State: ASSAM

Agriculture Contingency Plan for District: SIVASAGAR

Agro-Climatic/Ecological Zone							
Agro Ecological Sub Region (ICAR)	Assam And Bengal Plain, Hot Subhumid To Humid ((Inclusion Of Perhumid) Eco-Region. ((15.4)				
Agro-Climatic Zone (Planning Commission)	Eastern Himalayan Region (II)						
Agro Climatic Zone (NARP)	Upper Brahmaputra Valley Zone(AS-2)						
List all the districts or part thereof falling under the	he Tinsukia, Dibrugarh, Sivasagar, Jorhat, Golaghat						
List all the districts or part thereof falling under the NARP Zone	Tinsukia, Dibrugarh, Sivasagar, Jorhat, Golaghat						
1	Tinsukia, Dibrugarh, Sivasagar, Jorhat, Golaghat Latitude	Longitude	Altitude				
NARP Zone		Longitude 94.25° to 95.25 E	Altitude 86.6 m				
NARP Zone	Latitude						

1.2	1.2 Rainfall		Normal Rainy days	Normal Onset (specify week and month)	Normal Cessation (specify week and month)
			(number)		
	SW monsoon (June-Sep):	352.43	-	1 st Week of June	2nd week of October
	NE Monsoon(Oct-Dec):	53.13	-	3rd week of October	2 nd Week of November
	Winter (Jan- March)	59.93	-		
	Summer (Apr-May)	247.8	-		
	Annual	1478.1	-		
		mm			

1.3	Land use	Geographical	Cultivable	Forest	Land under	Permanent	Cultivable	Land	Barren and	Current	Other
	pattern of the	area ('000 ha)	area ('000	area	non-	Pastures	wasteland	under	uncultivable	Fallows	fallows
	district (latest		ha)	('000	agricultural use	('000 ha)	('000 ha)	Misc. tree	land ('000	('000 ha)	('000
	statistics)			ha)	('000 ha)			crops and	ha)		ha)
								groves			
								('000 ha)			
	Area ('000 ha)	260.29	136.822	30.46	56.15	7.330	1.820	20.061	7.336	4.71	2.931

Source: Statistical Hand Book, ASSAM, 2011

1. 4	Major Soils (common names like red sandy loam deep soils (etc.,)*	Area ('000 ha)	Percent (%) of total
1.	Inseptisol (Old alluvial soil)		
	Fine soil	6.932	3
	Fine Loamy	129.931	58
2.	Entisol (Recent alluvial soil)		
	Course loamy	20.603	9
	Fine loamy	29.609	13
	Course silty	5.647	2
	Fine soil	32.666	15
	Others (specify):		

^{*} mention colour, depth and texture (heavy, light, sandy, loamy, clayey etc) and give vernacular name, if any, in brackets (data source : SREP, Sivasagar District)

1.5	Agricultural land use	Area ('000 ha)	Cropping intensity %
	Net sown area	136.822	
	Area sown more than once	18.440	124
	Gross cropped area	155.262	134

1.6	Irrigation	Area (*000 ha)						
	Net irrigated area	3.874						
	Gross irrigated area							
	Rainfed area	106.871						
	Sources of Irrigation	Number	Area ('000 ha)	% of total irrigated area				
	Canals							
	Tanks							
	Shallow tubewel	224						
	Low lift pump	327	327					
	Deep tubewell	3						

Open wells			
Bore wells	7		
Lift irrigation schemes			
Micro-irrigation			
Other sources (please specify) (LLP)	327		
Total Irrigated Area			
Pump sets			
No. of Tractors			
Groundwater availability and use* (Data source: State/Central Ground water Department /Board)	No. of blocks/ Tehsils	(%) area	Quality of water (specify the problem such as high levels of arsenic, fluoride saline etc)
Over exploited			
Critical			
Semi- critical			
Safe			
Wastewater availability and use			
Ground water quality			•
-exploited: groundwater utilization > 100%; critica	l: 90-100%; semi-critical: 70-9	00%; safe: <70%	

