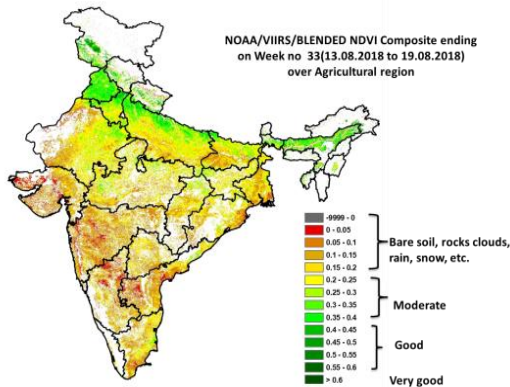
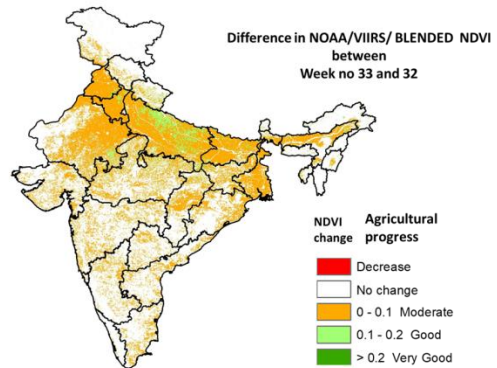


**NOAA/VIIRS/BLENDED NDVI composite for the week ending on 19<sup>th</sup> August 2018 over Agricultural regions of India**



**Difference in NOAA/VIIRS/BLENDED NDVI between 12<sup>th</sup> August and 19<sup>th</sup> August 2018**



- Agriculture vigour is good over few places in Uttarakhand and adjoining Uttar Pradesh and Haryana and in isolated parts of Punjab and Jammu & Kashmir, it is moderate over most parts of North Eastern states and remaining parts of Punjab; many parts of Sub-Himalayan West Bengal, Northern part of Bihar, West Madhya Pradesh, East Rajasthan, Himachal Pradesh, remaining parts of Uttar Pradesh, Haryana and Jammu & Kashmir; few parts of Jharkhand, Northern part of Chhattisgarh, Odisha, Gangetic West Bengal and East Madhya Pradesh and isolated parts of Tamilnadu, South Bihar. Due to persistent cloud cover, NDVI over crop cover could not be derived in remaining parts of Indian region.

- Good agricultural vigour was noticed over many parts of Uttar Pradesh and isolated parts of Haryana, East Rajasthan, North Chhattisgarh, Bihar, Jharkhand, Gangetic West Bengal, North eastern states, Uttarakhand, Punjab, Haryana and Himachal Pradesh.