



Agromet Advisory Bulletin for the Kottayam District

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Weather summary of preceding week- (05/06/25- 09/06/25)	Weather forecast for the next 5 days (11/06/25- 15/06/25)
During the preceding week, the maximum temperature was 33.4°C and the minimum temperature was 24.3 °C. Relative humidity of 76-95 % was experienced. Speed of westerly winds was up to 5 km. 40 mm rainfall was received in Kottayam district during the week	Light rain is expected during next three days and moderate rain in the following two days. Maximum temperature and minimum temperature will be 33°C and 23°C respectively. Relative humidity is expected to be between 75 % to 90%. The speed of westerly winds may go up to 3 km/hr. Over cast sky is expected.

C. Agro meteorological Advisories

Crop	Stage	Agro meteorological Advisories
General recommendations		In flood, affected areas to reduce acidity apply lime @ 1 kg/cent
Coconut	Seeding stage	For the control of red palm weevil, traps of fermented alcohol or pineapple can be made and the insects thus trapped can be killed using any insecticides.
Banana	Vegetative	To control sigatoka leafspot disease in banana cut and remove all severely affected leaves and spray propiconazol 1ml/ liter of water
Tuber crops	Planting	Tuber crops like Tapioca, colocasia, amorphophalus, dioscorea can be planted now.
Snake gourd	Growth stage	To control leaf folder and jassids in snake gourd, spray 3 g, Thiamethoxam diluted in 10 litre of water