1.7 Area under major field crops & horticulture (as per latest figures) (Specify year 2009-10)

Major field crops cultivated	Area ('000ha)								
		Kharif			Rabi	Summer	Grand total		
	Irrigated	Rainfed	Total	Irrigated	Rainfed	Total	Summer	Grand total	
Winter Rice	-			-	-		-	106.726	
Autumn Rice	-	-	0.4455	-	-	0.01378	-	0.4455	
Summer Rice	-	-					-	0.01378	
Wheat	-			-	-	0.333		0.0842 0.0305 0.250 0.333 1.263	
Greengram			0.0305	-	-				
Blackgram				-	-				
Peas	-	-		-	-				
Rape and Mustard	-			-	-				
Sugarcane	-	-	0.087	-	-		-	0.087	
Jute	-	-	0.05875	-	-		-	0.05875	
Horticulture crops -					-				
Fruits		Total		Irrigated			Rainfed ('000 ha)		
Banana			1.887	-			1.887		
Orange		0.185			-			0.185	
Pine apple	0.1755		5 -			0.1755			
Papaya				1 -			0.151		
Arecanut		3.175						3.175	
	Cultivated Winter Rice Autumn Rice Summer Rice Wheat Greengram Blackgram Peas Rape and Mustard Sugarcane Jute Horticulture crops - Fruits Banana Orange Pine apple Papaya	Cultivated Irrigated	Kharif Irrigated Rainfed Winter Rice - - Autumn Rice - - Summer Rice - - Wheat - - Greengram - - Blackgram - - Peas - - Rape and Mustard - - Sugarcane - - Jute - - Horticulture crops - Fruits Total Banana Orange Pine apple Papaya	Kharif Irrigated Rainfed Total Winter Rice - - 106.726 Autumn Rice - - 0.4455 Summer Rice - - - Wheat - - 0.0305 Blackgram - - 0.250 Peas - - - Rape and Mustard - - 0.087 Jute - - 0.05875 Horticulture crops - Fruits Total Banana 1.887 Orange 0.185 Pine apple 0.1755 Papaya 0.151	Kharif Irrigated Rainfed Total Irrigated Winter Rice - - 106.726 - Autumn Rice - - 0.4455 - Summer Rice - - - - Wheat - - - - Greengram - - 0.0305 - Blackgram - - 0.250 - Peas - - - - Rape and Mustard - - 0.087 - Jute - 0.05875 - Horticulture crops - Fruits - - 0.05875 - Banana 1.887 - - Orange 0.185 - - Pine apple 0.1755 - Papaya 0.151 -	Kharif Rabi Irrigated Rainfed Total Irrigated Rainfed Winter Rice - - 106.726 - - Autumn Rice - - 0.4455 - - Summer Rice - - - - - Wheat -	Kharif Rabi Irrigated Rainfed Total Irrigated Rainfed Total Winter Rice - - 106.726 - - Autumn Rice - - 0.4455 - - Summer Rice - - - 0.01378 Wheat - - 0.0305 - - Greengram - - 0.0305 - - Blackgram - - 0.250 - - Peas - - 0.250 - - Peas - - 0.0333 - - Rape and Mustard - - 0.087 - - Jute - - 0.05875 - - Horticulture crops - Fruits Total Irrigated Banana 1.887 - - Orange 0.1755 - -	Kharif Rabi Summer Winter Rice - - 106.726 -	

	Coconut	0.493	-	0.493
	Litchi	0.043	-	0.043
	Mango	0.089	-	0.089
	Jackfruit	0.445	-	0.445
	Assam lemon	0.810	-	0.810
	Onion	0.0805		0.0805
	Ginger	0.19627	-	0.19627
	Turmeric	0.23013	-	0.23013
	Chilli	0.10034	-	0.10034
	Blackpepper	0.0422	-	0.0422
	Garlic	0.0395	-	0.0395
	Coriander	0.024	-	0.024
	Potato	0.945	-	0.945
Others (specify)	Other fruits	0.022	-	

Source: Deptt. of Agriculture, 2009-10

1.7c	Horticulture crops - Vegetables	Total area ('000 ha)	Irrigated area ('000 ha)	Rainfed area ('000 ha)
1	Summer vegetable	1.882		
2	Winter vegetable	3.236		
1.7d	d Medicinal and Aromatic Total area ('000 ha) crops		Irrigated area ('000 ha)	Rainfed area ('000 ha)

1				
Others (specify)				
1.7e	Plantation crops	Total area ('000 ha)	Irrigated area ('000 ha)	Rainfed area ('000 ha)
1	areca nut	3.175		
2	Coconut	0.493		
Others (Specify)	Eg., industrial pulpwood crops etc.			
1.7f	Fodder crops	Total area ('000 ha)	Irrigated area ('000 ha)	Rainfed area ('000 ha)
1	-	-	-	-
Others (Specify)	-	-	-	-
1.7g	Grazing land			
1.7h	Sericulture etc		-	
1	Eri	7.62334		
2	Muga	9.80154		
3	Mulbery	4.704		
1.7i	Others (specify)			

