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AGRO-ADVISORY BULLETIN FOR KODAGU DISTRICT

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Past Weather Data

Parameter	23.05.2026	24.05.2026	25.05.2026	26.05.2026
Rainfall (mm)	-	-	-	-
Max. Temp. (°C)	-	-	-	-
Min. Temp. (°C)	-	-	-	-
Sky condition (Octas)	-	-	-	-
Relative humidity (%) 0830 hours	-	-	-	-
Relative humidity (%) 1730 hours	-	-	-	-
Wind Speed (km/h)	-	-	-	-
Wind Direction	-	-	-	-

Weather forecast for the next five days (From 27-05-2026 to 31-05-2026)

Parameter	27.05.2026	28.05.2026	29.05.2026	30.05.2026	31.05.2026
Rainfall (mm)	5	15	5	0	0
Max. Temp. (°C)	32	32	31	32	32
Min. Temp. (°C)	22	22	21	22	22
Sky condition (Octas)	6	7	5	6	7
Relative humidity (%) 0830 hours	79	78	77	78	79
Relative humidity (%) 1730 hours	46	48	47	46	45
Wind Speed (kmph)	6	10	6	4	6
Wind Direction	255	257	252	261	267

Forecast Summary

As forecast received from IMD, Light is expected during 27–29 May 2026, with comparatively heavy rainfall (15 mm) likely on 28 May 2026. Dry weather conditions are expected on 30 and 31 May 2026 with no significant rainfall forecast **in Kodagu district. The day temperature is expected to be 31-32°C & night temperature is expected 21-22°C. The relative humidity in the morning hours is expected to be 77-79% & afternoon relative humidity is expected to be in the range of 45-48%. Wind speed expected to be 4-10 km/ hr.**

SMS Advisory

Kodagu farmers are advised to ensure proper drainage in coffee and pepper plantations to prevent rot diseases due to continuous rain forecast. Postpone all chemical sprays and fertilizer applications until the weather clears and keep livestock in dry shelters.

General Advisory

- **Drainage Management:** Given the forecast of continuous rainfall, ensure immediate clearance of drainage channels in **Coffee, Black Pepper, and Ginger** plantations to prevent waterlogging and soil-borne diseases like root rot and quick wilt.
- **Plantation Hygiene:** High humidity and cloudy conditions are highly conducive to fungal diseases; monitor Coffee plants for **Black Rot** and Pepper vines for **Foot Rot**. Remove any infected debris immediately.
- **Input Application:** Strictly **postpone** all chemical sprays, Bordeaux mixture applications, and fertilizer top-dressing, as the persistent rain will cause immediate runoff and reduce efficacy.
- **Soil Conservation:** Continue mulching in young plantations to prevent soil erosion caused by heavy raindrops and to maintain soil structure.
- **Livestock Care:** Ensure cattle sheds are kept dry and well-ventilated to prevent respiratory infections and hoof diseases triggered by damp conditions.

Crops and Suitable Varieties for Sowing in May

- **Ragi:** Indaf-9, GPU-45, GPU-48.
- **Shaktiman Maize:** CSV-4, CSH-5, CSH-9.
- **Maize:** Hema, Nityashree, MAH-14-5, MAH-14-138, MAH-15-184.
- **Popcorn:** Amber.
- **Minor Millets:** Foxtail Millet (SIA-326), Little Millet (CO-2, OLM-203), Proso Millet (GPUB-8, GPUB-21), Barnyard Millet (DHBM-93-3), Browntop Millet (GPUBT-2).
- **Red Gram (Tur):** BRG-1, 2, 3, 4, 5; ICP-7035, TTB-7, Hyderabad-32.
- **Green Gram (Moong):** PS-16, Pusa Baisakhi, PDM-84-178, KKM-3.
- **Black Gram (Urad):** Karagaon-3, T-9, Rashmi (LBG-625), LBG-791 (Suraksha).
- **Cowpea:** VNS-944-02-E, KBC-1, KBC-2, KM-9, KM-5, KC-8 (KBC-11), CTCC-6.
- **Groundnut:** GKVK-5, KCG-6 (Chintamani-6), GPBD-4, ICGV-91114, JL-24, TMV-2, GKVK-27.
- **Castor:** DCS-9 (Jyoti), 48-1 (Jwala); **Hybrids:** DCH-177, GCH-4.
- **Sesame:** GT-1, Navile-1 (Tunga), TMV-3, T-7, GKVK-1.
- **Horticultural Crops:** Banana, Arecanut, Chilli, Turmeric, Potato, Ginger.
 - **Fodder Crops:** Fodder Jowar (J-Set-3), Fodder Cowpea (MFC-09-01, MFC-08-14, MFC-09-03), Bajra-Napier Grass (PBN-342).

