ingredients locally 	-Feed utilization from feed bank -Provision for supplementation of feed -Mixing feed as per norms with locally available ingredients.	-Avail insurance as per the norms -Make feed ingredient or compound feed available to the farmers
Drinking water	-Identify water source for ensuring sufficient potable water during draught -Preserve safe drinking water in community tank.	Provide sanitized drinking water	Plan accordingly for the next year
Health and diseases management	 -Procurement of vaccines and medicines and antistress agent. -Feeding antibiotics -Procurement of low cost litter materials 	Administration of vaccines timelyContinue feeding of antistress agent	Culling of affected birds
Floods			
Shortage of feed ingredients	Ensure procurement of feed ingredients / compound feed well ahead	Supply the compound feed to the poultry farm under submerged area	Supply will continued till the situation is under control
Drinking water	 Preserve safe drinking water in community tanks. Provision for chlorine tablets for sanitization of water and bleaching powder for disinfection of habitats & shelter places 	Provide sanitized drinking water along with preventive dose of water soluble antibacterial agent	Sanitization of water sources with bleaching powder or any water sanitizer
Health and diseases management	-Procurement of vaccines and medicinesFeeding antibiotics -Procurement of litter materials	-Continue feeding antibiotics -Replace wet litter -Proper disposal of dead birds if any	-Disinfection of the farm premisesFeeding antibiotics and deworming agent Replace wet litter -Disinfection of sheds. Proper disposal of dead birds if any
Cyclone	NA	•	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Heat wave and cold wave	NA		

2.5.3 Fisheries

	Suggested contingency measures		
	Before the event	During the event	After the event
Drought (Aquaculture)			
Shallow water in ponds due to insufficient rains/inflow	 Restricted release of water from reservoir. Supplementary water harvest structures like pond and tanks have to be developed. Renovation and maintenance of existing water harvesting structures 	-Restrict lifting of water for irrigation purpose of crops -Catch the stock, marketing of the produce to reduce the density of population in ponds.	-Excavate the ponds to increase the depth.-Try to release water into the pond if it rains in off-season
Impact of heat & salt load build up in ponds / change in water quality Floods	Prepare to release water into the habitat	Mixing of water from the water harvest structure like ponds and tanks into the fish habitat.	Monitoring the water quality and health of aquatic organisms
Innundation with flood waters	-Construction of human shelterStorage of sand filled bags for emergency useRepair and maintenance of bundsPreparedness for relief -Insurance coverage provision for life and property	-Timely broadcast and telecast and other types of announcement warning about the danger level with respect to water level. - Evacuation of people to flood shelter areas. - Relief operation.	 Relief operation will continue. Care of health of affected people Settlement of insurance. Financial support to other people.
Water contamination & change in water quality	Take appropriate measures to check seepage into pond e.g. Raising bunds to prevent entry of water	Check the water quality & take appropriate action	 Application of lime and geolite. Application of Alum. Application of KMnO₄
Health and diseases management	Stock preventive medicines and vaccines	-Prevent influx of diseased fish from outside source, Check through nets -Administer medicines through random catch Disinfect water by lime, KMnO4	 Application of lime and KMnO₄ Assessment of the health status of fish and accordingly control measure should be taken. Control on transport of brooders and seeds.
Cyclone	NA		
Heat wave and cold wave	NA		