



Agromet Advisory Bulletin for **KOLLAM** district

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A. Weather forecast for the next 5 days in **Kollam** District

PARAMETERS	03/04/2019	04/04/2019	05/04/2019	06/04/2019	07/04/2019
Rainfall (mm)	1	0.6	0	0	0
Max temp °C	39	39	39	39	39
Min temp °C	24	24	24	24	24
Cloud cover	7	7	4	4	4
Max RH %	95	95	95	95	95
Min RH %	40	40	40	40	40
Wind speed (kmph)	6	8	10	12	8
Wind dir (deg)	180	140	140	180	230

B. Agro meteorological Advisories for coming week

Crop	Stage	Pest and diseases	Agro meteorological advisories
Rice	Harvesting	-	Harvesting of puncha crop completed except in few pockets.
Coconut		Nut fall	Nut fall noticed in coconut due to intense heat and existing high temperature. Irrigation recommended once in a week.
Banana	October planting crop	Root mealy bug	Soil drenching with imidacloprid@ 1 ml/ltr recommended.
Tapioca		Mealy bug	Affected leaves turns to bunchy top like appearance. To control mealy bug spray neem oil 30ml/ltr of soap water. Hang yellow sticky trap(castor oil coated) 20 nos/ha.