Farmers Advisory

Crop	Crop Stage	Weather-based Advisory	Severe Pests / Diseases Likely	Recommended Management
Coffee	Berry development stage	Due to forecast of light to moderate rainfall in Kodagu, maintain proper drainage in plantations and undertake shade regulation to improve aeration. Mulching may be continued for moisture conservation.	Coffee berry borer, leaf rust, black rot	Install berry borer traps and collect fallen berries. Spray Bordeaux mixture 1% or recommended fungicide against fungal diseases if continuous rainfall persists.
Black Pepper	Vegetative stage	Provide proper drainage around vines and support standards.	Quick wilt, pollu beetle, foot rot	Drench vines with Bordeaux mixture or Copper oxychloride around collar

		Avoid water stagnation near root zone.		region. Maintain sanitation and remove infected vines immediately.
Arecanut	Inflorescence emergence stage	Light rainfall favors palm growth; maintain basin cleanliness and drainage. Apply organic manure after rainfall.	Koleroga (fruit rot), spindle bug	Spray Bordeaux mixture 1% prophylactically against Koleroga. Monitor spindle bug incidence and spray recommended insecticide if necessary.
Ginger	Vegetative stage	Carry out earthing up and mulching after rainfall. Ensure drainage channels are open to avoid rhizome rot.	Rhizome rot, leaf spot	Drench soil with Copper oxychloride or Bordeaux mixture around clumps. Remove and destroy infected plants.
Paddy	Green manure incorporation stage	Light to moderate rainfall is favorable for incorporation of green manure crops. Plough green manure into soil at optimum moisture condition.	Stem borer (early incidence), blast (under humid condition)	Incorporate green manure uniformly and maintain shallow water level after incorporation. Monitor pest and disease incidence regularly.
Maize	Sowing stage	Utilize available soil moisture for timely sowing. Ensure proper drainage in heavy rainfall-prone areas.	Seedling blight, fall armyworm (early incidence)	Treat seeds with fungicide or Trichoderma before sowing. Install pheromone traps for fall armyworm monitoring.
Butterfruit (Avocado)	Ripening stage	Harvest mature fruits during dry intervals to avoid fruit damage and fungal infection. Maintain orchard sanitation.	Fruit rot, anthracnose, fruit fly	Collect and destroy fallen infected fruits. Spray recommended fungicide against anthracnose if rainfall continues. Use fruit fly traps for monitoring and control.

Block level weather forecast					
Madikeri					
Parameter	27.05.2026	28.05.2026	29.05.2026	30.05.2026	31.05.2026
Rainfall (mm)	17.6	7	5.4	3.1	1.9
Max. temp (°C)	27.9	27.4	26.9	27.2	27.8
Min.Temp (°C)	20.4	20.2	20.5	20.1	20
Sky condition (Octas)	6	6	6	5	6
Relative humidity (%) 0830 hours	99.2	98.8	98.8	98.4	98.1
Relative humidity (%) 1730 hours	70.6	71.7	72.3	71.8	65.4
Wind Speed (kmph)	4.3	4.3	4.8	5.9	6.1
Wind Direction	270	274.8	257	259.4	266.6

