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AGRO-ADVISORY BULLETIN FOR KODAGU DISTRICT

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Past Weather Data								
Parameter	18.01.2025	19.01.2025	20.01.2025	21.01.2025				
Rainfall (mm)	0	0	0	0				
Max. Temp. (°C)	28.8	29	25.3	30.5				
Min. Temp. (°C)	16.6	19	19	13.4				
Sky condition (Octas)	-	-	-	-				
Relative humidity (%) 0830 hours	84	85	80	81				
Relative humidity (%) 1730 hours	-	-	-	-				
Wind Speed (km/h)	-	-	-	-				
Wind Direction	-	-	-	-				

Weather forecast for the next five days (From 22-01-2024 to 26-01-2025)

Parameter	22.01.2025	23.01.2025	24.01.2025	25.01.2025	26.01.2025
Rainfall (mm)	0	0	0	0	0
Max. Temp. (°C)	30.5	30.6	30.9	31.4	31.2
Min. Temp. (°C)	15.7	15.6	16.2	15.6	15.6
Sky condition (Octas)	0	1	1	2	2
Relative humidity (%) 0830 hours	78	87	90	85	65
Relative humidity (%) 1730 hours	24	23	30	20	13
Wind Speed (kmph)	6.1	5.6	5.2	7	6.6
Wind Direction	62	63	65	69	68

Forecast Summary

As forecast received from IMD, cloudy sky with no rainfall may be expected from 22.01.2025 to 26.01.2025 in Kodagu district. The day temperature is expected to be 30.5-31.4°C & night temperature is expected 15.6°C to 16.2°C. The relative humidity in the morning hours is expected to be 65% to 90% & afternoon relative humidity is expected to be in the range of 13% to 30%. Wind speed expected to be 5.2-7 km/hr.

SMS Advisory

- Complete harvesting of paddy and millets early and dry grains thoroughly to prevent spoilage.
- Avoid leaving harvested produce in the field; store under proper cover to prevent rain damage.

Recommendations to the farmers:-						
Crop	Pest/Disease	Damage symptoms	Control measures			
Caparal Advisory						

- Coffee and Black Pepper: Continue harvesting mature coffee berries and black pepper. Dry the harvested produce under shade to maintain quality and avoid exposure to direct sunlight.
- Cardamom: Complete the harvest of mature capsules. Ensure proper drying and storage to prevent fungal infections.
- Arecanut and Coconut: Clear fallen nuts and apply organic mulch to conserve soil moisture. Begin preparations for basin formation and manuring.

Crop	Stage	Advisory (Including Pest and Disease Control Measures)
Paddy	Harvesting	Harvest crops promptly in dry weather. Dry and store harvested grains to
		avoid fungal infections.
Coffee	Harvest stage	Continue harvesting ripe berries. Ensure quick processing to avoid quality
		loss.
Black Pepper	Berry	Protect from pests like whiteflies. Ensure proper irrigation and avoid
	development	overwatering.
Arecanut	Nut development	Harvest mature nuts and store them in a cool, dry place. Protect from pests.
	to harvesting	
Coconut	Nut development	Ensure proper irrigation and nutrient application to support healthy nut
		development.
Cardamom	Harvesting	Continue harvesting ripe pods. Dry harvested pods in a shaded area to
		prevent quality loss.
Banana	Bunch	Provide proper staking to avoid plant lodging. Apply potassium-rich
	development	fertilizers for healthy fruit.
Ginger and	Harvesting	Harvest mature ginger rhizomes. Cure them properly before storage to
Turmeric		avoid spoilage.

Advisory for Livestock and Sericulture						
Category	Advisory	Pests and	Control Measures			
		Diseases				
Livestock	Provide clean drinking water	Foot and mouth	Vaccinate for FMD; use			
	and adequate shelter; avoid	disease (FMD),	acaricides or herbal sprays to			
	overcrowding in sheds.	ticks	control ticks.			
Sericulture	Ensure mulberry plantations	Silkworm	Maintain hygiene; disinfect			
	are irrigated; maintain optimal	diseases	rearing rooms with 2% formalin			
	humidity in rearing rooms.	(grasserie,	solution.			
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Block level weather forecast (From 22-01-2025 to 26-01-2025)							
Madikeri							
Parameter 22.01.2025 23.01.2025 24.01.2025 25.01.2025 26.01.202							
Rainfall (mm)	0	0	0	0	0		
Max. temp (°C)	28.1	27.8	26.6	28.2	29		
Min.Temp (°C)	15.7	16.2	18	16.9	15.5		
Sky condition (Octas)	3	8	7	2	2		

Relative humidity (%) 0830 hours	93.5	92.4	96.8	93.2	76.2
Relative humidity (%) 1730 hours	32.4	27.3	56	38.3	24.2
Wind Speed (kmph)	9.1	8.1	8.4	5.7	5.1
Wind Direction	56.3	57.7	64.5	55.3	45

Somvarpet							
Parameter	22.01.2025	23.01.2025	24.01.2025	25.01.2025	26.01.2025		
Rainfall (mm)	0	0	0	0	0		
Max. temp (°C)	27.9	27.6	26.2	28.1	28.8		
Min.Temp (°C)	15.8	16.2	17.8	16.9	15.4		
Sky condition (Octas)	3	8	7	2	2		
Relative humidity (%) 0830 hours	92.6	92.1	96	91	77.6		
Relative humidity (%) 1730 hours	32.7	27.4	55.8	36	24.6		
Wind Speed (kmph)	11.2	9	9	6.8	6.1		
Wind Direction	0	87.7	0	87	93.4		

