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**Medium Range Weather Forecast**

**(25– 29 July, 2018)**

**(Begusarai)**

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| **Weather parameters** | **25 July** | **26 July** | **27 July** | **28 July** | **29 July** | **Remarks** |
| **Rainfall(mm)** | **20** | **10** | **10** | **15** | **10** | **Light to medium** |
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| **Mini. T (°C)** | **27** | **27** | **28** | **27** | **26** |
| **Cloud cover (okta)** | **7** | **7** | **8** | **8** | **8** | **Mainly cloudy sky** |
| **Max Relative Humidity (%)** | **95** | **90** | **95** | **95** | **95** |  |
| **Min Relative Humidity (%)** | **60** | **60** | **65** | **65** | **65** |  |
| **Wind speed (kmph)** | **10** | **10** | **10** | **10** | **10** |  |
| **Wind direction(deg)** | **Westerly** | **Westerly** | **Westerly** | **Westerly** | **Westerly** | **Westerly** |

**Advisory for the farmers**

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| **Crop** | **Phenophases**  | **Advisory (Based on weather forecast)** |
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**Medium Range Weather Forecast**

**(25– 29 July, 2018)**

 **(Darbhanga)**

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| **Wind speed (kmph)** | **10** | **10** | **10** | **10** | **10** |  |
| **Wind direction(deg)** | **Easterly** | **Westerly** | **Westerly** | **Westerly** | **Easterly** | **Westerly/Easterly** |

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**Medium Range Weather Forecast**

**(25– 29 July, 2018)**

 **(East Champaran)**

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| **Weather parameters** | **25 July** | **26 July** | **27 July** | **28 July** | **29 July** | **Remarks** |
| **Rainfall(mm)** | **40** | **10** | **10** | **20** | **15** | **Light to medium** |
| **Max. T (°C)** | **34** | **33** | **33** | **32** | **30** | **Maximum temperature will remain between 30-34°C and the minimum between 25-28°C.** |
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| **Cloud cover (okta)** | **7** | **7** | **8** | **8** | **8** | **Mainly cloudy sky** |
| **Max Relative Humidity (%)** | **95** | **90** | **95** | **95** | **95** |  |
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| **Wind speed (kmph)** | **10** | **10** | **10** | **10** | **10** |  |
| **Wind direction(deg)** | **Easterly** | **Westerly** | **Westerly** | **Westerly** | **Easterly** | **Westerly/Easterly** |

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**(25– 29 July, 2018)**

 **(Gopalganj)**

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**(25– 29 July, 2018)**

 **(Madhubani)**

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**(25– 29 July, 2018)**

 **(Muzaffarpur)**

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| **Wind speed (kmph)** | **10** | **10** | **10** | **10** | **10** |  |
| **Wind direction(deg)** | **Easterly** | **Westerly** | **Westerly** | **Westerly** | **Easterly** | **Westerly/Easterly** |

**Advisory for the farmers**

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| **Crop** | **Phenophases**  | **Advisory (Based on weather forecast)** |
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**(25– 29 July, 2018)**

 **(Samastipur)**

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| **Weather parameters** | **25 July** | **26 July** | **27 July** | **28 July** | **29 July** | **Remarks** |
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| **Cloud cover (okta)** | **7** | **7** | **8** | **8** | **8** | **Mainly cloudy sky** |
| **Max Relative Humidity (%)** | **95** | **90** | **95** | **95** | **95** |  |
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| **Wind speed (kmph)** | **10** | **10** | **10** | **10** | **10** |  |
| **Wind direction(deg)** | **Easterly** | **Westerly** | **Westerly** | **Westerly** | **Easterly** | **Westerly/Easterly** |

**Advisory for the farmers**

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**Medium Range Weather Forecast**

**(25– 29 July, 2018)**

 **(Saran)**

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| **Max Relative Humidity (%)** | **95** | **90** | **95** | **95** | **95** |  |
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| **Wind speed (kmph)** | **10** | **10** | **10** | **10** | **10** |  |
| **Wind direction(deg)** | **Easterly** | **Westerly** | **Westerly** | **Westerly** | **Easterly** | **Westerly/Easterly** |

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**(25– 29 July, 2018)**

 **(Shivhar)**

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**(25– 29 July, 2018)**

 **(Sitamarhi)**

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**(25– 29 July, 2018)**

 **(Siwan)**

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**Medium Range Weather Forecast**

**(25– 29 July, 2018)**

 **(Vaishali)**

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| **Weather parameters** | **25 July** | **26 July** | **27 July** | **28 July** | **29 July** | **Remarks** |
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| **Wind speed (kmph)** | **10** | **10** | **10** | **10** | **10** |  |
| **Wind direction(deg)** | **Easterly** | **Westerly** | **Westerly** | **Westerly** | **Easterly** | **Westerly/Easterly** |

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 **(West Champaran)**

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