Somvarpet

Parameter	27.05.2026	28.05.2026	29.05.2026	30.05.2026	31.05.2026
Rainfall (mm)	16.6	11.6	10	3.3	3.7
Max. temp (°C)	29.1	28.1	27.9	28.2	28.5
Min.Temp (°C)	20.4	20.4	20.5	19.9	20.1
Sky condition (Octas)	6	6	6	5	5
Relative humidity (%) 0830 hours	98.4	98.8	97.9	97.1	96.6
Relative humidity (%) 1730 hours	64	67.8	65.8	69	61.7
Wind Speed (kmph)	6.1	8.3	8	9.7	10.8
Wind Direction	273.4	270	264.8	265.8	266.2

Virajpet

Parameter	27.05.2026	28.05.2026	29.05.2026	30.05.2026	31.05.2026
Rainfall (mm)	4.5	3	2.4	2	1.5
Max. temp (°C)	27.8	27.7	27.7	27.2	27.8
Min.Temp (°C)	21	20.9	21	20.8	20.5
Sky condition (Octas)	6	6	6	6	6
Relative humidity (%) 0830 hours	99	98.6	98.9	98.9	98
Relative humidity (%) 1730 hours	71	73.6	70.4	73.3	67.8
Wind Speed (kmph)	4.1	4.3	5	5.8	5.8
Wind Direction	254.7	265.2	249	248.2	262.9

- Download “DAMINI” app to get early warning on lightening and take precautions based on the alert given by the application.
- Kindly download “MAUSAM” APP for location specific forecast & warning & “MEGHDOOT” APP for Agromet advisory
- This information is available in the website: mausam.imd.gov.in

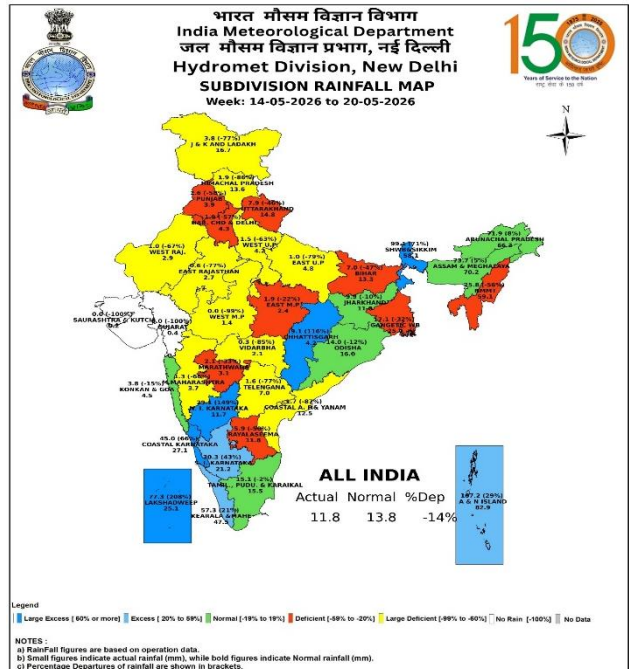
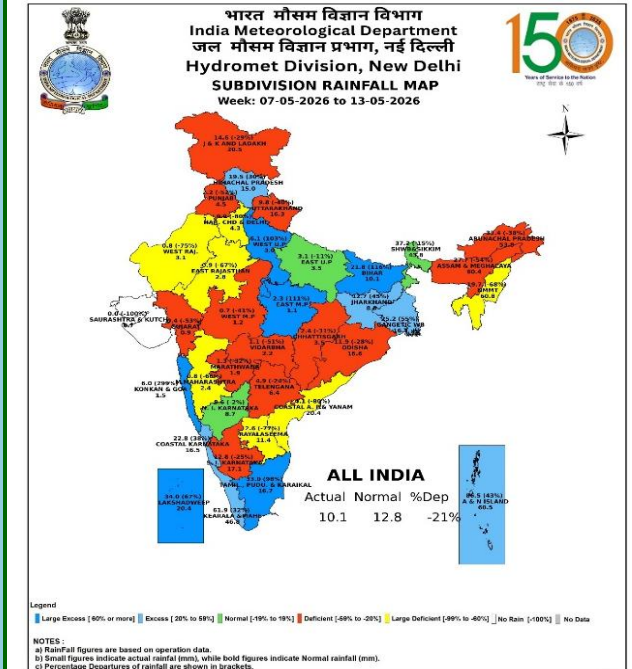
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 (Rainfall and Temperature)

