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**AGROMET-ADVISORY BULLETIN**

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**The forecast is valid for Chikkaballapur district  
Weather forecast (Valid from 29-10-2022 to 02-11-2022)**

**Forecast summary:**

Parameters	29.10.2022	30.10.2022	31.10.2022	01.11.2022	02.11.2022
Rainfall (mm)	0	1	3	0	5
Max Temp Trend ( °C)	27	27	26	27	27
Min Temp Trend ( °C)	17	17	18	18	19
Total cloud cover (octa)	6	7	7	7	8
Relative humidity (%)Max	71	72	72	72	72
Relative humidity (%)Min	62	64	64	64	64
Wind speed(Km/hr)	2	3	2	2	2
Wind Direction (Degrees)	69	77	69	63	63

Light rain forecasted by IMD, Bangalore during next 5 days. The Maximum temperature ranges from 26.0-27.0°C and Minimum of 17.0-19.0°C. Relative humidity 71-72 % during morning hrs and 62-64 % during noon is expected. Wind speed 2-3 km/hr.

**Weather Based Agro Advisories  
Crop information and Crop Stages of the major Kharif/Rabi crops**

District	Kharif crops				Horticulture crops	
Chikkaballapur a	Groundnut	Redgram	Finger millet	Maize	Grape	Mango
	PM,H	F	V,T,E,GF	GF,M,H	-	--

G: Germination, S: Sowing, EV: Early vegetative, VG: Vegetative growth, TR: Transplanting, PI: Peg initiation, FLI: Flag leaf initiation, F: Flowering, PF: Pod formation, PM: Pod Maturity, T: Tilling, Ts: Taselling, E: Ear head emergence, GF: Grain filling, H: Harvesting IBI: Inflorescence Bud initiation, PP(V): Pod Picking Vegetable, F& FS: Flowering to fruit setting, FD: Fruit Development, H: Harvesting, M: Maturation, B: Branching

**Agromet Advisory:**

Crop/ Component	Stage/ Condition	Pest and Disease	Agro advisories
General			1. Swathi rainstar starts from October 24 <sup>th</sup> and remains up to November 5 <sup>th</sup> . The normal rainfall of Swathi rainstar is 47.9 mm.
Kharif crops	Tillering stage/Ear head formation stage/flowering/pod formation and maturity stage		The following crops are suggested for sowing. Finger millet Ragi (Indaf-5, 7,9, ML-365, KMR-301), Horse gram- PHG-9, KBH-1, Niger, Field bean-HA-3 and 4 and sunflower-KBSH-1,41,42, 44 & 53, cowpea (KBC-1, TVX-944 and PKB-4 for vegetable purpose). 1. Suggested for intercultivation for Ragi crop 2. To control of leaf folder insect in Redgram to spray Methomyl 40SP, 2 gram/litre of water before flowering of crop. 3. Biological control of pod borer insect in Redgram 200 LE/acre HANPV 400 litre with teepol (1 ml/lit.). Pheromone traps for <i>Helicoverpa armigera</i> 12/ha 4. If Wilt diseases noticed in Redgram field –Drenching

		<p>Carbendazim 50 WP 2 g/litre of water.</p> <p>5. Remove and burn the infected Wilt diseases Redgram plant in field.</p> <p>6. To control Cob borer spray melathion 50 EC @ 2ml/litre (500 ml/acre)</p>
<b>Horticulture crop</b>		
<b>Mango</b>		<p>1. Paclobutrazol soil application @ 5 g a.i per plant is recommended for uniform flowering behavior in Mango crop. Paclobutrazol is effective not only in flower induction but also in early and off season flower induction which thereby maintains regularity and synchronization in flowering.</p>
<b>Sericulture</b>		
		<p>1. Maintain the optimum room temperature in Sericulture unit.</p>
<b>Dairy</b>		<p>➤ Congenial climate and abundant fodder availability facilitate improved Dairy, Piggery, Poultry, Sheep and Goat rearing.</p> <p><b>Feeding of lactating cow</b></p> <p>➤ Proper feeding of dairy cattle should envisage minimum wastage of nutrients and maximum returns in respect of milk produced.</p> <p>➤ A concentrate mixture made up of protein supplements such as oil cakes, energy sources such as cereal grains (Maize, Jowar), tapioca chips and laxative feeds such as brans (rice bran, wheat bran, gram husk) is generally used.</p> <p>➤ Mineral mixture containing major and all the trace elements should be included at a level of 2 percent.</p> <p>1. Dietary fiber for milking cow should be 17 % and NDF (Neutral Detergent Fiber ) 22 %</p>

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**Important Note:** Farmers are informed to use the APPs & Videos related to Weather information: MEGHDOOT, MAUSAM AND DAMINI APPS. This information is available in the website: [mausam.imd.gov.in](http://mausam.imd.gov.in)