1.8	Livestock (in number) (Data source: SHA, 2011)			Male ('000)		Female ('000)			Total ('000)	
	Indigenous Cattle			308.222						
	Cross bread cattle		-							
	Buffaloes		-		-			16.520		
	Goat				-			75.488		
	Others (Pig,		-		-			62.994		
	Commercial dairy farms (Number	r)						-		
1.9	Poultry			No. of farms			Total N	o. of birds ('	000)	
	Fowl		-					408.658		
	Duck		-					131.795		
1.10	Fisheries (Data source: Chief P	lanning Officer o	f distri	ict)	1					
	A. Capture									
	i) Marine (Data Source: Fisheries Department)	No. of fishern	men Boats		ats	Nets			Storage facilities (Ice plants etc.)	
	risheries Departmenty		-	Mechanized	Non- mechanized	Mechanized (Trawl nets, Gill nets)	(Sho	nechanized re Seines, & trap nets)	cic.)	
	ii) Inland (Data Source: Fisheries Department)		mer owned ponds		No. of R	No. of Reservoirs		No.	No. of village tanks	
	B. Culture									
				No.		Yield (t/ha)		Pi	roduction ('000 tons)	
	i) Brackish water (Data Source: MPEDA/ Fisheries Department)									
	ii) Fresh water (Data Source: F Department)	isheries								
	Others									
	Reg. beel fisheries			23						
	Reg. river fisheries		9							

1.11 Production and Productivity of major crops (Average of 3 years, 205-06, 2006-07, 2007-08)

1.11	Name of crop	Kharif		F	Rabi	Summer Total		Crop residue as		
		Production ('000 t)	Productivity (kg/ha)	fodder ('000 tons)						
Major	Field crops (Crop	ps to be identi	fied based on total	acreage)						
1	Winter Rice	262.0378	3500							
2	Autumn Rice	0.53825	2056.667							
3	Summer Rice	0.10275	2333.333							
4	Wheat	0.0425	700							
5	Greengram	0.016425	650							
6	Blackgram	0.1275	700							
7	Peas	0.1555	573.3333							
8	Rape and Mustard	0.69125	696.6667							
9	Sugarcane	4.9125	60000							
10	Jute	0.45925	10416.67							

[ajor]	Horticultural crop	os (Crops to b	e identified based on	total acrea	ige)			
1	Banana	19.0085	15185					
2	Orange	0.134	1615					
3	Pine apple	2.45525	14550					
4	Papaya	1.53975	12511.67					
5	Arecanut	2.67025	1060					
6	Coconut		80 nuts /plant					
7	Litchi	0.1335	4270					
8	Mango	0.2785	4316.667					
9	Jackfruit	8.16475	24621					
10	Assam lemon	3.11875	6211.667					
11	Onion	0.117	2010					

12	Ginger	0.7965	5566.667				
13	Turmeric	0.11825	600				
14	Chilli	0.0655	663.3333				
15	Blackpepper	0.01033	500				
16	Garlic	0.01675	586.6667				
17	Coriander						

1.12	Sowing window for 5 major	Sali Paddy	Rape &	Potato	Wheat	Maize
	field crops		mustard			
	(start and end of normal					
	sowing period)					
	Kharif- Rainfed	June to July	Mid Oct to Mid			March to April
			November			
	Rabi- Rainfed	-	-	Mid Oct to Mid	Oct- Nov	Oct- Nov
				November		
	Rabi-Irrigated	-	-	-	-	

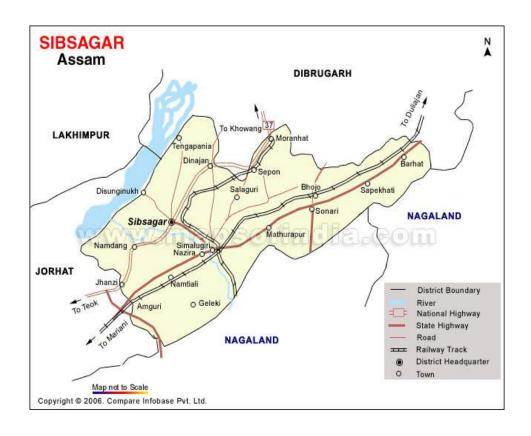
1.13	What is the major contingency the district is prone to? (Tick mark)	Regular	Occasional	None
	Drought		→	
	Flood	~		
	Cyclone			~
	Hail storm		✓	
	Heat wave			~
	Cold wave			~
	Frost			~
	Sea water intrusion			~
	Pests and disease outbreak (specify)		~	
	Others (specify)			
	Crop	Severe	Moderate	Mild
	Winter Rice		Stem borer, Case worm, Leaf folder, Gandhi bug, Rodent, Blast, Hispa, WBPH,BLB, Bakane,	BPH, GPH, False smut
	Rapseed & Mustard		Aphid and saw fly	
	Wheat		Rodent	
	Banana		Cercospora leaf spot	