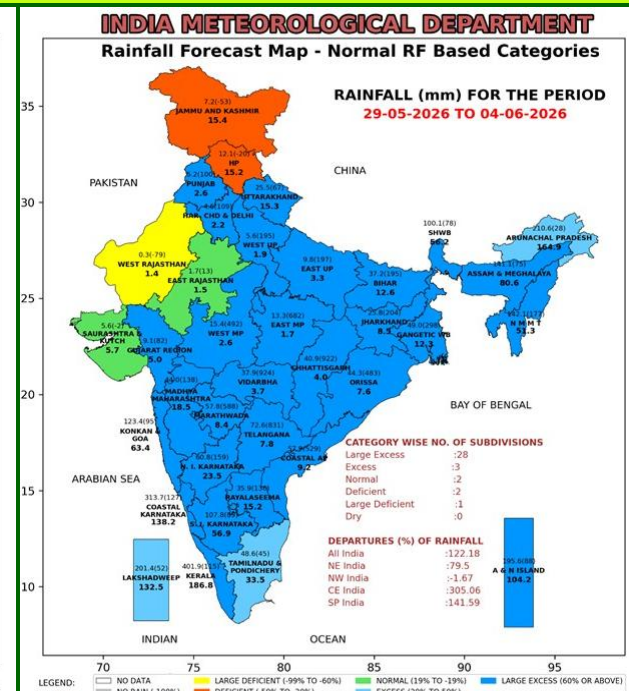
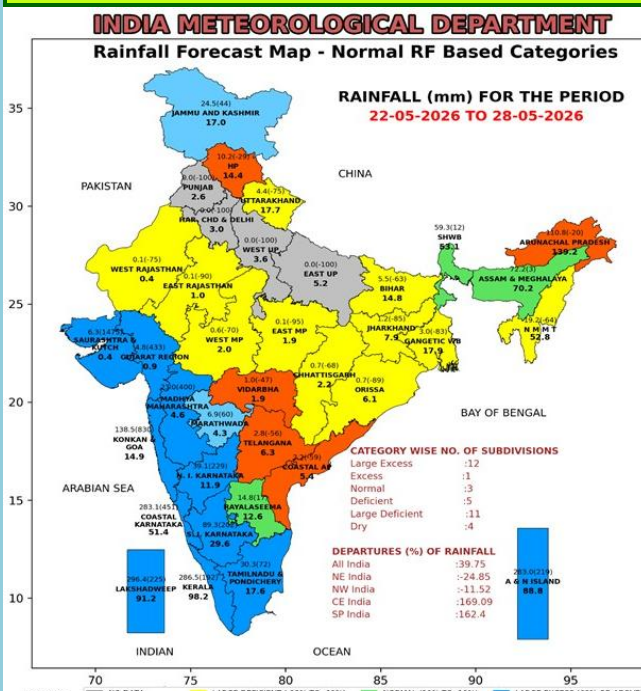
Realized Rainfall

(07th to 20th May 2026)



Extended Range Forecast System

Rainfall forecast maps for the next 2 weeks (IC- 20th May, 2026)
 (22nd May to 04th June 2026)

