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AGRO-ADVISORY BULLETIN FOR MANDYA DISTRICT Issued jointly by, UAS, Bengaluru & Indian Meteorological Department

| Past V | Past Weather Data | | | | | | | | |
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| Parameter | 26.04.2025 | 27.04.2025 | 28.04.2025 | 29.04.2025 | | | | | |
| Rainfall (mm) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | |
| Max. Temp. (°C) | 34.8 | 33.5 | 33.8 | 33.5 | | | | | |
| Min. Temp. (°C) | 23.2 | 22.8 | 21.9 | 22.9 | | | | | |
| Sky condition (Octas) | - | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Relative humidity (%) 0830 hours | 72 | 97 | 84 | 96 | | | | | |
| Relative humidity (%) 1730 hours | 46 | 48 | 42 | 50 | | | | | |
| Wind Speed (km/h) | - | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Wind Direction | - | - | - | - | | | | | |

| Weather forecast for the next five days (From 26-04-2025 to 30-04-2025) | | | | | | | | |
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| Parameter 30.04.2025 01.05.2025 02.05.2025 03.05.2025 04.05.2025 | | | | | | | | |
| Rainfall (mm) | 5 | 5 | 5 | 7 | 8 | | | |
| Max. temp (°C) | 33 | 33 | 33 | 32 | 33 | | | |
| Min.Temp (°C) | 23 | 23 | 23 | 23 | 23 | | | |
| Sky condition (Octas) | 6 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 5 | | | |
| Relative humidity (%) 0830 hours | 86 | 85 | 82 | 84 | 84 | | | |
| Relative humidity (%) 1730 hours | 51 | 52 | 53 | 52 | 52 | | | |
| Wind Speed (kmph) | 10 | 12 | 10 | 14 | 12 | | | |
| Wind Direction | 232 | 257 | 278 | 266 | 263 | | | |

Forecast Summary

As forecast received from IMD, cloudy sky with light rainfall may be expected from 30.04.2025 to 04.05.2025 in Mandya district. The day temperature is expected to be 32-33°C & night temperature is expected to be 23°C. The relative humidity in the morning hours is expected to be 82-86% & afternoon relative humidity is expected to be in the range of 51-53% Wind speed expected to be 10-14 km/ hr.

General Advisory:

- > Light rainfall is expected; carry out weeding and fertilizer application during dry periods.
- > Ensure proper drainage in paddy, vegetable, and plantation crops to avoid water stagnation.
- > Support banana plants with props to prevent lodging due to wind and wet soil.
- > Avoid pesticide and fungicide sprays just before or during rain; use biocontrols if needed.
- > Provide clean water, dry bedding for livestock, and maintain good ventilation in poultry sheds.

SMS Advisory:

Light rain likely. Ensure drainage in crops, support banana, avoid sprays in rain, monitor vegetable crops for disease, keep livestock sheds clean and dry.

| Recommendations | to the farmers:- | |
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| Weather based adv | visory | |
| Сгор | Stage | Advisory |
| Paddy | Vegetative stage | Light rains are beneficial. Maintain 2–3 cm water in field. Apply top dressing of nitrogen (urea) if not yet done. Monitor for leaf folder and blast. |
| Maize | Tasseling stage | Ensure adequate soil moisture during tasseling—most critical stage. Light irrigation needed if rain is insufficient. Avoid spraying during tasseling. |
| Finger millet | Vegetative stage | Favorable for vegetative growth. Intercultural operations can be done. Apply nitrogen top dressing after rains. |
| Tomato | Flowering | Avoid water stagnation. Stake plants to prevent lodging. Spray borax (0.2%) to prevent flower drop. Monitor for thrips and leaf curl virus. |
| Chilli | Fruit formation stage | Ensure good drainage. Apply potassium-rich fertilizers for fruit setting. Monitor for sucking pests and fruit rot after rains. |
| Banana | Fruit development stage | Support plants to prevent lodging due to wind. Maintain basin cleanliness. Apply potash and micronutrients if not done. |
| Black gram, Green gram and cowpea | Sowing | Rains are favorable for sowing. Choose well-drained fields. Avoid sowing just before the 21st (moderate rain) to prevent seed rotting. |
| Sugarcane | Vegetative | Light rain is good. Carry out earthing-up if not done. Top- dressing of nitrogen after rainfall is beneficial. Control early shoot borer. |
| Mango | Fruit development stage | Light rain is favorable. Ensure fruit fly traps are installed. Spray potassium nitrate (1%) for fruit development and to prevent spongy tissue. |
| Vegetable crops | Various stages | Ensure drainage to avoid root rot. Spraying should be planned before rainfall. Check for fungal/pest issues post-rain and apply need-based treatment. |

