

Agromet Advisory Bulletin for Sub Tropical Conditions of Jammu Region
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# District: KATHUA

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Weather summary of previous 5 days 11<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> May, 2025)

Range of Max. Temperature ( <sup>0</sup> C)	36.8 – 41.2
Range of Min. Temperature ( <sup>0</sup> C)	22.8 - 26.2
Range of Relative Humidity (%)	NA
Rainfall (mm)	0.0

Ensembled forecast for next 5 days (0830 hrs 17<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> May, 2025)

Date	Rainfall (mm)	Tmax (°C)	Tmin (°C)	RH Morning (%)	RH Evening (%)	Wind Speed (kmph)	Wind Direction (°)	Cloud Cover (Octa)
17-05-2025	0	41	26	45	30	1	12	1
18-05-2025	0	41	26	45	30	2	15	2
19-05-2025	2	39	27	50	40	2	48	6
20-05-2025	3	38	25	60	50	2	10	5
21-05-2025	0	40	24	50	40	1	25	2

Chances of light rainfall between 18<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> May at scattered locations. Sky may remain fair to generally cloudy for next five days. The Maximum Temperature may range from 38°C to 41°C, while the Minimum Temperature may range from 24°C to 27°C. Wind may blow @1 to 2 km/h from North Northeast to North East direction. The morning relative humidity may range from 45% to 60%, while evening relative humidity may range from 30% to 50% during this period.

As per Extended Range Forecast (ERF), Rainfall and Maximum Temperature may remain below normal limits whereas Minimum Temperature may remain moderately below normal limits in J&K Subdivision wef 21-05-2025 to 27-05-2025.

Weather Forecast Based Agramet Advisories W.F.F.0830, hrs. 17<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> May, 2025

Weather Forecast B	Weather Forecast Based Agromet Advisories W.E.F 0830 hrs 17" to 21" May, 2025							
Crop	Stage/Cultural	Weather based Agro- advisories						
	Operation							
Rice	Nursery sowing	Farmers may go for nursery sowing of early transplanted rice						
		varieties. (var. IET-1410, K-39, Ratna, PC-19, Jaya) Treat						
		seed with Carbendazim or Bavistin @2gm/Kg before nursery						
		raising. Give irrigation to nursery as per requirement.						
		Incorporate the FYM @ 10-15 tons/ ha at least 15 days						
		earlier to transplanting in the field, where rice is to be						
		transplanted.						
Fallow land	Soil solarization	Deep Plough the land with soil turning plough for soil						
		solarization against insect pests and weed infestation.						
		Incorporate well rotten F.Y.M. 15 days prior to sowing in the						
		fields where Kharif maize and paddy are to be sown in June.						
Pulses		Postpone irrigation due to chances of rainfall.						
Summer pulses	Early vegetative	Farmers may go for hoeing and weeding in crop to conserve						
(moong/mash)		soil moisture and proper aeration of the roots and to keep the						
		weeds under check.						
Green	Germination/ Early	Postpone irrigation due to chances of rainfall.						
manuring	Vegetative	The dose of phosphorus recommended for the rice crop to be						
		taken after Daincha should be applied to daincha crop either						



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Vegetables: Cucurbits	Vegetative stage	through single super phosphate or Di ammonium phosphate.  Apply irrigation as per requirement of crop.  Spray chloropyriphos @2 ml/lt. of water during clear weather immediately followed by ash application on wetted leaves in cucurbits for control of red pumpkin beetle. Install 5 pheromone traps per kanal to control fruit fly.
Tomato/brinjal	Fruiting/flowering/ vegetative	Timely harvest the matured fruit in order to avoid spoilage. Monitor tomato crop for leaf curl. Remove virus infected plants. Spray imidacloprid @ 0.5ml/lt of water during clear weather to check further spread of disease by whitefly.
Okra	Vegetative	If yellow leaves (YVMV) are observed, uproot and bury deep in soil and wash hands after that.
Turmeric/ ginger	Early Vegetative	Keep the field free of weeds.
Floriculture		Apply irrigation as per requirement of crop.
Summer annuals	Nursery Seed	Sowing of nursery of Summer annuals is recommended.
Chrysanthemum	Mother stock	Chrysanthemum propagation through root cutting is recommended.
Rose	Flowering	Hoeing and weeding is recommended to conserve the soil moisture.
Fodder Summer mixe3d fodder	Vegetative	Apply irrigation as per requirement of crop.  Top dressing of nitrogenous fertilizer in summer fodder (maize+cowpea+charri) and bajra is recommended after rainfall, if not applied yet.
Mushroom Milky mushroom	Spawn run	Maintain temperature of cropping room between 25°C - 30°C for proper spawn run.  Maintain 90-95% humidity in cropping rooms.  Spray chlorothalonil @ 0.5% and deltamethrin @ 0.01% to control competitor fungi.  Farmers interested in growing milky mushroom may book the spawn of milky mushroom as the season will continue up to end of July.
Horticulture Guava /Mango/ Citrus	Young/Bearing	Apply irrigation as per requirement of crop in young plants. Remove water suckers.  Spray 2,4-D @ 10ppm during clear weather against citrus fruit drop in citrus.
Sericulture: Mulberry	Tree plantation	Mulberry Farm/individual mulberry trees should be irrigated periodically at an interval of 15-20 days.
Bivoltine cocoon crop	Disinfection of rearing halls/ appliances	Rigorous disinfection of used appliances in the recently completed spring rearing should be adopted with 2-14 per cent formaline solution.



