

Agromet Advisory Service Bulletin for Kollam District

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WEATHER FORECAST FOR THE NEXT FIVE DAYS					
Weather parameters	08/10/2025	09/10/2025	10/10/2025	11/10/2025	12/10/2025
Rainfall (mm)	4	2	3	1	3
Maximum temperature(°C)	35	35	35	35	35
Minimum temperature (°C)	22	22	22	22	22
Maximum Relative Humidity (%)	90	90	90	90	90
Minimum Relative Humidity (%)	80	80	80	80	80
Wind speed (kmph)	2	2	2	2	2
Wind direction (deg)	270	230	270	250	250
Total cloud cover (octa)	8	8	7	7	7
WEATHER SUMMERY ALERT	There is a chance of moderate rainfall in isolated places of the district. Cumulatively below normal rainfall is likely over kerala.				
GENERAL ADVISORY	Intermittent rains with high relative humidity favours development of fungal diseases in crops. Hence take necessary precautionary measures to control development and spread of diseases. Also provide organic				

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mulches to prevent excess evaporation during day time.

Crop	Pest/ Disease	Advisory		
Paddy	Rice bug	Keep the field and bunds free of weeds and grasses. Spray fish jaggery extra (20 ml/lt) or chitin based <i>Pseudomonas flurescens</i> (2.5 kg/ha) or neem se kernel extract (50 gm/lt)		
Banana	Bacterial wilt	Disinfect the area with bleaching powder (1 gm/lt). Spread bleaching powder or 10 % fresh cow dung slurry (100 gm/lt) in the banana basin.		
Tapioca	Mosaic	Rouge out and destroy infected plants in the field at early stage. Control whitefly by installing yellow sticky traps, spray neem oil (20 ml/lt) or Dimethoate 30 EC (2 ml/lt) to control the vector.		
Cattle	Intermittent rains favours development of fungal growth in the feed of the animals. Hence ensure drying of the feed during day time and store in dry places. Provide fan and proper ventilation in the cattle shed during day time.			