| Livestock, Poultry, and Sericulture Advisory | | | | | | |
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| Sector | Weather-Based Advisory | | | | | |
| Livestock | Ensure clean, shaded, and well-ventilated shelters to prevent heat and humidity stress. | | | | | |
| | Provide plenty of clean drinking water. Use fans if possible. Avoid grazing during | | | | | |
| | midday heat. Supplement with mineral mixture and salt licks to maintain animal | | | | | |

| | health. Regularly check hooves and shelter hygiene due to increased moisture. | | | | | | |
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| Poultry | Maintain proper cross-ventilation and ensure adequate space in sheds to avoid | | | | | | |
| | crowding. Sprinkle water around sheds to reduce temperature. Provide cool, clean | | | | | | |
| | water with electrolytes. Feed birds during early morning and evening. Ensure dry | | | | | | |
| | bedding to prevent fungal issues due to humidity. | | | | | | |
| Sericulture | Maintain optimal rearing room temperature (26–28°C) and humidity (75–80%) | | | | | | |
| | through humidifiers or water sprinkling. Avoid overcrowding of worms. Provide | | | | | | |
| | well-moistened mulberry leaves, and protect mulberry gardens from rain damage | | | | | | |
| | using proper drainage and partial shade. Monitor for fungal diseases due to changing | | | | | | |
| | humidity. | | | | | | |

| Recommendation | n to farmers | | | | | | |
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| Crop specific adv | Crop specific advisory: | | | | | | |
| Сгор | Stage | Advisory | | | | | |
| Cabbage diamond back moth | Head stage | Spray DDVP 76 EC. @0.5 ml./lit water in nursery. 15 days before transplanting around the main field and every 25 rows of cabbage one row of mustard sowing, 15 to 20 days after cabbage planting another row of mustard sowing. Mustard as trap crop. Spray on mustard with 0.5 ml. DDVP in a lit. water. During head formation, spray 5 per cent NSKE . Birdpurches may be provided to attract predatory birds. | | | | | |
| Tomato whiteflies | Fruiting stage | Spray 1.0ml.Oxydemeton methyl 25 EC in a lit. water. | | | | | |
| Bean Pod borer | Pod formation stage | Spray 2.0 ml. Malathion 50 EC./ lit. water . | | | | | |
| Tomato Early and late blight of tomato | Fruiting stage | For late blight of tomato 15 days prior to transplanting Trichoderma and Pseudomonas enriched compost may be incorporated to the soil. For early blight control spray 2.0 g. Mancozeb 75 WP OR 2.0 g. Maneb OR 2.0 g. Metalaxyl- MZ 72WP. OR 2.0 g. Dimethomorph + polyram/lit. water. For control of late blight spray 2.0 g. Metalaxyl - MZ 72WP. OR 2.0 g. Fosetyl al 80 WP OR 2.0 g. Dimethomorph + polyram in a lit. water, 5 weeks after transplanting. Repeat the spray 7th, 9th and 11th weeks after transplanting. 200- 250 lit. spray solution required/acre/spray. | | | | | |
| Banana Leaf spot (sigatoka) | Fruit development | In endemic areas grow resistant banana variety - Sakkare bale. At the time of planting the rhizomes may treated with any one of the Fungicides /lit. water a)Propiconozole 25 EC 1.0 ml. b)Theiophenate methyl 70 Wdiv 1.0 g. c)Carbendazim 50 Wdiv 1.0 g. d)Metham Sodium (Vapom) - 1.0 g. | | | | | |

| | | In Mashy area provide drainage. |
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| Field bean pod borer | Pod development | Dust 10 kg. Fenvalrate 0.4 D. OR Malathion 5 D. per acre during morning hours. |