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Apiculture		Protect colonies from high temperature by shifting to shady
		areas or migrate to cooler places or cover them with wet
		gunny bags. To control mite, dust sulphur on top bars @
		1g/frame /oxalic acid treatment @ 3.5% / litre water.
Fisheries	Fry/ yearlings	Farmers who have stocked fish livestock in their ponds are
Carp farming		advised to maintain proper water level in their fish ponds.
Poultry		Adequate clean drinking water should be available all the
		time.
		Proper hygiene should be maintained.
		Give vaccination against infectious bursal dermatitis IBD &
		Gumbroo at 7 <sup>th</sup> & 14 <sup>th</sup> day after birth.
Live stock		Due to chances of increase in temperature and hence, for
Dairy animals/		preventing animals from heat stress during hot weather
Sheep & Goat		conditions following points may be kept in mind:
		1. Provide an adequate amount of fresh cool and clean
		drinking water
		2. Plant shady trees around the sheds.
		3. Provide water baths 3-4 times in a day.
		4. Install fans and desert coolers for high-yielding animals.
		5. Sprinkling of water in sheds to reduce heat stress.
		6. Good quality green leguminous and non-leguminous
		fodders. Maize and bajra. Urea treatment of dry straw/fodder.
		7. Increase protein content in animal ration by 2%.
		8. Mineral mixture should be supplemented in the diet.

Ensembled Block Level Forecast for next 5 days (0830 hrs  $17^{th}$  to  $21^{st}$  May, 2025) for district.

Chances of light rainfall at scattered locations in Dinga Amb, Kathua And Keeriyan Gangyal blocks on  $17^{th}$ ,  $20^{th}$  &  $21^{st}$  May.

Rest of the blocks may experience light rainfall at scattered locations in next 5 days.

DATE	BLOCK NAME	Rain mm	Temp. Max °C	Temp. Min °C	RH Morn. (%)	RH Even.	Wind Speed (kmph)	Wind Direction (deg)	Cloud Cover (octa)
17-05-2025	Baggan	0.5	31.1	18.6	42.6	23.5	10.8	30	1
18-05-2025	Baggan	0.1	32.4	19.4	39.6	21.4	9.5	29.4	0
19-05-2025	Baggan	0.1	33.1	20.5	41.3	22.6	9	28.6	1
20-05-2025	Baggan	1.5	31.9	20.5	46.4	24.7	8.9	31.7	4
21-05-2025	Baggan	1.1	32.1	20	48.8	31.7	8.2	15.2	1
17-05-2025	Bani	1.1	26.2	13.9	54.3	26.8	10	12.5	2
18-05-2025	Bani	0.3	27.4	14.9	49.5	24.9	10	12.5	1
19-05-2025	Bani	0.4	28.2	15.9	48	25.5	8.4	9.8	1
20-05-2025	Bani	2.5	27.5	16.1	56.9	29.3	9	16.2	5
21-05-2025	Bani	2.4	27.4	15.7	57.9	35.6	7.2	17.5	1
17-05-2025	Barnoti	0.1	41.2	24.1	36.3	19.3	10.5	38	0
18-05-2025	Barnoti	0.1	42	24.2	34.8	17.6	8.4	39.8	0
19-05-2025	Barnoti	0.1	42.9	25.6	35.5	17.1	7.9	46.8	1