	Vegetables	Bacterial wilt, , Late blight of potato/tomato	Fungal wilt, Damping off, anthracknose in chili, White grub, Fruit and shoot borer, TLCV Collar rot, blight,
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6 out of 10 years = Regular

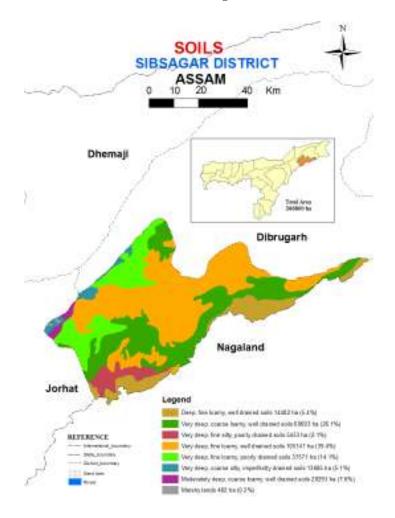
1.14	Include Digital maps of	Location map of district within State as Annexure I	Enclosed: Yes
	the district for		
		Mean annual rainfall as Annexure 2	Enclosed: Yes
		Soil map as Annexure 3	Enclosed: Yes

Annexure – 1: LOCATION MAP SIVASAGAR DISTRICT



Annexure - 3: SOIL MAP OF Sivasagar

Source: NBSS & LUP, Regional Centre, Jorhat



2.0 Strategies for weather related contingencies

2.1 Drought

2.1.1 Rainfed situation

Condition			Sug	Suggested Contingency measures				
Early season drought (delayed onset)	Major Farming situation ^a	Normal Crop / Cropping system ^b	Change in crop / cropping system ^c including variety	Agronomic measures ^d	Remarks on Implementation ^e			
Delay by 2 weeks	Rainfed medium land	a. Sali Rice	No need of change	-	-			
June 3 rd week	Rainfed low land situation	a. Bao Rice	-do-	Use of organic manure if possible	-			
vane o week		b.Rice + Wheat	Grow Medium duration rice varieties like Lachit, Chilarai followed by short duration wheat variety	Use closure spacing of 10cm x10 cm Use of organic manure like FYM	The seed should be made available through Seed Village or ASC, Assam, Production of vermicompost or enriched compost may be promoted through community basis			
	Up land situation	Kharif Maize	Nil	Use of organic manure if possible Mulching between the rows				

Condition				Suggested Contingency meas	ures
Early season drought (delayed onset)	Major Farming situation ^a	Normal Crop/cropping system ^b	Change in crop/cropping system ^c	Agronomic measures ^d	Remarks on Implementation ^e
Delay by 4 weeks	Rainfed medium land	a. Sali Rice	No need of change		
(Specify month) July 1 st week	Rainfed low land situation	a. Bao Rice	-do-	Use of organic manure if possible 3 % foliar spray of KCl	
		b.Rice + Wheat (DWR/Sonalika)	Grow Medium duration rice varieties like Lachit, Chilarai followed by short duration wheat variety	1.Use closure spacing 10cmx10cm 2.Use of sufficient organic manure	The seed should be made available through Seed Village or ASC, Assam, Production of vermicompost or enriched compost may be promoted through community basis
	Up land situation	Kharif Maize	Nil	Use of organic manure if possible Mulching between the rows	LLP may be provided on community basis

Condition			Suggested Contingency measures				
Early season drought (delayed onset)	Major Farming situation ^a	Normal Crop/cropping system ^b	Change in crop/cropping system ^c	Agronomic measures ^d	Remarks on Implementation ^e		
Delay by 6 weeks (Specify month) July 3 rd week	Rainfed medium land	Sali Rice	Sowing of seeds for medium duration varieties like Jaya, Satyaranjan, Basundhara, Pankaj, IR 36 etc	1. Closure spacing of 10cmx10cm 2. Use organic manure 3. Provision of life saving irrigation if possible.	The seed should be made available through Seed Village or ASC, Assam, Production of vermicompost or enriched compost may be promoted through community basis		
	Rainfed low land situation	Bao Rice	-do-	 Use of organic manure 2 % foliar spray of KCl on leaves if drought appears. 			

	b.Rice + Wheat	Grow Medium duration rice	1.Use closure spacing	1.The seed should be made
		varieties like Lachit, Chilarai	of 10cmx10cm	available through Seed Village or
		followed by short duration	2.Use of organic	ASC, Assam,
		wheat variety	manure	2.Production of vermicompost or
			3.Provision of life	enriched compost may be
			saving irrigation if	promoted through community
			possible.	basis
Up land situation	Kharif Maize	Nil	1. Use of organic	LLP may be provided on
			manure	community basis
			2Mulching between	-
			the rows	