| Block level weather forecast (From 30-04-2025 to 04-05-2025) | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Krishnarajpet | | | | | | | | | | |
| Parameter | Parameter 30.04.2025 01.05.2025 02.05.2025 03.05.2025 04.05.2025 | | | | | | | | | |
| Rainfall (mm) | 0.4 | 0.3 | 2.1 | 1.2 | 12 | | | | | |
| Max. temp (°C) | 34.9 | 34.7 | 35.1 | 35 | 33.2 | | | | | |
| Min.Temp (°C) | 23 | 22.7 | 22.7 | 22.6 | 22.5 | | | | | |
| Sky condition (Octas) | 7 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 5 | | | | | |
| Relative humidity (%) 0830 hours | 77.5 | 79.6 | 79.2 | 83.5 | 84.6 | | | | | |
| Relative humidity (%) 1730 hours | 27.1 | 30.9 | 34.5 | 35.4 | 39.6 | | | | | |
| Wind Speed (kmph) | 2.7 | 6.9 | 8.7 | 10.1 | 8.7 | | | | | |
| Wind Direction | 246.8 | 264 | 277.1 | 272 | 277.1 | | | | | |

| Maddur | | | | | | | | |
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| Parameter | 30.04.2025 | 01.05.2025 | 02.05.2025 | 03.05.2025 | 04.05.2025 | | | |
| Rainfall (mm) | 0.1 | 0.5 | 1.5 | 1.9 | 9.3 | | | |
| Max. temp (°C) | 36.5 | 36.5 | 37.5 | 37 | 35.6 | | | |
| Min.Temp (°C) | 24 | 23.7 | 23.9 | 23.7 | 23.2 | | | |
| Sky condition (Octas) | 7 | 7 | 6 | 6 | 6 | | | |
| Relative humidity (%) 0830 hours | 73.2 | 77.8 | 81 | 78.5 | 82.4 | | | |
| Relative humidity (%) 1730 hours | 23 | 23.7 | 28.1 | 30.4 | 34.7 | | | |
| Wind Speed (kmph) | 3.2 | 7.4 | 8.9 | 10.4 | 10.5 | | | |
| Wind Direction | 90 | 230.9 | 256 | 256 | 266.1 | | | |

| Malvalli | | | | | | | | |
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| Parameter | 30.04.2025 | 01.05.2025 | 02.05.2025 | 03.05.2025 | 04.05.2025 | | | |
| Rainfall (mm) | 0.2 | 0.5 | 3 | 2.8 | 8.9 | | | |
| Max. temp (°C) | 36.7 | 36.9 | 37.6 | 36.8 | 35.7 | | | |
| Min.Temp (°C) | 24.2 | 24 | 23.9 | 23.6 | 23.4 | | | |
| Sky condition (Octas) | 7 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | | | |
| Relative humidity (%) 0830 hours | 72.2 | 78.3 | 80.5 | 79 | 83.1 | | | |
| Relative humidity (%) 1730 hours | 21.8 | 22.2 | 26.9 | 30.4 | 32.2 | | | |

| Wind Speed (kmph) | 3.2 | 6.8 | 9.1 | 10.7 | 11.3 |
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| Wind Direction | 90 | 238 | 251.6 | 256.4 | 262.6 |

| Mandya | | | | | | | | |
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| Parameter | 30.04.2025 | 01.05.2025 | 02.05.2025 | 03.05.2025 | 04.05.2025 | | | |
| Rainfall (mm) | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.9 | 1.6 | 8.6 | | | |
| Max. temp (°C) | 36.4 | 36 | 36.7 | 36.6 | 34.6 | | | |
| Min.Temp (°C) | 23.4 | 23.1 | 23.4 | 23.2 | 23 | | | |
| Sky condition (Octas) | 7 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 6 | | | |
| Relative humidity (%) 0830 hours | 76.3 | 80.8 | 83.4 | 81.2 | 85.4 | | | |
| Relative humidity (%) 1730 hours | 23.1 | 23.7 | 29.6 | 31.3 | 37.5 | | | |
| Wind Speed (kmph) | 3.2 | 7.9 | 9.1 | 11.7 | 10.9 | | | |
| Wind Direction | 206.5 | 239.9 | 263.2 | 261.1 | 264.3 | | | |