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20.05.2025	n	1	41.9	26	41	22.7	8.1	45	3
20-05-2025	Barnoti	0.3	41.5	25.9	42.7	28.2	7.4	50.9	1
21-05-2025	Barnoti	0.3	37.2	23.9	43	19.3	15.5	30.7	1
17-05-2025	Basohli	0.7	38.1	22.1	41.1	18.8	14.7	30.7	0
18-05-2025	Basohli								
19-05-2025	Basohli	0.2	39	23.1	40.1	20.1	13.8	33.2	3
20-05-2025	Basohli	1.6	37.7	23.1	47.8 47.1	21.6 27.7	12.7	34.6 30	
21-05-2025	Basohli	1.1	37.2	23.2			10.8		1
17-05-2025	Bhoond	0.9	27.1	14.9	51.4	25.3	10.7	13.5	
18-05-2025	Bhoond	0.2	28.4	15.9	47.2	23.7	10.7	11.6	1
19-05-2025	Bhoond	0.3	29.2	17	45.7	24.9	9.2	11.3	1
20-05-2025	Bhoond	2.2	28.4	17.2	53.4	27.3	9.3	15.6	4
21-05-2025	Bhoond	1.5	28.5	17	53.7	33.3	7.9	15.9	1
17-05-2025	Billawar	0.5	32.2	19.6	41.1	23.2	10.8	30	1
18-05-2025	Billawar	0.1	33.6	20.2	38.2	20.9	9.7	31.3	0
19-05-2025	Billawar	0.1	34.2	21.4	40.3	21.3	9.1	33.7	1
20-05-2025	Billawar	1.4	33.1	21.2	45	24.7	9.1	33.7	4
21-05-2025	Billawar	0.9	33.6	21.1	47.4	31.6	8.1	20.8	1
17-05-2025	Dhar-Mahanpur	0.8	30.7	17.9	48.1	24.5	10.5	15.9	1
18-05-2025	Dhar-Mahanpur	0.1	31.9	18.7	44.2	22.5	10.4	14	0
19-05-2025	Dhar-Mahanpur	0.1	32.6	19.8	43.2	23.6	8.9	14	1
20-05-2025	Dhar-Mahanpur	1.8	32	20.1	50.2	25.7	9.1	18.4	4
21-05-2025	Dhar-Mahanpur	1	32.5	20.5	50.1	32.8	7.4	22.8	1
17-05-2025	Dinga-Amb	0.1	41.2	25	36.4	21.2	9.4	40.3	0
18-05-2025	Dinga-Amb	0	42.1	25.7	35.3	19.2	7.6	45	0
19-05-2025	Dinga-Amb	0	42.9	26.2	35.5	18.1	8.1	57.7	1
20-05-2025	Dinga-Amb	0.9	42	26.5	39.6	22.6	7.8	56.3	4
21-05-2025	Dinga-Amb	0.2	41.5	26.5	42	28.4	8.4	59	1
17-05-2025	Duggain	1.2	24.2	11.6	56.6	28.7	8.6	14.6	2
18-05-2025	Duggain	0.2	25.4	12.6	51.9	26.6	8.6	14.6	1
19-05-2025	Duggain	0.2	26.2	13.8	50.1	27.1	7.3	8.5	2
20-05-2025	Duggain	2.7	25.4	14.1	59.9	30.7	7.6	19.3	5
21-05-2025	Duggain	2.4	25	13.1	61.1	38	5.5	23.2	1
17-05-2025	Duggan	1.4	24	9.1	61.9	29.1	4.3	48.3	2
18-05-2025	Duggan	0.3	25.2	10.2	56.9	26.9	4.3	48.3	1
19-05-2025	Duggan	0.4	25.9	11.2	55.9	27.6	3.8	48.8	2
20-05-2025	Duggan	2.9	24.9	11.2	64.8	31.5	4.6	45	4
21-05-2025	Duggan	2.7	25.4	11.6	64	37.5	6.3	23.6	1
17-05-2025	Hiranagar	0.2	42.1	25.5	35.7	20.3	8.9	43.3	0
18-05-2025	Hiranagar	0.1	42.9	26	34.8	18.7	6.1	45	0
19-05-2025	Hiranagar	0.1	43.7	26.6	35.1	17.4	6.8	64.8	1
20-05-2025	Hiranagar	0.8	42.8	27	39.2	22.5	7.5	54.8	4
21-05-2025	Hiranagar	0.4	42.4	27	41.4	28	8.2	66.8	1
17-05-2025	Kathua	0.1	40.9	23.9	36.9	19.2	10.5	38	0
18-05-2025	Kathua	0	41.7	24.1	35.2	17.7	8.9	40.1	0