Condition			Suggested Contingency measures				
Early season drought(delayed onset)	Major Farming situation ^a	Normal Crop/cropping system ^b	Change in crop/cropping system ^c	Agronomic measures ^d	Remarks on Implementation ^e		
Delay by 8 weeks (Specify month) August 1st week	Rainfed medium land	a. Sali Rice	1. Use of local Sali varieties i.e, Monohar Sali , Andrew Sali etc. 2. Use of short duration rice varieties like Luit, Disang as pre germinated direct seeding. 3. Use of staggered planting variety like Gitesh, Prafulla etc.	1. Closure spacing of (10cm x 10cm)with 4-5 nos of seedling per hill	The seed should be made available through Seed Village or ASC, Assam, The contingent varieties should be raised on community basis		
	Rainfed low land situation	a. Bao Rice	Land should be prepared for Rape & mustard crop	1.Use of high yielding oilseed variety(TS- 36, TS-38)	Seeds and inputs should be made available at farmers doorstep		
		b.Rice + Wheat (DWR/Sonalika)	The land should be prepared for early cultivation of wheat		The seed should be made available through ASC, Assam,		

Upl	land situation	Kharif Maize	Nil	1. Use of	LLP may be provided on
				organic	community basis
				manure if	
				possible	
				2. Mulching	
				between	
				the rows	

Condition			Suggested Contingency measures			
Early season drought (Normal onset)	Major Farming situation ^a	Normal Crop/cropping system ^b	Crop management ^c	Soil nutrient & moisture conservation measures	Remarks on Implementation ^e	
Normal onset followed by 15-20 days dry spell after sowing leading to poor germination/c rop stand etc.	Rainfed medium land	Monocrop a. Sali Rice	 Sprinkle water manually in nursery bed of rice since the area of nursery bed is very small. Re-sowing of rice seeds can be done since sowing time is still available (upto July) 	Application of sufficient amount of organic manures in nursery bed before sowing Balance fertilization in nursery bed		
	Rainfed low land situation	a. Bao Rice	Potash @3 % may be sprayed.			
		b.Rice + Wheat (DWR/Sonalika)	The land should be prepared for early cultivation of wheat		1.The seed should be made available through ASC, Assam,	
	Up land situation	Kharif Maize	Nil	Use of organic manure if possible Mulching between the rows	1.LLP may be provided on community basis	

Condition			Su	ggested Contingency 1	neasures
Mid season drought	Major Farming	Normal Crop/cropping system ^b	Crop	Soil nutrient &	Remarks on
(long dry spell,	situation ^a		management ^c	moisture	Implementation ^e
consecutive 2 weeks				conservation	_
rainless (>2.5 mm)				measues ^d	

period)					
At vegetative stage	Farming Situation: Rainfed medium land	a. Sali Rice	 Proper weeding Thining the plant population 	 Application of sufficient amount of organic manures in nursery bed before sowing. Stop top dressing of urea. 	
	Rainfed low land situation	a. Bao Rice	Potash @3 % may be sprayed.		
		b.Rice + Wheat (DWR/Sonalika)	The land should be prepared for early cultivation of wheat		1.The seed should be made available through ASC, Assam,
	Up land situation	Kharif Maize	Nil	Use of organic manure if possible Mulching between the rows	LLP may be provided on community basis

Condition			Sug	gested Contingency measure	es
Mid season drought (long dry spell)	Major Farming situation ^a	Normal Crop/cropping system ^b	Crop management ^c	Soil nutrient & moisture conservation measrues ^d	Remarks on Implementation ^e
At flowering/ fruiting stage	Rainfed medium land	a. Sali Rice	 Proper weeding Thinning the plant population and Spraying of KCl @ 3% 	Stop top dressing of urea. Crop may used as fodder	KCl is to be made available to farmers
	Rainfed low land situation	a. Bao Rice	Spraying of KCl @ 3%		
		b.Rice + Wheat (DWR/Sonalika)	The land should be prepared for early cultivation of wheat		1.The seed should be made available through ASC, Assam,
	Up land situation	Kharif Maize	Nil	Use of organic manure if possible Mulching between the rows	LLP may be provided on community basis

Condition				Suggested Contingency measures	
Terminal drought (Early withdrawal	Major Farming situation ^a	Normal Crop/cropping system ^b	Crop management ^c	Rabi Crop planning ^d	Remarks on Implementation ^e
of monsoon)					p
	Rainfed medium land	a. Sali Rice	Spray 2% urea	 The crop may be used as fodder Land should prepared for Toria and Potato 	The seed should be made available through ASC, Assam
	Rainfed low land situation	a. Bao Rice			
		b.Rice + Wheat (DWR/Sonalika)	The land should be prepared for early cultivation of wheat		1.The seed should be made available through ASC, Assam,

