



Gramin Krishi Mousam Sewa (GKMS), Thrissur



Agromet Advisory Bulletin for Thrissur District

(Valid from 05.1.2022 to 09.1.2022)

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| A. Significant weather for the preceding week at vellanikkara | | | | | | | |
|---|-------------|-------------|---------|---------|------------|-----------|------------|
| Rainfall | Maximum | Minimum | RH | RH | Wind speed | Sun shine | Evap. (mm) |
| (mm) | Temp.(°C) | Temp.(°C) | FN (%) | AN (%) | (Km/h) | hours | |
| (0.0) | (32.0-33.3) | (21.1-25.3) | (57-78) | (44-60) | (5.6-12.7) | (7.2-9.8) | (4.2-6.3) |

| B. Medium range weather forecast of IMD for next five days | | | | | |
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| Weather parameters | 05.1.2022 | 06.1.2022 | 07.1.2022 | 08.1.2022 | 09.1.2022 |
| Rainfall (mm) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Maximum temperature (°C) | 33 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 |
| Minimum temperature (°C) | 24 | 24 | 24 | 24 | 24 |
| Maximum Relative Humidity (%) | 75 | 75 | 75 | 75 | 75 |
| Minimum Relative Humidity (%) | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 |
| Wind speed (kmph) | 16 | 14 | 14 | 10 | 12 |
| Wind direction (deg) | 50 | 50 | 20 | 90 | 360 |
| Total cloud cover (octa) | 1 | 1 | 5 | 6 | 5 |

Weather summary / Alert: Due to no rainfall and prevailing dry weather conditions, irrigation of crops can be continued, when required in the district. Below normal rainfall is expected in Kerala.

| RAINFALL FORECAST FOR NEXT FIVE DAYS | | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|--|
| 2022 January 5 | 2022 January 6 | 2022 January 7 | 2022 January 8 | 2022 January 9 | |
| No Rain | | | | | |

| C. General and Agrometeorological Advisories for Thrissur District | | | | | |
|--|---|--|--|--|--|
| Due to no rainfall and prevailing dry weather conditions, irrigation of crops can be continued, when required. | | | | | |
| Since the wind | Since the wind speed may increase, give strong propping to banana and staking to vegetables. | | | | |
| Crop | Pest/ Disease | | Crop/ Animal Advisory | | |
| <i>Mundakan</i> <i>Rice in</i> Milky stage | Bacterial Leaf blight | | To control and prevent Bacterial Leaf blight in paddy, dissolve 20 | | |
| | | | g of cow dung in one litre of water and spray the supernatant | | |
| | | | liquid by mixing with 20g of pseudomonas in one litre of water. | | |
| Puncha Rice | Crop Management | | Transplant seedlings at 4 to5 leaf stage. The root of seedlings | | |
| | | | should be soaked for 30 minutes in a solution of <i>Pseudomonas</i> | | |
| in | | | culture @10g per one litre of water to control sheath blight, sheath | | |
| Transplanting | | | rot, leaf spot disease etc. in future. | | |
| Chilli | Thrips | | There is a chance of thrips attack in chilly. Apply 2% neem oil+ garlic emulsion under the leaf surface at 10 days intervals. If the attack is severe, apply spiromecifen 8 ml per ten litre of water. | | |
| vegetables | Powdery mildew | | During winter season, there is a chance of powdery mildew in vegetables. As a precaution, spray 20g <i>Trichoderma</i> per one litre of water. | | |
| Animal | Deworm the animals after dung examination. Vaccinate animals against foot and mouth | | | | |
| Husbandry | disease. Care should be taken to avoid ecto parasitic infestation. (CAADECCS, KVASU, Mannuthy). | | | | |