

PEST SURVEY REPORTS

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**All India Coordinated Rice Improvement Project
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Tamil Nadu

Reporting AICRP Centre: TNAU, Coimbatore

Area covered: Palani, Dindigul District and Namakkal, Salem District.

Varieties grown: ADT 36, BPT 5204, Akshaya in Palani and CO 52, BPT 5204 in Namakkal.

Crop Stage: 35 DAT Palani and 60-70 DAT at Namakkal.

Pest Status:

Palani:

Slight to moderate damage of gall midge with 4-12 per cent silver shoots.

Earhead bug population was more in the variety Akshaya, around 4-6 nymphs/ adults per hill

Namakkal:

Low to moderate damage by leaf folder with 6-15 per cent damaged leaves per hill.