Up land situation Kharif Maize	Nil	1. Use of organic manure if	LLP may be provided
		possible	on community basis
		2. Mulching between the rows	

2.1.2 Drought - Irrigated situation

Condition				Suggested Contingency measures	
Delayed release of water in canals due to low rainfall	Major Farming situation ^a	Normal Crop/cropping system ^b	Crop management ^c	Rabi Crop planning ^d	Remarks on Implementation ^e
	Irrigated medium land	a. Sali Rice	Potato and toria	Limited irrigationDrip irrigation	The seed should be made available through ASC, Assam
		b.Rice + Wheat	The land should be prepared for early cultivation of wheat		1.The seed should be made available through ASC, Assam,

2.1.3 Pre monsoon flood and hailstorm under irrigated situation

Condition		Suggested Contingency measures			
	Major Farming	Normal Crop/cropping system ^g Change in crop/cropping Agronomic measures ⁱ		Remarks on	
	situation ^f		system ^h		Implementation ^j
Pre monsoon flood		a. Sali Rice	Adoption of short duration rice	 Limited irrigation 	The seed should be made
	Irrigated medium land		varieties like Luit, Disang	Drip irrigation	available through ASC,
			, ,		Assam

Condition			Suggested Contingency measures			
	Major Farming situation ^f	Normal Crop/cropping system ^g	Change in crop/cropping system ^h	Agronomic measuresi	Remarks on Implementation ^j	
Hail storm under irrigated condition	Irrigated medium land	a. Sali Rice				

2.2 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 ^k	Flowering stage ^l	Crop maturity stage ^m	Post harvest ⁿ
Crop : Rice	Provide Community drainage	Provide drainage	Harvesting at physiological maturity stage	Shift to saffer place
Rape & mustard	Provide drainageHarvest the crop for vegetable purpose	Provide drainage	Drain out excess water Harvesting at physiological maturity	Shift to safe place dry in shade and turn frequently
Wheat	Provide drainage	Provide drainage	Drain out excess water Harvest for vegetable purpose	Safe storage against storage pest and disease
potato	Provide drainage	Provide drainage	Drain out excess water Harvest immediately	Safe storage against storage pest and diseaseDispose at early as possible
Maize	Provide drainage	Provide drainage	Drain out excess water	Safe storage against storage pest and disease
Horticulture				
Banana (specify)	Provide drainage	Provide drainage	Harvesting at physiological maturity stage	
Bhot Jalakia	Provide drainage	Provide drainage	Harvesting at physiological maturity stage	
Vegetables	Provide drainage	Provide drainage Application of hormones, nutrients etc to prevent flower drop	Harvesting at physiological maturity stage	
Heavy rainfall with high speed winds in a short span ²				
Sali Rice	Provide Community drainage	Provide drainage The crop may be used as fodder	Harvesting at physiological maturity stage	Shift to safer place
Rape & mustard	 Provide drainage Harvest the crop as vegetables	Provide drainage	Drain out excess water Harvesting at physiological maturity	Shift to safe place dry in shade and turn frequently
Horticulture				

Banana	Provide drainage	Provide drainage	Harvesting at physiological	
			maturity stage	
Bhot Jalakia	Provide drainage, Plant protection measures	Provide drainage, Application of hormones	Harvesting at physiological maturity stage	
Vegetables	Provide drainage	Provide drainage Application of hormones , nutrients etc to prevent flower drop	Harvesting at physiological maturity stage	

Outbreak of pests and diseases due to unseasonal rains			
Sali Rice	Need based plant protection measureIPM and IDM Strategies	Need based plant protection measure IPM and IDM Strategies	
Rape and mustard	 Need based plant protection measure IPM and IDM Strategies 	Need based plant protection measure IPM and IDM Strategies	
Wheat	 Need based plant protection measure IPM and IDM Strategies 	Need based plant protection measure IPM and IDM Strategies	
Maize	Need based plant protection measureIPM and IDM Strategies	Need based plant protection measure IPM and IDM Strategies	
Potato	Application of pesticides as prophylactic measuresIPM and IDM Strategies	Application of pesticides as prophylactic measures IPM and IDM Strategies	