| Nagamangala | | | | | | | | |
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| Parameter | 30.04.2025 | 01.05.2025 | 02.05.2025 | 03.05.2025 | 04.05.2025 | | | |
| Rainfall (mm) | 0.9 | 0.2 | 0.7 | 1.4 | 6.2 | | | |
| Max. temp (°C) | 35.2 | 34.8 | 35.7 | 35.8 | 33.7 | | | |
| Min.Temp (°C) | 23 | 22.7 | 22.8 | 22.7 | 22.4 | | | |
| Sky condition (Octas) | 7 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 5 | | | |
| Relative humidity (%) 0830 hours | 75 | 78.5 | 79 | 83.1 | 83.7 | | | |
| Relative humidity (%) 1730 hours | 29.5 | 32.4 | 34.8 | 34.1 | 40.3 | | | |
| Wind Speed (kmph) | 2.8 | 6.8 | 9.5 | 10.1 | 11.5 | | | |
| Wind Direction | 219.8 | 251.6 | 280.9 | 210 | 271.8 | | | |

| Pandavapura | | | | | | | | |
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| Parameter | 30.04.2025 | 01.05.2025 | 02.05.2025 | 03.05.2025 | 04.05.2025 | | | |
| Rainfall (mm) | 0.7 | 0.9 | 1.8 | 2 | 10.3 | | | |
| Max. temp (°C) | 36 | 35.7 | 36.2 | 36 | 34.1 | | | |
| Min.Temp (°C) | 23.2 | 22.9 | 23.2 | 23.1 | 22.7 | | | |
| Sky condition (Octas) | 7 | 7 | 6 | 6 | 6 | | | |
| Relative humidity (%) 0830 hours | 78.5 | 80.4 | 82.3 | 83.1 | 86.7 | | | |
| Relative humidity (%) 1730 hours | 23.9 | 27.6 | 33.8 | 34.5 | 41.1 | | | |
| Wind Speed (kmph) | 3.3 | 8 | 9.8 | 12 | 10.5 | | | |
| Wind Direction | 229.4 | 243.4 | 263.7 | 261.4 | 266.1 | | | |

| Shrirangapattana | | | | | | | | |
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| Parameter | 30.04.2025 | 01.05.2025 | 02.05.2025 | 03.05.2025 | 04.05.2025 | | | |
| Rainfall (mm) | 0.7 | 0.9 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 15.4 | | | |
| Max. temp (°C) | 36.1 | 36 | 36.1 | 36 | 34.8 | | | |
| Min.Temp (°C) | 23.4 | 23.2 | 23.2 | 23.1 | 22.6 | | | |
| Sky condition (Octas) | 7 | 7 | 6 | 6 | 6 | | | |
| Relative humidity (%) 0830 hours | 78 | 81.2 | 83.1 | 83 | 86.6 | | | |
| Relative humidity (%) 1730 hours | 23.2 | 26.9 | 34.2 | 34.9 | 40.7 | | | |
| Wind Speed (kmph) | 3.8 | 8.4 | 10.7 | 12.1 | 12 | | | |
| Wind Direction | 228.8 | 244.5 | 258.3 | 259.7 | 263.1 | | | |

