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Gramin Krishi Mausam Sewa Agromet Advisory Bulletin for KASARAGOD District Kerala Agricultural University



Vellanikkara, Thrissur, Kerala

Agromet Advisory Bulletin

Date: 2025-08-08

Weather Forecast of District KASARAGOD (Kerala) Issued On: 2025-08-08 (Valid Till 08:30 IST of the next 5 days)

Parameter	2025-08-09	2025-08- 10	2025-08- 11	2025-08- 12	2025-08- 13
Rainfall(mm)	8.0	4.0	1.0	1.0	2.0
Tmax(°C)	29.0	29.0	29.0	29.0	29.0
Tmin(°C)	21.0	21.0	21.0	21.0	21.0
RH-I(%)	95	95	95	95	95
RH-II(%)	79	79	79	79	79
Wind Speed(kmph)	4	3	3	2	3
Wind Direction(Degree)	340	320	250	250	250
Cloud Cover(Octa)	8	8	8	8	8
Warning	Heavy Rain; Strong Surface Winds	No Warning	No Warning	No Warning	No Warning

Forecast Summary:

The sky will be cloudy. High relative humidity will be experienced. The atmospheric temperature will come down. The atmosphere may be turbid due to heavy wind There will be light to moderate rainfalls from August 09 to 12.

Weather Warnings (Valid Till 08:30 IST of the next day)

Isolated heavy rainfall on August 08.

Likely impacts of weather warnings on Agriculture and associated Agromet advisories

Damaging and losses or deteriorating quality of the open drying agricultural produces like copra, rubber, cashew nuts, seeds, food materials for processing etc.. Damages and losses may occur for crops having slender stems like banana and vegetables. Breaking branches and or trees may ocurr. Chances for water stagnation in the fields.

General Advisory:

Do not dry any products on open conditions. Do not go for open field operations if heavy rain is experienced Keep livestock and poultries within strong structures. Do not keep livestock under open comditions or under trees. Do not keep seeds, perishablegoods, fertilizers, cattle andpoultry feeds on moist floors. Keep them in rooms on elevated platforms Travelling may be postponed. Closely follow the directions of disaster

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management authorities. Pepople living near seashore and on banks of river/waterbodies may take extreme care.

SMS Advisory:

Banana Rhizome rot: Ensure good drainage in the garden Drench with Streprocyclin antibiotic (@2g/10L) or Copperhydroxide (20g/10L) at the basin of the plant.

Crop Specific Advisory:

Crop (Stage)	Crop Specific Advisory	
	Flooding: Open all drainage channels and permit free flow of water Close water	
	inundation faces in paddy fields. In places where flooding may occurr, there are	
RICE (Tillering)	chances of appearing blight and decaying of plants. As a precautionary measure	
	place perforated bags which contain bleaching powder (2kg/acre), on the face of	
	entry of water into the fields.	

Horticulture Specific Advisory:

Horticulture (Stage)	Horticulture Specific Advisory	
COCONUT (Grand growth)	Rhinoceros beetle: Take out the beetles from the attacked palm crown using beetle hook. Swab the hole made by the beetles with Bordeaux paste to prevent entry of fungus through the cut surface. Old fishnets can be reused for controlling the pest. Cut the nets into pieces of size $1 \text{m x } 0.5 \text{m}$. Keep the middle portion of the net, lengthwise into the axils of 3rd and 4th leaf whirls of the palm. Push the net firmly with small stones into the axils. The hanging sides of the net should be kept open. The beetles will be trapped in the nets and get destroyed. Care should be taken to move the nets to upper leaf axils accordingly while fresh leaves are emerging.	
ARECANUT (Grand growth)	Water stagnation and decaying of growing bud (bud rot): Do not allow water stagnation in the planted pits. Provide bunds around the pits to prevent the collection of runoff water in the pits. After the cessation of heavy rainfall, spray 1 % Bordeaux Mixture on the leaves and growing buds, only after mixing with a sticking agent to the fungicide.	
BANANA (Grand growth)	Rhizome rot: Ensure good drainage in the garden Drench with Streprocyclin antibiotic (@2g/10L) or Copperhydroxide (20g/10L) at the basin of the plant.	
GINGER (Grand growth)	Bacterial rot : Drench 1% Bordeaux mixture or Copper oxychloride 0.2% (2g/litre)	
BLACK PEPPER (Grand growth)	Foot rot: Provide drainage. Do not allow water stagnation in the rootzones. While rain is withdrawn rake the rootzone and apply lime @250g/plant Keep field sanitations. Remove decaying of damages vines/plant parts if any to check the pest and disease incidences.	

Live Stock Specific Advisory:

Live Stock	Live Stock Specific Advisory	
COW	Ephemeral fever (BEF): It is a disease that affects cattle and buffalo and is marked by a short fever, shivering, lameness and muscular stiffness. This disease may cause decline in milk production, lowered fertility and abortion. Treatment: Phenyl butazone sodium (200mg) 10ml/cattle should be given for 3 days in two divided doses.	

Poultry Specific Advisory:

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HEN	Bumble foot: The disease is common on hen and duck due to the unhygienic	
	floors. The bumble foot is identified by swelling, redness and black or brown scab	

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Poultry	Poultry Specific Advisory	
	on the bottom of the foot. Prevention: - Make sure that the shelter and environment	
	is clean and hygiene. Provide soft floor for the mobility of birds. Bandage the	
	infected foot with rock salt or Neosporin powder.	

Likely impacts of weather warnings (General)

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Impact based advisories (General)

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Farmers are advised to download Unified "Mausam" and "Meghdoot" android application on mobile for Weather forecast and weather based Agromet Advisories and "Damini" android application for forecast of Thunderstorm and lightening.

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