2.3 Floods: Not experienced / encountered

Condition	Suggested contingency measure ^o						
Transient water logging/ partial inundation ¹	Seedling / nursery stage	edling / nursery stage Vegetative stage Reproductive stage At harvest					
Sali Rice	Re-sowing with short duration varieties like Luit, Disang, Kolong etc	Drain out on community basis	Preparedness for rabi crops	Preparedness for rabi crops			
Rape and mustard	Re-sowing with late sown	Preparedness for short duration	Preparedness for other	Harvest quickly before flood			

	varieties like TS -36,TS-48 etc	vegetable crops like Amaranthus, French been etc	vegetables	inundation at physiological maturity, Transfer the produce to safer places
Horticulture				
Continuous submergence				
for more than 2 days ²				
Sali Rice				
Horticulture				
Sea water intrusion ³				

2.4 Extreme events: Heat wave / Cold wave/Frost/ Hailstorm /Cyclone : Not experienced / encountered

Extreme event type	Suggested contingency measure ^r				
	Seedling / nursery stage Vegetative stage Reproductive stage At harvest				
Heat Wave ^p					
Cold wave ^q					
Frost					
Hailstorm					
Cyclone					

2.5 Contingent strategies for Livestock, Poultry & Fisheries

2.5.1 Livestock

	Suggested contingency measures				
	Before the event ^s	During the event	After the event		
Drought					
Feed and fodder availability	Insurance Encourage perennial fodder on bunds and waste land on community basis Establishing fodder banks, encouraging fodder crops in irrigated area Silage – using excess fodder for silage	Utilizing fodder from perennial trees and Fodder bank reserves Utilizing fodder stored in silos Transporting excess fodder from adjoining districts Use of feed mixtures	Availing Insurance Culling unproductive livestock		
Drinking water	Preserving water in the tank for drinking purpose Excavation of Bore wells	Using preserved water in the tanks for drinking Wherever ground water resources are available priority for drinking purpose			
Health and disease management	Veterinary preparedness with medicines and vaccines	Conducting mass animal Health Camps and treating the affected once in Campaign	Culling sick animals		
Floods					
Feed and fodder availability	Silage preparation Mass awareness for unconventional feed and byproducts				
Drinking water		 Care for not to dring contaminated water Provide quality water 	Vaccination for various diseases		
Health and disease management					
Cyclone					
Feed and fodder availability					
Drinking water					
Health and disease management					

Heat wave and cold wave		
Shelter/environment management		
Health and disease management		

s based on forewarning wherever available

2.5.2 Poultry

	Suggested contingency measu	Suggested contingency measures		
	Before the event ^a	During the event	After the event	ongoing programs, if any
Drought	Insurance & Integration Establishing geed serve Bank	Utilizing from feed serve banks	Availing insurance Strengthening feed Reserve Banks	
Shortage of feed ingredients				
Drinking water	Emergency Veterinary preparedness with medicines vaccination to birds	Campaign and Mass Vaccination	Culling affected birds	
Health and disease management	Timely vaccination	Conducting animal health camp	Culling unproductive birds Availaing insurance provision	Vaccination and animal health camp
Floods				
Shortage of feed ingredients	Storage of sufficient feed	Conducting animal health camp	Culling unproductive birds Availaing insurance provision	
Drinking water	Storing drinking water	Isolation of seek birds	-	-
Health and disease management	Timely vaccination	Conducting animal health camp	Culling unproductive birds Availaing insurance provision	Vaccination and animal health camp
Cyclone				
Shortage of feed ingredients				
Drinking water				
Health and disease management				

Heat wave and cold wave		
Shelter/environment management		
Health and disease management		

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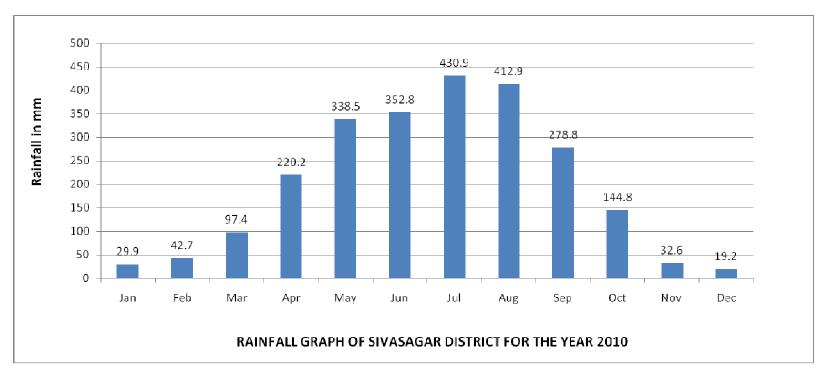
2.5.3 Fisheries/ Aquaculture