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19-05-2025	Kathua	0	42.7	25.4	35.8	18.3	8.1	45	1
20-05-2025	Kathua	0.9	41.7	25.7	41.4	23	8.1	45	3
21-05-2025	Kathua	0.2	41.2	25.6	42.9	28.1	7.7	48.8	1
17-05-2025	Keerian-Gangyal	0.1	42.6	25.8	36.9	18.7	10.4	56.3	0
18-05-2025	Keerian-Gangyal	0	43.2	26.2	35.8	17.3	7.9	65.8	0
19-05-2025	Keerian-Gangyal	0	44.2	26.9	36.2	17.9	7.3	69.8	1
20-05-2025	Keerian-Gangyal	0.8	43.1	27.2	40.8	22.9	8	63.4	4
21-05-2025	Keerian-Gangyal	0.2	42.8	27.2	41.2	27.4	9	61.4	1
17-05-2025	Lohai-Malhar	0.7	29.1	16.5	46	26.1	9.6	34.3	1
18-05-2025	Lohai-Malhar	0.2	30.2	17.2	42.7	23.4	8.3	34.4	0
19-05-2025	Lohai-Malhar	0.2	31.1	18.4	44.4	23.8	8	35.8	1
20-05-2025	Lohai-Malhar	1.9	29.8	18.4	50.4	27.7	7.9	39.4	4
21-05-2025	Lohai-Malhar	1.4	29.7	17.5	53.3	35	6.6	22.3	1
17-05-2025	Mahanpur	0.5	38.9	22.8	38.9	19.9	11.5	32.2	1
18-05-2025	Mahanpur	0.1	39.8	23.2	36.9	18.5	10.4	33.7	0
19-05-2025	Mahanpur	0.1	40.7	24.6	37.2	19.6	10	37.7	1
20-05-2025	Mahanpur	1.3	39.7	24.7	43	21.6	9.2	38.6	3
21-05-2025	Mahanpur	0.9	38.8	24.6	44.8	28	9	36.8	1
17-05-2025	Mandli	0.3	32.7	19.7	40.9	23.5	10.9	34.2	1
18-05-2025	Mandli	0.1	33.9	20.5	38.1	21.2	9.6	34.3	0
19-05-2025	Mandli	0.1	34.6	21.5	40.2	20.8	8.8	35	1
20-05-2025	Mandli	1.2	33.4	21.5	45	25.3	9.2	38.6	4
21-05-2025	Mandli	0.4	33.9	21.2	47.3	32.3	7.9	24.2	1
17-05-2025	Matheen	0.2	42	25.4	35.7	20.3	8.9	43.3	0
18-05-2025	Matheen	0.1	42.8	26	34.8	18.7	6.1	45	0
19-05-2025	Matheen	0.1	43.7	26.6	35.1	17.4	6.8	64.8	1
20-05-2025	Matheen	0.8	42.7	27	39.2	22.5	7.5	54.8	4
21-05-2025	Matheen	0.3	42.4	26.9	41.4	28	8.2	66.8	1
17-05-2025	Nagri	0.2	41.1	24.1	36.6	19.1	10.2	39.3	0
18-05-2025	Nagri	0.1	41.9	24.2	35	17.7	8.7	41.6	0
19-05-2025	Nagri	0.1	42.8	25.6	35.7	18.2	7.9	46.8	1
20-05-2025	Nagri	0.9	41.8	25.8	41.2	23	8.1	45	3
21-05-2025	Nagri	0.2	41.4	25.8	42.7	28	7.4	50.9	1
17-05-2025	Nagrota-Gujroo	0.1	41.2	24.1	36.3	19.3	10.5	38	0
18-05-2025	Nagrota-Gujroo	0.1	42	24.2	34.8	17.6	8.4	39.8	0
19-05-2025	Nagrota-Gujroo	0.1	42.9	25.6	35.5	17.1	7.9	46.8	1
20-05-2025	Nagrota-Gujroo	1	41.9	26	41	22.7	8.1	45	3
21-05-2025	Nagrota-Gujroo	0.3	41.5	25.9	42.7	28.2	7.4	50.9	1

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