Virajpet							
Parameter	22.01.2025	23.01.2025	24.01.2025	25.01.2025	26.01.2025		
Rainfall (mm)	0	0	0	0	0		
Max. temp (°C)	30.4	30	29	30.5	31.4		
Min.Temp (°C)	17.4	18	19.2	18.1	16.9		
Sky condition (Octas)	4	8	7	2	2		
Relative humidity (%) 0830 hours	84.6	83.8	94.1	87.6	67.6		
Relative humidity (%) 1730 hours	27.2	23.6	47.3	33.3	19.8		
Wind Speed (kmph)	9.9	8.9	9.1	6.1	6.4		
Wind Direction	46.4	49.9	56.3	49.7	38.1		

- Download "**DAMINI**" app to get early warning on lightening and take precautions based on the alert given by the application.
- ➤ Kindly download "MAUSAM" APP for location specific forecast & warning & "MEGHDOOT" APP for Agromet advisory
- This information is available in the website: mausam.imd.gov.in

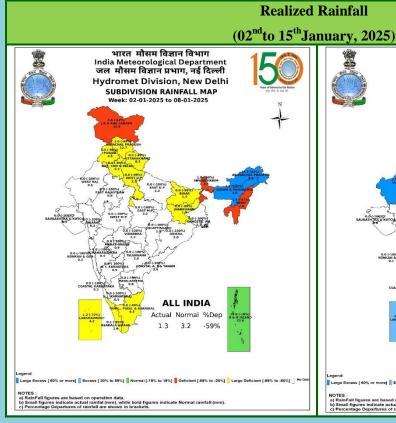
For any information farmers can contact **Dr. C. Ramachandra**, Senior Farm Superintendent/ **Dr. SumanthKumar.G.V**, Technical officer over phone No. 0821-259126/ 9535345814

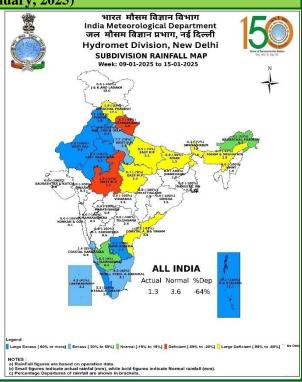
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वास्तविकवर्षातथाविस्तारितअवधिपूर्वानुमान Realized Rainfall and Extended Range Forecast (वर्षाऔरतापमान)

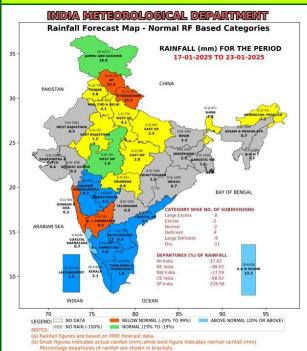
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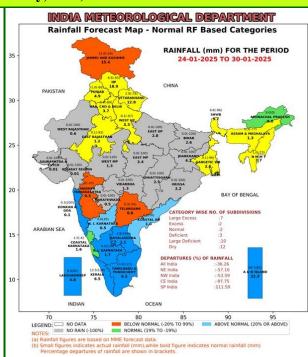




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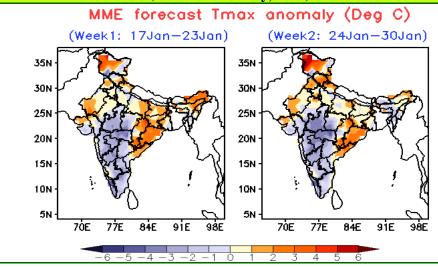
Rainfall forecast maps for the next 2 weeks (IC- 15thJanuary,2025) (17thto 30thJanuary, 2025)





- Week1(17.01.2025 to 23.01.2025):Rainfall is likely to be above normal over Tamil Nadu, Keralaand some parts of Rayalaseema. Rainfall activity associated with western disturbances is likely over Jammu & Kashmir, Himachal Pradesh and some parts of Uttarakhand.
- Week 2 (24.01.2025 to 30.01.2025):Rainfall is likely to be above normal over some parts of Tamil Nadu and south Kerala. Rainfall activity associated with western disturbances is likely over Jammu & Kashmir and Himachal Pradesh.

Maximum and Minimum temperature anomaly (°C) forecast for the next 2 weeks (IC- 15thJanuary,2025) (17thto 30thJanuary, 2025)

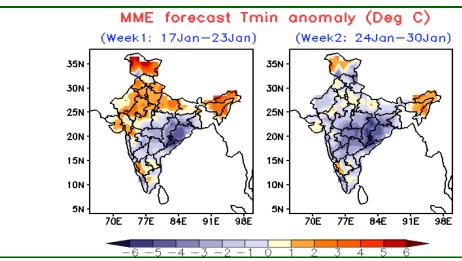


Maximum Temperature (Tmax)

• Week 1 (17.01.2025 to 23.01.2025): Maximum temperature is likely to be below normal over Central India, many parts of West India and South India. However, it is likely to be

above normal over East India, North West India, North East India and Chhattisgarh.

• Week 2 (24.01.2025 to 30.01.2025): Maximum temperature is likely to be below normal over Central India, many parts of West India and South India. However, it is likely to be above normal over East India, North West India, many parts of Chhattisgarh and Arunachal Pradesh.



Minimum Temperature (Tmin)

- Week 1 (17.01.2025 to 23.01.2025): Minimum temperature is likely to be below normal over many parts of Central India, East India, Coastal Andhra Pradesh and Kerala. However, it is likely to be above normal over North West India, North East India, Bihar, Gujarat, parts of South India and Madhya Maharashtra.
- Week 2 (24.01.2025 to 30.01.2025): Minimum temperature is likely to be below normal or close to normal over most parts of the country. It is likely to be above normal overNorth East India, some parts of Jammu & Kashmir and Karnataka.