# BIDHAN CHANDRA KRISHI VISWAVIDYALAYA MEDIUM-RANGE WEATHER FORECAST AND AGRO-ADVISORY (Agromet Advisory Services, IMD, MoES) 

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## Weather Forecast for Burdwan District

FORECAST PERIOD: 12 th May to 16th May, 2018

## Weather forecast for next five days

$>$ Partly cloudy sky is expected during next 5 days .
$>$ Light rainfall is expected during next 5 days \& total will be 65 mm .
$>$ Wind flow mainly from $E, S$ and $S E$ direction with $9-14 \mathrm{~km} / \mathrm{hr}$. speed during next 5 days is expected.
$>$ Maximum relative humidity is expected to be around $74 \%-84 \%$ and minimum relative humidity is expected to be around $26 \%-37 \%$.
$>$ Maximum temperature is expected to be around $35^{\circ} \mathrm{C}-36^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and minimum temperature is expected to be around $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}-26^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.

Agrometeorological Advisory

| Crop | Stage | Advisory |
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| Kharif <br> Maize | Sowing | Sowing of fodder crops may be done during next week. Adequate <br> moisture should be maintained for maximum germination of seeds. <br> Sowing should be done at a depth of 3-4 cm and at row to row spacing <br> of 25-30 cm. |
| Green <br> manuring <br> crop | Sowing | Sowing of green manuring crop like cluster bean, dhaincha etc may be <br> advised where harvesting of rabi crop is over. <br> Ensure proper moisture for proper germination and growth of crop. |
| Boro <br> Paddy | Panicle <br> maturing <br> stage | Do not need to irrigate the rice field as light rainfall has been <br> forecasted . Don't harvest untill rice grains turn yellowish. Fully <br> mature grains may be harvested in the morning hours. |
| Mango, <br> Lichi | Fruit Setting | To prevent fruit drop apply NAA (Planofix) @ 3ml per 15 lt of water. |
| Jute | Seedling | Thinning maybe done and maintain the plant population in the main <br> field. |

