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News: Soybean

> Soybean harvest has been destroyed by rain and prices have been down.

Soybean

- Soybean is a leguminous species native to East Asia, widely grown for its edible bean.
- ➤ It needs about 15 to 32 °C for germination but for rapid growth the crop needs a higher temperature.
- ➤ The crop requires about 60-65 cm annual rainfall drought at flowering or just before flowering results in flower and pod drops, while rains during maturity impair the grain quality of soybean.
- > The best soil type is sandy loam having good organic matter content.
- > Two cropping seasons of soybean Kharif and spring.
- ➤ In case of Kharif season most common time of sowing is the onset of monsoon or last week of June to the first week of July while spring sowing is done between 15th of February and 15th of March.