



West Central Table Land Zone

District-Bargarh

Weather forecast for next 5 days

Date	14-03-2026	15-03-2026	16-03-2026	17-03-2026	18-03-2026
Rainfall (mm)	0	0	0	3	1
Max Temperature (° C)	37	38	38	38	36
Min Temperature (°C)	21	21	21	21	20
Total cloud cover (okta)	1	1	2	4	2
Max Relative Humidity (%)	44	54	61	69	71
Min Relative Humidity (%)	11	11	18	26	19
Wind speed (km/h)	2	7	7	7	1
Wind direction (deg)	342	186	183	217	252

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

Weather Summary/Alert:

According to medium range weather forecast of IMD, MC, Bhubaneswar, dry weather is expected in first half of upcoming week and very light rain may occur thereafter. Mainly clear to partly cloudy sky is expected during that period. Prevailing temperature condition may continue during upcoming 5 days. Moderate to high relative humidity along with a wind speed of 1-7 km/h is predicted in north-westerly, south-easterly and south-westerly direction.

General Advisory

- As per the extended range forecast (date:-12.03.2026) of IMD, MC, Bhubaneswar, **isolated rain/thundershower** is very likely to prevail over the districts of Odisha during both **week-1 (13th to 19th March, 2026)** and **week-2 (20th to 26th March, 2026)** so farmers are advised to harvest their matured rabi crops at earliest and keep the harvested produce in safe places to avoid any further damage. Make provision to protect the plants from strong wind and avoid grazing of animals in open places to protect them from thunder.
- Normal to above normal maximum temperature is expected during both week-1 and week-2 so farmers should make provision to maintain adequate moisture in crop field.
- Sowing of summer season vegetables should be started as soon as possible.
- Monitoring of sucking insects attack in standing crop fields should be advised.
- Looking to the prevailing temperature condition, farmers are advised to ensure fresh cool drinking water and proper ventilation in animal shed.

SMS Advisory

- Keeping in view of increasing temperature and very light rain after two to three days, farmers are advised to make necessary provision to protect the crops and animals from heat stress as well as rain.

Crop and livestock Specific Agromet Advisory

Name of the crop	Crop Stage	Agromet Advisories
Dry Season Rice	Tillering	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Due to prevailing weather condition, if heavy infestation of yellow stem borer is observed in Rice field then immediately spray azadirachtin 0.15% neem seed kernel based EC formulation @ 800 ml/acre or soil application of chlorantraniliprole 0.4% GR @ 4 kg/acre or cartap hydrochloride 4G @ 10 kg/acre by mixing with sand at 1:1 ratio or spraying chlorantraniliprole 18.5% SC @ 60 ml/acre with spray solution volume of 200 litres/acre under clear weather condition. Farmers should avoid excess use of nitrogenous fertilizers to avoid heavy

		<p>infestation of stem borer.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 where irrigation facilities are available. Sow the seeds in 1–2 cm deep with a spacing of 45×30 cm. Soak seeds for 6-12 hours before sowing to enhance germination during summer. • Apply Azospirillum and Phosphobacteria each at 2 kg/ha mixed in 100 kg of FYM before sowing. • Mulching should be done with polythene film or straw to increase production by maintaining soil moisture.
Mango	Flowering/ Mustard and Pea size fruit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If powdery mildew infestation observed in Mango tree, then spraying of wettable sulphur @ 2g per liter of water should be advised under clear weather condition. • At Mustard/Pea size fruiting stage, farmers should maintain adequate moisture in Mango orchard and also if possible, spray Planofix @ 1ml per 4-5 liters of water to reduce fruit drops.
Chilli	Vegetative/ flowering/ Fruiting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regular monitoring against sucking insects attack in Chilli crop should be advised. • Provide mechanical support to the crop to protect them from strong wind. • If Mite attack observed, then spraying of Ethion 50 EC @ 2-3 ml or Propergite 57 EC @ 0.6-0.8 ml per liter of water should be advised when sky is clear.
Poultry		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vaccination of poultry chicks against Ranikhet Disease should be advised. Chicks affected by this disease show symptoms such as panting, coughing, wheezing, lethargy, not eating, neck twisting, wings and legs not working, discharge of green or white colored feces, etc. The disease spreads very quickly and the affected chicken dies within 24 hours. Immediately isolate the chickens showing symptoms and put them outside so that they do not come into contact with healthy chickens. • During summer season, its outbreaks basically occur due to stress from high heat and dehydration so farmer should make proper arrangements to provide required amount of water in poultry farm and also ensure well-ventilated areas.

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