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INSCET PEST CALENDAR OF IMPORTANT VEGETABLE CROPS

Colour indicator

Low intensity
Moderate intensity
Severe

CHILLI and CAPSICUM

Pest	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Thrips Scirtothrips dorsalis												
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Gall midge Asphodylia capparis												
	Management: • Neem seed kernel extract 5% should be sprayed at 3 ml/L.											

Mite Polyphagotaronemus latus		—										
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Fruit Borer Helicoverpa armigera												
	fo • En • In	llowing in	secticid benzoate @0.75m	es in rotation e 5 SG @ 0 nl/L	on at 10-12	ggery as suns days interva	screen at 28 al under sev	, 35 and 42 I ere infestation	OAP in the evon	vening hou	ırs, spra	y the
South American Tomato moth Tuta absoluta												



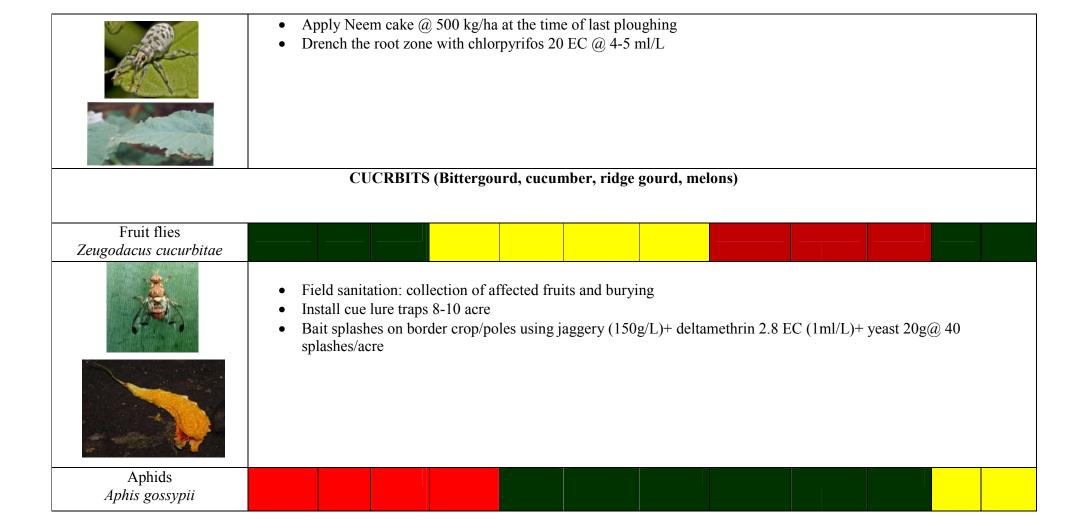
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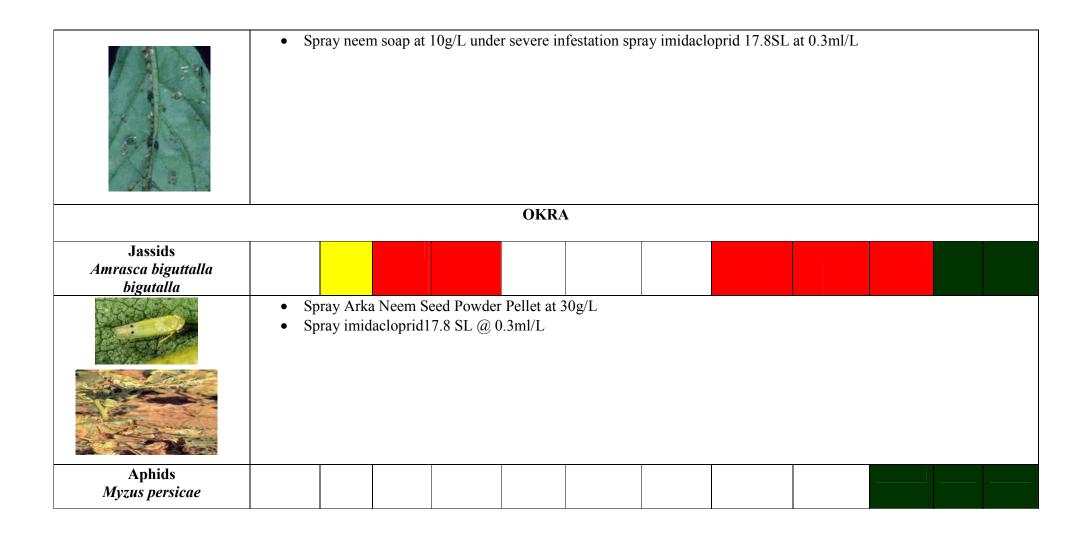
- To manage *Tuta absoluta* follow light trap based IPM by installing 60 W incandescent bulb traps @ 4-5/acre
- Install *Tuta* pheromone traps for monitoring of the adults @ 4-6 traps/acre
- Spray indoxacarb 14.5 SC @ 0.75 ml/L or spinosad 45 SC @ 0.3ml/L
- Use of sex pheromones @ 10/acre
- Encourage natural enemies like mirid bug, Nesidiocoris tenuis