	Suggested contingency measures			
	Before the event ^a	During the event	After the event	
1) Drought				
A. Capture				
Marine	-	-	-	
Inland				
(i) Shallow water depth due to insufficient rains/inflow (ii) Changes in water quality	Stop over exploitation Thinning out of stock against reduced	 Stop over exploitation Fingerlings and brood fishes, if catched, to be released back to safer waters Shift fish stock to deeper water, especially in case of pens Drying of fish or production of value added fish products from the over harvested stock 	Re stocking, wherever possible.	
(iii) Any other	dissolved oxygen and space			
B. Aquaculture				
(i) Shallow water in ponds due to insufficient rains/inflow	 For pond construction select soils with sufficient clay for retention of water. Apply sufficient organic manure during preparation to minimize water 	 Pump in water from other water source (nearby spring, stream, rivers etc) or ground water, if any. Reduce food for minimum 	 Extended seed production Restock the pond. Integrated fish farming 	

(ii) Impact of salt load build up in ponds /	 loss through seepage. Insurance Excavation of bore wells Reduce biomass and stocking density through partial harvesting. Sell out the fishes attaining marketable size to minimize loss. Stock fishes that can thrive low water depth, like air breathing fishes. Maintenance of proper record for claiming compensation, especially in schemes assisted by Govt. or financial institutes. Planning for rain water harvest. 	 Restrict fertilizer for preventing algal bloom and minimum stress. Dig deep trench in convenient part of the pond to save brood fishes. Careful observation on daily basis. Scare away birds and other animals (attracted by shallow water to catch fish) – may be vector for diseases. 	 Short duration culture of species that are fast growing in initial stage and can be marketed at small size (minor and medium carps). Air breathing fish culture Claim compensation with support of record and documents. Paddy cum fish culture
change in water quality	Thinning out of stock against reduced dissolved oxygen and space	Recirculation of water and/or aeration.Careful observation on daily basis.	-
(iii) Any other	-	-	-
2) Floods			
A. Capture			
Marine	-	-	-
Inland	Preparation for pen and cage culture	 Pen & cage culture Can get engaged in other related activities like net and gear making. 	Desilting & weed removal if possible
(i) No. of boats / nets/damaged			
(ii) No.of houses damaged			
(iii) Loss of stock			Pen & cage culture
(iv) Changes in water quality			
(v) Health and diseases			

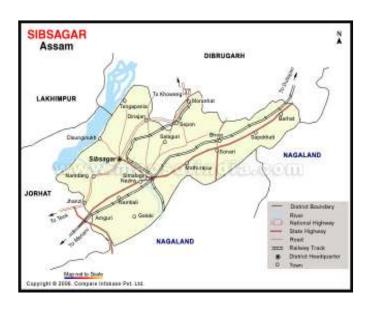
B. Aquaculture			
(i) Inundation with flood water	 Insurance Repairing, turfing and compaction of peripheral embankments. Horticulture on the embankment to prevent erosion. Sufficient bamboo poles and nylon nets to be kept ready. 'High stocking multiple harvesting' can be taken up. Sell out the fishes attaining marketable size to minimize loss. Maintenance of proper record for claiming compensation, especially in schemes assisted by Govt. or financial institutes. 	Surround the pond with nets supported by bamboo poles to prevent escape of fish. Supply sufficient food to fishes to reduce tendency of escaping from the pond.	 Desilting. Restock the pond if original stock escapes. Integrated fish farming Short duration culture of species that are fast growing and can be marketed at small size. Claim compensation with support of record and documents. Removal of unwanted/ predatory fish from pond before stocking. Paddy cum fish culture •
(ii) Water contamination and changes in water quality (iii) Health and diseases	 Prevent entry of water from outside. Precaution to prevent entry of pesticide/insecticide laden water from nearby agricultural land. Apply lime regularly as per recommendation. 	Apply lime regularly as per recommendation.	 Apply lime regularly as per recommendation. Remove muck and debris, if entered with flood. Apply preventive agents (eg. CIFAX) before on set of winter.
(iv) Loss of stock and inputs (feed, chemicals etc)			After possibe repairing of the physical damage, take up late seed rearing to be stocked in the next year.
(v) Infrastructure damage (pumps, aerators, huts etc)			
(vi) Any other			Small scale homestead ornamental fish production, depending on the market.
4. Heat wave and cold wave	-	-	-
A. Capture	-	-	-

Marine	-	-	-
Inland	-	-	-
B. Aquaculture	-	-	-
(i) Changes in pond environment (water quality)	Apply lime regularly as per recommendation.	Apply lime regularly as per recommendation.	Apply lime regularly as per recommendation.
(ii) Health and Disease management	Apply preventive agents (eg. CIFAX) before on set of winter.	Restrict application of fertilizer as per requirement.	



AGRICULTURE CONTINGENCY PLAN

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Soil map

