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MONTHLY REPORT FORWARDED IN THE MONTH OF APRIL 2024 DETAILS FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH 2024

01. Planting District : Nilgiris
02. Production : 1.27 M.kg
03. Production compared to the corresponding month of the previous year : High / Same/Low
04. Reasons for increase or decrease in production : Good night temperature
05. Likely output in the current month and next two months : 1.20 M.kg
May 2024 : 1.40 M.kg
June 2024 : 1.40 M.kg

06. Rainfall

Date	mm	Date	mm	Date	mm
01	0.0	11	0.0	21	0.0
02	0.0	12	0.0	22	0.7
03	1.5	13	0.0	23	3.1
04	0.0	14	0.0	24	0.0
05	0.0	15	0.0	25	0.0
06	0.0	16	0.0	26	0.0
07	0.0	17	0.0	27	0.0
08	0.0	18	0.0	28	0.0
09	0.0	19	0.0	29	0.0
10	0.0	20	0.0	30	
				31	
Total for the month			3.8	mm	
B/F from January			147.2	mm	
			151.0	mm	

Weather - Any special climatic features like temperature, relative humidity, sunshine hours, drought, wind, frost etc. : Drought

Period	Mean Temperature (°C)				Mean Relative Humidity (%)				Total Rainfall	
	2024		2023		2024		2023		2024	2023
	Min	Max	Min	Max	0830 h	1430 h	0830 h	1430 h	mm	mm
1 – 10	13.6	24.6	11.0	22.5	61	49	58	44	0.0	0.5
11 – 20	14.2	25.2	12.8	23.1	64	59	73	61	0.0	6.5
21 –31	14.3	24.8	14.4	24.2	69	49	77	68	3.8	109.3

- 08. Incidence of pests and diseases : Severe
- 09. Power supply : Adequate/Inadequate
- 10. Labour situation like go-slow, strike, closure etc : -
- 11. Input availability : -
- 12. Meetings :
 - Dr. P. Murugesan attended expert session on **“Avocado Cultivation in Plantation and Human Animal Conflict”** at UPASI Hall, Coonoor on 22.03.24
 - Dr. P. Murugesan attended **“Planters-Scientists- Agrochemical Interactive Session”** at Jenny’s Residency Coimbatore on 23.03.24.
- 13. Major issues (Give details of major and significant issues) : -
- 14. Major events (Give details of sports / visitors etc.) : -
- 15. Information on other plantation crops, if any : -

Date: 08.03.2024

Advisory Officer