AGROMET-ADVISORY BULLETIN

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The forecast is valid for Chikkaballapur district

Weather forecast (Valid from 30th December 2015 to 03rd January 2016)

Forecast summary:
No rain forecasted during next 5 days. The Maximum temperature ranges from 27.0-28.0°C and Minimum of 14.0-15.0°C. Relative humidity 69-78 % during morning hrs and 52-59 % during noon is expected. Wind speed is expected to 2-3 km/hr.

Weather Based Agro Advisories

Crop information and Crop Stages of the major Kharif/Rabi crops

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Agromet Advisory:

Crop Stage/ Condition  | Pest and Disease | Agro advisories
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Agriculture crop       |                   |                  |
Sowing/cultural operation | Redgram and Ragi: advised for harvested crops cleaning, drying and storage in dry gunny bag. Provide protective irrigation on rabi crops. |

Horticulture crop      |                   |                  |
Mango                  | Advised for spraying of sulphur dust @2g/litre of water for management of powdery mildew disease. The shoots/branches touching ground may be thinned and ground clearance of the canopy main field to prevent the incidence of pests and disease. |

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