

## Major Pest of Rice

Name of the insect pest	Stages of crop	Extent of damage	Remarks
Stem borer	Tillering to milking	Mild to severe	-
Brown plant hopper	Tillering to booting	Moderate to severe	More attack during cloudy days
Gundhi bug	Milking stage	Moderate to severe	More attack in long duration
Case worm	Seedling to tillering	Trace to moderate	Higher attack under late sown crop
Rice leaf hopper	Tillering to panicle initiation	Mild to moderate	-
Rice leaf folder	-do-	Trace to moderate	-
Mealy bug	Early stage	Trace	-
Grass hopper	Tillering to booting	Trace	-
Mole cricket	Early stage	Mild attack in scattered uplands(light soils)	Attack under upland conditions particularly when there was lack of water in the fields