

Special Agromet Advisories for the districts which are likely to affected by flood situations

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According to the Flood Forecast issued by the Flood Forecasting & Warning Centre (FFWC) of Bangladesh Water Development Board during next few days, the water level in Ganga will continue to rise. Due to increase in water level in Ganga river, water level in Padma river is also started increasing. This may result in mid-level flood situation for next few days in low lying areas of Pabna, Chapai Nawabganj, Rajshahi, Natore, Kushtia, Magura, Rajbari, Manikgonj, Faridpur, Madaripur, Shariatpur & Munshigonj Districts. Under such situation, following special advisories are issued for the above districts which are likely to affected by flood situations.

Special Agromet Advisories

- Raise the bund around the crop field
- Construct channels around the paddy field for drainage.
- Clean the irrigation channel for draining out extra water from the field.
- Hold on all agricultural operations like application of irrigation, fertilizers, pesticides etc.
- Do not sow the winter vegetables.
- Immediately harvest the matured vegetables.
- Provide mechanical support to banana & standing vegetables.
- Arrange for popping of sugarcane.
- Arrange boats for migration of essential food items and others from low to high land.
- Arrange for migration of livestock and poultry birds to high land.
- Maintain a good height of embankment around the pond. If possible provide net or bamboo chatai around the pond to protect from flowing out fish with flash flood.