

## Special Post-Cyclone 'SITRANG' Agromet Advisories for the following districts:

Satkhira, Khulna, Bagerhat, Jhalokati, Pirojpur, Barguna, Patuakhali, Bhola, Barishal Lakshmipur, Chandpur, Naokhali, Feni, Chattogram and Cox's Bazar.

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Agromet advisories are given below:

- Drain out excess water from the paddy field.
- When the water recedes from the land, make preparations for the preparation of boro seedbeds and sowing of rabi seeds.
- Collect mature and fallen paddy quickly and store in a safe place.
- Tie five/six bunches of immature and fallen paddy together.
- In the current growth stage of Aman paddy plant, fragrant cultivars may suffer from leaf blast and susceptible cultivars (like BRRI Dhan49, BRRI Dhan75, BRRI Dhan79) may develop false smut disease. To prevent panicle blast disease, mix tricyclazole group fungicides such as Trooper 8 grams per 10 liters of water or Strobin group fungicides such as Nativo 6 grams per 10 liters of water and spray 5 decimal of the land twice in the afternoon at 7 days interval. Similarly, apply fungicides of the propiconazole group such as Tilt to prevent false smut disease.
- Re-sow vegetable seeds and plant seedlings after the water is drained out from the land.
- Keep livestock and poultry in a safe and dry place.
- Apply 250-300 grams of lime per decimal for cleaning if dirty water enters into the pond.

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