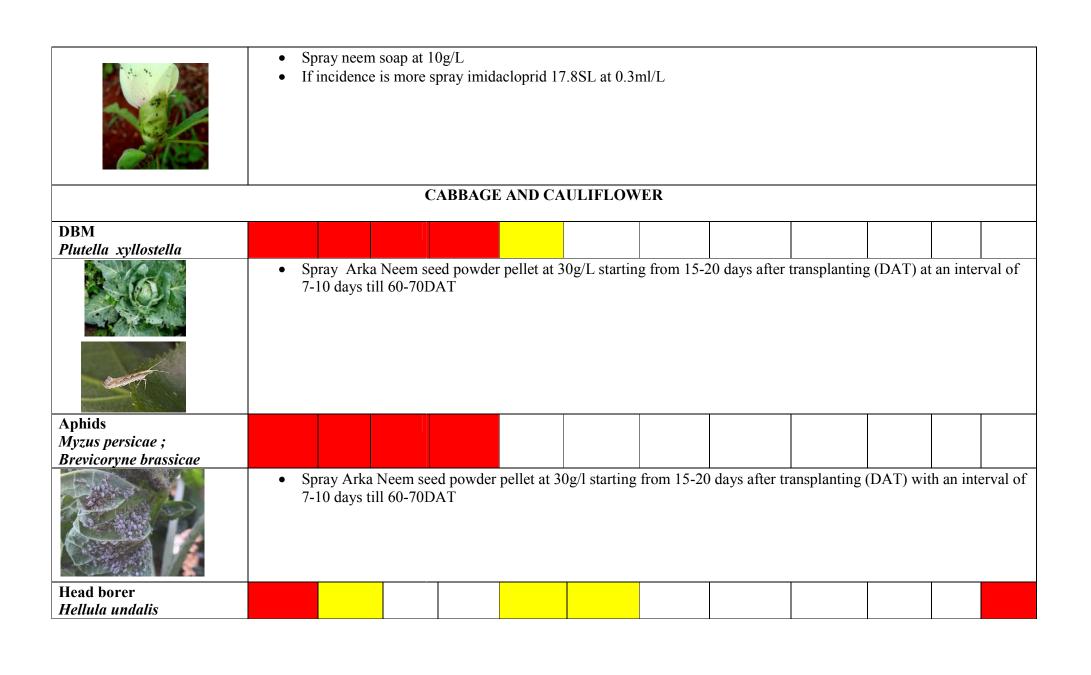


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Shoot and fruit borer										
Leucinodes orbanalis										
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Ash Weevil										
<i>Myllocerus</i> spp									l	1









• Spray Arka Neem seed powder pellet at 30g/l starting from 15-20 days after transplanting (DAT) with an interval of 7-10 days till 60-70DAT

PEST CALENDAR OF MORINGA

Leaf eating catrepillar Noorda Spraying of Spinosad (0.3ml/l) Spraying of Bacillus thuringiensis (Bt) formulation (2ml/l) Spray Arka Neem soap at 10g/l If incidence severe, spray Lambda cyhalothrin 5 EC (0.6ml/l) T mosquito bug Helopeltis antonii Spraying of Spinosad 45 SC (0.3ml/l) Spraying Lamda cyhalothrin 5EC (0.6ml/l)

Stem Borer Batocera rubus B.rufomaculata



- Phyto sanitation: Removal of the dead and infested trees.
- Post treatment prophylaxis: Swabbing of the affected tree trunk with chloropyrifos 20EC (0.2%) after removal of the grub and drenching the soil around the trunk.
- Plugging the hole with cotton dipped in chloropyrifos (10ml/L) and mud plastering.

Note:

- 1. The information has been compiled based on field observations and available literature. The purpose of this calendar is mainly to enhance farmers' preparedness in timely taking pest management measures. However there may be slight variations in the pest occurrence due to unexpected climate extremities, varietal and regional variations.
- 2. The chemicals are mentioned based on efficacy evaluation.