



**Agromet Advisory Service Bulletin for Ratnagiri District**  
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Significant past weather for the preceding week (Period –04/07/2020 to 10/07/2020)							Weather Parameters	Weather forecast until 08.30 hrs of 15/07/2020				
04/07	05/07	06/07	07/07	08/07	09/07	10/07		11/07	12/07	13/07	14/07	15/07
156.4	144.2	6.8	27.0	77.6	80.4	65.0	Rainfall (mm)	45	36	40	41	45
27.0	27.0	29.0	30.0	28.5	27.1	28.0	Maximum temperature (°C)	28	28	29	29	29
22.5	23.0	25.0	23.5	24.2	24.1	24.1	Minimum temperature (°C)	25	25	25	25	25
6	6	6	6	4	4	4	Cloud cover (Octa)	8	8	8	8	8
100	92	92	92	93	93	93	Relative Humidity Max. (%)	93	92	93	93	93
100	92	87	98	100	100	-	Relative Humidity Min. (%)	80	80	82	84	88
4.8	10.0	12.2	14.4	10.4	7.1	5.7	Wind speed (Km/hr)	7	10	10	7	5
Calm	Calm	SW	W	Calm	Calm	Calm	Wind direction	SW	SW	WSW	W	SW
<b>Rainfall (mm) in last week</b>				<b>Rainfall (mm) from 01/01/2020 to till dated</b>				<b>Total Rainfall (mm) in last year</b>				
557.4				1487.5				5130.9				

**Agro-met Advisory**

**There is possibility of moderate rainfall at most places over Ratnagiri district from 11<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> July, 2020.**

**Warning: Heavy rainfall likely to occur at isolated places from 11<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> July, 2020.**

**As per ERFs products above normal rainfall may occur in Konkan division during 15<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> July 2020.**

Crop	Stage	Agro Advise
<b>Kharif rice</b>	<b>Transplanting</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maintain optimum water level of 2.5 to 5cm upto 30 days after transplanting.</li> <li>Complete the transplanting of the rice. Seedlings with 5 to 6 leaves with height of 12 to 15 cm and 20-21 days old seedling in case of early rice varieties and 27 to 30 days old seedling in case of midlate and late rice varieties. Prepare field for transplanting by puddling. At the time of puddling apply 87 kg urea, 313 kg single super phosphate and 84 kg muriate of potash per hectare when intensity of rainfall is low. If incorporation of 5 tonnes of glyricidia leaves per hectare is done then reduce the dose of nitrogenous fertilizers to 50 percent.</li> <li>Transplant 2-3 rice seedlings per hill in case of straight varieties and one seedling per hill in case of hybrid at a spacing of 15 x 15 cm (early) or 20 x 15 cm (midlate and late varieties). follow upright and shallow (2.5 to 3.5 cm) transplanting of seedling.</li> <li>For controlling the crabs from rice field, use bait prepare with the help of cook rice from 1 kg of raw rice and add insecticide Acephate 75WP @ 75 gm and make 100 arecanut size balls and keep them in each crab burrow and close it with wet mud. On the next day if some of the burrows are found open, again put the bait. For better control continue it for 7 days and also perform cooperatively with other farmers (Note: insecticide is not under label claim).</li> </ul>
<b>Finger millet</b>	<b>Transplanting</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Carry out transplanting of finger millet seedlings when intensity of rainfall is low. Transplant 2 finger millet seedlings at spacing of 20x15 cm by 'Thomba' method. Prepare Thomba across the slope. Apply 35 kg urea and 100 kg single super phosphate per acre in thomba at the time of transplanting.</li> </ul>
<b>Mango</b>	<b>Fruiting</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Due to cloudy rainy weather, there is possibility for incidence of anthracnose disease on new flush of mango. If incidence is noticed, spray 0.1% Thiophanate methyl 70 %WP @ 10 gm per 10 liter of water.</li> <li>To protect the re-established mango and cashewnut grafts those disturb due to Nisarg cyclone from fungal diseases and stem borer attack, it is advised to undertake 2<sup>nd</sup> spray with 1% bordomixuture and also with Chlorpyriphos 20%EC @ 2ml per liter of water separately.</li> </ul>
<b>Cashewnut</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To protect the re-established mango and cashewnut grafts those disturb due to Nisarg cyclone from fungal diseases and stem borer attack, it is advised to undertake 2<sup>nd</sup> spray with 1% bordomixuture and also with Chlorpyriphos 20%EC @ 2ml per liter of water separately.</li> </ul>
<b>Brinjal</b>	<b>Vegetative</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Apply 2<sup>nd</sup> split dose of nitrogen @ 43 kg urea per acre to brinjal crop after 3 to 5 weeks of transplanting.</li> </ul>
<b>Turmeric</b>	<b>Vegetative</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Apply 1<sup>st</sup> split dose of nitrogen @ 35kg urea per acre to turmeric crop after 6 weeks of planting.</li> </ul>
<b>Milch animals/ Goat</b>	-	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>During rainy season, farm animals shows symptoms like Diarrhea, reduction in feed intake and weight loss due to worms, if infection of worms is observed in farm animals</li> </ul>

		worms, give Fenbendazole @ 5 ml or Albendazol 7.5 ml per kg weight of farm animals.
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Note : Spray insecticide or fungicide solution and apply fertilizers when intensity of rainfall is low. Mix sticker into spraying solution.

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