MAJOR CHILLY PRODUCING STATES:-

●Andhra Pradesh ●Karnataka ●Tamil Nadu ●Madhya Pradesh

CROP CYCLE:-

The crop duration of chilli is about 180 days(from sowing to harvest) depending on variety, season and climate, soil fertility and water management (else the period prolongs). However 2 crop cycles with 6-10 pickings are possible in a year.

Months	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug	Sep	Nov	Dec
Chilli											

Early sown Crop	
Late sown Crop	

Crop	Sowing Time	Transplanting Time	Harvest Period
Chilli	Nov-Jan-May-June	Jan-March-June-July	April-June-Sept-Nov

INTERNATIONAL MARKET REPORT:-

The world area and production of chilli is around 15 lakh ha and 70 lakh tonne respectively. Major chilli growing countries are India, China, Pakistan, Indonesia, Korea, Turkey and Sri Lanka in Asia; Nigeria, Ghana, Tunisia and Egypt in Africa; Mexico, United States of America in North & Central America; Yugoslavia, Spain, Romania, Bulgaria, Italy and Hungary in Europe and Argentina, Peru and Brazil in South America. India is the world leader in chilli production followed by China & Pakistan. The bulk share of chilli production is held by Asian countries. The major consumers of chilli in the world are India, China, Mexico, Thailand, United States of America, United Kingdom, Germany and Sweden. The major chilli exporting countries with their percentage share in world total exports are India (25 %), China (24 %), Spain (17 %), Mexico (8 %), Pakistan (7.2 %), Morocco (7 %) and Turkey (4.5 %). The world trade in chilli account for 16 % of the total spice trade in the world, occupying second position after black pepper. The major chilli importing countries are United Arab Emirates, European Union, Sri Lanka, Malaysia, Japan and Korea.

MONSOON STATUS:-

There have been poor monsoons in the states of Andhra Pradesh and Karnataka. Many districts have been declared as drought affected. But, this week the monsoon activities have picked up in these areas. In the coming days we will get a clearer picture of the monsoon season. Tamil Nadu receives rains from North – west monsoons which span from October to December. Rainfall in Madhya Pradesh has been good this year but te.

MARKET UPDATE:-

Chilly prices have short up in the past few months due to poor monsoons this year. Further on we see that the prices are likely to remain in an upward trajectory. Depending upon the monsoon progress the future course of the market will be determined.