



West Central Table Land Zone

District-Bargarh

Weather forecast for next 5 days

Date	21-03-2026	22-03-2026	23-03-2026	24-03-2026	25-03-2026
Rainfall (mm)	15	2	0	0	0
Max Temperature (° C)	35	33	32	32	33
Min Temperature (°C)	21	20	20	21	21
Total cloud cover (okta)	5	3	2	1	2
Max Relative Humidity (%)	77	70	59	54	60
Min Relative Humidity (%)	24	23	19	17	18
Wind speed (km/h)	3	3	6	6	3
Wind direction (deg)	249	30	15	43	145

For further information, contact the IMD, Bhubaneswar, Tel. # 0674-2596116

Weather Summary/Alert:

According to medium range weather forecast of IMD, MC, Bhubaneswar, very light to light rain may occur during upcoming week and mainly clear to generally cloudy sky is expected during that period. Slight decrease in temperature is expected during upcoming 5 days. Moderate to high relative humidity along with a wind speed of 3-6 km/h is predicted in west-north-westerly, north-north-easterly and south-south-easterly direction.

General Advisory

- Looking to the prevailing rainfall/thunderstorm/hailstorm condition, farmers are advised to keep their harvested produce in safe places and make provision to protect the plants from strong wind. Avoid grazing of animals in open places during warning period.
- Sowing of summer season vegetables should be started as soon as possible after occurrence of rain.
- Monitoring of insect pest and disease attack in standing crop fields should be advised due prevailing weather.

SMS Advisory

- If water logged condition is arise due to past rainfall events, then farmers are advised to drain out excess water from standing crop field.

Crop and livestock Specific Agromet Advisory

Name of the crop	Crop Stage	Agromet Advisories
Dry Season Rice	Tillering	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Considering the prevailing weather condition, farmers are advised to wait some days for any kind of spraying operation as well as fertilizer application in rice field. Farmers should avoid excess use of nitrogenous fertilizers to avoid heavy infestation of stem borer. If possible, use light trap to catch yellow stem borer adults.
Okra	Sowing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Farmers are advised to start sowing of okra by taking the advantage of previous rainfall condition. Sowing of seeds in 1–2 cm deep with a spacing of 45×30 cm should be advised. Soak seeds for 6-12 hours before sowing for better germination during summer.
Mango	Mustard and Pea size fruit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Farmers should wait some days for any kind of spraying operation because some amount of rainfall along with strong wind is expected in first half of upcoming week also.

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Affected plant parts from past hailstorm events should be removed as soon as possible because it may lead to further fungal infection. Drain out excess water from Mango orchard.
Vegetable	Vegetative/ flowering/ Fruiting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Spraying operations should be avoided for some more days. Remove affected plants, fruit etc. from field because of past hailstorm events. Regular monitoring of fungal disease infestation should be advised. Provide mechanical support to the crop to protect them from strong wind. Make provision to drain out excess water from field if any, due to past rainfall.
Livestock		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Avoid movement of animals during thunderstorm warning period and keep them in safe places. Keep them away from trees, metal fences, and any other metal objects, as these can attract lightning, keep them away from windows and doors, and do not leave animals tied up or restrained outside. Make arrangements to avoid direct entry of rain water to animal shelter.

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