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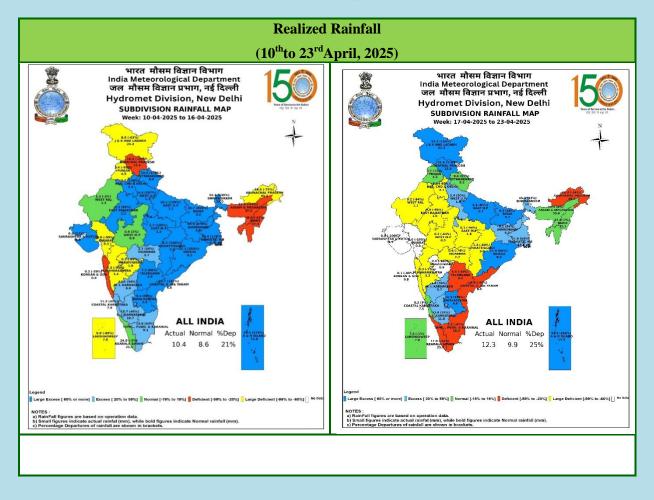
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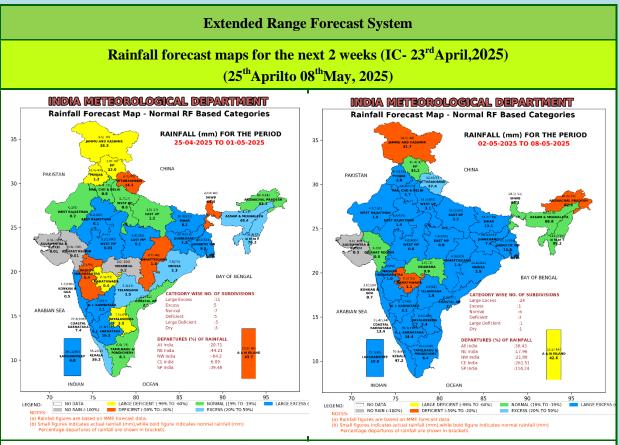
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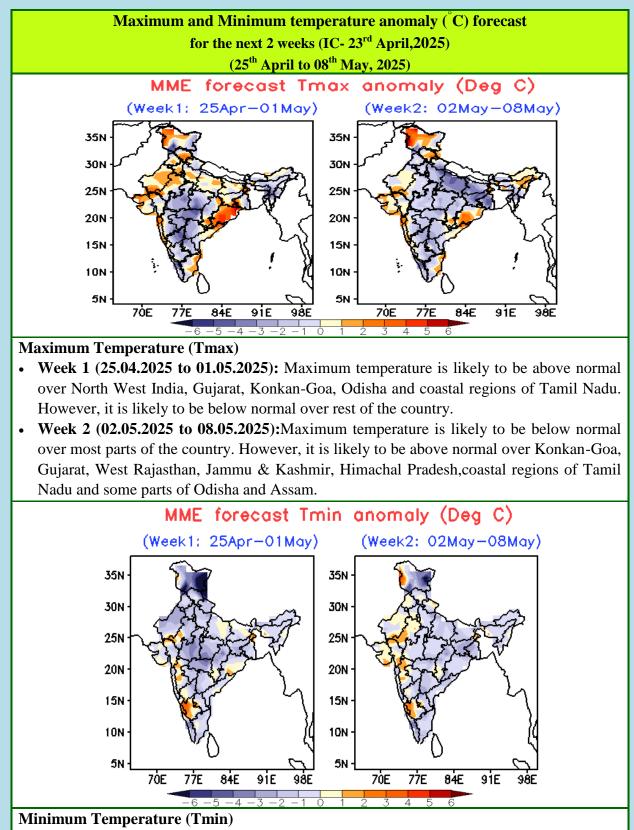
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वास्तविकवर्षातथाविस्तारितअवधिपूर्वानुमान Realized Rainfall and Extended Range Forecast (वर्षाऔरतापमान) (Rainfall and Temperature)





- Week1(25.04.2025 to 01.05.2025):Rainfall is likely to be above normal in Kerala, South Karnataka, Northeast India, Gangetic West Bengal, Jharkhand and Bihar. Rainfall activity is likely over some parts of Tamil Nadu, Uttarakhand, Himachal Pradesh and Jammu & Kasmir.
- Week 2 (02.05.2025 to 08.05.2025):Rainfall is likely to be above normal over many parts of Northwest India, East India, Kerala, Tamil Nadu and Karnataka. Rainfall activity is likely over many parts of Northeast India.



- Week 1 (25.04.2025 to 01.05.2025): Minimum temperature is likely to be below normal over most parts of the county. However, it is likely to be above normal over Karnataka.
- Week 2 (02.05.2025 to 08.05.2025): Minimum temperature is likely to be below normal over many parts of the county. However, it is likely to be above normal over Rajasthan, Gujarat, Madhya Maharashtra and Karnataka.