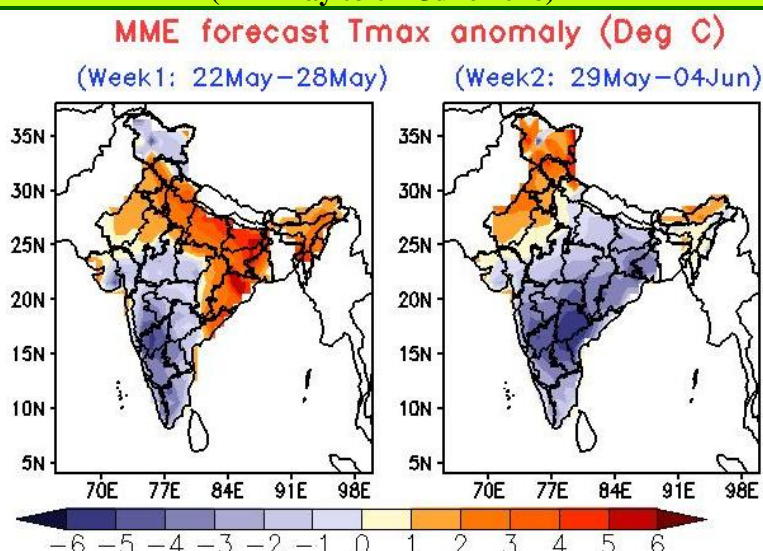


• **Week 1 (22.05.2026 to 28.05.2026):** Rainfall is likely to be above normal over Kerala,

Karnataka, Konkan-Goa, Lakshadweep, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Jammu & Kashmir and some parts of Assam. Rainfall is also likely over South India, many parts of Maharashtra, North East India and some parts of Himachal Pradesh.

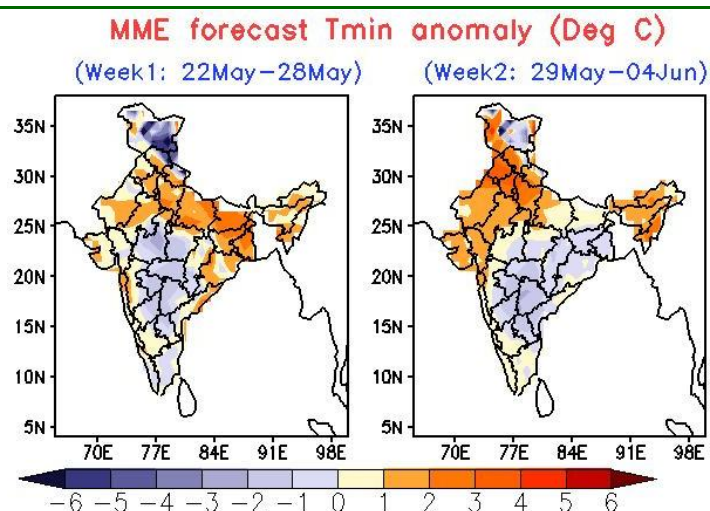
- **Week 2 (29.05.2026 to 04.06.2026):** Rainfall is likely over most parts of the country except some parts of North West India with above normal rainfall activity over many parts of South India, Central India, East India, North East India, Maharashtra and Uttarakhand.

**Maximum and Minimum temperature anomaly (°C) forecast
for the next 2 weeks (IC-20th May, 2026)
(22nd May to 04th June 2026)**



Maximum Temperature (Tmax)

- **Week 1 (22.05.2026 to 28.05.2026):** Maximum temperature is likely to be above normal over many parts of North West India, East India, North East India, Chhattisgarh and northern part of Coastal Andhra Pradesh.
- **Week 2 (29.05.2026 to 04.06.2026):** Maximum temperature is likely to be above normal over Jammu & Kashmir, Himachal Pradesh, Punjab, Haryana, many parts of Rajasthan and Arunachal Pradesh.



Minimum Temperature (Tmin)

- **Week 1 (22.05.2026 to 28.05.2026):** Minimum Temperature is likely to be above normal over many parts of North West India, East India, North East India, Saurashtra & Kutch, Konkan & Goa and some parts of Coastal Andhra Pradesh.
- **Week 2 (29.05.2026 to 04.06.2026):** Minimum temperature is likely to be above normal over many parts of North West India, North East India and Gujarat State.

