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District Level Agromet Advisory Bulletin Kerala Agricultural University Vellanikkara, Thrissur, Kerala



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# **Agromet Advisory Bulletin**

Date: 19-05-2020

Weather Forecast of PALAKKAD(Kerala) Issued On: 2020-05-19(Valid Till 08:30 IST of the next 5 days)

Parameter	2020-05-20	2020-05-21	2020-05-22	2020-05-23	2020-05-24
Rainfall	8.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Tmax(°C)	33.0	34.0	34.0	34.0	34.0
Tmin(°C)	26.0	26.0	26.0	26.0	26.0
RH-I(%)	90	90	90	90	90
RH-II(%)	57	57	57	57	57
Wind Speed(kmph)	14.0	12.0	10.0	10.0	12.0
Wind Direction(Degree)	270	270	270	270	270
Cloud cover(octa)	8	8	7	7	4

#### Weather Summary/Alert:

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#### **General Advisory:**

• Prepare the land for planting of vegetable seedlings and apply lime at 2kg for each cent. Nursery seedlings should be sprayed with 19:19:19 at 2-3ml per liter or with pseudomonas at 10g/L. It is better to apply neem cake at the time of planting to reduce the incidence of pest and diseases. It is advisable to adopt biological methods for pest and disease control. Spraying should be done only on dry/clear weather.

#### **SMS Advisory:**

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## **Crop Specific Advisory:**

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	• Rice seeds can be sown in the nursery for virippu season. For this, seeds can be mixed with pseudomonas at 10g for each kg seeds before sowing.

#### **Horticulture Specific Advisory:**

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	• Fertilizers can be applied in the open basins of those coconut plantations which was already applied with lime. Green manures can be incorporated at this time.		
BANANA	<ul> <li>Against pseudostem weevil attack spray Nanma 5% at 50ml per liter covering the whole plant when the plant attains 4-5 months after planting. Before spraying, clean the plant by removing dried and drooping leaves. If the infestation is noticed, inject Menma at 5ml per injection at three locations around the infestation point.</li> </ul>		